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BIRTHPLACE

Brownsville, Texas

EDUCATION

Ph.D., Iowa State University, Economics

ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT (Economics)

Associate Dean for Administration, Graduate Studies and Research, College of Business and Entrepreneurship, The University of Texas Rio Grande Valley, February 2015 to present (Interim, February 2015 to August 2015).

Chair, Department of Economics and Finance, University of Texas – Pan American, January 1997 to August 2015.

Professor of Economics and V.F. “Doc” and Gertrude M. Neuhaus Chair for Entrepreneurship, Department of Economics and Finance, College of Business Administration, The University of Texas – Pan American, September 1996–August; September 2015 at the University of Texas Rio Grande Valley.

Associate Professor of Economics, Department of Economics, University of New Mexico, 1993-1996.

Assistant Professor of Economics, Department of Economics, University of New Mexico, 1989-1993.

OTHER EMPLOYMENT

Tarleton State University (Finance Appointment); Research Department, Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas

SELECTED PROFESSIONAL POSITIONS

President, American Society of Hispanic Economists, January, 2015 to January, 2016

President-Elect, American Society of Hispanic Economists, July 2014 – January 2015.

UTPA/UTRGV Director, Texas Council on Economic Education, 1997 – present.

Member, Hispanic Economic Outlook Committee, American Society of Hispanic Economists, Spring 2009 – present.

Mentor, American Economic Association Economics Mentoring Program (sponsored by the National Science Foundation), Summer 2012 – present.

Mentor, Diversity Initiative for Tenure in Economics (DITE) Program (sponsored by Duke University's Research Network on Racial and Ethnic Inequality, the National Science Foundation, and Duke University's Office of the Provost), 2010-2013.

Research Associate, Center for Border Economics Studies, The University of Texas – Pan American, 2001-2006.

Research Associate, Southwest Hispanic Research Institute, University of New Mexico, 1989-1996.

SELECTED ACADEMIC SERVICE APPOINTMENTS

Chair, Council of Chairs, The University of Texas – Pan American, Summer 2012 – Spring 2014.

- **Member**, Academic Affairs Executive Team

- **Member**, University Council

Vice-Chair, Council of Chairs, The University of Texas – Pan American, Summer 2011 – Spring 2012.

Secretary, Council of Chairs, The University of Texas – Pan American, Summer 2010 – Spring 2011.

Chair, Graduate Council, The University of Texas – Pan American, Fall 2004 – Summer 2005.

Vice-Chair, Graduate Council, The University of Texas – Pan American, Fall 2003 – Summer 2004.

Chair, Ph.D. Committee (PhDACC), The University of Texas-Pan American, Fall 2004-Summer 2005.

PROFESSIONAL RECOGNITIONS AND AWARDS

Academic Achievement Award, American Society of Hispanic Economists, 2014.

Who's Who among America's Teachers, 2004, 2005, and 2006.

Provost's Award in Latin American Studies, University of Texas—Pan American, 2005.

Small Business Administration District Research Advocate Award, Small Business Administration, 2003.

Distinguished Alumnus, College of Business Administration, The University of Texas – Pan American’s 75th Anniversary, 2002.

Provost Leadership Award, The University of Texas – Pan American, Fall 2001.

Outstanding Professional Achievement Award, The University of Texas – Pan American, 1998.

BOOKS AND EDITED VOLUMES

Mora, Marie T., Alberto Dávila, and Havidán Rodríguez. *Migration, Employment, and Other Socioeconomic Outcomes of Puerto Ricans on the Island and the U.S. Mainland*, Lanham, MD: Lexington Books, November 2017.

Dávila, Alberto, and Marie T. Mora, *Hispanic Entrepreneurs in the 2000s: An Economic Profile and Policy Implications*, Stanford University Press, Fall 2013. (Choice Award 2015)

Mora, Marie T., and Alberto Dávila (Eds.), *The Economic Status of the Hispanic Population*. Charlotte, NC: Information Age Publishing, Inc., Spring 2013.

Mora, Marie and Alberto Dávila (Eds.), *Labor Market Issues along the U.S.-Mexico Border*. Tucson: University of Arizona Press, 2009. [Listed in Princeton University Industrial Relations Section’s *Noteworthy Books in Industrial Relations and Labor Economics: 2009.*]

JOURNAL ARTICLES AND BOOK CHAPTERS

Darity, William A., Jr., Darrick Hamilton, Gregory Price, Alberto Dávila, Marie T. Mora, James Stewart, and Sue Stockly. Forthcoming. “Stratification Economics: A General Theory of Intergroup Inequality.” In F. Wong, D.T. Warren, A. Flynn, and S.R. Homberg (eds.), *The Hidden Rules of Race*. Cambridge University Press (September, 2017).

