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Academic positions

Associate professor, *Department of Economics (dECON), Universidad de la República.* 2019-.
Assistant professor, *Department of Social Sciences, Universidad Católica del Uruguay.* 2013-2019.

Education

University of Essex, Ph.D. in Political Science. 2014
University of Essex, M.A. in Political Science. 2009
Universidad de la República, B.A. in Political Science. 2004

Publications

Journal articles

Béjar, Sergio, Juan A. Moraes, and Santiago López-Cariboni. 2020. "Elite Polarization and Voting Turnout in Latin America, 1993–2010." *Journal of Elections, Public Opinion and Parties* 30(1): 1–21.

López-Cariboni, Santiago. 2019. "Informal Service Access in Pro-cyclical Welfare States: A Comparison of Electricity Theft in Slums and Regular Residential Areas of Montevideo." *Journal of Comparative Policy Analysis: Research and Practice* (21)3: 287–305.

López-Cariboni, Santiago and Xun Cao. 2019. "When Do Authoritarian Rulers Educate: Trade Competition and Human Capital Investment in Non-Democracies." *The Review of International Organizations* 14(3): 367–405.

López-Cariboni, Santiago. 2018. "Pérdidas de Energía Eléctrica and Regímenes Políticos en América Latina. *Globalization, Competitiveness and Governability*" 12(1): 109–119.

López-Cariboni, Santiago and Xun Cao. 2015. "Import Competition and Policy Diffusion." *Politics & Society* 43(4): 471–502.

López-Cariboni, Santiago and Juan A. Moraes. 2014. "Uruguay 2013: Un Balance Preelectoral." *Revista de Ciencia Política*, 34(1): 293–313.

López-Cariboni, Santiago. 2007. "¿Son las elecciones municipales elecciones locales? Estimando diferencias de resultados and comportamiento electoral." *Revista Uruguaya de Ciencia Política* 16: 1.

López, Santiago. 2005. "Partidos desafiantes en América Latina: representación política and estrategias de competencia de las nuevas oposiciones." *Revista de Ciencia Política* (25)2: 37–64.

Editor-invited Publications

López-Cariboni, Santiago (Ed.). (2020). *The Political Economy of the BRICS Countries. Volume 3: Political Economy of Informality in BRIC Countries*, World Scientific, DOI: 10.1142/11330-vol3. Editors in chief: Edward D Mansfield and Nita Rudra.

Current research

Ongoing projects

“Gendered Attributes” (with Catherine Reyes-Housholder). This project develops new conjoint survey experiments for measuring political gender stereotypes throughout Latin America and the US. 2019 - present

“Basic services, informality, and the middle-class” (with Sarah Berens, Irene Menéndez, and Armin von Schiller). This project implement a large field experiment with information nudges targeted to irregular users of electricity service in Uruguay. 2019-present

“The political foundations of informal programs of social transfers.” Conjoint experiments on tolerance toward informality. 2017-present

Working Papers and papers under review

López-Cariboni, Santiago, and Irene Menéndez. “The Politics of Non-Contributory Social Policy: Labor Market Institutions and Left Strategies in the Developing World.” 2019. Under review.

Ronconi, Lucas, Ravi Kanbur, and Santiago López-Cariboni. “Who Demands Labour (De) Regulation in the Developing World? Insider–Outsider Theory Revisited.” 2019. IZA working paper No. 12831.

López-Cariboni, Santiago. “Conditional Compensation: From Industrialization Strategies to the Domestic Politics of Trade Liberalization.” 2018. Under review.

López-Cariboni, Santiago. “Trade, Informality, and Social Insurance.” 2017. Under review.

López-Cariboni, Santiago. and Matthew E. Carnes. “Preferences for noncontributory social policy in Latin America.” 2017.

Rossel, Cecilia, and Santiago López-Cariboni. 2012. “Edad, desigualdad and redistribución: Hacia la orientación etaria de los Estados de bienestar.” Fundación Carolina. Serie E, Vol. 70.

Invited presentations

“The political foundations of informal social transfers”. *Seminario UdeSA* Universidad de San Martín, Departamento de Ciencias Sociales, Buenos Aires, October 2019.

“The politics of basic services in developing countries”, *Joint IR Speakers Series*. Ludwig Maximilian University of Munich, June 2019.

“The political foundations of informal programs of social transfers.”, *ICP Seminars*, Instituto de Ciencia Política (ICP-UC), Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile, Santiago de Chile, April 2019.

“Understanding informal social policy”, *Escuela de Gobierno*, Universidad Torcuato Di Tella. Buenos Aires, July 2018.

