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EMPLOYMENT

Lecturer in Economics 2023 - present

University of Leicester School of Business, United Kingdom.

EDUCATION

Ph.D. in Economics 2019 - 2023

Universidad Carlos III de Madrid (UC3M), Spain.

Thesis title: Essays on political economy, social norms, and networks.

Advisor: Antonio Cabrales.

Master in Economic Analysis (Leading to Ph.D.) 2017 - 2019

Universidad Carlos III de Madrid, Spain.

Bachelor in Economics 2011 - 2016

Universidad Nacional de Tucumán (UNT), Argentina.

SCHOLARLY RESEARCH

Research Interest

Applied microeconomics. Political economy. Development economics.

Economics of networks. Text-as-data.

Working Papers

Raise your Voice! Activism and Peer Effects in Online Social Networks.

Hate in the Tropics. Bolsonaro's Triumph and the Surge of Online Hate Speech in Brazil - with D. Marino Fages.

The Long Memory of Poverty: the Historical Unsatisfied Basic Needs in Argentina - with E. Nicolini.

Work in Progress

Silence in Social Networks.

Discrete Social Norms in Networks.

PRESENTATIONS

Conferences, Seminars, and Workshops

2024: Public Governance Working Group, University Paris-Dauphine (online).

2023: NICEP 2023 conference - the University of Nottingham, Machine Learning for Textual and Unstructured Data Seminar - IESE Business School and Fundación Ramón Areces, Madrid, EEA-ESEM Congress - Barcelona School of Economics, 6th Monash-Warwick-Zurich Text-as-Data Workshop (online), 2nd Workshop on Digital Economics - CCP and University of Cambridge, IEA World Congress - Universidad EAFIT, 11th Annual UTDT Conference - Universidad Torcuato Di Tella.

2022: CAGE Summer School - the University of Warwick, Workshop: The Political Economy of Conflict - jointly organized by Royal Holloway and Queen Mary University of London, Workshop: Networks in Economics - Universidad de Buenos Aires (online), UC3M Ph.D. Workshop, Annual meeting of the Argentinian Association of Political Economy (online), and RedNIE seminar (online), Tilburg University.

2021: Universidad Nacional de Tucumán, UC3M Ph.D. Workshop.

2020-2018: UC3M Ph.D. Workshop.

2016: Argentinian Association of Political Economy, annual meeting.

SHORT COURSES

2023: Machine Learning for Textual and Unstructured Data Seminar, organized by IESE Business School and Fundación Ramón Areces, Madrid.

2022: New research in Political Economy, CAGE-Warwick; Python for Web scraping (online), University of Rome Tor Vergata.

2021: The Economics of Norms, Aspirations and the Media (online), University of Oslo; Data Science for Large and Unstructured Data, II Ph.D. School, SEA.

2015: Poverty and Inequality in Latin America, Universidad Nacional de Buenos Aires.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

HONORS AND SCHOLARSHIPS

Main Teaching Fields

Universidad Carlos III de Madrid, Spain.

Applied economics. Microeconometrics. Microeconomic Theory. Game Theory.

Workshop Instructor, Ph.D. level, ULSB Text-as-data in Economics.	2023 - 2024
Seminar Instructor, Bachelor level, ULSB EC1005. Maths for Economics I. EC1025. Contemporary Issues in Economics, Finance and Business. EC3061. Development Economics. EC3080. Public Economics.	2023 - 2024 2023 - 2024 2023 - 2024 2023 - 2024
Teaching Assistant, Ph.D. level, UC3M Econometrics III. English. Prof. Carro. Microeconomics II. English. Prof. Loeper.	2019 - 2021 2021
ENTER Network, UC3M Coordinator of Ph.D. Students Seminars at UC3M.	2021 - 2022
Teaching Assistant, Bachelor level, UC3M Microeconomics. English. Prof. Schneider. Applied Economics. Spanish. Prof. Cáceres del Piano. Labor Economics. Spanish. Prof. Alba Ramírez.	2019, 2021 2019 - 2020 2018
Teaching Assistant, Bachelor level, UNT Economic Problems of Latin America. Spanish. Prof. Nicolini. Mathematical Analysis. Spanish. Prof. Rodríguez.	2015 - 2017 2013 - 2014
FPI Scholarship State Research Agency, Spain.	2020 - 2023
Pre-doctoral research training scholarship (PIPF) Universidad Carlos III de Madrid, Spain. Master Scholarship	2019 - 2020 2017 - 2019
Universidad Carlos III de Madrid, Spain. Scientific Vocations Scholarship Consejo Interuniversitario Nacional (CIN), Argentina.	2015
Amartya Sen Program Scholarship Universidad Nacional de Buenos Aires, Buenos Aires, Argentina.	2016
Vice Dean's congratulation letter for excellent teaching	2018 - 2021

Silver Medal (Second GPA) of the Economic Sciences Faculty

Universidad Nacional de Tucumán, Argentina.

NON-ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

Consulting Assistant

2015, 2021

2015

Economic Development. Consultant: E. Nicolini.

Fundación Internacional y para Iberoamérica de Administración

y Políticas Públicas (FIIAPP), Spain.

OTHER DATA OF INTEREST

Citizenship. Argentinian, Spanish.

Languages. Spanish (native), English (fluent).

Computer programming. Python, Stata, Matlab, LTEX.

Volunteer work

Volunteer and Treasurer. Fundación Payasos Sociales, Argentina. 2014 - 2017 Volunteer. Cruz Roja Española, Madrid, Spain. 2021 - 2022

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