

Lenore M. Palladino

Curriculum Vitae

Last Updated: September 2023

Professional Appointment

September 2019-: Assistant Professor of Economics and Public Policy, Department of Economics and School of Public Policy, University of Massachusetts Amherst.

Research Positions and Affiliations

2023-: Fellow, Berggruen Institute.

2019-: Research Associate, Political Economy Research Institute, University of Massachusetts Amherst

2019-: Senior Fellow, Roosevelt Institute.

2019-: Affiliated Researcher, Academic-Industry Research Network.

Education

Ph.D., January 2015. The New School for Social Research, Department of Economics
Dissertation: “New York City’s Stock Transfer Tax: Revenue and Employment Effects.”
Completed PhD Qualifying Exams Nov. 2006: Labor Economics with honors;
Microeconomics.

J.D., December 2012. Fordham Law School.

B.A. in Political Science with Special Honors and B.A. in Philosophy, June 2002. University of Chicago.

Peer-Reviewed Scholarly Publications

Published Articles

2023 Palladino, L. “Establishing a public option for asset management in the United States.”
Review of Social Economy. Vol. Forthcoming
<https://doi.org/10.1080/00346764.2023.2237485>

2022 Palladino, L. and William Lazonick. “Regulating Stock Buybacks: The \$6.3 Trillion Question.” *International Review of Applied Economics*. Vol. forthcoming. September 26, 2022. <https://doi.org/10.1080/02692171.2022.2123459>

- 2022 Palladino, L. "The Contribution of Shareholder Primacy to the Racial Wealth Gap." *Review of Black Political Economy*. Vol. 50 No. 2, May 2, 2022.
<https://doi.org/10.1177/00346446221094868>
- 2021 Palladino, L. "Economic Policies for Innovative Enterprises: Implementing Multi-Stakeholder Corporate Governance." *Review of Radical Political Economics*. Vol. 54(1), p. 5-25. <https://doi.org/10.1177/04866134211026691>
- 2021 Palladino, L. "The Potential Benefits of Employee Equity Funds in the United States." *Journal of Participation and Employee Ownership*. Vol. 5 No. 1, p. 56-78.
<https://doi.org/10.1108/JPEO-08-2020-0023>
- 2021 Palladino, L. "Economic Democracy at Work: Worker Representation on U.S. Corporate Boards." *Journal of Law and Political Economy*. Vol 1 (3), 373-396. Spring 2021.
<https://escholarship.org/uc/item/4ks225mv>
- 2021 Palladino, L. "Public Investment in Home Health Care in the United States During the Covid-19 Pandemic: A Win-Win Strategy." *Feminist Economics*. Vol 27 (1-2) 436-452. March 1, 2021.
<https://doi.org/10.1080/13545701.2020.1840609>
- 2020 Palladino, L. "The Impacts of Fintech on Small Business Borrowing." *Journal of Small Business & Entrepreneurship*. Vol. 33(6) 639-661. August 7, 2020.
<https://doi.org/10.1080/08276331.2020.1796110>
- 2020 Palladino, L. "Financialization at work: Shareholder primacy and stagnant wages in the United States." *Competition & Change*. Vol. 25 (3-4) 382-400. June 22, 2020.
<https://doi.org/10.1177/1024529420934641>
- 2020 Palladino, L. "Do Corporate Insiders use Stock Buybacks for Personal Gain?" *International Review of Applied Economics*. Vol. 34 (2) 152-174. January 16, 2020.
<https://doi.org/10.1080/02692171.2019.1707787>
- 2019 Palladino, L. "Democratizing Investment." *Politics & Society* Vol. 47(4) 573-591. November 11, 2019.
<https://doi.org/10.1177/0032329219878989>

Under Revise & Resubmit

- 2023 Palladino, L. and Chirag Lala. "The Macroeconomics of Care Investment in the United States."

Scholarly Work In Progress

- 2023 Palladino, L. “Public Equity Stakes in Industrial Policymaking.”
- 2023 Palladino, L. “The Myth that Shareholders are Investors.”
- 2021-: Palladino, L. *Good Company*. Book Manuscript under contract with the University of Chicago Press.