“Political foundations of electricity losses and theft: evidence from survey experiments and time-series cross-section data in Latin America”. *CAF Seminar on Energy and Environment*. Buenos Aires, March 2017.

“Illegal Service Access: Delivering Counter-cyclical Social Transfers in Pro-cyclical Welfare States”. Workshop: *Social Policy by Other Means: Theorizing Unconventional Forms of Welfare Production*. University of Southern Denmark, Odense, January 2016.

“When do Outsiders Matter? Informality, Employment Protection and Noncontributory Social Policy in the Developing World.” (with Irene Menendez). *Social Policy and Clientelism*, University of Cologne, Institute of Political Science, November 2015.

“Import Competition and Policy Interdependence” (with Xun Cao). *Workshop: Tax and Welfare States beyond the OECD* Bremen, August 2014.

“Import Competition Induced Policy Change” (with Xun Cao). Workshop: *Welfare State Diffusion around the World. Shapes and Challenges in the 21st Century*. Bremen, July 2013.

“Globalization and the welfare state: direct and mediating consequences of the informal labor force on social spending.” ICP Seminars, Instituto de Ciencia Política (ICP-UC), Universidad Católica, Chile.

Conference organization activities

Steering Committee (with Santiago Olivella, Luis Mejía, Felipe Botero, John Londregan, Carmen Le Foulon, and Luis Maldonado) for the Latin American PolMeth meeting (LAPolMeth), The Society for Political Methodology. Universidad Católica del Uruguay, Montevideo. 2018 - present

Organizer (with Sarah Berens and Irene Menéndez), “Workshop: New approaches to the political economy of social policy”. University of Cologne, Alemania. 2016

Teaching

Graduate level (methods courses): “Survey Experiments” (Winter School in Methods and Data Analysis, Universidad Católica del Uruguay, 2019); “Introduction to panel data” (Winter School in Methods and Data Analysis, Universidad Católica del Uruguay, 2017-2018); “Linear regression and its applications” (Winter School in Methods and Data Analysis, Universidad Católica del Uruguay, 2014-2015); “Panel data analysis” (Winter School in Methods and Data Analysis, Universidad Católica del Uruguay, 2014); “Introduction to programming in R” (Winter School in Methods and Data Analysis, Universidad Católica del Uruguay, 2014).

Graduate level (substantive): “International Political Economy” (Universidad de la República 2020); “Political Economy” (Universidad Católica del Uruguay 2014-2019); “Quantitative Methods for Public Policy” (Universidad Católica del Uruguay 2014-2019).

Undergraduate: “Impact Evaluation” (Universidad de la República 2020); “International Trade” (Universidad de la República 2020); “Rational Choice” (Universidad Católica del Uruguay 2019); “Inferential Statistics” (Universidad Católica del Uruguay 2014-2017); “International Political

Economy" (Universidad Católica del Uruguay 2014); "Welfare State Regimes" (Universidad Católica del Uruguay 2013).

Graduate Teaching Assistant (GTA): Advanced Research Methods" (University of Essex, 2009-2012); "Political Explanation and Research Methods" (University of Essex, 2009-2012); "Introduction to Time Series Regression Analysis" (Essex Summer School, 2012); "Panel Data Analysis for Comparative Research" (Essex Summer School, 2011); "Pooled Time-Series Cross-Sectional Analysis" (Essex Summer School, 2011); "Introduction to STATA" (Essex Summer School, 2010); "Intermediate Programming in STATA" (Essex Summer School, 2010); "Applying Regression" (Essex Summer School, 2010).

Students

Valentina González Rostani, MA in Public Policy, Universidad Católica del Uruguay, 2019.

Research Grants & Awards

"Public Policy Lab", Office of Budget and Planning, Presidency Uruguay. (PI, \$13,200). 2020

"Mini-COES" research fund, Centro de Estudios de Conflicto and Cohesión Social. (Co-PI with Catherine Reyes-Housholder, \$10,500) 2019

"Latin America Initiative Seed Grant". Georgetown University. (Co-PI with Mathew E. Carnes, \$3,500) 2016

"Energy, Environment, and Development in Latin America". Development Bank of Latin America, CAF. (PI, \$15,000) 2016

Fundación Carolina project grant. Studies Centre for Latin America and the International Cooperation (CeALCI). (PI, € 18,000) 2010

Service to the Profession

Reviewer

American Journal of Political Science, Latin American Politics and Society, Third World Thematics, Revista de Ciencia Política (RCP), Revista Uruguaya de Ciencia Política

Service to the Department

Founding Director of Winter School in Methods and Data Analysis, Universidad Católica del Uruguay 2014-2015 and 2019

Postgraduate coordinator, Universidad Católica del Uruguay 2016-2018