

## CHANITA HOLMES

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### **Personal**

United States Citizen

### **Education**

Ph.D. Economics, Binghamton University, expected May 2019.  
M.A. Economics, Binghamton University, 2013.  
M.Sc. Economics (with Distinction), University of the West Indies, Jamaica 2011.  
B.Sc. Economics, Statistics (with Honors), University of the West Indies, Jamaica, 2009.

### **Fields of Interest**

Applied Microeconomics, Labor Economics, Development Economics

### **Employment**

*Shelton State Community College, Alabama, Department of Economics*

Instructor: Principles of Microeconomics - Summer 2018, Fall 2018, Spring 2019  
Principles of Macroeconomics - Spring 2019

*Binghamton University, Undergraduate Research Center*

Managing Editor: Binghamton's University Undergraduate Journal-*Alpenglow*

*Binghamton University, Department of Economics*

Instructor: Economic Poverty and Discrimination - Summer 2015, 2016 and  
Winter 2016, 2017 (Online).  
Principles of Macroeconomics- Fall 2015

*Department of Economics University of the West Indies*

Research Consultant

*Bank of Jamaica (Central Bank of Jamaica), Kingston, Jamaica*

Research Intern -Summer 2010.

## **Research**

### *Publications*

“Does a stronger system of Law and Order constrain the effects of Foreign Direct Investment on Government Size”, with Nadine McCloud and Michael Delgado, *European Journal of Political Economy*, (2018).

“The Impact of Credit Constraints on Private Aggregate Consumption”, *Journal of Business, Finance & Economics in Emerging Economies*, (2011).

### *Working Papers*

“Rainfall Shocks, School Enrollment and School Completion in Developing Countries”.

“Early Maturity and Young Adult Labor Market Outcomes”, with Marlon Tracey and Ariel Belasen.

“When Autonomy Fails: Evidence Based on High School Academic Outcomes”, with Marlon Tracey and Marvin Powell.

### *Work in Progress*

“Expectation of Marriage and its Impact on Educational Attainment.”

### *Research Effort and Funding*

National Longitudinal Study of Adolescent to Adult Health Contractual Data - 3 year approval  
2018 Add Health Users Conference Stipend Awardee, \$900

## **Professional Activities**

### *Referee Services*

Binghamton Undergraduate Journal of Research and Creative Activity, *Alpenglow*

### *Seminars/Presentations*

Southern Economic Association 88th Annual meeting, Washington, DC, November 2018

2018 ADD Health Users Conference, Bethesda, MD, July 2018

Binghamton’s Undergraduate Poster Design Workshop, February 2018 - Speaker

Southwestern Economics Association, Las Vegas, Nevada, March 2010

Economics Research Seminar, Bank of Jamaica (Central Bank), July 2009

### *Professional Training*

Center for Learning and Teaching, Binghamton University:

- Responding to and Evaluating Student Writing
- Coaching for Revision and Grading the Final Product
- Teaching Assistant Workshop - Development for Teaching Undergraduates
- Online Teaching Pedagogy

### Awards

Department of Economics Dissertation Year Fellowship, Binghamton University, 2016-2017.  
Tuition & Stipend Assistantship Award, Binghamton University, 2012-2016.  
G. Arthur Brown Scholarship, Bank of Jamaica, 2009-2011.  
Award for Highest Grade M.Sc Economics Development I, University of the West Indies, 2009.  
Best Research Paper in Applied Econometrics, University of the West Indies, 2009.  
Full Undergraduate Scholarship, Elsa-Leo Rhynie Scholarship, 2008-2009.  
Economics Major with Highest GPA Award, University of the West Indies, 2007-2008.  
Statistics Major with Highest GPA Award, University of the West Indies, 2007-2008.

### Software Skills

E-Views, SPSS, RATS, Stata, R, LaTeX, Online Platforms (Blackboard, Canvas, Moodle) .

### References

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