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**Education:**

PhD Economics

2020 – 2025 (Expected)

George Washington University, Washington DC, United States

Fields: Applied Microeconomics &amp; Development Economics

MSc. Economics, *Distinction (highest honor)*

2017 – 2018

University of Essex, Colchester, England

B.A. Economics, *Magna Cum Laude*

2011 – 2015

Bryant University, Smithfield RI, United States

**Research Experience:**

2018 – 2020

Research Fellow, Research Department, Inter-American Development Bank, Washington DC

Summer 2015

RA for Nicole Freiner, Bryant University, Smithfield RI

Summer 2014

RA CIE, Universidad de las Américas, Quito, Ecuador

**Works in Progress:**

1. Crime-Differential Responses to an Environmental Shock: Evidence from Chile (joint with Patricio Dominguez)
2. Police-Monitored Cameras and Crime: Evidence from Ecuador (joint with Andrea Aguirre and Patricio Dominguez)
3. Access to Justice and Domestic Violence: Evidence from India's One-Stop Centers (joint with Ammu Lavanya)
4. Geography of Latin American Cities and Urban Outcomes (joint with Remi Jedwab)

**Op-eds:**

1. [Ideas to safely reduce prison populations during the pandemic](#) (Ideas Matter – May 2020)
2. [Pandemic and prisons: What are the challenges for Latin American countries](#) (Ideas Matter – April 2020)

**Teaching Experience:**

Spring 2022

TA for Irene Foster, Principles of Macroeconomics, George Washington University

Fall 2021

TA for Daniel Mackay, Principles of Microeconomics, George Washington University

2013 – 2015

Tutor, Principles of Micro &amp; Macro, Bryant University

**Honors and Awards:**

2020 – 2025

Graduate Assistantship, George Washington University

2017 – 2018

Merit-Based Academic Excellence Scholarship, University of Essex

May 2015

Best Undergraduate Thesis (among all econ majors), Bryant University

May 2015

Excellence Award (highest GPA of major), Bryant University

2011 – 2015

Merit-Based World Community Scholarship, Bryant University

**Other Experience:**

June 2019

Participant, Summer Institute in Computational Social Science (SICSS), CUNY

2016 – 2017

Consultant, Actuarial Modeling Division, Actuarial Consultores, Quito, Ecuador

2015 – 2016

Programmer, Risk Analysis, National Council on Compensation Insurance, Boca Raton, FL

**Computational:** R, ArcGis, Stata, Python, TeX.**Language:** English (fluent), Spanish (native), Italian (beginner)**References:**

Paul Carrillo

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Patricio Dominguez

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