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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS **University of South Florida** 2019-
Assistant Professor

EDUCATION **University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign** 2012-2019
Ph.D. in Economics
Universidade Federal de Pernambuco
M.Sc. in Economics 2010-2012
B.Sc. In Economics 2005-2009

RESEARCH INTERESTS Economic Growth and Development,
Public Economics, Demographic Economics

WORKING PAPERS [Early-Life Exposure to Malaria and Adult Mortality: Evidence from the Brazilian Eradication Campaign](#)
(with Henrique Veras)

WORK IN PROGRESS The Long-run Impact of Historical Pathways on Economic Development: Evidence from the Brazilian Empire
(with Diego Firmino, Guilherme Lambais, Eustaquio Reis and Henrique Veras)

From Stagnation to Growth: The Role of Expropriation Risk on the Fertility Transition
(with Henrique Veras and Stephen L. Parente)

Health Revolution and Barriers to Economic Development

Financial Exclusion and Inflation Costs

PEER-REVIEWED PAPERS [Public Employment and Economic Growth](#)
Economic Theory, 2021 (Forthcoming)

[Cold Bacon: Co-Partisan Politics in Brazil](#)
Public Choice, 2021 (Forthcoming)
(with Rodrigo Schneider)

[Female Labor Force Participation and Economic Growth: Accounting for the Gender Bonus](#)
Economics Letters, March 2021, 200, 109740
(with Stephen Parente and Eduardo Rios-Neto)

[Aggregate Shocks and the Brazilian Housing Market Dynamics](#)
EconomiA, 2019, 20(2)
(with Cassio N. Bessaria and Marcelo E. A. Silva)

Economic Effects of Demographic Dividend in Brazilian Regions

The Journal of Economics of Ageing, 2019, 14, 100198

(with Stephen Parente and Eduardo Rios-Neto)

Fiscal Shocks, the Real Exchange Rate and the Trade Balance: Some Evidence for Emerging Economies

The B.E. Journal of Macroeconomics, 2015, 15(2)

(with Henrique Veras and Marcelo E. A. Silva)

PEER-REVIEWED
PAPERS
(IN PORTUGUESE)

Distributional Characteristics and the Impact of Tax Reform on Households' Welfare in Brazil

Revista Brasileira de Economia, 2013, 67(3) (with Jose Ricardo Nogueira and Rozane Siqueira)

Effects of Fiscal Shocks on Brazilian Labor Market

Revista Brasileira de Economia, 2013, 67(2) (with Igor E. M. Silva and Marcelo E. A. Silva)

Trade Potential and Effectiveness between the Brazilian Northeast and MERCOSUR

Revista Econômica do Nordeste, 2013, 44(2) (with Renata Caldas and Joao Policarpo R. Lima)

The Marginal Social Cost of Indirect Taxation in Brazil: Identifying Tax Reform Directions

Brazilian Journal of Applied Economics, 2012 16(3)

(with Jose Ricardo Nogueira, Rozane Siqueira, and Evaldo Souza)

TEACHING
EXPERIENCE

(Students' evaluations
in parentheses)

University of South Florida

Macroeconomics II, graduate level:

Spring 2021 (Hybrid, –/5)

Intermediate Macroeconomics, undergraduate level:

Fall 2019 (4.1/5) · Spring 2020 (Hybrid, 3.7/3.1/5) · Fall 2020 (Online, 4.1,4.25/5)

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

Economic Growth, undergraduate level:

Fall 2014 (4.6/5)* · Spring 2015 (4.1/5) · Summer 2015 (4.2/5) · Fall 2015 (4.3/5) ·
Spring 2016 (5/5) · Fall 2018 (4.6/5)* · Spring 2019 (4.2/5)

Teacher Assistant – Macroeconomic Theory, graduate level:

Fall 2016 (4.9/5)** · Spring 2017 (5/5)** · Fall 2017 (4.6/5)* · Spring 2018 (4.4/5)*

Teacher Assistant – Microeconomics Principles, undergraduate level:

Fall 2013 (4.2/5) · Spring 2014 (Head TA, 4.2/5)

* Awarded in the “List of Teachers Ranked as Excellent by their Students”

** Outstanding Rating (Distinction for University-wide Top 10% instructors)

Universidade Federal de Pernambuco

Microeconomics Principles, undergraduate level: 2011.1

Teacher Assistant – Brazilian Economy, undergraduate level: 2009.1

Teacher Assistant – Microeconomics Principles, undergraduate level: 2008.1

HONORS
AWARDS,
AND GRANTS

Summer 2017: Robert E. Demarest Memorial Teaching Award, University of Illinois

Summer 2016: Robert E. Demarest Memorial Teaching Award, University of Illinois

Summer 2016: Summer Research Fellowship, University of Illinois

Summer 2014: Robert Willis Harberson Memorial Dissertation Fellowship, University of Illinois
2014: Second best article in III Encontro Pernambucano de Economia
2013: Third best Master's Thesis in Premio BNB de Economia
2012: Best Master's Thesis in the Department of Economics – Universidade Federal de Pernambuco

PRESENTATIONS

2020: BCAM VI: Online Workshop on Public Employment, SEA 90th Annual Meeting
2019: University of Illinois, Kenyon College, University of Wisconsin at Whitewater,
University of South Florida, University of Windsor

REFEREEING

Revista Brasileira de Economia, The B.E. Journal of Macroeconomics (2), Nova Economia,
Public Choice (2), World Development