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EDUCATION Ph.D. in Economics, University of Pittsburgh

2023 (expected)

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M.A. in Economics, Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile

Nicolás Figueroa, Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile

2015 2014

B.A. in Economics and Business, Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile

RESEARCH INTEREST Microeconomic Theory, Mechanism Design, Market Design, Industrial Organization,

Behavioral Economics

RESEARCH

Research Assistant

EXPERIENCE Martín Besfamille, Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile

2016-2018

2016-2018

TEACHING EXPERIENCE Instructor, University of Pittsburgh

Intermediate Microeconomics

Summer 2023

Game Theory

Summer 2021, Summer 2022

Teaching Assistant, University of Pittsburgh

Advanced Microeconomic Theory II (Ph.D.)

Spring 2023

Intermediate Microeconomics

Spring 2021

Introduction to Microeconomic Theory Advanced Microeconomic Theory I (Ph.D.)

Spring 2020, Fall 2020, Fall 2022

Fall 2019

Instructor, Universidad Adolfo Ibañez (Chile)

Principles of Economics, Microeconomics

2018

2013-2017

Teaching Assistant, Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile

Graduate: Microeconomic Theory II, Macroeconomic Theory I

Undergraduate: Microeconomics I, Microeconomics II, Macroeconomics I, Topics on

Applied Microeconomics, Principles of Microeconomics, Principles of Economics

WORK IN PROGRESS

Monopolistic Screening with Buyers Who Sample

Full Surplus Extraction and Consideration Sets (supersedes Surplus Extraction with Behav-

ioral Types)

Screening with Behavioral Buyers (2nd year paper)

Regional Disparities in State Capacity and Voting for Decentralization Reforms (with Martin

Besfamille and Amedeo Piolatto)

Revenue Maximization with Imperfect Information (based on my MA thesis at PUC Chile)

PRESENTATIONS

2022: Pitt/CMU Theory Brownbag, 1st Symposium of Graduate Students at Universidad Central de Chile, Pitt Economics Medley (poster), 36th Annual Conference of Pennsylvania Economic Association, INFORMS Revenue Management and Pricing Conference, ACM Conference on Economics & Computation (poster), 33nd Stony Brook International Conference on Game Theory

2021: Pitt/CMU Theory Brownbag, Pennsylvania Economic Theory Conference (poster), 32nd Stony Brook International Conference on Game Theory (poster), Pontificia Universidad Caólica de Chile Economics Alumni Workshop

2020: Pitt/CMU Theory Brownbag

FELLOWSHIPS & AWARDS

Social Science Doctoral Dissertation Fellowship, University of Pittsburgh	2021-2022
Becas Chile grant, Government of Chile	2020-2022
Summer Fellowship, Department of Economics, University of Pittsburgh	2020
Reuben Slesinger Fellowship, University of Pittsburgh	2018-2019

OTHERS

Language: Spanish (native), English (fluent)
Software/Programming: LaTeX, Matlab, Julia, Python, R, Stata, SQL (basic), SAS (basic)

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