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### About me:

Economist graduated from the University of Costa Rica on February 2021. Currently MSc in Economics Student at Nova School of Business and Economics in Lisbon Portugal.

Interested in Economic Growth, Macroeconomic Policy, Public Economics and International Economics.

Core abilities: Research, Teamwork, Statistical Skills, Discipline and Analytical thinking.

## WORK EXPERIENCE

01/09/2022 – CURRENT Lisbon, Portugal

### RESEARCHER NOVA ECONOMICS CLUB

Working on various economic research projects.

In particular, during the first semester we worked with GPEAR1 from Ministério das Finanças de Portugal in an analysis of the Portuguese economy during the energy crisis of 2022.

Currently with three other Master's students, we're coordinating this department.

04/04/2021 – 05/04/2022 San José, Costa Rica

### FINANCIAL ANALYST ACUITY KNOWLEDGE PARTNERS

Helped a team of analysts from a Bank in North America as a consultant working with tasks regarding commercial lending, investment banking, origination content and ad-hoc tasks.

31/07/2020 – 31/03/2021 San José, Costa Rica

### TUTOR STUDY EDGE

Tutored students enrolled in Macroeconomics, Microeconomics and Statistics in the University of Florida.

Helped with content creation, answering questions and different requests from students.

01/08/2019 – 15/12/2020 San Jose, Costa Rica

### TEACHER ASSISTANT - MACROECONOMIC THEORY II UNIVERSITY OF COSTA RICA

Helped the professor with various tasks like: lecturing once a week, creating content, checking quizzes, grading homework, course planning and answering questions from students enrolled in the course Macroeconomics II which is exclusive for Undergraduate Economics students in the University of Costa Rica.

## ● EDUCATION AND TRAINING

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05/09/2022 – CURRENT Lisbon, Portugal

**MASTER OF SCIENCE IN ECONOMICS** Nova School of Business and Economics (Universidade Nova de Lisboa)

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**Address** Rua da Holanda 1,, Carcavelos, Portugal, Lisbon, Portugal | **Website** <https://www.novasbe.unl.pt/pt/>

07/03/2016 – 15/12/2020 San Jose, Costa Rica

**BACHELOR'S DEGREE IN ECONOMICS** University of Costa Rica

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**Address** Ciudad Universitaria Rodrigo Facio, San Pedro de Montes de Oca, San Jose, Costa Rica |

**Website** <https://www.ucr.ac.cr/>

01/06/2018 – 06/06/2021 San Jose

**NIVEAU B2 LANGUE FRANÇAISE** Alliance française de Costa Rica

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**Address** Alianza Francesa, Barrio Amón, San Jose | **Website** <https://alianzafrancesacostarica.com/>

01/01/2020 – 20/12/2020 San Jose, Costa Rica

**NÍVEL B2 LÍNGUA PORTUGUESA** Centro de Estudos Brasileiros

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**Address** Calle Machete, Santa Ana, San Jose, Costa Rica | **Website** <https://fcdeb.com/>

05/01/2021 – 10/03/2021 New York, United States

**DATA ANALYST WITH R** DataCamp

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**Address** Online, New York, United States | **Website** <https://www.datacamp.com/about>

## ● LANGUAGE SKILLS

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Mother tongue(s): **SPANISH**

Other language(s):

	UNDERSTANDING		SPEAKING		WRITING
	Listening	Reading	Spoken production	Spoken interaction	
<b>ENGLISH</b>	C1	C1	C1	C1	C1
<b>FRENCH</b>	B2	B2	B2	B2	B2
<b>PORTUGUESE</b>	C1	C1	C1	C1	C1

*Levels: A1 and A2: Basic user; B1 and B2: Independent user; C1 and C2: Proficient user*

## ● DIGITAL SKILLS

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Programming languages (Python and R program) | Microsoft Office | Microsoft Excel | Google Drive | Microsoft Powerpoint | Microsoft Word | Google Docs | Team-work oriented | Good listener and communicator | Organizational and planning skills | Written and Verbal skills | Critical thinking | Research and analytical skills | Analytical skills | R/Rstudio

## ● ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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### EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

09/01/2021 – CURRENT

**TodoMotores Marketplace**

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Created a Digital Marketplace to sell vehicles, car parts and motorcycles in Costa Rica  
Spinoff / Selling process currently taking place

15/09/2021

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## Column - La Nación

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Published a column in La Nación (one of the most reputable Costa Rican Newspapers) in September 2021  
<https://www.nacion.com/opinion/foros/alertas-orwellianas/SJ4N6QJEHZAYZMDTM2VQ5X7AAA/story/>

10/01/2020

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## University Community Service - Excel Course

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Taught university students basic-intermediate Excel skills in a free one month intensive course.

10/01/2020

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## University Community Service - Mathematics for the University Admission Exam

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Helped High School Students from disadvantaged communities attain the basic mathematical knowledge for the University of Costa Rica's admission Exam.

## RESEARCH

01/11/2022 – 15/02/2023 CURRENT

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### The Return of Inflation, Energy Crisis and Geopolitical Shocks during 2022: What are the implications for the Portuguese Economy?

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**Co-Authors: Miguel Andrade, Tiago Campos and Nicolas Gassen.**

Elaborated a working paper along with other three colleagues analyzing the current situation of the Portuguese Economy.

Working under the supervision of the "*Gabinete de Estudos e Relações Internacionais*" (**GPEARI**) which is part of the Ministry of Finance of Portugal (**Ministério das Finanças de Portugal**).

01/11/2022 – 21/11/2022

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### Capital Controls in Chile in the 1990s

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**Co-Authors: Tommaso Mazzota, Miguel Oliveira and Daniel Silva**

Thoroughly analyzed the Capital Controls imposed in Chile after the return of democracy for the Macroeconomic Analysis Master's course at Nova School of Business and Economics.

Quantified the different variables affected and modeled what happened using the Tradable and Non-Tradable goods model.

14/12/2020

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### Determinants of the smoking prevalence for adults throughout the period 2000-2016: Evidence with panel data for 131 countries

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Graduation Project for Bachelors in Economics at the University of Costa Rica.

Thoroughly analyzed the variables and policies that affect Smoking Prevalence in adults for 131 countries using panel data during the period 2000-2016

10/12/2020

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### The 2018 debt crisis in Argentina: A Macroeconomic Analysis

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**Co-Author: Ernesto Leandro**

Analysed the current debt and exchange rate crisis for the Financial Crises extracurricular course. With special emphasis on fiscal consolidation proposals.

## REFERENCES

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**Alberto Vindas Quesada, PhD**

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