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## UPCOMING APPOINTMENT

2023 - Post Doctoral Associate, NYU Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates

## CURRENT POSITION

2022 Post Doctoral Fellow, ECARES (Université Libre Bruxelles) Brussels, Belgium  
Mentors: Paula Gobbi and Bram de Rock

## EDUCATION

2018 - 2022 Ph.D. Economics (*Cum Laude*), IEA-Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona, Spain  
Advisor: Prof. Raül Santeulàlia-Llopis  
2020 Ph.D. Visiting Scholar, Dept. of Economics, University of Pennsylvania, USA  
2016 - 2018 M.Sc. Master in Quantitative Economics, Paris1 Pantheon Sorbonne, France  
2012 - 2015 B.A. Economics, (*Summa Cum Laude*) Universidad Privada Boliviana, Bolivia

## FIELDS OF INTEREST

Macroeconomics and Inequality, Growth and Development, Family Economics, Labor Economics  
*My research lies in the field of Macroeconomics. I make use of structural quantitative macro models as tools to highlight the mechanisms behind empirical facts observed in the data.*

## WORKING PAPERS

“A Quantitative Theory of the HIV Epidemic: Education, Risky Sex and Asymmetric Learning”  
(with Daniela Iorio and Raül Santeulàlia-Llopis)  
“Kramer vs. Kramer. On the importance of Children and Divorce Filings for Understanding Divorce Rates in the USA”  
“A Stage-Based Identification of Policy Effects” (with Christopher Busch, Alexander Ludwig and Raül Santeulàlia-Llopis)  
“Evaluating the Effectiveness of Policy Against the Covid-19 Pandemic” (with Christopher Busch, Alexander Ludwig and Raül Santeulàlia-Llopis)

**WORK IN PROGRESS**

- “HIV Diffusion: Evidence from One Million Blood Tests” (with Daniela Iorio and Raül Santaaulàlia-Llopis)  
“Agricultural Productivity in Bolivia before and after the 2006 reform” (with Sergio Bobka)

**PRESENTATIONS**

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| 2022             | DTMC Workshop on Interactions between Labor and Marriage Markets |
| 2021             | Essex-Barcelona Workshop on Labor Economics                      |
| 2019, 2020, 2021 | Macro Club, UAB internal seminar series                          |
| 2018, 2019       | Barcelona School of Economics Ph.D Jamboree                      |
| 2017             | IMF Gender and Macroeconomics Conference, poster presenter       |
| 2016             | 7th Bolivian Conference on Development Economics(BAES)           |

**RESEARCH EXPERIENCE**

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| 2018          | Research Internship, Banc Sabadell, Barcelona Spain   |
| 2017 (Summer) | Research Internship, Leibniz Institute for Economic Research Halle IWH<br>Germany               |
| 2016          | Research Internship, Central Bank of Bolivia-at the Advisory of Economic Policy<br>(BCB - APEC) |
| 2013 - 2015   | Research Assitant for Prof. Oscar Molina, Universidad Privada Boliviana                         |

**TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

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| 2020        | Instructor, Statistics II (Undergraduate) Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona          |
| 2013 - 2015 | Teaching Assistant, Microeconomics II (Undergraduate), Universidad Privada Boliviana |

**SCHOLARSHIPS AND GRANTS**

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| 2018 - 2022 | FPI PhD Scholarship from the Spanish Ministry of Science   |
| 2016 - 2018 | Erasmus Mundus Scholarship: Full funding to pursue Master in Quantitative Economics, Université Paris1 Pantheon Sorbonne, France     |
| 2014        | Goethe Institute-Bonn Excellence Scholarship: Full scholarship to participate in an advanced German-Language course in Bonn, Germany |
| 2012-2015   | Excellence Scholarship, Universidad Privada Boliviana  |

**COMPUTER SKILLS**

MATLAB, Julia (HPC & parallel computing), STATA, LaTeX

**LANGUAGE SKILLS**

Spanish-Mother Tongue, English-Fluent TOEFLiBT grade:107, German-Fluent, TestDaF Level C1, French-Fluent DELF Level B2, Catalan-Medium, Level B1, Dutch-Basic

**CITIZENSHIP:** Bolivian

**DOB:** June 1994