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Academic positions	Research Fellow, University of Technology Sydney UTS Business School, Economics, 2026–present
Education	University of Minnesota Ph.D., Applied Economics, 2021–2026. <i>Fields:</i> Labor, Development, Impact Evaluation, and Policy Analysis The American University in Cairo M.A., Economics, 2018. The American University of Sharjah B.Sc., Economics, 2011.
Teaching	Instructor, Graduate PA 5503 Economics of Development, Fall 2024 Humphrey School of Public Affairs, University of Minnesota
Awards	Co-Investigator: Abdul Latif Jameel Poverty Action Lab (J-PAL) Learning for All Initiative (LAI): \$398,091 Co-Investigator: Abdul Latif Jameel Poverty Action Lab (J-PAL) Egypt Impact Lab (EIL): \$15,000 Single Investigator: Institute for Humane Studies (IHS) publication accelerator grant: \$6,000 Minnesota Population Center travel grant: \$2,500 Department of Applied Economics travel grant: \$3,000 Center for International Food and Agriculture Policy travel grant: \$5,000 International Union for the Scientific Study of Population (IUSSP) travel grant: \$1,000
Publications	<i>Food Policies and Obesity in Low and Middle Income Countries.</i> World Development. With Kibrom Abay and Clemens Breisinger. 2021. <i>Nutritional Training in a Humanitarian Context: Evidence from a Cluster-Randomized Trial.</i> Maternal and Child Nutrition. With Sikandra Kurdi and Jose Luis Figueroa. 2020.

Research in progress

How have aid cuts affected patient access to health care, perceptions of political actors, and support for policies in Zambia and Uganda?. With Ryan Jablonski, Brigitte Seim, Jennifer Tobin, and Alex Yeandle.

Mining and rural electrification: analysis from Tanzania using geospatial analysis and difference-in-difference event study design. With Valerie Mueller, Raahil Madhok, and Sayahnika Basu.

Improving retirement decisions: theory evidence and policy solutions. With Adeline Delavande, Mikhail Anufriev, Nathan Kettlewell, Maryam Naghsh Nejad, and Michael Loizou.

Working papers, policy reports, and policy briefs

Ibrahim, Hosam; de Barros, Andreas; Deschênes, Sarah; and Glewwe, Paul. 2026. *The best buy? Prospective evidence on successful remediation in Morocco's public primary schools*. OSF Pre-registration. CES ifo Working Paper 12866.

Ibrahim, Hosam. 2024. *The Tradeoff between Child Quantity and Child Quality: Testing Becker's Q-Q Model and Long-Term Effects on Women Using Data from Egypt*. ERF Working Paper, 1711. URL

Gadallah, May; Said, Moheb; and Ibrahim, Hosam. 2022. *The Impact of Covid-19 on the Jordanian Households and Firms: Findings from the ERF Covid-19 Monitor in Jordan*. ERF Policy Research Report, 39. URL

Abay, Kibrom A.; Ibrahim, Hosam; and Breisinger, Clemens. 2020. *Food Policies and Obesity in Low and Middle Income Countries*. IFPRI Working Paper, 28. DOI

Abay, Kibrom A.; and Ibrahim, Hosam. 2020. *Winners and Losers from COVID-19: Evidence from Google Search Data for Egypt*. IFPRI Policy Note, 8. DOI

Kurdi, Sikandra; Ghorpade, Yashodhan; and Ibrahim, Hosam. 2019. *The Cash for Nutrition Intervention in Yemen: Impact Evaluation Study*. IFPRI Working Paper, 19. DOI

Kurdi, Sikandra; Breisinger, Clemens; Ibrahim, Hosam; Ghorpade, Yashodhan; and Al-Ahmadi, Afrah. 2019. *Responding to Conflict: Does "Cash Plus" Work for Preventing Malnutrition?: New Evidence from an Impact Evaluation of Yemen's Cash for Nutrition Program*. IFPRI Policy Brief. DOI

Invited presentations

STEP-UP “What Works in Education” workshop, **Department of Economics at Monash University**. Presenting the paper “The best buy? Prospective evidence on successful remediation in Morocco’s public primary schools”. 18 Nov 2026 - Melbourne, Australia.

Arndt-Corden Department of Economics seminar series, **Crawford School of Public Policy at the Australian National University**. Presenting the paper “Extracting trade-offs: The spatial and temporal impacts of mining on agriculture and farm labor”. 12 Aug 2025 - Canberra, Australia.

Department of Economics, **Deakin University**. Presenting the paper “The best buy? Prospective evidence on successful remediation in Morocco’s public primary schools”. 13 Aug 2025 - Melbourne, Australia.

Department of Agricultural and Resource Economics, **University of Western Australia**. Presenting the paper “Extracting trade-offs: The spatial and temporal impacts of mining on agriculture and farm labor”. 15 Aug 2025 - Perth, Australia.

Conferences

2026: The Econometric Society (**ES**) conference, Nov 2026 - Adelaide, Australia. Centre for the Study of African Economies (**CSAE**) conference, Mar 2026 - Oxford, United Kingdom. The Australasian Agricultural and Resource Economics Society (**AARES**) conference, Feb 2026 - Adelaide, Australia. The Asia-Pacific Meeting of the Economic Science Association (**ESA**) Apr 2026 - University of Melbourne, Australia.

2025: North East Universities Development Consortium (**NEUDC**) Conference, Nov 2025 - Boston, USA. International Population Conference (**IPC**), Jul 2025 - Brisbane, Australia. Annual Conference of the Australasian Development Economics Association (**ADEA**), Feb 2025 - Brisbane, Australia.

2024: Population Association of America (**PAA**) annual conference, Apr 2024 – Ohio, USA. Economic Research Forum (**ERF**) Annual Conference, Apr 2024 - Rabat, Morocco.

2019: **IFPRI Research Day**, Nov 2019 – Washington, DC, USA. Economic Research Forum (ERF) Annual Conference, Mar 2019 – Kuwait City, Kuwait. Research and Creativity Convention at the American University in Cairo, Apr 2019 – Cairo, Egypt.

Affiliations

<i>Aug 2022 – present</i>	Abdul Latif Jameel Poverty Action Lab (J-PAL), USA and Morocco Co-Investigator
<i>Aug 2023 – present</i>	Centre for Development Economics and Sustainability, Monash University, Australia Research Associate
<i>Jan 2021 – present</i>	Minnesota Population Center (MPC), USA Graduate Researcher and Graduate Student Member
<i>Aug 2025 – present</i>	Graduate Applications International Network (GAIN), USA Serving as a mentor for African scholars pursuing a PhD degree
<i>Mar 2019 – present</i>	Economic Research Forum (ERF), Egypt Fellow

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