

Stephanie Bonds

CONTACT INFORMATION	1200 S Hayes St Arlington, VA 22202	sbonds@rand.org +1 805 390 6615
EMPLOYMENT	RAND Corporation , Associate Economist Center for Global Development , Post-Doctoral Research Fellow	2023 - Present 2022 - 2023
EDUCATION	University of California, Berkeley , Berkeley, CA Ph.D., Economics <i>Fields:</i> Development Economics, Labor Economics <i>Committee:</i> Edward Miguel (chair), Frederico Finan, Christopher Walters University of California, Berkeley , Berkeley, CA B.A. with Honors, Economics	2016 - 2022 2008 - 2012
RESEARCH FIELDS	Development Economics, Labor Economics, Economics of Education	
WORKING PAPERS	“Information, Student-Parent Communication, and Secondary School Choice: Experimental Evidence from Kenya” “Promoting Child Reading in Kenya: Estimating the Demand for Storybooks” with Joan Hamory, Edward Miguel, and Michael Walker	
RESEARCH IN PROGRESS	“Differentiated Learning Experimentation: Evidence from Ghana” with Sabrin Beg, Anne Fitzpatrick, and Adrienne Lucas “Challenges Faced by Children of Sex Workers” with Muhammad Zia Mehmood and Eric Ochieng (pilot funding received) “Demand for Vocational Training in Rwanda” with Aimable Nsabimana (pilot funding received)	
SEMINAR AND CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS	2023: CSAE - University of Oxford, Advances with Field Experiments (scheduled) 2022: NEUDC (Yale), PacDev (USF), Advances with Field Experiments (UChicago), NOVAFRICA Development Economics Conference (Nova SBE), Southern Economic Association Annual Meetings, Center for Global Development, RAND Corporation 2021: UC Berkeley Labor Symposium, UC Berkeley Development Economics Seminar, UC Berkeley Labor Lunch, Graduate Students in Economics of Education (GEEZ) Seminar 2017-2019: UC Berkeley Development Lunch	
SELECTED GRANTS AND FELLOWSHIPS	IPA Human Trafficking Research Initiative (w/ Muhammad Zia Mehmood) CEGA East Africa Social Science Translation Collaborative Grant (w/ Aimable Nsabimana) Dissertation Completion Fellowship, UC Berkeley Center for African Studies Rocca Dissertation Fellowship (\$6,000) CEGA Development Economics Challenge Award (\$5,000) NIH National Institute of Aging Dissertation Fellowship (T32-AG000246) J-PAL Post-Primary Education Initiative Research Grant (\$27,000) Center for African Studies Rocca Dissertation Fellowship (\$6,000) CEGA Development Economics Challenge Award (\$10,000)	2022 2022 2021 - 2022 2021 2021 2020 - 2021 2020 2020 2020

	U.C. Berkeley Economics Department Summer Grant	2020
	J-PAL Post-Primary Education Initiative Research Grant (\$50,000)	2019
	CEGA Development Economics Challenge Award (\$22,500)	2019
	U.C. Berkeley Strandberg Fund Award (\$5,000)	2019
	Foreign Language and Area Studies (FLAS) Fellowship	2019 - 2021
	University of Chicago Price Theory Summer Camp (selected participant)	2019
	CEGA Development Economics Challenge Award (\$3,000)	2018
	Center for African Studies Rocca Pre-Dissertation Research Fellowship	2018
	U.C. Berkeley Economics Department Graduate Fellowship	2016 - 2019
PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE	University of California, Berkeley , Busia, Kenya and Berkeley, CA Research Assistant for Professor Edward Miguel	2017 - 2019
	Federal Reserve Bank of Boston , Boston, MA Research Assistant for Dr. Katharine Bradbury	2013 - 2016
TEACHING	UC Berkeley Masters of Development Practice/ Public Policy International Economic Development Policy	2020
	UC Berkeley Department of Economics Graduate Development Economics	2021
	Undergraduate Labor Economics	2020
	Undergraduate Economic Research	2017 - 2019
SERVICE AND MENTORSHIP	Graduate Applications International Network (GAIN) Mentor for African students applying for graduate school abroad	2020 - present
	Economists for Equity at Berkeley (BEE) Leadership Board - Co-Founded High School Outreach Program	2020 - 2021
	U.C. Berkeley Development Lunch Seminar Co-Coordinator	2018 - 2019
LANGUAGES	English (native), Swahili (proficient), Urdu (basic)	
CITIZENSHIP	United States	