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ACADEMIC POSITIONS

Class of 1948 Career Development Assistant Professor of Work and Organization Studies,
& Core Faculty, Institute for Work and Employment Research, MIT Sloan

AFFILIATIONS

Nonresident Senior Fellow, Peterson Institute for International Economics
Research Affiliate, IZA Institute of Labor Economics
Affiliated Scholar, Stone Center on Socio-Economic Inequality, CUNY Graduate Center

EDUCATION

PhD in Economics, Harvard University, 2016-2021
Dissertation: “*Essays on Power in Labor Markets*”. Upjohn Institute Dissertation Award.

Master in Public Policy, Harvard Kennedy School, 2013-2015
Policy Analysis Exercise: “*Tackling financial inclusion through community investment*”

BA in Economics, Cambridge University, 2010-2013
First class degree. Adam Smith prize for (joint) best performance in Economics
Dissertation: “*Did rising income inequality affect the build-up of US household debt?*”

ACADEMIC PUBLICATIONS

Anna Stansbury & Robert Schultz (2023). “[The Economics Profession’s Socioeconomic Diversity Problem](#)”. *Journal of Economic Perspectives*.

Anna Stansbury, Daniel Turner, & Ed Balls (2023). “[Tackling the UK’s Regional Economic Inequality: Binding constraints and avenues for policy intervention](#)”. *Contemporary Social Science*.

Anna Stansbury, Jacob Funk Kirkegaard, & Karen Dynan (2023). “[Gender Gaps in South Korea’s Labor Market: children explain most of the gender employment gap, but little of the gender wage gap](#)”. *Applied Economics Letters*, May 2023.

Jacob Greenspon, Anna Stansbury, & Lawrence H. Summers (2021). “[Productivity and Pay in the United States and Canada](#)”. *International Productivity Monitor*, Fall 2021.

Anna Stansbury & Lawrence H. Summers (2020). “[The Declining Worker Power Hypothesis: An explanation for the recent evolution of the American economy](#)”. *Brookings Papers on Economic Activity*, Spring 2020.

Anna Stansbury & Lawrence H. Summers (2019). “Productivity and Pay: Is the link broken?”. Chapter 8 in [Facing Up to Low Productivity Growth](#), Eds. Adam Posen and Jeromin Zettelmeyer. Peterson Institute for International Economics: Washington DC.

WORKING PAPERS

Samuel Dodini, Anna Stansbury, & Alexander Willén (2023). "[How do Firms Respond to Unions?](#)". *IZA Discussion paper No. 16697*, December 2023.

Gregor Schubert, Anna Stansbury, & Bledi Taska (2023). "[Employer Concentration and Outside Options](#)". *Working Paper*, last updated January 2023.

Anna Stansbury (2021). "[Do US Firms Have an Incentive to Comply with the FLSA and the NLRA?](#)". *PIIE working paper 21-9*, June 2021.

OTHER PUBLICATIONS / RESEARCH REPORTS

Lindsay Judge & Anna Stansbury (2020). "[Under the Wage Floor: Exploring firms' incentives to comply with the minimum wage](#)". *Resolution Foundation Briefing Note*, 2020.

Ed Balls, James Howat & Anna Stansbury (2016). "[Central Bank Independence Revisited: After the financial crisis, what should a model central bank look like?](#)" *Harvard Kennedy School MRCBG Associate Working Paper 67 (updated version: HKS MRCBG WP 87)*.

HONORS, SCHOLARSHIPS, & FELLOWSHIPS

2023	Poets & Quants 40 under 40 MBA professors
2022	MIT Outstanding Teacher Award
2022	European Economic Association Career Structures Initiative Grant
2021	BusinessBecause 10 MBA Professors to Watch in 2022
2021	Upjohn Institute Dissertation Award
2021	Russell Goldsmith Graduate Student Aid Fellowship, Harvard
2019	Washington Center for Equitable Growth Doctoral Grant (w/ G. Schubert)
2017-21	Stone Ph.D. Scholar in Inequality and Wealth Concentration, Harvard
2015,16,19	Harvard Certificate of Distinction in Teaching
2013-15	Kennedy Memorial Scholarship to Harvard
2013	Adam Smith Prize (joint) for Best Performance in Economics, Cambridge Uni.
2013	Larmor Award, St John's College, Cambridge University
2010-13	Deutsche Bank Start-Up Scholarship

