

# Pedro Braga Aldighieri Soares

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## Education

### **Northwestern University**

PhD in Economics

Evanston, IL

August 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

## Honors and scholarships

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

## 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.

## Research experience

### **Impacts of County Splits and Mergers on Socioeconomic Outcomes**

Mentor: Prof. Giuliana Pardell (NYU-Abu Dhabi) April, 2021 – August, 2021

Organizing data tables and running regressions on county splits plus historical research and data gathering for county/state level variables in 19<sup>th</sup> century Brazil.

## **Writing about economics and policy for wider audiences**

Mentor: Prof. Jeffrey Miron (Harvard University) April, 2021 – August, 2022

Co-authored more than 15 pieces about economics and policy, summarizing and reviewing economics research for a wider audience in public outlets.

### Skills

#### **Programming**

Python, R, Stata.

#### **Languages**

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

### Publications

#### **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.*

#### **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