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Education

Princeton University

Ph.D., Economics, 2022-.

Fields: Macroeconomics, Finance, Behavioral Economics

São Paulo School of Economics (EESP-FGV)

M.Sc., Economics, 2019-2021.

B.A., Economics, 2015-2018.

Experience

International Monetary Fund

Research Projects Officer (2021-2022)

Project: The Macroeconomic and Welfare Benefits of Building Resilience in Disaster-Prone Developing Countries

Research

“Expectations and Frictions: Lessons from a Quantitative Model with Dispersed Information”, with Marcel Ribeiro.

“Disagreement, Inflation and Networks”.

Teaching

São Paulo School of Economics (EESP-FGV)

TA for Bayesian Macroeconometrics

(with Prof. Marcel Ribeiro, PhD), 2020-2021.

TA for Computational Methods in Macroeconomics

(with Prof. Tiago Cavalcanti, PhD), 2020-2021.

TA for General Equilibrium Theory

(with Prof. Victor Filipe Martins-da-Rocha, PhD), 2020.

Awards and Fellowships

Princeton University Graduate Fellowship (2022-2026).

EESP-FGV Graduate Merit Scholarship (2019-2021).

Merit Award for Top Undergraduate Performance granted by the Regional Council of Economics of São Paulo and EESP-FGV (2019).

1st place in the II and III Brazil Econometric Games (2017, 2018).

2nd place in the I Brazil Econometric Games (2016).

FGV-EESP Undergraduate Merit Scholarship (2015-2018).

Skills

Languages. English (fluent), Portuguese (native), Spanish (intermediate), French (intermediate).

Programming. Julia, Python, Matlab, R, Stata.