Mora, Marie T., Alberto Dávila, and Havidán Rodríguez. 2017. “Education, Migration, and Earnings of Puerto Ricans on the Island and U.S. Mainland: Impact, Outcomes, and Consequences of an Economic Crisis.” *Migration Studies* 5(2): 168-89.

Dávila, Alberto, and Marie T. Mora. 2016. “LEP Language Disability, Immigration Reform, and English Language Acquisition.” *American Economic Review (P&P)* 106(5) May 2016.

Mora, Marie T., Alberto Dávila, and James Boudreau. 2016. “Social Networks and Black-White Differentials in Public Employment Agency Usage among Mature Job Seekers.” *Annals of Regional Science* 56(2): 433-448.

Mora, Marie T. and Alberto Dávila. 2014. “Gender and Business Outcomes of Black and Hispanic New Entrepreneurs in the U.S.,” *American Economic Review (P&P)* 104 (5): 245-49. [Abridged version “Nearly Half of New Small Businesses Established by Black and Hispanic Women Shut Down within a Year” published on-line: <http://bit.ly/1qmX3oH>, *LSE’s Daily Blog on American Politics and Policy*, London School of Economics and Political Science, July 10, 2014.]

Mora, Marie T., and Alberto Dávila. 2013. “An Overview of Hispanic Economic Outcomes in the First Decade of the 2000s.” In Marie T. Mora and Alberto Dávila (Eds.), *The Economic Status of the*

Hispanic Population: Selected Essays. Charlotte, NC: Information Age Publishing, Inc., pp. 1- 21.

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Dávila, Alberto, and Marie T. Mora. 2012. "Terrorism and Patriotism: On the Earnings of U.S. Veterans following September 11, 2001," *American Economic Review (P&P)* 102 (3): 261-66.

Mora, Marie T., and Alberto Dávila. 2011. "Cross-Border Earnings of U.S. Natives along the U.S.-Mexico Border." *Social Science Quarterly* 92 (3): 850-74.

Dávila, Alberto, Marie T. Mora and Sue K. Stockly. 2011. "Does Mestizaje Matter in the U.S.? Economic Stratification of Mexican Immigrants," *American Economic Review (P&P)* 101 (3): 593-97.

Dávila, Alberto, Marie T. Mora and Rebecca González. 2011. "English Language Proficiency and Occupational Risk among Hispanic Immigrant Men in the U.S." *Industrial Relations* 50 (2): 263-96.

Mora, Marie T., and Alberto Dávila. 2011. "The LEP Earnings Penalty among Hispanic Men in the U.S.: 1980 to 2005." In David L. Leal and Stephen J. Trejo (Eds.), *Latinos and the Economy: Integration and Impact in Schools, Labor Markets, and Beyond*, New York: Springer Publishing, pp. 153-68.

Dávila, Alberto, and Marie T. Mora. 2009. "English Proficiency and the Entrepreneurial Income among Mexican Immigrant Men in the U.S. between 1990 and 2005." In John Sibley Butler, Alfonso Morales, and David Torres (Eds.) *An American Story: Mexican American Entrepreneurship & Wealth Creation*, Purdue University Press, pp. 61-78.

Mora, Marie T., and Alberto Dávila. 2009. "The Earnings of U.S.-Resident Cross-Border Workers in 2000 and 2005." In Marie T. Mora and Alberto Dávila (Eds.), *Labor Market Issues along the U.S.-Mexico Border*. University of Arizona Press, pp. 175-89.

Dávila, Alberto, Marie T. Mora, and Alma D. Hales. 2009. "Earned Income along the U.S.-Mexico Border." In Marie T. Mora and Alberto Dávila (Eds.), *Labor Market Issues along the U.S.-Mexico Border*. University of Arizona Press, pp. 107-120.

Dávila, Alberto and Marie T. Mora. 2008. "Changes in the Relative Earnings Gap between Natives and Immigrants along the U.S.-Mexico Border." *Journal of Regional Science* 48 (3): 525-45.

Dávila, Alberto, Marie T. Mora, and Alma D. Hales. 2008. "Income, Earnings, and Poverty: A Portrait of Inequality among Latinos/as in the U.S." In Havidán Rodríguez, Rogelio Sáenz, and Cecilia Menjívar (Eds.), *Latinos in the United States: Changing the Face of América*, New York: Springer Publishing, pp. 181-95.

Mora, Anthony P., Marie T. Mora, and Alberto Dávila. 2007. "The English Language Proficiency of Recent Immigrants in the U.S. during the Early 1900s." *Eastern Economic Journal* 33 (1): 65-80.

Mora, Marie T., and Alberto Dávila. 2006. "Hispanic Ethnicity, Gender, and the Change in the LEP-Earnings Penalty in the U.S. during the 1990s." *Social Science Quarterly* (Special Issue on *Ethnicity and Social Change*) 87 (5): 1295-1318.

