2023 AEA Summer Mentoring Pipeline Conference
Washington, D.C., June 15th-17th, 2023
Conference Program
Courtyard by Marriott Washington Downtown Convention Center

Thursday June 15th  Liberty Lounge

5:30 – 7:00 p.m.  
(Net)Working Reception
Welcome & SMPC Overview  
Francisca Antman and Trevon Logan, Co-Directors, AEA Mentoring Program
Omari Swinton, Director, AEA Summer Program

Friday June 16th

8:00-8:30 a.m.  Shaw Ballroom: Networking Continental Breakfast
8:30 – 8:45 a.m.  Shaw Ballroom: Opening Remarks  
Francisca Antman and Trevon Logan, Co-Directors, AEA Mentoring Program
Ebonya Washington, Committee on the Status of Minority Groups in the Economics Profession (CSMGE)  
Omari Swinton, Director, AEA Summer Program
### AEA Summer Program Student Presentations

**Simultaneous Sessions**

AEASP students divided into groups for 30 min blocks of time for speed round presentations; 5 min (max) presentation per student followed by Q&A after all students have presented in each block.

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#### Professional Development Panels & Jobs Outside of Academia

Set of three 30 Minute blocks in each room (20 minutes for presentations/panel followed by Q&A)

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**Shaw Ballroom**  
**Building a Successful Research Agenda**  
José Bucheli, University of Texas at El Paso  
Marianne Wanamaker, University of Tennessee Knoxville  
Bradley Hardy, Georgetown University  

**Howard**  
Inter-American Development Bank, Claudia Martinez  
World Bank, Arianna Legovini  
Brookings Institution, Sarah Reber  

**Lincoln**  
U.S. Census Bureau, Mark Klee  
U.S. Department of Agriculture, Sharese Paylor  
U.S. Department of the Treasury, Stacy Sneeringer

12:30 – 1:30 p.m.  
**Shaw Ballroom: Working Lunch**  
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Networking & Mentor/Mentee Meetings

1:30 – 2:20 p.m.  
**Shaw Ballroom: Grant Funding Opportunities**  
**Chair:** Trevon Logan, Ohio State University  
Nancy Lutz, National Science Foundation  
Partha Bhattacharyya, National Institute on Aging  
Sheldon Danziger, Russell Sage Foundation  
Jonathan Fisher, Washington Center for Equitable Growth

2:20 – 2:30 p.m.  
**Shaw Ballroom: Short Break**
### AEA Mentoring Program Mentee Paper Presentations

**2:30 – 3:50 p.m.**

**Simultaneous Sessions**

**Shaw Ballroom: AEAMP JMB Participants 1**

**Chair:** Francisca Antman, University of Colorado Boulder

**Examining the Effects of University Expansion on Labor Market and Educational Outcomes,**

Vivian Aluoch, University of California San Diego

**The Effect of Federal Oversight on Policing Behavior,**

Romaine Campbell, Harvard University

**The Impact of Platform Rentals on Vacancy Rates and Housing Rentability,**

Frank Emeni, Howard University

**A Marxist-Feminist Analysis of Maternal Self-Reproductive Work: A Contemporary Contribution to the Wages for Housework Movement,**

Elaine Tontoh, Belmont University

**Howard: AEAMP JMB Participants 2**

**Chair:** Trevon Logan, Ohio State University

**How Do Late Career Workers Close to Retirement Respond to Job Loss?**

David Dongo, Howard University

**Diversity, Newcomers and Team Performance in a Dynamic Setting,**

George Agyeah, University of Arkansas

**How Markets Reflect Firms’ Pursuits to Achieve Sustainable Climate and Equity Targets,**

David Criss, Wayne State University

**COBOLing Together UI Benefits: How Delays in Fiscal Stabilizers Impact Aggregate Consumption,**

Michael Navarrete, University of Maryland

**Lincoln: AEAMP JMB Participants 3**

**Chair:** Melanie Khamis, Wesleyan University

**Examining the Impact of State Incentives on Small Business Owners’ Interests in Federal Funding,**

April Burrage, University of Massachusetts Amherst

**Foreign Brands in China’s Exports to Chile: Evidence of Institutional Comparative Advantage in Brand Production,**

Miles Stevens, Indiana University

**Global Value Chain Disruption from Covid-19 Pandemic and Economic Growth: Evidence from the United States,**

Eric Neuyou, University of Arkansas

**Racially Differentiated Unemployment and Mobility: The Labor Market Effects of Changing US Organizational Structure Following the China Trade Shock,**

Bethel Cole-Smith, Howard University
3:50 – 4:00 p.m. **Shaw Ballroom: Refreshment Break**

4:00 – 5:00 p.m. **Simultaneous Sessions**

**Shaw Ballroom: AEAMP PhD Students 1**
Chair: Francisca Antman, University of Colorado Boulder

*Insurance With an Endogenous Adversary: The Case of Ransomware,* Anderson Frailey, University of Virginia

*Household Portfolio Allocation and Wealth Formation,* Eddie Gray, Howard University

*Mexican Women, Labor, and Demographics: Evidence from the Bracero Program,* Elena Ojeda, University of California, Berkeley

**Howard: AEAMP PhD Students 2**
Chair: Trevon Logan, Ohio State University

*Bias in the Gig Economy: Evidence From Online Tutoring Platforms,* Ini-Abasi Umosen, University of California, Berkeley

