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EDUCATION

2020 - 2024	**CEMFI** - Ph.D. in Economics
Spring 2023	**UC Berkeley** - Visiting Ph.D. Student - Sponsor: Andrés Rodríguez-Clare
2018 - 2020	**CEMFI** - M.Res. in Economics and Finance
2015 - 2017	**Bocconi University** - M.Sc. in Economics and Social Sciences
2012 - 2015	**Bocconi University** - B.A. in Economics and Social Sciences

FIELDS

Primary:	International and Labor Economics
Secondary:	Urban and Spatial Economics

WORK IN PROGRESS

▷ **School Access and City Structure**
Job Market Paper
This paper quantifies the impacts of schools on the internal structure of cities. While their direct effect on the residential choices of households with kids is well-established, I explore the indirect consequences they bear for childless households and the geography of labor supply. Using data from Madrid, I first unveil extensive spatial sorting based on whether a household has children and link it to the need of parents to access both schools and workplaces. Then, I develop a general equilibrium quantitative urban model with households differentiated by parenthood and skills. This incorporates the school choice problem faced by parents, and allows for the geography of schools to affect housing and labor markets in equilibrium. The empirical estimation relies on a unique dataset covering the universe of applications to publicly funded schools, with which I estimate parents' preferences and quantify school access. To address the challenge of the feedback loop between neighborhood composition and school quality - due to the relevance of peer effects - I make use of instruments based on the historical expansion of the city. Counterfactual simulations reveal that schools constrain the residential choices of parents, and as a consequence induce an opposite reallocation by childless households. This key result mutes the impact of schools on house prices and wages while reversing the predictions for segregation.

▷ **The Welfare Effects of Public Housing: Evidence from the Netherlands**,
with Milena Almagro & Hans Koster

CONFERENCE AND SEMINAR PRESENTATIONS

2023	UEA European Conference, Bocconi; UEA Summer School, Montreal;
	BUDIE Workshop, CEMFI; Trade Workshop, UC Berkeley;
	RUSH (Regional/Urban/Spatial/Housing) Brownbag Seminar*;
	48th Meeting of the Spanish Economic Association, Salamanca (awarded PhD student grant)*;
	European Winter Meeting of the Econometric Society, Manchester*

* indicates scheduled presentations

Research Experience

2020 - 2023	**CEMFI**: RA for *Paula Bustos*
Summer 2019	**CEMFI**: RA for *Diego Puga*
2017 - 2018	**Fondazione Rodolfo Debenedetti**: RA for *Paolo Pinotti & Tito Boeri*
Spring 2017	**Baffi-Carefin Centre at Bocconi**: RA for *Italo Colantone*

Teaching Experience

Fall 2022	**CEMFI**: TA Mathematics - Student evaluation: 4.9/5
Spring 2021	**CEMFI**: TA International Economics - Online only

Additional Information

Citizenship:	Italy
Gender:	Male
Languages:	**Italian** (native), **English** and **Spanish** (fluent), **French** (conversational)
Softwares:	**Stata**, **R**, **Julia**, **LaTeX**, **QGis**