Mora, Marie T., and Alberto Dávila. 2006. "A Note on the Changes in the Relative Wages of LEP Hispanic Men between 1980 and 2000." *Industrial Relations* 45 (2): 169-72.

Mora, Marie T., and Alberto Dávila. 2006. "Mexican Immigrant Self-Employment along the U.S.-Mexico Border: An Analysis of 2000 Census Data." *Social Science Quarterly* 87: 91-109.

Mora, Marie T., Daniel Villa, and Alberto Dávila. 2006. "Language Shift and Maintenance among the Children of Immigrants in the U.S.: Evidence in the Census for Spanish Speakers and Other Language Minorities." *Spanish in Context* 3 (2): 239-54.

Dávila, Alberto, and Marie T. Mora. 2005. "Changes in the Earnings of Arab Men in the U.S. between 2000 and 2002." *Journal of Population Economics* 18 (4): 587-601.

Mora, Marie T., and Alberto Dávila. 2005. "Ethnic Group Size, Linguistic Isolation, and Immigrant Entrepreneurship in the U.S." *Entrepreneurship & Regional Development* 17: 389-404.

Mora, Marie T., Daniel Villa, and Alberto Dávila. 2005. "Language Maintenance among the Children of Immigrants: A Comparison of Border States with Other Regions in the U.S." *Southwest Journal of Linguistics* 24: 127-144.

Dávila, Alberto, and Marie T. Mora. 2004. "English-Language Skills and the Earnings of Self-Employed Immigrants in the U.S.: A Note." *Industrial Relations* 43 (2): 386-91.

Dávila, Alberto and Marie T. Mora. 2004. "The Scholastic Progress of Students with Entrepreneurial Parents". *Economics of Education Review* 23: 287-99.

Dávila, Alberto, and Andrés Rivas. 2004. "Worker Displacement in the Texas/Mexico Border MSAs: Evidence from the Current Population Survey." In José A. Pagán, *Worker Displacement in the U.S.-Mexico Border Region*, Northampton: Edward Elgar Publishing, pp. 23-33.

Dávila, Alberto, Erika Méndez, and Marie T. Mora. 2003. "Are Hispanic Immigrants in English-Only States at a Homeownership Disadvantage? Evidence from the 1980 and 1990 U.S. Censuses." *Growth and Change* 34 (1): 40-63.

Dávila, Alberto, Jose A. Pagán and Gokce Soydemir. 2002. "The Short-Term and Long-Term Deterrence Effects of INS Border and Interior Enforcement on Undocumented Immigration," *Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization* 49 (4): 459-72.

Mora, Marie T., and Alberto Dávila. 2002. "State English-Only Policies and English-Language Investments," *Applied Economics* 34: 905-15.

Dávila, Alberto, and Erika Méndez. 2002. "Mortgage Lending and the Entrepreneur." *Applied Economics Letters* 9 (15): 967-70.

Dávila, Alberto, and Marie T. Mora. 2001. "The Marital Status of Recent Mexican Immigrants in the U.S. in 1980 and 1990," *International Migration Review* 35 (2): 506-24.

Dávila, Alberto, and Marie T. Mora. 2001. "Hispanic Ethnicity, English Skills, and Earnings," *Industrial Relations* 40 (1): 83-88.

