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CONTACT INFORMATION

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RESEARCH INTERESTS

Quantitative Criminology, Public Attitudes Towards the Police, Procedural Justice, Legitimacy of Legal Authorities, Racial Profiling, Causal Inference with Observational Data, Longitudinal Data Analysis, Latent Variable Modelling

FORMAL EDUCATION

London School of Economics & Political Science (LSE), London, UK

- *Ph.D., Social Research Methods*, 2017-2021 (expected)
 - Dissertation: “Temporal ordering: unravelling the relations between police-citizen contact and attitudes towards the police” (tentative title)
 - Supervisors: Prof. Jonathan Jackson, Dr. Jouni Kuha

University of São Paulo (USP), São Paulo, Brazil

- *M.A., Sociology*, 2014-2016
Elected best thesis concluded in the department in 2016
 - Thesis: “Social Mechanisms of Judicial Decisions: An Explanatory Mixed-Methods Research Design on Juvenile Sentencing”
 - Supervisor: Dr. Marcos César Alvarez
 - Visiting Scholar, International Institute for the Sociology of Law (Basque Country/Spain), Fall 2015
- *B.A., Social Sciences*, 2010-2013
 - Courses on Sociology, Political Science, and Anthropology
 - Research about youth offenders and the juvenile justice system

COMPLEMENTARY EDUCATION

• *Data Science Specialization - Johns Hopkins University / Coursera*
The Data Scientist’s Toolbox, R Programming, Getting and Cleaning Data, Exploratory Analysis, Reproducible Research, Statistical Inference

• *LSE Summer Methods Programme*
Structural Equation Modelling (24h, Aug. 2016)

• *IPSA-USP Summer School on Methods and Concepts in Political Science*
Spatial Data Analysis with Spatial Econometrics (70h, Jan.-Feb. 2015), Refresher Course in Mathematics (35h, Jan. 2015)

• *UFMG Winter Course in Quantitative Methodology*
Factor Analysis and Principal Component Analysis (15h, Aug. 2015), Sampling Techniques (15h, Aug. 2015), Categorical Data Analysis (15h, Jul. 2014), Causality and Experimental Analysis (15h, Jul. 2014)

PUBLICATIONS

Peer-Reviewed Papers

1. **Oliveira, T. R.** (2017). “Mecanismos sociais de decisões judiciais: um desenho misto explicativo sobre a aplicação da medida socioeducativa de internação” [Social mechanisms of judicial decisions: an explanatory mixed-methods research design on juvenile sentencing]. *Revista Brasileira de Sociologia*, 5(10): 58-88. (doi [10.20336/rbs.205](https://doi.org/10.20336/rbs.205))
2. **Oliveira, T. R.** (2017). “Oitivas cerimoniais: relatos descritivos do sistema de justiça juvenil em São Paulo” [Ceremonial hearings: descriptive reports of the juvenile justice system in São Paulo]. *Confluências*, 18(3): 65-91. (doi [10.22409/confluencias.v18i3.476](https://doi.org/10.22409/confluencias.v18i3.476))
3. Zanetic, A., Manso, B. P., Natal, A., and **Oliveira, T. R.** (2016). “Legitimidade da polícia: segurança pública para além da dissuasão” [Police legitimacy: criminal policies beyond deterrence]. *Civitas - Revista de Ciências Sociais*, 16(4): 148-173. (doi [10.15448/1984-7289.2016.4.24183](https://doi.org/10.15448/1984-7289.2016.4.24183))

Working Papers

1. **Oliveira, T. R.**, Oliveira, A., Adorno, S. (*under second review*). "Legitimidade da policia: um modelo de mensuração" [Police legitimacy: a measurement model]. *Revista Brasileira de Ciências Sociais*.
2. **Oliveira, T. R.** (*revise and resubmit*). "Explaining Mechanisms with Mixed-Methods Research Designs: Examples from a Study on Juvenile Sentencing in Brazil", *Brazilian Political Science Review*.
3. **Oliveira, T. R.**, Zanetic, A., Natal, A. (*under review*). "Preditores e impactos da legitimidade policial: testando a teoria da justiça procedimental em São Paulo" [Predictors and impacts of police legitimacy: testing the procedural justice theory in São Paulo]. *Dados - Revista de Ciências Sociais*.

