

# LUCA MORENO LOUZADA

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## EDUCATION

2024 —	<b>Massachusetts Institute of Technology</b> Master's in Data, Economics, and Development Policy	Cambridge, United States
2019 — 2023	<b>University of São Paulo</b> Bachelor of Economics   Ranked 1 <sup>st</sup> / 108 in cohort	São Paulo, Brazil
2022	<b>Sciences Po</b> Exchange Program	Paris, France

## EXPERIENCE

2023	<b>Research Assistant</b>   Insper RA to <a href="#">Naercio Menezes Filho</a> at the <a href="#">Ruth Cardoso Chair</a> Worked on projects and coauthored papers in applied microeconomics	São Paulo, Brazil
2022	<b>Research Assistant</b>   Sciences Po RA to <a href="#">Clément de Chaisemartin</a> Worked on <a href="#">project</a> about estimators for stratified RCTs	Paris, France
2022	<b>Teaching Assistant</b>   University of São Paulo TA to <a href="#">Fabiana Fontes Rocha</a> Econometrics I (3 <sup>rd</sup> year undergraduate course)	São Paulo, Brazil
2021 — 2022	<b>Undergraduate Research Internship</b>   University of São Paulo Supervisor: <a href="#">Naercio Menezes Filho</a>	São Paulo, Brazil
2020 — 2021	<b>Equity Research Internship</b>   Morgan Stanley	São Paulo, Brazil

## RESEARCH

### Publications:

*"Messias' Influence? Intra-Municipal Relationship between Political Preferences and Deaths in a Pandemic"*

(with Guilherme Figueira) | **Estudos Econômicos** (2023) | Available [here](#)

*"The relationship between staying at home during the pandemic and the number of conceptions: a national panel data analysis"*

(with Naercio Menezes-Filho) | **Plos One** (2023) | Available [here](#)

*"Technical Change in Agriculture and Homicides: The Case of Genetically-Modified Soy Seeds in Brazil"* (with Naercio Menezes-Filho) | **Economics Letters** (2024) | Available [here](#)

### Working Papers:

*"Globalization and Political Preferences: Evidence from Brazil"*

(with Vitor Cavalcante and Naercio Menezes-Filho)

*"Trade Effects on Mortality: Evidence from China Shocks in Brazil"*

(with Rodrigo Megale and Naercio Menezes-Filho)

*"When Water Runs Red: Gold Mining and Birth Health in the Brazilian Amazon"*

(with Naercio Menezes-Filho)

### Technical Reports:

*"Global Waste Management Outlook 2024"* (with Zoë Lenkiewicz et al) | **United Nations Environment Programme** (2024) | Available [here](#)

## ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENTS, AWARDS, AND CERTIFICATES

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2019	<b>University of São Paulo Entrance Exams — Fuvest</b> Ranked 1 <sup>st</sup> out of more than 4,000 applicants for the School of Economics, Business and Accounting
2019	<b>CAPES Talento Universitário Prize</b> Ranked 1 <sup>st</sup> out of over 10,000 students in nationwide government exam to reward top undergraduates
2021	<b>FAPESP Undergraduate Research Fellowship — São Paulo Research Foundation</b> Fellowship awarded to fund undergraduate research
2022	<b>Certificat en Sciences Sociales et Humanités — Sciences Po</b> In recognition of high quality of academic results
2022	<b>Aucani Merit Scholarship — University of São Paulo</b> Scholarship awarded to fund academic exchange programs
2023	<b>Luiz de Freitas Bueno Prize — University of São Paulo</b> Prize for top graduating student of the year in the Department of Economics
2023	<b>Department of Economics Thesis Prize — University of São Paulo</b> Prize for best undergraduate thesis of the year in the Department of Economics
2024	<b>DEDP Lemann Foundation Fellowship — MIT</b> Fully-funded graduate fellowship

## LANGUAGES AND SKILLS

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### Languages:

English (Fluent)	Portuguese (Native)	French (Intermediate)
Spanish (Intermediate)	Swedish (Intermediate)	Mandarin (Elementary)

### Software:

R   Stata   L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X   VBA   QGIS

## CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

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2023		LACEA-LAMES Annual Meeting 2023		(Bogotá, Colombia — Travel funded by LACEA)
2023		SBE 45th Meeting of the Brazilian Econometric Society		(Rio de Janeiro, Brazil)
2022		ABEP XXII National Meeting of Population Studies		(Online)
2021		ANPEC 49th National Meeting of Economics		(Online)