*The Importance of Considering State Eligibility Requirements for Equitable Unemployment Insurance Access: Lessons from the Great Recession and COVID-19,* Felipe Juan, Howard University

*Organic Farming Transitions: A Dynamic Bioeconomic Model,* Michael Meneses, Cornell University

**Lincoln: AEAMP PhD Students & New PhDs**
Chair: Leah Brooks, George Washington University

*Inference from Biased Polls,* Nathaniel Burke, West Virginia University

*Willingness-to-Pay for Public Exam Schools: Consequences of Place-Based Affirmative Action,* Rene Crespin, Michigan State University

*Investment Decisions and Subjective Beliefs,* Austin MacDonald, City University of New York, Graduate Center

5:00 – 6:00 p.m. Free time until Dinner – Networking and Mentee/Mentor Meetings Encouraged!

6:00 – 8:00 p.m. **Shaw Ballroom: Dinner**

**LEWIS-OAXACA Distinguished Lecture**

*Citation Bias and the Economics Profession*

Samuel L. Myers, Jr., University of Minnesota

**2023 AEA Impactful Mentor Award**

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Mackenzie Alston, University of Illinois  
Omari Swinton, Howard University |
| 9:15 – 10:00 a.m. | **Surviving and Thriving in Graduate School**  
Chair: Francisca Antman, University of Colorado Boulder  
Romaine Campbell, Harvard University  
Bethel Cole-Smith, Howard University  
Eric Neuyou, University of Arkansas |
| 10:00 – 10:15 a.m. | Shaw Ballroom: Refreshment Break                                    |
| 10:15 – 11:30 a.m. | **Navigating the Ph.D. Job Market**  
Trevon Logan, Ohio State University  
Rene Crespin, Michigan State University  
Carla Moreno, Loyola Marymount University |
| 11:30 – 11:45 a.m. | **Closing Remarks**  
Francisca Antman and Trevon Logan, AEA Mentoring Program |
Dr. Samuel L. Myers, Jr., University of Minnesota

Dr. Samuel L. Myers, Jr. is the Director and Professor, Roy Wilkins Center for Human Relations and Social Justice at the Hubert H. Humphrey School of Public Affairs, University of Minnesota. Myers holds concurrent appointments in the Applied Economics Ph.D. Program and the graduate minor in population studies in the Minnesota Population Center. He maintains an affiliation with the Institute of Ethnology and Anthropology at the Chinese Academy of Social Sciences (Beijing, China).

Myers has published extensively on applied microeconomic and policy issues in leading economics and interdisciplinary journals and books and monographs. He is a pioneer in the use of applied econometric techniques to examine racial disparities in crime, to detect illegal discrimination in home mortgage lending and consumer credit markets, to assess the impacts of welfare on family stability, to evaluate the effectiveness of government transfers in reducing poverty, and to detect disparities and discrimination in government contracting. He is the co-editor of a special edition of the Journal of Economic Literature focusing on race and economic modeling and the co-author of a recent paper on the marginalization of race in the economics of crime literature.

Myers is an elected Fellow of the National Academy of Public Administration; a past president of the Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management (APPAM); the former chair of the National Science Foundation’s Committee on Equal Opportunity in Science and Engineering (CEOSE); an appointed member of the U.S. Department of Justice Office of Justice Programs (OJP) Science Advisory Board, appointed member, Committee on Law and Justice (CLAJ), Division of Behavioral and Social Sciences and Education (DBASSE) National Research Council (December 2021 – December 2024) and a former president of the National Economic Association (NEA).

He received his Ph.D. in economics from MIT where his dissertation on the economics of crime was supervised by Nobel-laurate, Robert M. Solow, Michael Piore and Lester Thurow. His BA in economics was awarded by Morgan State University.

Recipient of the 2023 Impactful Mentor Award

Dr. Sarah Jacobson, Williams College

Dr. Sarah Jacobson is a Professor of Economics at Williams College. She completed her PhD in Economics at Georgia State University and her Bachelor of Science in Engineering at Harvey Mudd College.

She is an environmental and behavioral economist who studies environmental regulations, interactions between preferences and institutions, economics education, and racial inequities. Themes in her research include regulatory incentive structures, punishment, deterrence, charity donations, reciprocity, rationality errors, discrimination, and situations in which social preferences yield inefficient outcomes.

Her work uses laboratory experiments, surveys, applied theory, and observational data, and she also creates pedagogical games and tools. Sarah engages extensively with mentoring and other efforts to promote diversity, inclusion, and equity in the economics profession broadly as well as within Williams; she serves on the American Economic Association’s Committee on the Status of Minority Groups in the Economic Profession. She also does some writing and speaking on inclusion and on professional development.

Inaugurated in 2018, the purpose of the AEA Mentoring Program’s Impactful Mentor Awards is to recognize and celebrate the excellence and impact of mentors on diversity, access, and inclusion in the economics profession. Previous Impactful Mentor Award recipients include Cecilia Conrad, William Darity, Jr., and Marie Mora (2018); Lisa D. Cook and Charles M. Becker (2019); Rhonda V. Sharpe (2020); Peter Blair Henry (2021); and Omari H. Swinton (2022).
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