Non-Peer Reviewed Scholarly Publications

- 2023 Palladino, L. “The Need for Corporate Guardrails in U.S. Industrial Policy.” *Seattle Law Review*. Forthcoming.
- 2022 Palladino, L. “Comment Letter Re: Implementation of the CHIPS Incentives Program.” *CHIPS Program Office, National Institute of Standards and Technology, U.S. Department of Commerce*. November 11, 2022.
- 2022 Palladino, L. “Economic Democracy at Work.” *Democratizing Corporations*, edited by Isabelle Ferreras and Tom Malleson. Verso Press, Forthcoming 2022.
- 2022 Palladino, L. “Securities and Exchange Commission Proposed Rule SR: Share Repurchase Disclosure Modernization Comment Letter.” March 30, 2022. <https://www.sec.gov/comments/s7-21-21/s72121-20121827-274029.pdf>
- 2022 Palladino, L. “Winning the battles but losing the war? Book Review: “Labor in the Age of Finance,” Jacoby.” *Labor History* 63(1): 125-128. <https://doi.org/10.1080/0023656X.2022.2058120>
- 2022 Palladino, L. and D. Wood. “Diversity of Corporate Forms.” In *People Before Markets: A Casebook*. Edited by Daniel Souleles. *Cambridge University Press*, Forthcoming 2022.
- 2021 Palladino, L. “Democratizing Investment.” *Democratizing Finance*, edited by Fred Block & Robert Hockett. Verso Press.
- 2020 Palladino, L. “How to End Shareholder Primacy.” *IPPR Progressive Review*. Vol. 26 (4) 321-327. March 19, 2020. <https://doi.org/10.1111/newe.12182>
- 2019 Palladino, L. “Eleven Things They Don’t Tell You About Law and Economics”, *Law & Inequality: A Journal of Theory and Practice*.
- 2019 Palladino, L. “Small Business Fintech Lending: The Need for Comprehensive Regulation.” *Fordham Journal of Corporate and Financial Law*. Vol 24(1): p. 77-103. <https://ir.lawnet.fordham.edu/jcfl/vol24/iss1/3/>
- 2018 Palladino, L. “The \$1 Trillion Question: New Approaches to Regulating Stock Buybacks,” *Yale Journal of Regulation*. Vol. 36, p. 89-105.

- 2018 Palladino, L. “Shareholder Primacy and Worker Prosperity: A Broken Link.” *Kansas Law Review*, June 2018. Vol. 66, p. 1011-1032.
- 2015 Palladino, L. New York City’s Stock Transfer Tax: Revenue and Employment Effects. *State Tax Notes*, February 3, 2015, p. 35-43.

Policy Reports

- 2023 Palladino, L., Jordan Haedtler, and Kris Karlsson. “State Pension Funds and Climate Risk: A Roadmap for Navigating the Energy Transition.” Roosevelt Institute. March 2023. <https://rooseveltinstitute.org/publications/state-pension-funds-and-climate-risk/>
- 2022 Palladino, L., Todd Tucker, Joel Michaels, and Joel Dodge. “Progressive Preemption: How the Defense Production Act Can Override Corporate Extraction, Boost Worker Power, and Expedite the Clean Energy Transition.” Roosevelt Institute. December 2022. <https://rooseveltinstitute.org/publications/progressive-preemption-defense-production-act/>
- 2022 Palladino, L., Reed Shaw, and Will Dobbs-Allsopp. “Limiting Stock Buybacks Among Recipients of Inflation Reduction Acts Funds.” *Governing for Impact*. December 2022. https://governingforimpact.org/wp-content/uploads/2022/12/IRA-Stock-Buybacks-PAM_templated_FINAL.pdf
- 2022 Palladino, L., and Isabel Estevez. “The Need for Corporate Guardrails in US Industrial Policy.” Roosevelt Institute. August 2022. <https://rooseveltinstitute.org/publications/the-need-for-corporate-guardrails-in-us-industrial-policy/>
- 2022 Palladino, L. and Chirag Lala. “Investigating the Frequency of Stock Buybacks.” Political Economy Research Institute Research Brief. April 29, 2022. <https://peri.umass.edu/component/k2/item/1608-investigating-the-frequency-of-stock-buybacks>
- 2021 Palladino, L, Anwasha Majumder and Jess Forden. “A National Paid Leave Program Could Add \$28.5 Billion Annually to the Economy.” *Time’s UP Impact Lab*. September 2021. <https://timesupfoundation.org/paid-leave-is-essential-for-businesses-and-key-to-building-a-more-equitable-sustainable-economy/>
- 2021 Palladino, L. and Chirag Lala. “The Potential Benefits of a Public Asset Manager.” Roosevelt Institute. July 2021. <https://rooseveltinstitute.org/publications/potential-benefits-of-public-asset-manager/>
- 2021 Palladino, L and Rick Alexander. “Responsible Asset Managers: New Fiduciary Duty Rules for the Asset Management Industry.” Roosevelt Institute Issue Brief. June 2021.

