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PLACEMENT COORDINATORS

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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 Trade and Urban Economics

Secondary: Labor Economics, Empirical IO and Economics of Education

Work in Progress

▶ School Access and City Structure

Job Market Paper

This paper quantifies the effects of schools on the economic 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 schools to affect both 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 endogeneity between neighborhood composition and school quality I exploit exogenous variation based on the historical expansion of the city. Counterfactual simulations reveal that, by constraining the residential choices of parents, schools induce an opposite reallocation by childless households, which halves the effects on the housing and labor market. The model further unveils substantial cross-market effects between the school and labor markets, which have significant implications for policies increasing school choice and to understand the consequences of teleworking.

▶ 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 and Tito Boeri
Spring 2017	Baffi-Carefin Centre at Bocconi: RA for Italo Colantone

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Fall 2022	CEMFI : TA Mathematics - Average evaluation: 4.9/5
Spring 2021	CEMFI : TA International Economics - Online only, no evaluation

Additional Information

CITIZENSHIP: Italy GENDER: Male

 ${\tt LANGUAGES:} \quad \textbf{Italian} \ ({\tt native}), \ \textbf{English} \ {\tt and} \ \textbf{Spanish} \ ({\tt fluent}), \ \textbf{French} \ ({\tt conversational})$

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