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

MIT Sloan (as assistant professor)

2022-24	15.677 <i>Labor Markets and Employment Policy</i>
2022-24	15.662 <i>People and Profits: Shaping the Work of the Future</i>
2021	Team Project Faculty Advisor, 15.311 <i>Organizational Processes</i>

Harvard (as graduate student)

2015, 17, 18, 19, 20	Head Teaching Fellow and/or Teaching Fellow for <i>The Political Economy of Globalization</i> (Lawrence Summers & Robert Lawrence)
2020	Teaching Fellow for <i>The Financial Crisis and Great Recession</i> (Karen Dynan).
2017	Course Assistant for <i>Inside Government</i> (Lawrence Summers & Cass Sunstein)
2015, 16	Teaching Fellow for <i>American Economic Policy</i> (Martin Feldstein, Jeff Liebman, Kate Baicker & Lawrence Summers)
2014	Course Assistant for <i>Great Powers in the Global System</i> (Nicholas Burns)
2014	Teaching Fellow for <i>Game Theory</i> (Janina Matuszeski)

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Presentations (including invited & upcoming):

- 2023 Wharton Human and Social Capital; CUNY Graduate Center Applied Economics; Harvard Kennedy School Economics and Social Policy; Harvard Growth Lab; Institute for Fiscal Studies; Federal Reserve Board; U Mass Amherst; Eastern Economic Association; Economists for Inclusive Prosperity conference; Collective Bargaining in the 21st Century conference; Academy of Management; The Productivity Institute; Bank of England; UK Treasury; Welsh Treasury; UK Department for Levelling Up, Housing, and Communities.
- 2022 Brown; Chicago Fed; University of Nevada Reno; UMass Boston; UC Santa Barbara; LERA Annual Meeting; PIIE; University of Stockholm; Stockholm School of Economics; NHH Bergen; Ohio State Human Sciences, WCEG Grantee Conference; Resolution Foundation; NIESR; Centre for Cities; King's College London Department of Political Economy.
- 2021 Central Bank of Ireland; PIIE; Berlin Schumpeter-BSE Seminar; Federal Trade Commission; NBER Wage Dynamics in the 21st Century Conference; LERA Annual Meeting; ECINEQ Meeting; UT Austin Macroeconomics; Wharton People and Organizations; MIT Sloan EFA; MIT Sloan Applied Economics Brown Bag; University of Copenhagen & Copenhagen Business School Macroeconomics; Wayne State University; Georgetown & George Mason Law and Economics; Upjohn Institute; Federal Reserve Conference on Diversity and Inclusion; MIT Macroeconomics; University of Virginia Microeconomics; QMUL Centre for Research in Equality & Diversity.
- 2020 WCEG Grantee Conference; SEA Conference; IZA workshop "Labor Markets and the Phillips Curve"; Harvard Program in Inequality "Five Big Ideas in Inequality"; OECD Employment, Labour, and Social Affairs; UEA Conference; Labor and Finance Online Seminar; MIT Institute for Work and Employment Research; Harvard CID Growth Lab Seminar; Oxford NuCamp Virtual PhD Workshop; Brookings Papers on Economic Activity (with L. Summers).
- 2019 Midwest Macro Meetings panel on Diversity in Macroeconomics; Wharton People and Organizations; IDSC of IZA/CAIS workshop "Matching Workers and Jobs Online"; Bank of Canada workshop "Productivity: Filling the Knowledge Gaps"; PIIE.
- 2018 briq workshop "Firms, Jobs, and Inequality"; PIIE; European Central Bank Wage Expert Group; European Central Bank Directorate General Economic Developments; Resolution Foundation.
- 2017 PIIE, Harvard.

Refereeing American Economic Journal: Applied, American Economic Review: Insights, American Law and Economics Review, Economic Journal, Journal of Economics Education, Journal of the European Economic Association, Journal of Financial Economics, Journal of Labor Economics, Journal of Public Economics, Labour Economics,

Other

Management Science, National Science Foundation, Quarterly Journal of Economics,
Review of Economic Studies, Science.
International Advisory Committee, International Productivity Monitor
Academic Advisory Council, Economic Policy Institute