- <https://rooseveltinstitute.org/publications/responsible-asset-managers-new-fiduciary-rules-for-the-asset-management-industry/>
- 2021 Palladino, L. and Chirag Lala. “The Economic Effects of Investing in Quality Care Jobs and Paid Family and Medical Leave.” Political Economy Research Institute Research Brief. June 2021.
<https://peri.umass.edu/component/k2/item/1465-the-economic-effects-of-investing-in-quality-care-jobs-and-paid-family-and-medical-leave>
- Cited by the White House:
<https://www.umass.edu/sbs/news/faculty/analysis-umass-economists-palladino-and-lal-a-cited-white-house-promoting-president>
- 2021 Palladino, L. and William Lazonick. “Regulating Stock Buybacks: The \$6.3 Trillion Question.” Roosevelt Institute Working Paper. May 2021.
<https://rooseveltinstitute.org/publications/regulating-stock-buybacks-the-6-3-trillion-question/>
- 2021 Palladino, L. “The Impacts of Public Investment in the State Care Infrastructure.” Political Economy Research Institute Research Brief. April 2021.
<https://www.peri.umass.edu/publication/item/1425-the-impacts-of-public-investment-in-the-state-care-infrastructure>
- 2021 Palladino, L. and Rhiana Gunn-Wright. “Care and Climate: Understanding the Policy Intersections.” Feminist Green New Deal Network. April 2021. [UNDERSTANDING THE POLICY INTERSECTIONS](#)
- 2021 Palladino, L. and Rakeen Mabud. “It’s Time to Care: The Economic Case for Investing in a Care Infrastructure.” Times UP: February 2021. [It’s Time to Care: The Economic Case for Investing in a Care Infrastructure - TIME’S UP Foundation](#)
- 2020 Alexander, Frederick, Holly Ensign- Barstow, Lenore Palladino, and Andrew Kassoy. “From Shareholder Primacy to Stakeholder Capitalism: A Policy Agenda for Systems Change.” September 2020. <https://theshareholdercommons.com/wp-content/uploads/2020/09/From-Shareholder-Primacy-to-Stakeholder-Capitalism-TSC-and-B-Lab-White-Paper.pdf>
- 2020 Palladino, L. “Public Investment in Home Health Care: A Win-Win Strategy for Employment and Public Health.” June 2020.
<https://www.peri.umass.edu/economists/lenore123/item/1312-public-investment-in-home-health-care-a-win-win-strategy-for-employment-and-public-health>
- 2020 Palladino, L. “The Contribution of Shareholder Primacy to the Racial Wealth Gap.” Roosevelt Institute, February 2020.
<https://rooseveltinstitute.org/publications/the-contribution-of-shareholder-primacy-to-the-racial-wealth-gap/>

