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CURRENT POSITION

Assistant Professor, School of Economics and Finance, Universidad EAFIT

July 2020 -

EDUCATION

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Urbana, IL

2020

Ph.D. in Economics

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Urbana, IL

2016

M.S. in Economics

Universidad de Buenos Aires, Buenos Aires, Argentina

2010

B.S. in Economics, Cum Laude

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Primary: Labor Economics, Development Economics

Secondary: Applied Econometrics, Microeconomics

JOURNAL PUBLICATIONS

“Collective Action: Experimental Evidence,” with María Victoria Anauati, Sebastián Galiani and Gustavo Torrens, *Games and Economic Behavior*, 99, pp.36-55, 2016.

“Climate change in Latin America and the Caribbean: policy options and research priorities,” with Sebastián Galiani, *Latin American Economic Review*, 24(1), pp.1-39, 2015.

WORKING PAPERS

“Direct and Spillover Effects of Enforcing Labor Standards: Evidence from Argentina”

“Immigration and its Effects Crime, Violence and Social Unrest,” with Marieke Kleemans.

“What Do Jobseekers Want? Comparing Methods to Estimate Reservation Wages and the Value of Job Attributes,” with AbdelRahman Nagy and Adam Osman (under review).

WORK IN PROGRESS

“Shocks on child labor demand in rural Mexico and the role of Progresá,” with Mateo Arbeláez.

PRESENTATIONS

2020: Universidad EAFIT; Pontificia Universidad Javeriana; Banco de Mexico; Tecnológico de Monterrey; ERF Annual Conference; IZA/World Bank/NJD/UNU-WIDER Jobs and Development Conference (virtual); North East Universities Development Consortium Conference, Dartmouth College (virtual).

2019: University of Illinois, Department of Agricultural and Consumer Economics; CAF - Banco de Desarrollo de América Latina, Buenos Aires; North East Universities Development Consortium Conference, Northwestern University; Missouri Valley Economics Association Annual Conference, Kansas City MO; Illinois Economics Association Annual Meeting, DePaul University; Latin American and Caribbean Economics Association Annual Meeting, Benemérita Universidad Autónoma de Puebla; Southern Economics Association Annual Meeting, Fort Lauderdale FL.

2018: Midwest Economics Association Annual Meeting, Evanston IL; Health, History, Demography and Development (H2D2) Research Day, University of Michigan; Illinois Economics Association Annual Meeting, DePaul University.

2017: Missouri Valley Economics Association Annual Conference, Kansas City MO.

AWARDS & GRANTS

Tinker Foundation Summer Fellowship.	2019
Summer research award, University of Illinois.	2016
Merit-based full scholarship for graduate studies, University of Illinois.	2014-2020
Graduate studies fellowship, FIEL (Fundación de Investigaciones Económicas Latinoamericanas).	2011

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Department of Economics, University of Illinois

Research Assistant for Prof. Marieke Kleemans	August 2015- December 2018
Research Assistant for Prof. Benjamin Marx	August 2015

Gies College of Business, University of Illinois

Research Assistant for Prof. David Molitor	June 2015 - August 2015
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Departamento de Economía - Universidad de San Andrés

Research Assistant for Prof. Sebastián Galiani	September 2012 - June 2015
Research Assistant for Prof. Enrique Kawamura	September 2012 - August 2014

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

School of Economics and Finance - Universidad EAFIT

Instructor

Microeconomía General (Principles of Microeconomics)	Fall 2020 -
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Department of Economics - University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

Teaching Assistant

Intermediate Microeconomics, Prof. Bryan Buckley	Spring 2018 - Spring 2020
Migration and Economic Development, Prof. Marieke Kleemans	Fall 2017
Principles of Economics, Prof. José Vasquez	Fall 2015 - Spring 2017

School of Economics - Universidad de Buenos Aires

Teaching Assistant

Intermediate Microeconomics, Prof. Martín Rossi	Fall 2012 - Fall 2014
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Department of Economics - Universidad de San Andrés

Teaching Assistant

Principles of Microeconomics, Profs. Gonzalo Fernández and Diego Fernández Felices	Fall 2013
Principles of Microeconomics, Prof. Diego Petrecolla	Fall 2012
Principles of Macroeconomics, Prof. Sebastián Katz	Fall 2012, Spring 2012
Graduation Paper Workshop, Prof. Walter Sosa Escudero	Spring 2012

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Referee Service: Economics of Education Review

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Citizenship: Argentine, Italian.

Languages: Spanish (native), English (fluent), French (advanced), Italian (basic).

Programming skills: Stata (Advanced), R (Intermediate), Python (Basic), Matlab (Basic)