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## Education

### Northwestern University

PhD in Economics

Evanston, IL

Fall 2022 – Present

### Pontifical Catholic University of Rio (PUC-Rio)

MSc in Economics

Rio de Janeiro, RJ

January 2020 – April 2022

Advisor: Leonardo Rezende, *GPA: 8.9/10*

### Pontifical Catholic University of Rio (PUC-Rio)

BA in International Relations

Rio de Janeiro, RJ

2007 – 2010

### Federal University of Rio de Janeiro (UFRJ)

Philosophy major, no degree awarded or expected

Rio de Janeiro, RJ

2007/2009 – 2010/2013

## Work experience

### National Agency of Cinema (ANCINE)

Analyst

Rio de Janeiro, RJ

April, 2014 – August, 2022

Tenured civil servant in the regulatory body for audiovisual in Brazil, admitted through civil service exams (applicant-to-hire ratio 500:1). Formerly advisor to the Executive Officer (2019).

### Office of the Attorney General

Technician

Rio de Janeiro, RJ

November, 2013 – April, 2014

Tenured civil servant in the Federal Office of the Attorney General, admitted through civil service exams (applicant-to-hire ratio 200:1). Worked in tech support.

### Elsevier

Freelance translator

Rio de Janeiro, RJ

March, 2012 – October, 2013

English-Portuguese translator and reviewer.

## Teaching experience

TA, Econometrics, Northwestern University, Fall 2023

TA, Econometrics for Policy Analysis, SESP/Northwestern, Spring 2024

TA, Economics of Public Policy, SESP/Northwestern, Summer 2024

TA, Topics in Health Policy, SESP/Northwestern, Summer 2024

TA, Game Theory, SESP/Northwestern, Fall 2024

TA, Judgment & Decision-Making SESP/Northwestern, Fall 2024

## Research experience

Research Assistant, Kieu-Trang Nguyen, Northwestern Kellogg, Spring 2024

Research Assistant, Ryan Hill, Northwestern Kellogg, Summer 2023

Research Assistant, Jeffrey Miron, Harvard University, 2021/2022  
Research Assistant, Giuliana Pardelli, NYU-Abu Dhabi, Summer 2021

## Honors and scholarships

Emergent Ventures Fellowship [35th Cohort](#) 2024  
CAPES Scholarship (declined due to concomitant work) 2020  
2<sup>nd</sup> general rank in the national admission exams out of 1344 candidates  
(Brazilian Association of Economics Graduate Programs [ANPEC]) 2019

## Skills

### Programming

Python, Stata.

### Languages

Portuguese (native), English (fluent), French (advanced), Spanish (intermediate)

## Publications

### Under Rent Controls, Everyone Pays

Pedro Aldighieri and Jeffrey Miron.

*In Bourne, Ryan (ed.), The War on Prices, Cato Institute, May 2024.*

### Legalized Marijuana

Pedro Aldighieri and Jeffrey Miron.

*Milken Institute Review, Third Quarter 2022.*

### Is There Monopsony Power in U.S. Labor Markets?

Pedro Aldighieri, Ryan Bourne, and Jeffrey Miron.

*Regulation, Vol. 45 No. 2, Summer 2022.*

### What Should Policymakers Do About Climate Change?

Pedro Aldighieri and Jeffrey Miron.

*Cato Institute Briefing Paper No. 130, November 30, 2021.*

### The Biden Executive Order and Market Power

Pedro Aldighieri and Jeffrey Miron.

*Cato Institute Briefing Paper No. 126, August 24, 2021.*

### Prosaico

Pedro Braga Soares

Early poetry book in Portuguese. Available at [Amazon](#).

*Rio de Janeiro: 7Letras, 2010.*

## Other interests

Recorded two studio albums, featuring as a drummer, backing vocalist, lyricist and arranger. [Spotify](#) and [YouTube](#) links