- 2019 Palladino, L. “21st Century Corporate Governance: New Rules for Worker Representation on Corporate Boards.” Roosevelt Institute, September 2019
<https://rooseveltinstitute.org/21st-century-corporate-governance-new-rules-for-worker-representation-on-corporate-boards/>
- 2019 Palladino, L. “The Economic Argument for Stakeholder Corporations.” Roosevelt Institute, July 2019
<https://rooseveltinstitute.org/economic-argument-for-stakeholder-corporations/>
- 2019 Palladino, L. “Do Corporate Insiders use Stock Buybacks for Personal Gain?” Roosevelt Institute, July 2019.
<https://rooseveltinstitute.org/do-corporate-insiders-use-stock-buybacks-for-personal-gain/>
- 2019 Palladino, L. “Ending Shareholder Primacy through Corporate Governance.” Roosevelt Institute, March 2019.
<https://rooseveltinstitute.org/ending-shareholder-primacy-corporate-governance/>
- 2018 Palladino, L. and Kristina Karlsson. “Towards Accountable Capitalism: Remaking Corporate Law through Stakeholder Governance.” Roosevelt Institute, October 2018
<http://rooseveltinstitute.org/towards-accountable-capitalism/>
- 2018 Palladino, L. and Adil Abdela. “Making the Case: How Ending Walmart’s Stock Buyback Program Would Help to Fix Our High-Profit, Low-Wage Economy.” Roosevelt Institute, May 2018.
<http://rooseveltinstitute.org/wp-content/uploads/2018/05/Walmart-issue-brief.pdf>
- 2018 Palladino, L. “Stock Buybacks: Driving a High-Profit, Low-Wage Economy.” Roosevelt Institute, March 2018.
<http://rooseveltinstitute.org/wp-content/uploads/2018/03/Stock-buybacks.pdf>
- 2018 Palladino, L. “Corporate Financialization and Worker Prosperity: A Broken Link.” Roosevelt Institute, January 2018.
<http://rooseveltinstitute.org/corporate-financialization-and-worker-prosperity-broken-link/>
- 2017 Palladino, L. “Reality Check: Raising Revenue for Structural Reform and Large-Scale Public Investment.” Roosevelt Institute, July 2017.
<http://rooseveltinstitute.org/realitycheck/>

Grants, Fellowships, and Awards

Ford Foundation, 2023-2024.

Project Title: “Freedom of Association and Corporate Human Capital Management.”

Berggruen Institute, 2023.

Project Title: “Public Equity Stakes in Industrial Policymaking.”

Lilly Teaching Fellowship, 2022-2023.

Center for Teaching and Learning, University of Massachusetts Amherst.

Anti-Monopoly Fund Grant, 2021.

Project Title: ‘Bigness’ in the Electric Vehicle Sector: A Curse or a Blessing?

University of Massachusetts College of Social and Behavioral Science Faculty Research Grant, 2021.

Project Title: Examining the Gender Wealth Gap.

Roosevelt Institute Research Grant, 2021.

Project Title: “Financialization at Work.”

Corey Rosen Fellow, Rutgers University, School of Management and Labor Relations.

July 1, 2019- June 30, 2020.

Fellowship awarded for scholarly work focused on employee ownership and inclusive ownership funds.

Louis O. Kelso Fellow, Rutgers University, School of Management and Labor Relations.

July 1, 2015- June 30, 2016.

Fellowship awarded for scholarly work focused on employee ownership, profit-sharing, and broad-based equity compensation.

Dean’s List, Fordham Law School, 2009-2010.

Mary Daly Scholar, Fordham Law School, 2009-2010.

Stein Public Interest Scholar, Fordham Law School, 2009-2012.

Howell Murray Alumni Association Award for Student Leadership, University of Chicago, 2002.

Maroon Key Society, University of Chicago, June 2000.

Bernard O. Brown Service Learning Award, University of Chicago, 2000.

Dean’s List, University of Chicago, 1998-1999, 1999-2000, 2000-2001, 2001-2002.

Prior Professional Experience

Senior Economist & Policy Counsel, Roosevelt Institute, New York, NY

February 2016- August 2019.

Lecturer, Smith College, Department of Economics, Northampton, MA

July 2015- May 2019.

Of Counsel, Law Firm of Jason Wiener p.c. Northampton, MA

August 2017- May 2019.

Vice President, Policy & Outreach, Demos, New York, NY

September 2013-October 2015.

Director of Strategy, MoveOn.org, New York, NY
November 2012-April 2013; Organizing Director, December 2011- November 2012; Field Director/ Assistant Director, November 2007-December 2011.

Lead Organizer, Civil Service Employees Association, New York, NY
June 2004- January 2007.

