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## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

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**IEPS/SP - Institute for Health Policy Research (São Paulo, Brazil)** Jan 2019 - Jul 2021  
*Graduate Assistant Researcher*

Work as author:

Life Expectancy and Welfare in the US from an International Perspective (with Rodrigo R. Soares and Rudi Rocha). *Journal of Human Capital*, 2022.

Desigualdade em gastos municipais em saúde no Brasil e mecanismos redistributivos: uma análise longitudinal para o período 1998-2018. (with Rudi Rocha). *APS em Revista*, 2021.

Work as assistant:

Does Universalization of Health Work? Evidence from Health Systems Restructuring and Expansion in Brazil (working paper by Sonia Bhalotra, Rodrigo R. Soares and Rudi Rocha)

**Inter-American Development Bank (São Paulo, Brazil)** Nov 2018 - Oct 2019  
*Short Term Consultant*

Impact Evaluation of “SPED (Sistema Público de Escrituração Digital) and NF-e (Nota Fiscal Eletrônica)” – digitalization of tax system in Brazil

**FGV/CEPESP - Center of Politics and Economics of the Public Sector at Fundação Getúlio Vargas (São Paulo, Brazil)** Jan 2018 - June 2020  
*Graduate Assistant Researcher*

Impact evaluation of the “Programa de Estímulo à Conformidade Tributária ‘Nos Conformes’” (Fiscal Compliance Program) of São Paulo’s State Secretary of Finance. EAESP-FGV and SEFAZ-SP (work in progress by Ciro Biderman and Lycia Lima)

Welfare Dependence and Poverty Traps: Evaluating the contribution of health shocks and health policy using administrative data. EAESP-FGV, IE-UFRJ and British Academy (work in progress by Sonia Bhalotra, Rudi Rocha, Aline Menezes, Gabriel A. Facchini)

**LAPP — Public Policy and Social Programs Lab (São Paulo/Brazil)** May 2017 - Present  
*Founder*

*LAPP (“Laboratório de Políticas e Programas Sociais”) is a learning environment created to contribute to the development and strengthening of impact initiatives. LAPP is a digital platform that seeks to map public policies and social programs implemented and rigorously evaluated in Brazil and worldwide, translate them to policymakers and become a source of potential solutions for social issues.*

**FGV/ EESP CLEAR (São Paulo, Brazil)** Sep 2017 - Oct 2017  
*Assistant Researcher*

Proposal for the socioeconomic impact evaluation of Mariana Environmental Disaster (Brazil).

**Anima Investimentos (São Paulo, Brazil)**  
*Analyst - Asset Allocation and Macroeconomics* Jan 2014 - Jun 2015

Responsible for the Macroeconomics House View publication, Asset Allocation recommendations and Member of the Investment Committee

*Analyst - Asset Allocation and Macroeconomics* Feb 2013 - Dec 2013

## EDUCATION

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### **Fundação Getulio Vargas – FGV EAESP, Brazil**

Feb 2018 - Present

*PhD Candidate in Public Administration and Government*

Concentration area: Politics and Economics of the Public Sector

Thesis: "Essays on Demographic and Health Economics"

Thesis advisor: Rudi Rocha

#### Articles:

Is Life Expectancy Convergence Over? An Analysis of Recent Trends in Brazil

Health Spending and Health Outcomes: Evidence from a Constitutional Reform in Brazil (with Rudi Rocha and Damian Clarke)

Opportunistic Public Health Spending and Electoral Returns: Evidence from Brazil

### **Tilburg University, The Netherlands**

Aug 2015 - Jul 2016

*Master of Science in Economics, with distinction*

Thesis: "The effect of primary school starting age on student achievement in Brazil".

Thesis advisor: Patricia Prufer

Courses undertook: Econometrics I e II, Surveys and Experiments, Numerical Simulations, Financial Markets and Institutions, Growth and Regional Development, Economics and Psychology of Social Norms and Strategic Behavior, Environmental and Resource Economics, Health Economics.

### **Fundação Getulio Vargas – FGV EESP, Brazil**

Jan 2009 - Dec 2013

*Bachelor of Economics*

## LANGUAGE SKILLS

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**English:** fluent; **Portuguese:** native; **Spanish:** intermediate; **Hebrew:** Advanced

## TECHNICAL SKILLS

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**Stata, R & Python**      Advanced (Web Scraping, Data management, Regression Analysis)

## OTHER

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Environmental Economics (Prof. Timo Goeschl, Ph.D.) – Insper and Escolhas Institute Extension Course (Mar/2017, 18 hours).

Advanced Course on Public Policy and Social Projects Evaluation - Fundação Itaú Social (Jan/2017, 140 hrs).

Projeto Entreeducar: volunteer tutoring of public-school kids on Math and Portuguese through non-formal education methods. (Aug/2010 – Dec/2010).

Projeto Pólen: volunteer tutoring of kids from 8-12 years old. (Jan/2009 – Dec/2009).