

# LUIS CALDERON

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## EDUCATION

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**University of Bonn, Germany**  
Ph.D. in Economics

*Winter 2020 - Present*

**University of Bonn, Germany**  
M.Sc. Economics

*Winter 2018 - Winter 2020*

**Florida International University, Miami, FL**  
B.B.A. in Finance  
B.A. in Economics, Minor in Mathematics

*Fall 2013 - Fall 2017*

## RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

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**Northwestern University**  
PI: Leander Heldring

*Spring 2021 - Present*

**Institute of Macroeconomics and Econometrics, University of Bonn**  
PIs: Christian Bayer, Benjamin Born, and Ralph Luetticke  
PROJECT 1: Measuring tax progressivity in the US with Prof. Ralph Luetticke  
PROJECT 2: Tasks regarding [Shocks](#), [Frictions](#), and [Inequality in US Business Cycles](#)  
MASTER THESIS: [The Effects of Income Uncertainty on Liquidity, Default, and Prosperity](#)

*Summer 2020 - Present*

**Institute on Behavior & Inequality (Briq)**  
PROJECT 1: [Bureaucracy as a Tool for Politicians](#)  
PROJECT 2: [Spatial standard errors for several commonly used M-estimators](#)  
UNDER: [Prof. Leander Heldring](#)

*Summer 2019 - Summer 2020*

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

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**Bonn Graduate School of Economics**  
CLASS: Coding Bootcamp in Julia and Stata (PhD)  
CLASS: Topics in Inequality (BSc)

*Winter 2021 - Present*

*Summer 2024 - Present*

## WORKING PAPERS

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“Distributional Dynamics” - *with Christian Bayer and Moritz Kuhn*

## ACADEMIC EVENTS

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**Summer Schools:** Financial Intermediation and Macroeconomic Analysis (2022)

**Spring Schools:** Macroeconomics and Big Data (2024)

**Conferences:** SED (2024), Bonn-Frankfurt-Mannheim (2024)

**Workshops:** Bonn-Berlin (2023, 2024), Firm Heterogeneity and Macroeconomics (2023), Global Crises, Financial Markets, and the Role of Monetary Policy (2022)

## REFERENCES

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Christian Bayer, Professor of Economics  
University of Bonn  
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Farzad Saidi, Professor of Economics  
University of Bonn  
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## ROLES

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BGSE Representative (3 years), Bonner Liga Basketball (Player and Treasurer, 2 years), NRW Klasse Gruppe 4 Chess Player (4 years)

## OTHER

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**Citizenship:** American ♦ **Languages:** English (Native), Spanish (Native), German (B1) ♦ **Hobbies:** Basketball, Chess, Coding