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Education

Georgetown University

Ph.D. in Economics, Expected Completion 2021

Dissertation Committee: Prof. Laurent Bouton (Co-Adviser),
Prof. Garance Genicot (Committee), and Prof. Martin Ravallion (Co-Adviser)

Washington, DC

Aug. 2015 - Present

Master of Arts (MA) in Economics

Aug. 2015 - May 2017

Loyola Marymount University

Bachelor of Science (BSc) in Economics,

Minor in Pure Mathematics, Magna Cum Laude

Los Angeles, CA

Aug. 2011 - Dec. 2014

Research Experience

Georgetown University

Ph.D. Researcher

Washington, DC

Aug. 2015 - Present

Research Assistant to Martin Ravallion

June - Aug. 2020

Research Assistant to Laurent Bouton, Garance Genicot & Allison Stashko

Sep. - Dec. 2018

Georgetown University - Université Libre de Bruxelles

Research Assistant to Laurent Bouton, Garance Genicot & Micael Castanheira

Washington, DC

May - Aug. 2020

Loyola Marymount University

Research Assistant to Andrew Healy

Los Angeles, CA

2012 - 2014

Selected Publications & Working Papers

“Lifting the Floor? Economic Development, Social Protection and the Developing World’s Poorest”,
with Martin Ravallion. (*Journal of Development Economics* 139 (2019): 97–108)

“Polling Place Location and the Costs of Voting” (JMP), with Gaurav Bagwe and Allison Stashko

“Food Stamps and America’s Poorest”, with Dean Jolliffe and Martin Ravallion. *NBER WP 26025* June 2019
Featured in: [Vox](#), [VoxEU.org](#), [WJS Blog](#), [Real Time Economics](#), [Quartz](#), [World Economic Forum](#)

Skills

Technical: R, Python, Stata, ArcGIS/QGIS, MATLAB, PostgreSQL, Qualtrics, L^AT_EX

Languages: English (Fluent) and Spanish (Native)

Professional Experience

DC Political Economy Center - Georgetown - Johns Hopkins University

Center Coordinator

Washington, DC

May 2019 - May 2020

Georgetown University

Instructor / Teaching Assistant

Washington, DC

Aug. 2016 - May 2020

Centro del Muchacho Trabajador

Volunteer

Quito, Ecuador

Feb. 2015 - July 2015

Fellowships, Honors and Awards

Maloof Fellowship Recipient, Georgetown University	2020 - 2021
Research Incentive Seed Grant from David Eccles School of Business	2020
Ph.D. Graduate School Fellowship, Georgetown University	2015 - Present
Outstanding Scholar Award for Economics Department at LMU	2014
Wall Street Journal Award - Economics Department at LMU	2014 - 2015
Global Citizen Award - Office for International Students and Scholars	2013 - 2014
RAINS Research Fellow	2012 - 2014
John and Nelly Llanos Kilroy Foundation International Scholarship	2011 - 2014
Summer Undergraduate Research Fellow at Loyola Marymount University	2014
Father Alfred Kilp S. J. Award for Leadership and Service	2013
Emmons Award for Business Ethics	2013
1st place at 2013 International Business Ethics Case Competition (IBECC)	2013
Omicron Delta Epsilon, Economics Honor Society	2012

Citizenship

Argentina

References

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