National Director, United Students Against Sweatshops, New York, NY
September 2002-June 2004

Public Scholarship

- 2023 “The CHIPS Plan to Revive American Manufacturing.” *The Nation*, March 2, 2023.
<https://www.thenation.com/article/economy/the-chips-plan-to-revive-american-manufacturing/>
- 2023 “How to Ensure Industrial Policy Promotes Public over Private Gain.” *ProMarket*, January 31, 2023.
<https://www.promarket.org/2023/01/31/how-to-ensure-industrial-policy-promotes-public-over-private-gain/>
- 2022 “Saving Industrial Policy from Shareholder Primacy.” *Law and Political Economy Blog*, December 19, 2022.
<https://lpeproject.org/blog/saving-industrial-policy-from-shareholder-primacy/>
- 2022 “In Conversation with Lenore Palladino.” Washington Center for Equitable Growth. November 16, 2022.
<https://equitablegrowth.org/in-conversation-with-lenore-palladino/>
- 2022 “Why Biden’s New Industrial Policy Won’t Work Without Reforms.” *Boston Review*, September 22, 2022.
<https://www.bostonreview.net/articles/why-bidens-new-industrial-policy-wont-work/>
- 2022 “The Myth that Shareholders are ‘Investors.’” *Law and Political Economy Blog*, April 14, 2022. <https://lpeproject.org/blog/the-myth-that-shareholders-are-investors/>
- 2021 “A Major Step Towards Transparency in Share Buybacks.” *Barron’s*, December 21, 2021.
<https://www.barrons.com/articles/a-major-step-toward-transparency-in-share-buybacks-51640031638>
- 2021 “Trickle-Up Economics: The Macroeconomic Effect of Investing in Care Work.” *Ms. Magazine*, October 27, 2021.
<https://msmagazine.com/2021/10/27/macro-economic-impact-investing-care-work-trickle-up-economics-build-back-better-infrastructure/>

- 2021 “The Nation’s Moment of Truth: America’s Legacy of Devaluing Care.” *Ms. Magazine*, April 29, 2021.
<https://msmagazine.com/2021/04/29/history-child-care-coronavirus-women-america-workers/?omhide=true&emci=7a6a9564-d3a9-eb11-85aa-0050f237abef&emdi=d3bf6c44-ffa9-eb11-85aa-0050f237abef&ceid=314899>
- 2020 “Nicky Mac: A ‘Public Option’ for Workers’ Capital.” *The American Prospect*. December 2, 2020. <https://prospect.org/economy/nicky-mac-a-public-option-for-workers-capital/>
- 2020 “To B(Corp) Or Not to Be” on Reasons to be Cheerful Podcast. November 2020.
<https://www.cheerfulpodcast.com/rtbc-episodes/to-bcorp-or-not-to-b-a-different-way-of-doing-business>
- 2020 “Hourly Employees should be represented on Walmart’s board of directors.” *CNN*. June 2, 2020.
<https://www.cnn.com/2020/06/02/perspectives/walmart-hourly-board/index.html>
- 2020 “Seattle is Considering An ‘Amazon Tax.’ It’s a Model for Taking Back Fiscal Power.” *Barron’s*. May 15, 2020.
<https://www.barrons.com/articles/seattle-is-considering-an-amazon-tax-its-a-model-for-taking-back-fiscal-power-51589498185>
- 2020 “Another Risk for Small Business: Lightly Regulated Fintech Loans.” *Barron’s*. April 21, 2020.
<https://www.barrons.com/articles/small-businesses-risk-predatory-loans-to-survive-51587492858>
- 2020 “Loans Won’t Cut It for Flailing Small Businesses.” *Barron’s*. April 15, 2020.
<https://www.barrons.com/articles/loans-wont-cut-it-for-flailing-small-businesses-51586982045>
- 2020 “End Shareholder Primacy Once and For All.” *Boston Review*. March 30, 2020.
<http://bostonreview.net/class-inequality/lenore-palladino-end-shareholder-primacy-once-and-all>
- 2019 “Worker Representation on U.S. Corporate Boards.” *Harvard Law School Forum on Corporate Governance*. December 30, 2019.
<https://corpgov.law.harvard.edu/2019/12/30/worker-representation-on-u-s-corporate-boards/>
- 2019 “Democratic employee ownership and challenging the ideology of ‘shareholder value.’ *Renewal: A Journal of Social Democracy* Vol 27, No. 4. Nov. 4, 2019.
<http://www.renewal.org.uk/author/lenore-palladino>

