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Fields: Economic Development & Growth, Economic History, and Political Economy

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PRESENT POSITION

Instituto de Ciências Sociais, University de Lisboa, Marie Curie Skłodowska-Curie

Actions Postdoctoral Fellow.

(Awarded in 2021, delayed to September 2022 because of the Covid-19

pandemic. Conclusion in August 2024).

References: Nuno Palma (supervisor), Leonard Wantchekon (Princeton

University), and Henrik Sigstad (BI Norwegian Business School).

DOCTORAL STUDIES

University of Brasilia, PhD, Economics (2015–2019)

Dissertation: "Essays in Macroeconomics and Political Economy"

Committee: Joaquim Andrade (advisor), Bernardo Mueller, José Angelo Divino,

Christian Lehmann, and Leonardo Monasterio.

Selected as one of the best dissertations of the department in the previous four-

year period for CAPES.

Harvard University, Visiting Scholar (2016–2017, sponsor: Edward Glaeser), with

credit for field classes (political economy).

RA work for Diana Moreira (Harvard, 2015-2016), Cecilia Machado (FGV

EPGE, 2016), and Livia Menezes (Leicester, 2016).

**TEACHING** 

Behavioral Macroeconomics (TA in the graduate program at the University of

Brasilia, 2018). Teaching Assistant for Joaquim Andrade.

Microeconomics (TA at the University of Campinas, 2011–2012).

FELLOWSHIPS AND GRANTS 2022–2024: Marie Skłodowska-Curie Actions grant (€ 159,815.04).

Managed over 10 research assistants to digitize and transcribe manuscripts from

over 10 archives in Brazil and Portugal.

Previous fellowships: CAPES Visiting Scholar Harvard (2016-2017), CNPq PhD Fellowship (2015-2017), IPEA Brasilia Research Fellow (2014-2015), CNPq

Masters Fellowship (2011-2012), CNPq Undergraduate Fellowship (2008),

CAPES UT-Austin Visiting Student Fellowship (2006).

JOB MARKET PAPER African Slavery and the Reckoning of Brazil. (with Nuno Palma).

https://gbrlambais.github.io/lambaisJMP.pdf

**PUBLICATIONS** 

Judicial Subversion: The Effects of Political Power on Court Outcomes.

Journal of Public Economics 217, 2023. (with Henrik Sigstad).

https://www.sciencedirect.com/science/article/pii/S0047272722001906

Education for Control and Liberation in Africa and Among the Black Diaspora. *Comparative Education Review*, forthcoming. (with Dozie Okoye, Shourya Sen,

and Leonard Wantchekon).

https://www.journals.uchicago.edu/doi/10.1086/726617

# WORKING PAPERS

Old But Gold: Historical Pathways and Path Dependence. Submitted. (with Diogo Baerlocher, Diego Firmino, Eustáquio Reis, and Henrique Veras). https://papers.ssrn.com/sol3/papers.cfm?abstract\_id=4513384

Slave resistance, cultural transmission, and Brazil's long-run economic development. <a href="https://qbrlambais.github.io/resistance">https://qbrlambais.github.io/resistance</a> longrun.pdf

Estimating a Behavioral New Keynesian Model. (with Joaquim Andrade and Pedro Cordeiro). <a href="https://arxiv.org/abs/1912.07601">https://arxiv.org/abs/1912.07601</a>

# WORK IN PROGRESS

How a Nation is Born: Reconstructing Four Centuries of Brazilian Economic Growth. (with Nuno Palma). Marie Skłodowska-Curie Project.

The economic contribution of freed slaves returnees: Evidence from the godfathering networks of the Agudas in 19th century Benin. Part of larger project with Leonard Wantchekon on the "Intergenerational social mobility of the freed slave returnees in West Africa."

Judicial Connections. (with Diogo Britto, Breno Sampaio, Henrik Sigstad, and Alexandre Fonseca).

The legal consequences of government audits. (with Ricardo Prioste and Henrik Sigstad).

Judicialization of Politics: Evidence from Brazilian local elections. (with Moya Chin and Henrik Sigstad).

Geography, slavery, and income: A spatial equilibrium approach. (with Eustáquio Reis).

# PRIOR EDUCATION

University of Campinas, MSc., Economic Development, Space, and Environment (2013); BSc., Economics (2010).

University of Texas at Austin, Visiting Student (2006–2007).

### PRIOR POSITIONS

Federal Labor Prosecution Office, Research Department, Adviser to the chief-prosecutor (2018–2022).

University of Brasilia, Research Affiliate. (2020–2022). International Labour Organization, Consultant (2015). United Nations Development Programme, Consultant (2014).

UNDP/International Policy Centre for Inclusive Growth, Associate Researcher

(2013).

#### PRESENTATIONS

2023: Econometric Society Winter Meeting (scheduled), University of Manchester (scheduled), ICS-UL, Arthur Lewis Lab Workshop (Big Counterfactuals of Macro-political History), EHS Warwick, APEHS Porto,

EHES Vienna, Lisbon Micro Group, University of Lund, Arthur Lewis Lab Quantifying the Long Run History of Africa conference.

2022: FRESH Gothenburg, ICS-UL, World Economic History Congress Paris, University of British Columbia, Princeton University.

2021: Catholic University of Brasilia.

2020: EESP-FGV, Latin American Network in Economic History and Political Economy, Economic History of Developing Regions Virtual Seminar, Catholic University of Brasilia.

2019: Brazilian Econometric Society, RIDGE Economic History Montevideo, Central Bank of Brazil, 6<sup>th</sup> Global Conference on Transparency Research, RIDGE-LACEA PEG Medellin, ASREC Boston.

2018: RIDGE Economic History Montevideo, University of Brasilia.

2017: Graduate Political Economy Workshop at Harvard, Harvard Political Economy Workshop (1S and Summer).

REFEREE SERVICE Journal of the European Economic Association, Economic Modelling, Economia Aplicada, EconomiA, Revista Uruguaya de Historia Económica

LANGUAGES English (fluent), Portuguese (native), Spanish (basic).