- Dávila, Alberto, and Marie T. Mora. 2000. "The English Fluency of Recent Hispanic Immigrants to the U.S. in 1980 and 1990," *Economic Development and Cultural Change* 48 (2): 369-89.
- Dávila, Alberto, and Marie T. Mora. 2000. "The English-Skill Acquisition of Hispanic Americans during the 1980s," *Social Science Quarterly* (Special issue on *Hispanics in America at 2000*), 81 (1): 261-75.
- Dávila, Alberto, and Marie T. Mora. 2000. "English Skills, Earnings, and the Occupational Sorting of Mexican Americans Along the U.S.-Mexico Border." *International Migration Review* 34 (1): 133-57.
- Dávila, Alberto, José A. Pagán, and Montserrat Viladrich Grau. 1999. "Immigration Reform, the INS, and the Distribution of Interior and Border Enforcement Resources," *Public Choice* 99: 327-45.
- Dávila, Alberto, and José A. Pagán. 1999. "Gender Pay and Occupational Gaps between Costa Rica and El Salvador," *Review of Development Economics* 3 (2): 215-30.
- Gisser, Micha, and Alberto Dávila. 1998. "Do Farm Workers Earn Less? An Analysis of the Farm Labor Problem," *American Journal of Agricultural Economics* 80 (4): 669-82.
- Mora, Marie T., and Alberto Dávila. 1998. "Gender, Earnings, and the English-Skill Acquisition of Hispanic Workers in the United States." *Economic Inquiry* 36 (4): 631-44.
- Dávila, Alberto, José A. Pagán, and Montserrat Viladrich Grau. 1998. "The Impact of IRCA on the Job Opportunities and Earnings of Mexican-American and Hispanic-American Workers." *International Migration Review* 32: 79-95.
- Dávila, Alberto, and José A. Pagán. 1998. "On the Regional Variability of Minority/Non-Minority Wage Differentials," *Applied Economic Letters* 5 (2): 93-95.
- Pagán, José A., and Alberto Dávila. 1997. "Obesity, Occupational Attainment, and Earnings." *Social Science Quarterly* 78 (3): 756-70.
- Dávila, Alberto, and José A. Pagán. 1997. "The Effect of Selective INS Monitoring Strategies on the Industrial Employment Choice and Earnings of Recent Immigrants." *Economic Inquiry* 35: 138-50.
- Pagán, José A., and Alberto Dávila. 1996. "On-the-Job Training, Immigration Reform, and the True Wages of Native Male Workers." *Industrial Relations* 35 (1): 45-58.
- Dávila, Alberto, and Alok K. Bohara. 1994. "Equal Employment Opportunities Across States: The EEOC 1979-1989." *Public Choice* 80: 223-43.
- Dávila, Alberto, Alok K. Bohara and Rogelio Sáenz. 1993. "Accent Penalties and the Earnings of Mexican Americans." *Social Science Quarterly* 74 (4): 902-16.
- Sáenz, Rogelio, and Alberto Dávila. 1992. "Chicano Return Migration to the Southwest." *International Migration Review* 26: 1248-66.
- Bohara, Alok K., and Alberto Dávila. 1992. "A Reassessment of Phenotypic Discrimination and Income Differences Among Mexican Americans." *Social Science Quarterly* 73 (4): 682-94.

Dávila, Alberto. 1990. "The Impact of the 1982 Peso Devaluations on Maquiladora Profits." *Journal of Borderlands Studies* 5 (2): 39-50.

Dávila, Alberto, and Rogelio Sáenz. 1990. "The Effect of Maquiladora Employment on the Monthly Flow of Mexican Undocumented Immigration to the U.S., 1978-1982." *International Migration Review* 24 (1): 96-107.

OTHER PUBLICATIONS, REPORTS, AND PUBLICLY AVAILABLE WORKING PAPERS

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Dávila, Alberto, and Marie T. Mora. 2013. "Hispanic Self-Employment and Poverty." *Hispanic Economic Outlook*, Spring 2013, pp. 2-5.

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Dávila, Alberto, and Marie T. Mora. 2007. "Civic Engagement and High School Academic Progress: An Analysis Using NELS Data." *CIRCLE Working Paper #52*, Center for Information and Research on Civic Learning and Engagement, Tufts University, January 2007, www.civicyouth.org.

Dávila, Alberto, and José A. Pagán. 1996. "An Initial Assessment of Gender Pay Gaps in Costa Rica and El Salvador." *BALAS Proceedings*. Edited by Ricardo P.C. Leal, Bryan W. Husted and Dennis R. Vanden Bloemen.

Dávila, Alberto, and Alok K. Bohara. 1991. "Labor Market Discrimination, Undocumented Worker Effects, and the Earnings of Mexican American Men." *Southwest Hispanic Research Institute Working Paper #117*, University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, NM.

SELECTED PRESENTATIONS AND PANELS

Mora, Marie T., Alberto Dávila, and Havidán Rodríguez. 2017. "Puerto Rico's Economic, Financial, and Unfolding Humanitarian Crises: La Crisis Boricua." *NEA-ASHE Freedom & Justice Conference*. New York, NY: August 11, 2017.

Dávila, Alberto, Marie T. Mora, and Havidán Rodríguez. 2017. "Education and Occupational Structures among Island-Born and Mainland-Born Puerto Ricans and Non-Hispanic Whites on the U.S. Mainland: 2006-2014." *Allied Social Science Associations Annual Meeting*, Chicago, IL: January 6, 2017.

Mora, Marie T., Alberto Dávila, and Havidán Rodríguez. 2016. "Socioeconomic Outcomes of Recent Puerto Rican Migrants and Mexican Immigrants." *Latina/o Studies Association Biennial Conference*, Pasadena, CA: July 7, 2016.

Dávila, Alberto, and Marie T. Mora. 2016. "LEP Language Disability, Immigration Reform, and English Language Acquisition." *Allied Social Science Associations Annual Meeting*, San Francisco, CA: January 3, 2016.

Dávila, Alberto, and Marie T. Mora. 2015. "Hispanic Entrepreneurs along the Border and in the U.S." *Colegio Globalizacion*, University of Texas Pan American, Edinburg, TX: February 2, 2015.

