

# Camila Steffens

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## Academic Position

**2024-** Postdoctoral Researcher - ZEW Mannheim

## Education

**2019-2024 PhD in Economics (*summa cum laude*)** - Universidad Carlos III de Madrid (UC3M)

Advisor: [Jan Stuhler](#)

Committee: [Dmitry Arkhangelsky](#), [Ines Helm](#), and [Jesús Fernández-Huertas Moraga](#)

**Spring 2024** Research Visit - University of Mannheim

**2016-2018 M.Sc in Economics** - University of São Paulo (USP)

**2012-2015 B.Sc in Economics (*summa cum laude*)** - Federal University of Rio Grande do Sul (UFRGS)

## Publications

**Dynamic Responses to Smoking Bans: Evidence from Young Adults in a Developing Country**, with Paula Carvalho Pereda. [Journal of Development Economics \(2025\)](#)

**Civil Rights Protests and Election Outcomes: Exploring the Effects of the Poor People's Campaign**, with D. Mark Anderson, Kerwin Kofi Charles, Krzysztof Karbownikm and Daniel I. Rees. [Explorations in Economic History \(2025\)](#)

## Working Papers

“Labor Market Adjustments to E-commerce” *Draft available upon request.*

“How to account for (pre-)trends?”, with Jan Stuhler. [Draft](#)

## Selected Research in Progress

“Can Public Spending Stimulate the Local Labor Market? Evidence from the German Census”, with Ines Helm and Jan Stuhler.

“The Land of Cheap Services? Formalization, Self-employment, and Career Mobility in Dual Labor Markets”, with Rana Mohie Eldin

“Minimum Wage Impacts in the Presence of Non-Compliance”, with Jan Stuhler

## Selected Presentations

**2025:** BSE Summer Forum - Advances in Microeconomics; ESPE Conference; World Labor Conference (SOLE); World Congress of the Econometric Society (ESWC); EEA Conference, VfS Annual Conference; IAB Colloquium Series

**2024:** University of Mannheim; German Ministry of Finance

**2023:** EALE Conference; Symposium of the Spanish Economic Association (SAE); ENTER Seminar at the University of Stockholm; ENTER Jamboree at the University of Mannheim

## Awards, Fellowships, and Professional Development

[SOLE Mentoring Program \(2025-2026\)](#), **Mentee**

Mentors: Jesse Rothstein, University of California, Berkeley; and Sandra Black, Columbia University

[Econometric Society Virtual Mentoring 2025](#), **Mentee**

Mentor: Marianne Bertrand, University of Chicago

[São Paulo Research Foundation \(FAPESP\) Master's Research Fellowship](#), University of São Paulo (2017-2018)

[Research Visit \(BEPE - FAPESP\)](#), Universität Hamburg and Hamburg Center of Health Economics, Germany (Fall 2017)

Research Visit, University of Lucerne, Switzerland (Dec 2017)

Latin American Studies Center (CEAL) and Santander Scholarship for Undegraduate Semester Abroad, Universidad Autónoma de Madrid (UAM), Spain (Spring 2014)

## Academic Activities

**Referee** Labour Economics, Health Economics, American Journal of Health Economics, Fiscal Studies

**2025** Committee of the Econometrics Award of the Brazilian Econometrics Society (SBE) Meeting

## Teaching Experience

**2021-2022** Microeconomics III (M.Sc/PhD) - UC3M (Teaching Assistant). *Teaching Excellence.*

**2020-2023** Microeconomic Theory (B.Sc) - UC3M (Teaching Assistant)

**Spring 2021** Econometrics (B.Sc) - UC3M (Teaching Assistant)

**Fall 2018** Econometrics I (B.Sc) - University of São Paulo (Teaching Assistant)

**Spring 2016** Microeconomics II (B.Sc) - University of São Paulo (Teaching Assistant)

**2015** Microeconomics II (B.Sc) - UFRGS (Teaching Assistant)

## Other Professional Activities

**2019** External Consultant at OzMozis, Mozambique

Impact evaluation of World Bank's agricultural projects

**2018-2019** Research Assistant/Consultant

Institute of Economic Research Foundation (FIPE), São Paulo/SP

## **Additional Information**

**Citizenship:** Brazilian, Spanish

**Languages:** Portuguese (native), Spanish (fluent), English (fluent), German (basic)

**Software:** R, Stata, Latex

## **References**

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