- 2019 “How Bernie Sanders Plans to bring Economic Democracy to the United States.” *OpenDemocracy.net*. October 30, 2019.
<https://www.opendemocracy.net/en/author/lenore-palladino/>
- 2019 “The U.K. may overhaul shareholder rules. Companies are not happy.” *Washington Post*, September 11.
<https://beta.washingtonpost.com/politics/2019/09/11/uk-may-overhaul-shareholder-rules-companies-are-not-happy/>
- 2019 “The American Corporation is in Crisis- Let’s Rethink It.” *Boston Review*, October 2.
<http://bostonreview.net/forum/lenore-palladino-american-corporation-crisis—lets-rethink-it>
- 2018 “Should the US rein in share buybacks?” *Financial Times*, December 9.
<https://www.ft.com/content/22c3269c-f7cf-11e8-a154-2b65ddf314e9>
- 2018 “It’s Time for Accountable Capitalism,” *American Prospect*, October 4.
<http://prospect.org/article/its-time-accountable-capitalism>
- 2018 “Baby Got Buybacks,” *The Indicator from Planet Money*, September 27.
<https://www.npr.org/templates/transcript/transcript.php?storyId=652237714>
- 2018 “If You Didn’t See This Coming, You Weren’t Paying Attention,” *NPR Marketplace “Make Me Smart” Podcast*, September 11.
- 2018 “Public Benefit, Incorporated,” *Boston Review*, July 25.
<http://bostonreview.net/class-inequality/lenore-palladino-public-benefit-incorporated>
- 2018 “How Shareholder Primacy Hurts Jobs and Wages,” *Law and Political Economy Blog*, April 25.
<https://lpeblog.org/2018/04/25/how-shareholder-primacy-hurts-jobs-and-wages/>
- 2018 “Who is Watching Wall Street?” *Boston Review*, March 21.
<http://bostonreview.net/class-inequality/lenore-palladino-who-watching-wall-street>
- 2018 Walmart Workers Should be Happy but Not as Happy as Shareholders. *The Hill*, January 25.
<http://thehill.com/opinion/finance/370728-walmart-workers-should-be-happy-but-not-as-happy-as-shareholders>
- 2017 SEC Nominees Must Not Grant Companies ‘Safe Harbor’. *The Hill*, November 9.
<http://thehill.com/opinion/finance/359700-sec-nominees-must-not-grant-companies-safe-harbor-with-buyback-rule>
- 2015 “Democrats Finally Found a Smart Way to Stop Wall Street’s Reckless Behavior.” *New Republic*, January 15.

- <http://www.newrepublic.com/article/120755/chris-van-hollen-financial-transaction-tax-would-curb-risky-trading>
- 2015 “Why is the financial industry so afraid of this man?” *Salon*, January 11.
http://www.salon.com/2015/01/11/why_is_the_financial_industry_so_afraid_of_this_man/
- 2014 Television Appearance, “*UP With Steve Kornacki*,” December 7.
- 2014 “New York already has a financial transaction tax on the books — it's time to start collecting it.” *Vox*, November 20.
<http://www.vox.com/2014/11/20/7254003/financial-transaction-tax>
- 2014 “Restoring Democracy to the Federal Reserve.” *Moyers and Company*, November 18.
<http://billmoyers.com/2014/11/18/restoring-democracy-federal-reserve/>
- 2014 Why Is Cuomo Leaving Wall Street Cash on the Table? *The Nation*, November 5.
<http://www.thenation.com/article/188505/why-cuomo-leaving-wall-street-cash-table#>

Journal and Academic Press Service

Referee:

University of Chicago Press
British Journal of Industrial Relations
Competition & Change
Progress in Development Studies
Review of International Political Economy
Review of Radical Political Economics
Journal of Participation and Employee Ownership

Selected Presentations

- 2023 Panelist, “The Need for Corporate Guardrails in U.S. Industrial Policy.” Law and Society Association Conference. June 2023.
- 2023 Guest Lecturer, Transformative Business Law Summer Academy, McGill University, Faculty of Law. May 29, 2023.
- 2023 Panelist, “Shareholder Primacy and the Racial Wealth Gap.” Stratification Economics Conference. UMass Amherst. May 5, 2023.
- 2023 Panelist, “Antitrust and Workers.” New School Department of Economics. March 2023.