Mora, Marie T., Alberto Dávila, and Havidán Rodríguez. 2014. "The Self-Employment of Island-Born and Mainland-Born Puerto Ricans: The Effects of Island versus Mainland Residence and Mainland Ethnic Enclaves." *Imagining the Past, Present, and Future*, Inaugural International Latina/o Studies Conference, Chicago, IL: July 17, 2014.

Mora, Marie T., Alberto Dávila, and Havidán Rodríguez. 2014. "Island-to-Mainland Migration, Geographic Dispersion, and the Socioeconomic Outcomes of Island-Born and Mainland-Born Puerto Ricans between 2006 and 2011." *Western Economic Association International 89th Annual Conference*, Denver, CO: June 28, 2014.

Mora, Marie T., Alberto Dávila, and Havidán Rodríguez. 2014. "Education, Migration, and the Earnings of Puerto Ricans on the Island and U.S. Mainland: A Synthetic Cohort Analysis, 2006-2011." *Inaugural ACS Data Users Conference*, Sponsored by the U.S. Bureau of the Census, Washington, DC: May 30, 2014. [Also, *Southern Economic Association 83rd Annual Meetings*, Tampa, FL: November 23, 2013.]

Dávila, Alberto, Marie T. Mora, and Havidán Rodríguez. 2014. "Self-Employment and Paid-Employment Outcomes of Hispanic Populations between 2006 and 2011." *Labor and Employment Relations Association 66th Annual Meeting*, Portland, OR: May 29, 2014.

Dávila, Alberto, Marie T. Mora, and Angela Marek Zeitlin. 2014. "Better Business: How Hispanic Entrepreneurs Are Beating Expectations and Bolstering the U.S. Economy." *FIRE Symposium*, University of Texas – Pan American, Edinburg, TX: April 2014.

Mora, Marie T., and Alberto Dávila. 2014. "Gender and Business Outcomes of Black and Hispanic New Entrepreneurs in the U.S." *American Economic Association/Allied Social Science Association annual meeting*, Philadelphia, PA: January 5, 2014.

Dávila, Alberto, and Marie T. Mora. 2013. "Employment Issues in the Rio Grande Valley." *Border Economic Development and Entrepreneurship Symposium*, Hosted by the Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas and the University of Texas-Pan American, McAllen, TX: November 22, 2013.

Dávila, Alberto, and Marie T. Mora. 2013. "Self-Employment along the U.S.-Mexico Border." Invited Speaker, *Center for the Study of the Southwest*, Texas State University, San Marcos, TX: October 15, 2013.

Dávila, Alberto, and Marie T. Mora. 2013. "Public Procurement and Minority Entrepreneurship." *Western Economic Association International 88th Annual Conference*, Seattle, WA: June 30, 2013.

Dávila, Alberto. 2013. "What Is Stratification Economics?" Invited Panelist, *American Economic Association/Allied Social Science Associations Annual Meeting*, San Diego, CA: January 5, 2013.

Mora, Marie T., and Alberto Dávila. 2012. "Racial/Ethnic Differences in Technology Usage among

Small Business Owners,” *American Economic Association/Allied Social Science Associations Annual Meeting*, Chicago, IL: January 6, 2012. [Also, *Department of Economics Seminar Series*, University of Kansas, Lawrence, KS: November 11, 2011.]

Dávila, Alberto, and Marie T. Mora. 2012. “Terrorism and Patriotism: On the Earnings of U.S. Veterans following September 11, 2001.” *American Economic Association/Allied Social Science Associations Annual Meeting*: Chicago, January 6, 2012.

Mora, Marie T., and Alberto Dávila. 2011. “On the Earnings and Employment of Female Hispanic Entrepreneurs in the 2000s.” *Small Business and Entrepreneurship during an Economic Recovery Conference*, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, Washington, DC: November 9, 2011.

Mora, Marie T., and Alberto Dávila. 2011. “Technology Usage and Small Business Outcomes among Hispanic Entrepreneurs.” *Western Economic Association International Annual Conference*, San Diego, CA: June 30, 2011. [Also, *Hispanic Economic Experience Conference*, Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas, Dallas, TX: June 16, 2011.]

Mora, Marie T., Alberto Dávila, and Erika M. Garza. 2011. “Self-Selection and the Loan Approval Rates of Minority-Owned Small Businesses in the U.S.: Evidence Using 2003 SSBF Data.” *Department of Economics Seminar Series*, University of Arkansas, Fayetteville, AR: April 29, 2011. [Also: *Economic Issues Affecting Hispanic and African American Communities* conference, Texas A&M University, College Station, TX: September 12, 2009.]

