Racial/Ethnic Differences in Academic Career Trajectories in Economics

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This project is eligible for remote work.

**Proposal Description:**

Black, Latinx and Native Americans comprise less than 10% of PhD economists. Unfortunately, we do not have good data for the fraction they comprise of academic faculty. We aim to fill that knowledge gap using a panel dataset of snapshots of members of academic economic departments. We will follow individuals over time to get a handle on not just the numbers of underrepresented minorities at any one moment, but how their careers do or do not progress differently from white economists.

**Requisite Skills and Qualifications:**

We need research assistants who are detail-oriented.

**Award:** Linda Thach
Marco Chaidez
Amaris Hester

**Tobin Application Link:** [Tobin Application](https://economics.yale.edu/undergraduate/tobin-ra/spring-2021/racialethnic-differences-academic-career-trajectories-economics)

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