- 2023 Invited Presenter, “Berle XIV: Corporate Governance in the 21st Century.” Seattle University School of Law. March 2023.
- 2023 Panelist, “Corporate Guardrails in Industrial Policy,” Eastern Economics Association. February 2023.
- 2023 Panelist, “The Need for a Public Asset Manager,” ASSA. January 2023.
- 2022 Invited Keynote Presenter, “Rethinking U.S. corporate governance: Impacts on workers, racial inequality, and industrial policy.” *Equitable Growth Presents: Evidence for a Stronger Economy*, Washington Center for Equitable Growth. November 16, 2022.
<https://equitablegrowth.org/event/rethinking-u-s-corporate-governance-impacts-on-workers-racial-inequality-and-industrial-policy/>
- 2022 Invited Presenter, “The Need for a Public Asset Manager,” UCLA Center for Social Theory and Comparative History. October 31, 2022.
- 2022 Invited Panelist, “Does the Stock Market Drive Inequality?” European Trade Union Institute, June 22, 2022.
- 2022 Invited Panelist, “The Macroeconomics of Care,” International Labor Organization, June 17, 2022
- 2022 Invited Plenary Discussant, “Financialization, Corporate Governance, and Labor,” Labor and Employment Relations Association. June 5, 2022.
- 2022 Invited Panelist, “Labor and Corporate Governance: What Would Meaningful Stakeholderism Look Like?” Labor and Employment Relations Association. June 5, 2022.
- 2022 Workshop Participant, “Financialization and the Social Economy,” UMass Boston & Review of Social Economy. March 31- April 1, 2022.
- 2022 Invited Witness, “Examining the Impact of Shareholder Primacy: What it Means to Put Stock Prices First.” U.S. Congress Joint Economic Committee, March 16, 2022.
- 2022 Invited Panelist, “The Macroeconomics of Care.” American University, March 4th, 2022.
- 2022 Author’s Workshop Participant, “Managing Wealth: The Political Economy of Institutional Capital Pools,” Max Planck Institute for the Study of Societies, January 13-14, 2022.
- 2022 Invited Panelist, “Economic Democracy at Work,” American Association of Law Schools, January 9, 2022.
- 2021 Invited Presenter, “The Case for the National Investment Authority & Investor Fiduciary Duty Reforms,” New School Economics Department Seminar, April 20, 2021

- 2021 Invited Presenter, “Towards a Climate-Forward Recovery.” Roosevelt Institute, April 7, 2021.
- 2021 Invited Presenter, “Towards Corporate Governance for Innovative Enterprises.” SHARE Canada Investor Network. February 18, 2021.
- 2021 Invited Presenter, “Democratizing the Corporation” conference. January 28, 2021.
- 2021 Invited Presenter, “From Alpha to Omega: Shifting Investor Focus from Deck Chairs to Icebergs.” The Shareholder Commons conference. January 26, 2021.
- 2020 Invited Presenter, German Co-Determination Seminar, Academic-Industry Network. December 4, 2020.
- 2020 Invited Presenter, “Worker Representation on Corporate Boards,” Croatan Institute. September 22, 2020.
- 2020 Invited Presenter, “Economic Realities of COVID,” Seattle City Council. May 19, 2020.
- 2020 Invited Presenter, “Employee Ownership Funds;” 2020 Beyster Conference at the Rutgers Institute for the Study of Employee Ownership and Profit Sharing. June 22.
- 2019 Invited Presenter, “Stock Buybacks: Evidence & Policy;” 2019 Corporate Governance Roundtable, Harvard Law School Program on Corporate Governance. November 6.
- 2019 Invited Presenter, “Worker Representation on Corporate Boards;” Corporate Governance and Strategies for Finance in the Digital Era, Rhodes Center for International Economics and Finance, Brown University. November 1.
- 2019 Invited Witness, “Testimony on Examining Corporate Priorities: The Impact of Stock Buybacks on Workers, Communities, and Investors;” U.S. Congress Subcommittee on Capital Markets, Investors, and Entrepreneurship, House Financial Services Committee. October 17.
- 2019 “The Need for Regulation of Small Business Fintech Lending.” Eastern Economics Association Conference, March 2nd.
2019. “Shareholder Primacy and Employees.” Allied Social Sciences Associations Annual Conference, January 4.
2018. “Towards Stakeholder Corporate Governance & Ownership.” Money as a Democratic Medium conference, Harvard Law School. December 14.
- 2018 “The Effects of Shareholder Primacy on Employees.” Political Economy Workshop, UMass Economics Department. December 4.
- 2018 “Towards Accountable Capitalism.” Keynote Presentation at Mayor’s Office for Pension Investment, New York City. October 2.

