

# **T. RENEE BOWEN**

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## **CONTACT INFORMATION**

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## **PERSONAL**

Date of Birth: October 16, 1978  
Nationality: U.S., Jamaican

## **ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS**

University of California, San Diego

Associate Professor of Economics (with tenure), School of Global Policy and Strategy,  
2017-current  
Director, Center for Commerce and Diplomacy, 2019-current  
Faculty Affiliate, Department of Economics, 2017-current

Stanford Graduate School of Business

Assistant Professor of Economics, 2008-2017

## **OTHER APPOINTMENTS**

Member, Council on Foreign Relations, 2019-present

Faculty Research Fellow, Political Economy Program, NBER, 2016-present

Research Fellow, International Trade and Regional Program, CEPR, 2016-present

Faculty Fellow, Stanford Institute for Economic Policy Research, 2016-2017

Faculty Affiliate, Stanford Center for International Development, 2014-2017

Visitor, Cowles Foundation in Economic Theory Program, Yale University, 2015

National Fellow, the Hoover Institution, 2013-2014

## **EDUCATION**

Ph.D. in Economics Georgetown University, May 2008

M.A. in Economics Georgetown University, December 2003

B.Sc. in Civil Engineering Massachusetts Institute of Technology, June 2000

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## AWARDS

Pastor Faculty Fellow, 2019-current

W. Glenn Campbell and Rita Ricardo-Campbell National Fellowship, 2013-2014

Arch W. Shaw National Fellowship, 2013-2014

The John A. Gunn and Cynthia Fry Gunn Faculty Scholar, Stanford University, 2009-2010

Razin Prize for best Dissertation in Economics, Georgetown University, 2008

Georgetown University Graduate School Dissertation Fellowship, 2007-2008

Georgetown University Teaching and Research Scholarship, 2002-2007

## PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

“Collective Choice in Dynamic Public Good Provision,” with George Georgiadis and Nicolas Lambert, 2019, *AEJ: Microeconomics*, 11(1), 243-98

“Durable Coalitions and Communication: Public versus Private Negotiations,” with David Baron and Salvatore Nunnari, 2017, *Journal of Public Economics*, 156, 1-13

“Efficiency of Flexible Budgetary Institutions”, with Ying Chen, Hülya Eraslan and Jan Zápál, 2017, *Journal of Economic Theory*, 167, 148-176

“The Voter’s Blunt Tool”, with Cecilia Mo, 2016, *Journal of Theoretical Politics*, 28(4) 655-677

“Legislated Protection and the WTO”, 2015, *International Economic Review*, 56 (4), 1349-1384

“Mandatory Versus Discretionary Spending: the Status Quo Effect”, with Ying Chen and Hülya Eraslan, 2014, *American Economic Review*, 104 (10), 2941-2974

“Rules With Discretion and Local Information”, with David Kreps and Andrzej Skrzypacz, 2013, *Quarterly Journal of Economics*, 128 (3), 1273-1320

“On Dynamic Compromise”, with Zaki Zahran, 2012, *Games and Economic Behavior*, 76, 391-419

## WORKING PAPERS

“Policy Experimentation in Committees: a Case Against Veto Rights Under Redistributive Constraints”, with Vincent Anesi

“Forbearance in Optimal Multilateral Trade Agreements”, revise and resubmit, *Journal of International Economics*

“Dynamic Coalitions”, with David Baron, revise and resubmit, *Games and Economic Behavior*

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“Reform Fatigue”, with Jackie M. L. Chan, Oendrilla Dube and Nicolas Lambert

## **OTHER PUBLICATION AND RESEARCH**

“International Trade, Overview”, The Oxford Encyclopedia of the Modern World (Oxford University Press, 2008).

“An Analysis of Mauritius’s Trade Policies in 2003”, with Alberto Herrou Aragon

## **TEACHING**

*UC San Diego*

Dynamic Political Economy Theory (PhD)  
International Trade Agreements (MIA/MPP)  
International Economic Agreements (undergraduate)

*Stanford Graduate School of Business*

Dynamic Political Economy Theory (PhD)  
The International Economy (MBA)

*Georgetown University*

Applied Game Theory  
International Trade  
Principles of Microeconomics Preparatory Course

## **PROFESSIONAL SERVICE**

*Editorial Positions*

Review of International Organizations special issue on “Trade and Investment”, Co-editor  
Review of International Organizations, Editorial Board (2015 – current)

*Invited Seminars (since 2010)*

2019: Washington University in St. Louis, University of Chicago, Harris School of Public Policy (scheduled)

2018: UC San Diego, Economics Department, Georgetown University, Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago

2017: Ohio State University, UC Santa Barbara, UC San Diego, UT Austin, Indiana University, Emory University, Princeton University, NYU

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2016: NYU Political Science, MIT Organizational Economics

2015: Yale Microeconomic Theory, Michigan State, Columbia University, Kellogg School of Management – Strategy, Indiana University, Cornell, Berkeley Microeconomic Theory, University of Mannheim, University of Nottingham, University of Warwick, London School of Economics

2014: University of Chicago Theory, Duke University, University of California, Los Angeles