Dávila, Alberto, Marie T. Mora and Sue K. Stockly. 2011. “Does Mestizaje Matter in the U.S.? Economic Stratification of Mexican Immigrants.” *American Economic Association/Allied Social Science Associations Annual Meeting*, Denver, CO: January 8, 2011.

Mora, Marie T., and Alberto Dávila. 2011. “Public Employment Agency Usage among Mature Job Seekers: An Analysis of Black-White Differentials Using Restricted Geocode NLSY79 Data.” *American Economic Association/Allied Social Science Associations Annual Meeting*, Denver, CO: January 7, 2011. [Also, *Southern Economic Association Annual Meeting*, Atlanta, GA: November 20, 2010.]

Dávila, Alberto, Marie T. Mora, and Rebecca González. 2009. “English Language Proficiency and Occupational Risk among Hispanic Men in the U.S.” *IGERT Program Speaker Series*, Goldman School of Public Policy, University of California, Berkeley, CA: October 13, 2009. [Also, *American Economic Association/Allied Social Science Association Annual Meeting*, Chicago, IL: January 6, 2007.]

Dávila, Alberto, and Marie T. Mora. 2009. “Changes in the Entrepreneurial Earnings of U.S.- and Foreign-Born Mexican American Men: 2000-2007.” *Western Economic Association International 84th Annual Conference*, Vancouver, BC: June 30, 2009.

Mora, Marie T., and Alberto Dávila. 2009. “Self-Employment Earnings among Mexican American and Mexican Immigrant Men in the Early 2000s.” *Celebrating Hispanic Entrepreneurship Conference*, University of Texas at El Paso, El Paso, TX: May 19, 2009.

Mora, Marie T., Alberto Dávila, and David Molina. 2009. "Wages of Mexican Immigrants in the U.S.-Mexico Border Region versus the U.S. Interior: Is There a Cost to Being Close to Home?" *American Economic Association/Allied Social Science Associations Annual Meeting*, San Francisco, CA: January 2009.

Mora, Marie T., and Alberto Dávila. 2008. "Language Issues and Labor Market Outcomes among Hispanics in Texas." *Latinos and Public Policy in Texas Conference*, University of Texas at Austin: Austin, TX: April 11-12, 2008.

Mora, Marie T., Alberto Dávila, and Alma D. Hales. 2007. "Labor Market Earnings along the U.S.-Mexico Border: An Analysis of Mexican and U.S. Decennial Census Data." *Southern Economic Association 77th Annual Conference*, New Orleans, LA: November 2007.

Dávila, Alberto, and Marie T. Mora. 2007. "Civic Engagement and Academic Progress." *International Research Conference on Service Learning and Community Engagement*, Tampa, FL: October 2007.

Mora, Marie T., Alberto Dávila, and André Varella Mollick. 2007. "The Earnings Gap among Mexican Immigrants along the U.S.-Mexico Border." *Western Economic Association International 82nd Annual Conference*, Seattle, WA: July 1, 2007.

Hodgin, Robert, Steven Cobb, and Alberto Dávila. 2007. "Field Testing Novel Digital Learning Modules for Economics." *American Economic Association/Allied Social Science Association Annual Meeting*, Chicago, IL: January 2007.

Mora, Marie T., and Alberto Dávila. 2003. "Do Mexican Immigrants Have Higher Self-Employment Rates along the U.S.-Mexico Border? An Analysis Using Historical IPUMS Data." *Southern Economic Association 73rd Annual Meetings*, San Antonio, TX: November 2003.

Dávila, Alberto. "The Economics of Undocumented Immigration." Invited Speaker, *American Economic Association Summer Training Program*. University of Colorado at Denver, Denver, CO: June 20, 2003.

Dávila, Alberto, and Marie T. Mora. 1996. "Scholastic Achievement: Island-Born versus Mainland-Born Puerto Rican Students." *Transcending Boundaries: Fostering Dialogues between the Island and Its Diaspora*, Puerto Rican Studies Association Conference, San Juan, Puerto Rico: September 1996.

Dávila, Alberto. 1995. "Hacia un Estado Mas Eficiente." Presented at the Ministry of Economic Reform, San José, Costa Rica: July 1995.

Dávila, Alberto. 1995. "Calidad de Educacion, Su valor en la Microemepresa." Presented at the Instituto Tecnologico de Chihuahua II, Chihuahua, Mexico: May 1995.

Dávila, Alberto, and José A. Pagán. 1994. "Selective INS Monitoring Strategies." *Rural Sociology Meetings*, Portland, OR: August 1994.

Sáenz, Rogelio, and Alberto Dávila. 1991. "Chicano Return Migration to the Southwest: An Integrated Human Capital Approach." *American Sociological Association Annual Meetings*, Cincinnati, OH: July 1991.

