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ACADEMIC POSITION

Assistant Professor, Centro de Investigación Económica and Department of Economics, ITAM, 2018-

EDUCATION

Ph.D. Economics, University of Maryland at College Park, 2018
M.A. Economics, University of Maryland at College Park, 2015
M.A. Economics, Universidad de Chile, 2010
B.A. Economics, Universidad de Chile, 2008

FIELDS OF SPECIALIZATION

Public Economics, Labor Economics, Economics of Education, Industrial Organization

WORKING PAPERS

“The Effects of Educated Leaders on Policy and Politics: Quasi-experimental Evidence from Brazil”,
with Paulo Bastos. *Submitted*

“Supply-side Responses to Targeted Vouchers”, with Gabriel Cañedo-Riedel. *Submitted*

“Understanding School Competition Under Voucher Regimes”

“Skipping your Exam? The Unexpected Response to a Targeted Voucher Policy”

“The Effects of For-profit and Nonprofit Schools on Academic Performance: Evidence from Chile”

“The Schooling and Labor Market Effects of Vouchers”, with Tomás Rau and Sergio Urzúa

WORK IN PROGRESS

“To Profit or not to Profit? Looking at the Production Function of For-profit and Nonprofit Schools”

“Gender Discrimination in the Teaching Profession”, with Miguel Sarzosa

CONFERENCE AND SEMINAR PRESENTATIONS

2021: SECHI; NEUDC

2020: Universidad de Chile

2019: North American Winter Meeting of the Econometric Society; SREE Spring Conference; Workshop on Private Provision of Public Education, Harvard GSE; SECHI; NEUDC; LACEA-LAMES; Inter-American Development Bank

2018: Universidad del Rosario; Pontificia Universidad Javeriana; Universidad de los Andes; ITAM; Latin American Workshop in Econometrics; LACEA-LAMES

2017: Inter-American Development Bank; LACEA-LAMES

2016: LACEA Labor Network

2010: NIP-LACEA

2009: NIP-LACEA Chile's Chapter; SECHI

GRANTS AND AWARDS

Jacob K. Goldhaber Travel Award, University of Maryland, 2017

International Conference Student Support Award, University of Maryland, 2017

Graduate Assistantship, University of Maryland, Fall 2012-Spring 2015, Fall 2016-Fall 2017

Research Fellowship to complete M.A. thesis with Prof Sergio Urzua at Northwestern U, Universidad de Chile, 2009

Maximum Distinction in the Microeconomics Theory Comprehensive Exam, M.A. Economics, Universidad de Chile, 2009

M.A. Economics Fellowship, Department of Economics, Universidad de Chile, 2009

Outstanding Economics Undergraduate Award, Universidad de Chile, 2009

TEACHING AND ADVISING

Courses taught at ITAM

Advanced Microeconometrics (graduate), Spring 2021

Research Seminar (undergraduate), Spring 2019

Economics IV (undergraduate), Fall 2018, Fall 2020, Fall 2021

Courses taught at the University of Maryland

Computer Methods in Economics (undergraduate), Summer 2015

Intermediate Macroeconomic Analysis (undergraduate), Summer 2015

Courses taught at Universidad de Chile

Econometrics I (undergraduate), Summer 2012

Stata Programming with Applications (undergraduate), Summer 2012

Microeconomics I (undergraduate), Spring 2009

Guest lectures

University of Maryland, Master in Public Policy Program, PLCY698R, “Educational Vouchers: Recent Economics Evidence”, Spring 2018

University of Maryland, Ph.D. in Economics, ECON772, “Practical Implementation of Factor Models”, Spring 2018

Graduate thesis advising

Gabriel Cañedo-Riedel (chair), 2021

Undergraduate thesis advising

Gabriel Cañedo-Riedel (chair), 2019

Bernardo García (committee member), 2018

CONSULTANT POSITIONS

Consultant, The World Bank, Sep 2015-Aug 2016

Research Fellow, Research Department, Inter-American Development Bank, Feb 2010-Dec 2011

LANGUAGES

Spanish (native), English (fluent), French (fluent)

REFEREE

Economia, Sociology of Education, Latin American Economic Review, Journal of Human Resources, NSF CAREER Grant

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