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FIELDS

Economic Development • Labor Economics • Public Economics

CURRENT RESEARCH INTERESTS

Impact of international migration on family members remaining in the home country with emphasis on migration between Mexico and the U.S.; health and education effects of migration; existence and measurement of poverty traps and income mobility in developing countries; distribution of responsibility for elderly care among siblings; intergenerational persistence in income and education levels; estimating peer effects.

SELECTED PUBLICATIONS AND WRITINGS

“Earnings Mobility and Measurement Error: A Pseudo Panel Approach” (with David J. McKenzie), *Economic Development and Cultural Change*, October 2007.

“Poverty Traps and Nonlinear Income Dynamics with Measurement Error and Individual Heterogeneity” (with David J. McKenzie), *Journal of Development Studies*, October 2007.

“Who Cares for the Elderly? Intrafamily Resource Allocation and Migration in Mexico”, July 2007.

“Parental Migration and Children’s Education in Mexico: How Important is Child Age at the Time of Migration?”, July 2007.

“The Intergenerational Effects of Paternal Migration on Schooling: What Can We Learn from Children’s Time Allocations?”, July 2007.