Other Publications

- Gisi, B., Tonche, J., Alvarez, M., and **Oliveira, T. R.** (2017). "A teoria da 'Racionalidade Penal Moderna' e os desafios da justiça juvenil - Entrevista com Álvaro Pires" ['Modern Penal Rationality' and challenges for the juvenile justice - Interview with Álvaro Pires], *Plural*, 25(1): 124-160. (doi [10.11606/issn.2176-8099.pcs0.2017.137506](https://doi.org/10.11606/issn.2176-8099.pcs0.2017.137506))
- **Oliveira, T. R.** (2017). "Apresentação" [Presentation], *Primeiros Estudos: Revista de Graduação em Ciências Sociais*, 8(1): 8-11. (doi [10.11606/issn.2237-2423.voi8p8-11](https://doi.org/10.11606/issn.2237-2423.voi8p8-11))
- Soares, B., Tanganelli, L., and **Oliveira, T. R.** (2014). "Fronteiras e diálogos disciplinares na pesquisa e na graduação - entrevista com Stelio Marras" [Disciplinary frontiers and dialogues in undergraduate research: Interview with Dr. Stelio Marras], *Primeiros Estudos: Revista de Graduação em Ciências Sociais*, 6(1): 149-154. (doi [10.11606/issn.2237-2423.voi6p149-154](https://doi.org/10.11606/issn.2237-2423.voi6p149-154))

SELECTED PRESENTATIONS

Invited Talks

- "Social conservatism and legitimacy: predicting public support for police violence in São Paulo." Workshop *Trust in Justice*, University of Minho, Portugal, 2017
- "Profiling mechanisms in the Brazilian juvenile justice system." *Violence, media, and youth*, SESC, Brazil, 2017.

Scientific Meetings

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| • ISA | • 2018 (<i>due</i>) |
| • Eurocrim | • 2017, 2018 (<i>due</i>) |
| • SBS [Brazilian] | • 2015, 2017 |
| • ANPOCS [Brazilian] | • 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016 |

GRANTS & SCHOLARSHIPS

PhD Scholarship
LSE PhD Studentship - 2017-2021

Master's Fellowship
National Counsel of Technological and Scientific Development (CNPq) - 2014-2016

Residence Grant
International Institute for the Sociology of Law (IISL) - 2015

Visiting Placement
Brazilian Ministry of Education (CAPES) - 2015

Research Trainee
The São Paulo Research Foundation (FAPESP) - 2013

AWARDS

Best Thesis
2017 - Best M.A. thesis concluded in 2016 in the Department of Sociology of the University of São Paulo

Best panel
2016 - 40th Annual Meeting of the National Association for Graduate and Research in Social Sciences (ANPOCS) (Criminology session)

3rd Best paper

2016 - VI Political Science Graduate Seminar, University of São Paulo

TEACHING EXPERIENCE	Secondary Graduate Teaching Assistant (Fall 2017) MY465 - Intermediate Quantitative Analysis (Msc) Department of Methodology (Convener: Prof. Jonathan Jackson) London School of Economics & Political Science
	Secondary Graduate Teaching Assistant (Fall 2017) MY451 - Introduction to Quantitative Analysis (Msc) Department of Methodology (Convener: Prof. Jonathan Jackson) London School of Economics & Political Science
	Teaching Fellow (Spring 2015, 2017) Research Methods and Techniques I (undergraduate) Department of Sociology (Convener: Dr. Márcia Lima) University of São Paulo
	Instructor (Summer 2016) Introduction to Statistics (undergraduate/graduate) Centre for the Study of Violence of the University of São Paulo
	Undergraduate Teaching Assistant (Spring 2013) Prison in Modern Society (undergraduate) Department of Sociology (Convener: Dr. Laurindo Minhoto) University of São Paulo
RESEARCH EXPERIENCE	Centre for the Study of Violence (NEV-USP) 2017- · Affiliated member 2016-2017 · Researcher 2015-2016 · Junior Researcher 2012-2013 · Research Assistant
	Department of Sociology (USP) / São Paulo Research Foundation (FAPESP) 2013 · Research Trainee
REVIEWER	<i>Revista de Ciências Sociais, Revista Brasileira de Ciências Sociais</i>
PROFESSIONAL SERVICE	<i>Graduate Student Representative</i> Elected Graduate Student Representative in the Department of Sociology of the University of São Paulo. Jan-Dec/2015
	<i>Member of the Editorial Board</i> Primeiros Estudos - Revista de Graduação em Ciências Sociais (journal organised by USP undergraduate students in Social Sciences). 2013-2014
WORK EXPERIENCE	Centre for the Study of Violence (NEV-USP) Research Assistant (2012-2013), Junior Researcher, and Researcher (2015-2017)
	IPSA-USP Summer School on Methods and Concepts in Political Science Administrative Assistant (2014-2015)
	Consultancy Work in Data Analysis <i>Conectas Human Rights</i> (2014), <i>CDE Plan</i> (2015), Getulio Vargas Law School (2016), FAPESP research project (PI: Prof. Vera Telles, USP) (2017)
COMPUTER SKILLS	<i>Working knowledge</i> MPlus, Python, Git and Github, R Markdown
	<i>Advanced</i> Stata, R, SPSS, L ^A T _E X, Microsoft Office
LANGUAGES	Portuguese (native), English (fluent), Spanish (upper intermediate)

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