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ACADEMIC BACKGROUND

B.A. Economics, *Honors research distinction*, 2021. Rank: 2nd. GPA: 4.68/5.00 Emphasis on quantitative methods. EAFIT University.

Emphasis coursework: Advanced Topics in Econometrics I and II, Methods of Mathematical Economics (applications of real analysis), Time-Series, and DSGE Modelling.

Exchange student, Certificate course in Economics, Fall 2018, Tilburg University.

Additional coursework: Math 255 - Real Analysis, Grade: A, Spring 2022. Yale University.

RESEARCH

Working Paper: "Healthcare Plan Quality and Patient Outcomes: Evidence from Bankruptcies and Random Assignment in Colombia" with Leonardo Bonilla, Nick Papageorge, Christian Posso, and Matthew Zahn.

Policy Report: "Aspectos financieros y fiscales del sistema de salud en Colombia", *Revista Ensayos Sobre Política Económica*; No. 106, Oct 2023. P:1-92. Policy report

RECOGNITIONS

Honors Research Distiction, Honorable mention for undergraduate thesis, EAFIT University, 2021.

- Winning project, Recognition of the research project "SER PILO PAGA beneficiaries at EAFIT University" group project, Research Groups Fair Research Group of Economics Students, SIEDE, Vice-Rectory of Discovery and Creation, EAFIT. Colombia, October 2019.
- Undergraduate Scholarship, Full university scholarship, 50 Best High School graduates in Colombia, National Ministry of Education - ICETEX, 2015.
- **Andres Bello Award**, national category, Test *Saber 11 ICFES*. Nationwide standardized college admission test. Bogotá, Colombia, December 2015. 50th place between 568,394 students. Score: 465/500. **Percentile:** 99.99
- Partial scholarship for assistance, Harvard University Women in Business Convention, Mujeres por Colombia Foundation, October 2017.

WORKING EXPERIENCE

July 2021 - present day Institution:

Contact:

Pre-Doctoral Fellow

Yale University, New Haven. Tobin Center for Economic Policy Seth Zimmerman. Ph.D. - Professor of Economics. John Eric Humphries. Ph.D. - Assistant Professor in Economics Christopher Neilson. Ph.D. - Professor of Economics and Global Affairs January 2021 - July 2021 Research Assistant

Institution: Universidad Nacional de Colombia, Bogota. Faculty of Economic Sciences -

Development Research Center (CID)

Contact: Francesco Bogliacino. Ph.D. - Senior Assistant Professor University

of Bergamo

January 2020 - December 2020

Institution:

Research Assistant - Intern Banco de la Republica de Colombia, Medellin. (Central Bank of Colombia) -Group for the Analysis of Models in Applied Microeconomics (GAMMA)

Contact: Christian Manuel Posso-Suarez. Ph.D. - Researcher, Banco de la Republica.

November 2019 - January 2020

Institution:

Research Assistant Harvard Business School.

Contact: Jorge Tamayo. Ph.D. - As

Jorge Tamayo. Ph.D. - Assistant Professor of Business Administration.

February 2019 - November 2019

Contact:

Research Assistant - Volunteer

Christian Manuel Posso-Suarez. Ph.D. - Researcher, Banco de la Republica.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

February 2018 - July 2018 Teaching Assistant - Econometrics I

Institution: Department of Economics and Finance - EAFIT University
Contact: Gustavo Adolfo García. Ph.D. - ggarci24@eafit.edu.co

February 2017 - November 2017

Institution: Contact:

Teaching Assistant - Microeconomics I

Department of Economics and Finance - EAFIT University Catalina Gómez Toro. Ph.D. - cgomezt1@eafit.edu.co

July 2016 - November 2016

Institution:

Teaching Assistant - Fundamentals in Accounting

Department of Management - EAFIT University

CONGRESSES AND CERTIFICATIONS

Subject Certification/Congress Institution, date

 $\begin{array}{lll} \hbox{Causal} & \hbox{Impact Evaluation Methods:} & \hbox{edX - Georgetown University,} \\ \hbox{Inference} & \hbox{with applications Course} & \hbox{September - October 2020.} \end{array}$

Economics Certificate course in Economics Tilburg University,

August - December 2018.

Business Harvard University Women in Mujeres por Colombia Foundation - HUWIB,

conference Business. Intercollegiate Convention October 2017.

COMPLEMENTARY ACTIVITIES

Participant of the research student group of Economics SIEDE, EAFIT University, Medellin, Colombia, February 2019 - January 2020.

Student Representative to the Economics Career Committee, EAFIT University, Medellin, Colombia, July 2017 - June 2018.

LANGUAGES AND SKILLS

Software: Stata, Python, R, Matlab, LATEX.

Languages: Spanish (Native), English (Fluent), French (Basic).