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EDUCATION	Ph.D. in Economics , Pennsylvania State University	2022 – present
	M.A. Economics , Universidad de San Andres	2020 – 2021
	B.A. Economics (<i>magna cum laude</i>), Universidad de Buenos Aires	2015 – 2019
FIELDS	Empirical Market Design, Industrial Organization, Economics of Education	
AFFILIATIONS	Econometric Society, Red Nacional de Investigadores en Economía (RedNIE)	
WORKING PAPERS	Algorithmic Collusion under Sequential Pricing and Stochastic Costs , <i>Revise and Resubmit at International Journal of Industrial Organization</i>	
	Learning to Play the Match Again	
PUBLICATIONS PRIOR THE PHD	Constraint Qualification Analysis in Kuhn-Tucker Theorem (with P. Herrera), <i>Revista de Investigación en Modelos Matemáticos Aplicados a la Gestión y la Economía</i> , Vol. II (6) pp. 23-34, 2019	
POLICY BRIEFS	Irregularidades en el Examen de Ingreso al Sistema Nacional de Residencias Médicas 2025	
	Sistema Nacional de Residencias Médicas: Hacia un Acceso Más Equitativo (featured in La Nación , Clarín , Penn State News)	
PRESENTATIONS	2025: Midwest Economic Theory Conference at Virginia Tech, CSRAI Young Achievers Symposium, Penn State Applied Micro Brown Bag (×2), Penn State Trade and Development Brown Bag, Penn State Theory Lunch	
	2024: Summer School EARIE at Amsterdam, Pennsylvania Economic Theory Conference, Penn State Theory Lunch, Penn State Applied Micro Brown Bag	
	2021: LVI Annual Meeting of the Argentine Association of Political Economy, Summer School at Zurich University of Applied Sciences	
EXPERIENCE	Research Assistant for Ran Shorrer, Pennsylvania State University	2024 – 2025
	Research Assistant for Florencia Gabrielli, Universidad del Desarrollo	2021 – 2022
	Research Assistant for Pablo Herrera, Universidad de Buenos Aires	2018 – 2020
	Finance Analyst, BT Global Services	2013 – 2015
	Finance Analyst, Euro-Electric	2012 – 2013

TEACHING	Pennsylvania State University	2022 – present
	<i>Teaching Assistant:</i> Advanced Econometrics, Economics of Matching	
	Universidad de San Andres	2020
	<i>Teaching Assistant:</i> Microeconomic Theory, Game Theory	
	Universidad de Buenos Aires	2017 – 2019
	<i>Teaching Assistant:</i> Industrial Organization, Microeconomic Theory, Math for Economists	
SERVICE	Organizer of the Applied Microeconomics Reading Group at Penn State, 2025	
GRANTS AND AWARDS	UPAC Travel Grant ($2 \times$ USD 500), 2025	
	Nominated for the Neil Wallace Best Third-Year Paper Award, 2025	
	Graduate Assistantship, Penn State, 2022 – 2026	
	Young Researcher Award, Argentine Association of Political Economy, 2021	
	Scholarship for Graduate Studies, Universidad de San Andres, 2020	
	Academic Excellence Award <i>magna cum laude</i> , Universidad de Buenos Aires, 2019	
	Research Assistantship UBACyT, Universidad de Buenos Aires, 2018 – 2019	
SKILLS	Programming Julia, Matlab, Python, RStudio, STATA, Qualtrics, L ^A T _E X, MS Office	
	Languages English (fluent), Spanish (native)	