Dávila, Alberto, and Alok K. Bohara. 1991. "Accent Penalties and the Earnings of Mexican American Men." *Western Economic Association Annual Conference*, Seattle, WA: June 1991.

Dávila, Alberto, and Rogelio Sáenz. 1990. "The Effect of Maquiladora Employment on Undocumented Immigration." *International Borderlands Conference*, El Paso, TX: December 1990.

Dávila, Alberto. 1990. "Do Chicanos Earn Less in the U.S. Southwest?" *Western Economic Association Annual Conference*, San Diego, CA: July 1990.

Dávila, Alberto. 1987. "Maquiladora Profits: Evidence from the Capital Market." *Southern Economic Association Annual Meeting*, Washington, DC: November 1987.

Dávila, Alberto, and B. Collier. 1986. "Translation and Transaction Risks: The Financial Experience of Multinationals from 1975 to 1985." *North American Economics and Finance Association*, New Orleans, LA: December 1986.

SELECTED FUNDING

Dávila, Alberto, Public Debt Reading Group, Charles Koch Foundation, Fall 2013-2017: **\$28,500**.

Dávila, Alberto, and Marie T. Mora (co-PIs), *An Assessment of Civic Engagement and High School Academic Progress*. Funded by the Center for Information and Research on Civic Learning and Engagement (CIRCLE), University of Maryland, Summer 2006: **\$28,046**.

Dávila, Alberto, *Financial Fitness for Life* Spanish Translations of Elementary, Middle-School and High-School materials for students, parents and teachers. Sponsored by *Bank of America* via the Council on Economic Education, 2002-2003: **\$50,000**.

Dávila, Alberto, *Fannie Mae Affordable Housing Project* (via CoServe), 2000 - 2002, Funding for a Ph.D. student: **\$48,000**; and for the Neuhaus Center for Entrepreneurship: **\$36,000**.

Dávila, Alberto, Variety of Teaching Seminars, Texas Council on Economic Education, 1998-2014.

Dávila, Alberto. *Impact of Immigration and Welfare Reform on Mexican Americans in Texas*, University of Houston Center for Immigration Studies and Ford Foundation, Fall 1997-Summer 1998: **\$10,000**.

Dávila, Alberto, and Gonzalo Martinez. *Shared Vision in Bernalillo County*, Albuquerque/Bernalillo County Planning Department, Summer 1993: **\$15,000**.

Gregory, Peter, and Alberto Dávila. *An Evaluation of the Panamanian Labor Code*, US-AID Panama, 1993: **\$12,500**.

Dávila, Alberto. Research Assistant Funding for Graduate Students (various projects), Center for Regional Studies, University of New Mexico, 1991-1993: **\$15,780**.

Dávila, Alberto. Field Studies of Maquiladoras in Costa Rica and Honduras, Research Allocation Committee, Latin American Institute, IUP Faculty Development Program (University of New Mexico) 1992-1993: **\$7,380**.

Dávila, Alberto. Summer Research, Economics Department, University of New Mexico, 1990-1991: **\$6,000.**

Dávila, Alberto. Summer Research, Tarleton State University, 1987-1988: **\$5,400.**

CHAired GRADUATE STUDENT COMMITTEES

Ph.D. Dissertation (co-Chair), Sergio Garcia, Summer 2015), University of Texas-Pan American

Ph.D. Dissertation, Chrystell Flota, Summer 2009, University of Texas-Pan American

Ph.D. Dissertation, Alton Cook, Spring 2001, University of Texas-Pan American

Ph.D. Dissertation, Yolanda Vargas-Ruiz, Spring 2000, University of Texas-Pan American

Ph.D. Dissertation, Roberto Curci, Spring 1999, University of Texas-Pan American

Ph. D. Dissertation, Rafael Otero, Spring 1999, University of Texas-Pan American

Ph.D. Dissertation, Cynthia Brown, Spring 1998, University of Texas-Pan American

Ph.D. Dissertation, José A. Pagán, Summer 1995, University of New Mexico

Ph.D. Dissertation, Morteza Allahdad, Fall 1994, University of New Mexico

Master's Thesis, Amy Goodwin, Summer 1994, University of New Mexico

Master's Thesis, Gonzalo Martinez, Summer 1993, University of New Mexico

Master's Thesis, Marie T. Mora, Summer 1992, University of New Mexico

SERVICE TO THE COMMUNITY

Organized the Border Economic Development and Entrepreneurship Symposiums (BEDES), 2011, 2012, 2013 and provided oversight for the Finance, Insurance and Real Estate Symposiums (FIRE), 2011, 2012, 2013, and 2014.