2013: Harvard-MIT Theory, Johns Hopkins University, University of Iowa

2012: University of Wisconsin, Madison, Arizona State University

2011: University of California, Los Angeles, Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco, Northwestern University, Emory University

2010: California Institute of Technology, University of California, Berkeley, Yale University

## *Conferences (since 2010)*

Great Lakes Political Economy Theory Conference (2018), Econometric Society, Africa Meeting (2018 scheduled), NBER Political Economy Program Meeting and Summer Institute (2016-2018), Priorat Workshop in Theoretical Political Science (2013), Frontiers of Formal Political Theory, Vanderbilt (2018), Stony Brook Game Theory Conference (2011, 2015, 2017), W. Allen Wallis Conference in Political Economy (2013-2015, 2017), Barcelona GSE Summer Forum (2016), Princeton/Warwick Political Economy Conference in Venice (2016), Conference on the Political Economy of International Organizations-PEIO (2011, 2014-2019), Yale Political Economy Conference (2015), Cornell Political Economy Conference (2015), Society for the Advancement of Economic Theory (SAET) (2015), NBER Summer Institute - Political Economy Public Finance (2012-2015), Princeton Conference on Dynamic Political Economy (2011, 2013-2014), SCID Trade Conference – Contemporary Challenges to the World Trading System (2014), West Coast Trade Workshop (2014-2015), Canadian Economic Theory Conference (2013), NBER – Macroeconomics within and Across Borders (2012), American Economic Association Winter Meetings (2012), Santa Cruz Institute for International Economics (2011), The Stanford Institute for Theoretical Economics-SITE (2010), Institute for Economic Analysis, Determinants of Social Conflict (2010), Penn Institute for Economic Research, Conference on Political Economy (2010), Midwest Int'l Economics and Economic Theory Meetings (2012).

## *Referee*

Econometrica, Journal of Political Economy, Quarterly Journal of Economics, American Economic Review, Review of Economic Studies, Journal of Economic Theory, Games and Economic Behavior, Theoretical Economics, Journal of the European Economic Association, Economic Theory, International Economic Review, Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences, BE Journal of Economic Analysis, Journal of Public Economics, Social Choice and Welfare, American Journal of Political Science, Journal of Law and Economics of Organizations,

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Economics and Politics, NSF Grant Proposal, Quarterly Journal of Political Science, American Political Science Review.

## *Conference/Seminar Organization*

Political Economy Research Group (PELG) Seminar Series, Co-organizer, (2019 – current)  
Western Economics Association, joint CSWEP and CSMGEP Session, “Panel of Journal Editors Offering Advice on Publishing”, (scheduled 2019)  
American Economic Association, CSMGEP Session, “Politics, Race, and the Economy” (2019), with Jose Fernandez  
Program Committee, Conference on the Political Economy of International Organizations, Salzburg (2019), Madison (2018), Bern (2017), Salt Lake City (2016), Berlin (2015)  
Program Committee, The Econometric Society World Congress, Montreal, (2015)  
Stanford Institute for Theoretical Economics (SITE) session, “Dynamics of Collective Decision Making”, with Hülya Eraslan and Matthew O. Jackson, sponsored by the National Science Foundation, and Stanford GSB (2014)  
“Institutions and Policy Outcomes”, sponsored by Center for Global Business and the Economy, Kingston, (2010)

## *Advising*

Mariia Titova (UC, San Diego, Economics Department) – Co-Advisor (PhD expected 2021)  
Yuehui Wang (UC, San Diego, Economics Department) – dissertation committee (PhD expected 2020)  
Jackie M.L. Chan (Stanford University, Economics Department) – dissertation committee (PhD 2015), Chinese University of Hong Kong.  
Sinit Vitivasiri (Stanford University, Graduate School of Business) – dissertation committee (PhD 2014)

## *Committees*

Member of the Academic Senate, University of California, San Diego (2018-present)  
American Economic Association, *Committee on the Status of Minority Groups in the Economics Profession* (2017-present)  
American Association of University Women, Scholarship Selection Committee (2017-2018)  
GPS, Admissions Committee (2017-2019)  
GPS, Public Policy Search Committee (2017-2019)  
GPS, Pipeline Task Force (2017-2018)

## *Other Professional Service*

Interlocutor, (with David Brin), “Radical Markets”, by Glen Weyl (2019)  
Moderator, Interview with President Paul Kagame of Rwanda, Stanford Global Speaker Series (2014)  
Keynote Address, Doctorate of Business Administration Conference, Mona School of Business, University of the West Indies (2012), “Development imperatives for small open economies”

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## **OTHER PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

Member of the Economic Advisory Council to the Prime Minister of Jamaica (2016-2017), Jamaica Ministry of Industry and Commerce Task Force (2014-2016), The World Bank Poverty Reduction and Economic Management, Central Africa Region (2005, 2004), Jamaica Chamber of Commerce, Partnership for Progress (2003), J.P. Morgan Securities Inc., Emerging Markets, Debt Capital Markets (2000-2002), Inter-American Development Bank, Private Sector Department (1999), Jamaica Ministry of Transportation (1998), Petroleum Corporation of Jamaica (1997).