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Employment Goethe University Frankfurt

April 2025-present

Post-doctoral Researcher, Faculty of Economics and Business

Universitat de Barcelona September 2023-March 2025

Post-doctoral Researcher, Department of Economics

University of Cagliari June 2021-August 2023

Post-doctoral Researcher, Department of Economics and Business

The University of Edinburgh October 2020-June 2021

Stipendiary Fellow, School of Economics

Other affiliations

Barcelona Economic Analysis Team Frankfurt Quantitative Macro Group January 2024-present September 2023-present

Junior Researcher

Education Universidad Carlos III de Madrid

June 2021

Ph.D in Economics

Barcelona School of Economics

July 2013

Master in Economics and Finance

Universidad de Costa Rica August 2012

B.A. in Economics

Academic visits

International Economics Section

2024-2025

Princeton University

Centre for Macroeconomics

September-December 2022

London School of Economics

Fields

Macroeconomics, Labour, Demography and Family Economics

Working papers

Financial Incentives to Fertility: From Short to Long Run (with Lidia Cruces)

—Revise and resubmit, The Review of Economic Studies

—Best paper award at the 2023 Spring Meeting of Young Economists (Turin, Italy, September 2023)

The Sex Ratio, Marriage, and Bargaining: A Look at China

—Nominated for best early-career paper at the 1st International Workshop on the Chinese Development Model (Barcelona, Spain, July 2022)

A Theory of Structural Change, Home Production and Leisure (with Fenicia Cossu, Alessio Moro and Silvio Tunis)

Work in progress

Slums, Urbanisation and Growth (with Alessio Moro)

—Funded with a Small Research Grant from the Structural Transformation and Economic Growth (STEG) programme (£25000)

Presentations

2025: Workshop on Labor Markets and Macroeconomic Outcomes (Vanderbilt), EAYE (King's College London), Carlos III Alumni Conference, BSE Summer Forum. 2024: Bocconi (brown bag), SOLE (Portland, Oregon), EAYE (Paris School of Economics), SED[†] (Barcelona, Spain), Spanish Labour Economics Meeting (Barcelona, Spain), Princeton Faculty Macro Lunch 2023: Universidad Alberto Hurtado (online), CUNEF, Goethe, PUC Chile, Monash, SAET[†] (Paris, France), Spring Meeting of Young Economists (Turin, Italy), Newcastle University (online), UB Macro Workshop, IEA World Congress (Medellín, Colombia). 2022: Workshop on Structural Transformation and Macroeconomic Dynamics (Cagliari, Italy), International Workshop on the Chinese Development Model (Barcelona, Spain), STEG Theme 2 Workshop[†] (online), Symposium of the Spanish Economic Association[†] (Valencia, Spain) 2021: Macro Working Group EUI (online), ESPE (online), Brazilian Meeting in Family and Gender Economics (online), CRENoS Workshop (Asinara, Italy), Symposium of the Spanish Economic Association (Barcelona, Spain) 2020: Macro-Development-Trade-Environment Reading Group Workshop Iowa State University (online) 2019: Workshop on Dynamic Macroeconomics (Vigo, Spain), University of Mannheim, Symposium of the Spanish Economic Association (Alicante, Spain)

Discussions

2024: ESSIM (Paris, France) 2023: ESSIM (Tarragona, Spain)

Scholarships, grants and awards

STEG Small Research Grant (£25000)	2023
SAEe PhD grant	2019
FPI Doctoral Scholarship, Spanish Ministry of Science	2016-2020
UC3M Economics Department scholarship	2014-2016
Bolsa Inci, IMPA (Brazil)	2012
Beca 10 Universidad de Costa Rica	2007

Teaching experience

Barcelona School of Economics: Computational sessions of the Summer School in Demographic Change and Inequality (2023)

The University of Edinburgh: Course Organiser for International Economics (Autumn 2020). Tutor for Economics 1 (Autumn 2020), Economics 2 (Spring 2021), Introductory Financial Economics (Spring 2021) and Topics in Macroeconomics (Spring 2021)

Universidad Carlos III de Madrid: Teaching assistant for Industrial Organization I: Theory and Regulation (graduate, Autumn 2018), Quantitative Microeconomics (Autumn 2017 and 2018), Principles of Economics (Spring 2017, Autumn 2016 and 2018), Dynamic Macroeconomics (Spring 2016, 2017 and 2018), International Trade (Autumn 2017)

Professional service

Refereeing: Journal of Population Economics, Economía, Review of Economics of the Household, Macroeconomic Dynamics

Conference organisation: European Association of Young Economists (Paris, France)

Other: Member of the board of the European Association of Young Economists, 2023-

Software and programming

Stata, Matlab, Python

Other

Languages: Spanish (native), English (fluent), Italian (fluent).

Citizenship: Costa Rican

[†] Presentation by co-author * Upcoming