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# ACADEMIC POSITION

**CUNEF** University

since 2024

Lecturer

Madrid, Spain

#### **EDUCATION**

University of Mannheim

2018 - 2024

PhD in Economics

Mannheim, Germany

ILADES / Georgetown University

2014 - 2016

Master of Arts in Economics

Santiago, Chile / Washington D.C.

Technical University Federico Santa María

2009 - 2013

Bachelor of Science in International Business Administration

Guayaquil, Ecuador

#### RESEARCH FIELDS

Empirical Industrial Organization, Public Policy

## RESEARCH

Working Paper

Beyond legalization: Access and use of (non-) drug trafficking marijuana

Work in Progress

High Taxes and the Black Market Response

with Laura Grigolon & Kevin Remmy & Michelle Sovinsky

Third-Party Audits and Firms' Responses: Evidence for Ecuador

with Tania Guerra-Rosero

#### PRESENTATIONS

**2023:** CRC TR 224 Workshop for Young Researchers (Bonn), EARIE (Rome), MaCCI-EPoS Workshop (Mannheim), Jornadas de Economía Industrial (Bilbao), Internal Department Seminar (U Mannheim), CRC TR 224 Fall Retreat (Montabur), Latin American Meeting of the Econometrics Society (Bogotá), European Winter Meeting of the Econometric Society (Manchester)

**2022**: 5th FRA-MA-HD Development Economics Workshop (Heidelberg), CRC TR 224 Workshop for Young Researchers (Mannheim)

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

**CUNEF** University

since 2024

Introduction to Economics (Fall 2024)

Madrid, Spain

Monetary Macroeconomics (Fall 2024)

University of Mannheim

2020 - 2022

Teaching Assistant for Business Economics 1 (Fall 2021, 2020, 2021)

Mannheim, Germany

#### Technical University Federico Santa María

Game Theory (Spring 2016) Macroeconomics I (Fall 2016)

Macroeconomics II (Spring 2016, 2017)

Dynamic Macroeconomics (Fall 2016, 2017)

# SCHOLARSHIPS

PhD Scholarship 2018-2020

Center of Doctoral Studies in Economics, University of Mannheim

Tuition Scholarship for Graduate Studies in Economics

ILADES / Georgetown University

#### **SKILLS**

Languages

English (fluent), Spanish (native), German (beginner, A2)

**Programming** 

Stata, MATLAB, Latex

#### **AFFILIATIONS**

Collaborative Research Center Transregio 224 (CRC TR 224) 2022 - 2024

Mannheim Centre for Competition and Innovation (MaCCI)

# REFERENCES

Prof. Michelle Sovinsky

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Prof. Laura Grigolon

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Prof. Bernhard Ganglmair

2016-2017

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2022 - 2024

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