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## EDUCATION

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<b>Washington University in St. Louis</b> PhD in Economics	<i>2020 - Present</i>
<b>Washington University in St. Louis</b> MA in Economics	<i>2020 - 2022</i>
<b>Universidad Torcuato Di Tella</b> BA in Economics	<i>2014 - 2018</i>

## RESEARCH INTERESTS

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Macroeconomics, Macro-Development

## RESEARCH

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### Working Papers

“Complementarity and the Amplification of Financial Frictions” with Hiroyuki Nemoto

### Work in Progress

“Persistence of Misallocation: The Long-Run Effects of Setup Costs” with Hiroyuki Nemoto

“The Natural Rate of Structural Transformation” with Paco Buera, Joe Kaboski, and Martí Mestieri

## RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

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### Research Assistant

Francisco (Paco) Buera *2022 - 2024*

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

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### Teaching Assistant, Washington University in St. Louis

Macroeconomics of Inequality *Spring 2024*  
*Instructor:* Paco Buera

Financial Economics (M.A. Econ) *Spring 2023*  
*Instructor:* Julian Kozlowski

Intro to Econometrics with Writing

*Instructor:* Maria Canon

*Fall 2022, Fall 2023*

Macroeconomics II (Ph.D. Econ)

*Instructors:* Paco Buera and Ping Wang

*Spring 2022*

Macroeconomics I (Ph.D. Econ)

*Instructors:* Rody Manuelli and Yongseok Shin

*Fall 2021*

## Teaching Assistant, Universidad Torcuato Di Tella

Microeconomics I (M.A. Econ)

*Spring 2020*

Microeconomics I

*Fall 2018 - Spring 2020*

Economics I

*Spring 2018*

## PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

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### Workshops

2022    Princeton Initiative

## AWARDS

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Fellowship, Washington University in St. Louis

*2020 - 2025*

Scholarship, Universidad Torcuato Di Tella

*2014 - 2018*

## OTHER INFORMATION

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Programming:    Matlab, Stata, L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X, Python

Languages:        Spanish, English

Citizenships:    Argentina (F-1), Hungary

## REFERENCES

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