Hosted various *Neuhaus Center Workshops* for K-12 school teachers, sponsored by the Texas Council on Economic Education at the University of Texas – Pan American and other locations including Brownsville, Texas (October 2000, August 2005); Del Rio, Texas (August 2001); Edinburg, Texas (June 1998, August 1998, August 2001); San Benito, Texas (Summer 2002); Weslaco, Texas (2013) and Region 1.

Presented at *Advanced Placement Economics Workshops* for high school teachers. Locations: El Paso, Texas (April 1999, co-sponsored by the Texas Council on Economic Education and Region 19 ESC Social Studies Team), and Nacodoches, Texas (June 1999, co-sponsored by the Texas Council on Economic Education and Stephen F. Austin University).

Represented UTPA as the Director of Economic Education at the Texas Council on Economic Education Annual Conference (from 1997 to present). At these conferences, I have conducted workshops and given presentations on entrepreneurship, Hispanic research, and the U.S.-Mexico border to teachers attending these State-wide meetings.

As economist at the Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas (from 1982 to 1984), I gave a variety of presentations to banking organizations across Texas covering topics such as maquiladora development, undocumented immigration and the economics of the Texas-Mexico border region.

SERVICE TO THE PROFESSION

Session Organized at Conferences

“Perspectives on Self-Employment Outcomes,” *Western Economic Association International 84th Annual Conference*, Vancouver, June 2009.

Chaired Conference Sessions

American Economic Association/Allied Social Science Association Annual Meeting, San Diego, CA, January 2013.

Western Economic Association International 88th Annual Conference, Seattle, June 2013.

Southern Economic Association 80th Annual Meeting, Atlanta, November 2010.

Western Economic Association International 84th Annual Conference, Vancouver, June 2009.

Southern Economic Association 78th Annual Meeting, Washington, DC, November 2008.

American Economic Association/Allied Social Science Association Annual Meeting, New Orleans, January 2008.

Southern Economic Association 77th Annual Meeting, New Orleans, LA, November 2007.

Paper Discussant

Western Economic Association International 89th Annual Conference, Denver, CO, June 2013.

American Economic Association/Allied Social Science Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, January 2012.

Western Economic Association International 85th Annual Conference, San Diego, CA, June 2011.

Southern Economic Association 80th Annual Meeting, Atlanta, GA, November 2010.

Western Economic Association International 84th Annual Conference, Portland, OR, June 2010.

Western Economic Association International 83rd Annual Conference, Vancouver, June 2009.

Southern Economic Association 78th Annual Meeting, Washington, DC, November 2008.

Southern Economic Association 77th Annual Meeting, New Orleans, LA, November 2007.

Journals Refereed

American Journal of Agricultural Economics
Economic Inquiry
Industrial Relations
International Migration Review
Journal of Policy Analysis and Management
Journal of Population Economics
Policy Studies Journal
Rural Sociology
Social Science Quarterly
Sociological Focus
World Development
Economics and Human Biology

Other Professional Service

Co-Founder (with Mark Hugo López and Marie T. Mora), *Hispanic Economic Outlook Committee*, American Society of Hispanic Economists, Spring 2009.

Founding Member, American Society of Hispanic Economists, January 2002.

SELECTED SERVICE TO THE UNIVERSITY (NOT LISTED ELSEWHERE)

Committees

Member, University Curriculum Committee, University of Texas – Pan American, Fall 2011 – Summer 2013.

Member, Core Curriculum Committee, University of Texas – Pan American, Fall 2012 – Summer 2013.

Other

Invited Presenter, “Using Clickers in the Classroom” (with Marie T. Mora), *Faculty Development Series*, Office of the Vice Provost for Faculty Affairs, University of Texas – Pan American, April 3, 2014. [Also, *Innovations in Teaching Excellence Workshop*, College of Business Administration, University of Texas – Pan American, January 20, 2011.]

COURSES TAUGHT

Graduate

Advanced Microeconomic Theory (Ph.D.)

Macroeconomic Theory (Ph.D.)
Labor Theory (Ph.D.)
Advanced Financial Management (MBA)
Case Studies in Corporate Finance (MBA)
Economics of Financial Markets (MBA)
Health Economics (MBA) – *Instruction on-line*
Managerial Economics (MBA)
Principles of Economics (MBA)
Public Finance (MAPAS) – *Instruction in Spanish*

Upper-Level Undergraduate

Small Business Management
Labor Economics
Seminar in Labor Economics
Money and Banking
Intermediate Macroeconomic Theory
Intermediate Microeconomic Theory
Intermediate Financial Management
International Financial Management
Financial Markets and Institutions

Lower-Level Undergraduate

Introduction to Economics
Principles of Macroeconomics
Principles of Microeconomics
Principles of Financial Management

FACULTY DEVELOPMENT

LEAP, Spring 2011. University of Texas – Pan American. Organized by Susan Franzen, Director of the Leadership Institute of the University of Texas System.