- 2018 “Shareholder Primacy and Worker Prosperity: A Broken Link.” Presentation at Union for Radical Political Economy 50th Anniversary Conference, September 28.
- 2018 “Why Stock Buybacks Harm Workers,” Keynote Speech at the Committee for Workers’ Capital Conference, September 11th.
- 2018 “Democratizing Investment”, Conference Presentation at Democratizing Finance at the University of Wisconsin, Madison. July.
- 2018 “Corporate Financialization and Worker Prosperity,” Presentation at the Association for the Promotion of Political Economy and the Law conference (APPEAL), June.
- 2017 “Why Academics Should Run for Office,” Presentation at the Association for the Promotion of Political Economy and the Law conference (APPEAL), June.
- 2017 “Why Democratize Finance?” Presentation at the Beyster Symposium for Employee Ownership at Rutgers School of Management and Labor Relations, January.

Teaching Experience

University of Massachusetts Amherst

Fall 2019: Introduction to Macroeconomics; Economics & Public Policy

Spring 2020: School of Public Policy Capstone

Fall 2020: Economics & Public Policy

Spring 2021: Introduction to Political Economy; School of Public Policy Capstone.

Fall 2021: Economics & Public Policy.

Fall 2022: Introduction to Political Economy; Economics & Public Policy.

Spring 2023: Political Economy of Corporations (PhD Seminar); School of Public Policy Capstone.

Fall 2023: Economics & Public Policy.

Lecturer, Smith College, Department of Economics

Course: Introductory Macroeconomics: Fall 2015; Fall 2016; Spring 2017; Fall 2017; Spring 2018.

Courses: Public Finance; Microeconomics; Spring 2019.

Adjunct Assistant Professor, New York University, Department of Economics

Course: Industrial Organization.

September 2007-December 2007; January- May 2009.

Voted one of top six teaching faculty in the Department of Economics.

Instructor, New School University, Milano School of Policy, Management, and Environment

Course: Public Finance.

September 2010-December 2010.

Co-taught course for graduate students.

University of Massachusetts Selected Service Activities

2023: Reviewer, Public Service Endowment Grants, UMass Amherst Office of Research & Engagement.

2022-2023: Member, Hiring Committee, School of Public Policy.

2022-2023: Member, Job Placement Committee, Department of Economics.

2021: Panelist, School of Public Policy & JKLU Policy Discussion Series, February 28, 2021

2021: Panelist, Women in Economics Panel Discussion, March 4, 2021

2020-2021: Member, Bylaws Committee, School of Public Policy

2020-2021: Faculty Supervisor, Economics Undergraduate Research Assistantships, Department of Economics

June 2020: Invited Presenter, “Social Scientists’ View on the Pandemic and What Comes Next.”
College of Social and Behavioral Science.

2019-2020: Intellectual Life Committee, School for Public Policy

2019-2020: Sheridan Scholars Committee, Economics Department

2019 Invited Presenter, “Socialism in the United States: Yes or No?,” University of
Massachusetts Debate Club, October.

Student Advising and Mentoring

Fall 2023: Ashna Jain, Economics Undergraduate Research Assistant; Ali Almohassen,
Undergraduate Research Assistant, School of Public Policy; Harrison Karlewicz, PERI Graduate
Assistant

Fall 2022-: Dissertation Committee, Chirag Lala

Fall 2022-Spring 2023: Manya Budhiraja, Graduate Research Assistant.

Spring 2022: Britney Bourassa, CHC Thesis Committee; Bill Wright, CHC Thesis Committee

Fall 2021: Aishwarya Rajapur, Commonwealth Honors College Thesis

Fall 2021: Britney Bourassa, Commonwealth Honors College Thesis

Spring 2021: Isaac Gibbens, Economics Undergraduate Research Assistant

Fall 2020: Britney Bourassa, Commonwealth Honors College Independent Study

Spring 2020- Spring 2022: Chirag Lala, Graduate Research Assistant

Spring 2020: Britney Bourassa, Economics Undergraduate Research Assistant

Spring 2020: Jacob Binnall, School of Public Policy Independent Study

Professional Affiliations

American Economic Association
Association for the Promotion of Political Economy and the Law
Eastern Economics Association
International Association for Feminist Economics
Union of Radical Political Economics

American Bar Association
Massachusetts Bar
New York Bar (inactive)
Connecticut Bar (inactive)