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#### Areas of interest

Development, Health and Behavioral Economics; Economics of Family and Gender; Political Economy

# Current position

Research Fellow, Inter-American Development Bank
Principal Investigator Juan Pablo Chauvin, Department of Research and the Chief Economist

# Education

MSc in Economics, University College London, with Distinction BSc in Economics, Universidade Federal de Minas Gerais, GPA 4.25/5

#### Other Education

Real Analysis Course, University of California, Santa Cruz, Letter grade A+

# Research in Progress

<sup>2022-Current</sup> Crime and discrimination towards women: Heterogeneous norms and consent laws in Mexico, with Juan Pablo Chauvin and Miguel Talamas.

# Previous Employment

2020-2022 World Bank

2022

Consultant, Poverty and Equity Global Practice

Development Bank of Minas Gerais

Intern, Economic Research and Strategy Departments

# Grants, honours & awards

Chevening Scholarship, University College London, U.K. Foreign & Commonwealth Office
ABDE-IDB Best Papers Prize (4th place), Brazilian Association for Economic Development and
Inter-American Development Bank

2017 Grant Edital Circula Minas, Government of Minas Gerais

Young Researcher Scholarship, CNPQ/UFMG
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# Skills

Software Stata, LaTex (advanced); R (intermediary); Python (basic).
Languages Portuguese (native), English, French, Spanish (fluent).

# Publications & talks

#### Policy writings

Rubião, R. M.; Lara Ibarra, G.; and Fleury, E. Indirect Tax Incidence in Brazil: Assessing the Distributional Effects of Potential Tax Reforms. *Policy Research Working Paper*; No 9891; World Bank, Washington, DC. Online file: https://openknowledge.worldbank.org/handle/10986/36783?locale-attribute=en.

Rubião, R. M.; Sousa, L.; and Cereda, F. COVID-19, Labor Market Shocks, and Poverty in Brazil: A Microsimulation Analysis. Policy Note. Poverty and Equity GP, World Bank, Washington, DC. Online file: https://openknowledge.worldbank.org/handle/10986/34372.

Rubião, R. M. Bancos de Desenvolvimento em questão [...]. In: ABDE-BID 2018 Prize Book. p. 99-126. Online file: http://abde.org.br/wp-content/uploads/2018/10/Livro\_Web.pdf

# Publications in other fields

Rubião, R. M. A short but deep dive into the economics of arts [...] Artivate: A Journal of Entrepreneurship in the Arts, Arizona State University, 7(2), 3-26. Online file: https://www.jstor.org/stable/10.34053/artivate.7.2.003.