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## Education

### Georgetown University

PHD IN ECONOMICS

Washington D.C., US

2023

- Committee: Garance Genicot, Laurent Bouton, Christopher Neilson, and Mary Ann Bronson

### Georgetown University

M.A. IN ECONOMICS

Washington D.C., US

2019

### ILADES - Alberto Hurtado

M.A. IN ECONOMICS

Santiago, Chile

2016

### Universidad de Santiago de Chile (USACH)

BS IN ECONOMICS

Santiago, Chile

2012

## Academic Position

2024- **Assistant Professor of Economics and Education**, Teachers College, Columbia University

2023-2024 **Postdoctoral Scholar**, Development Innovation Lab (DIL), The University of Chicago

## Research Fields

Applied Microeconomics, Economics of Education, Development Economics, Political Economy

## Working Papers & Work in Progress

"Should I Stay or Should I Go? Strategic Responses to Improve College Admission Chances"

"It's Always Sunny in Politics" with JJ Naddeo

"Upward Mobility in Developing Countries" with Garance Genicot and Debraj Ray

"College Admission Policies and Students' High School Choice: Evidence from Chile" with Nieves Valdés

## Awards, Fellowships, & Grants

2023 **Outstanding Alumni Award**, Departamento de Economía, Universidad de Santiago de Chile

2022 **NAEd/Spencer Dissertation Fellow**, National Academy of Education & Spencer Foundation \$ 27,500

**6th Year Funding Competition Winner**, Georgetown University, Department of Economics

2021 **Graduate School Dissertation Travel Grant**, Georgetown University \$ 1,000

2020 **Summer Research Grant**, Georgetown University, Department of Economics \$ 5,000

2017 **Ph.D. Fellowship**, Georgetown University

2013-2015 **CONICYT Fellowship**, Comisión Nacional de Investigación Científica y Tecnológica, Chile

## Presentations

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*\* including scheduled*

**2023.** Workshop in Education PSE, NEUDC, AEF, Columbia Teachers College, FGV (Rio), Macquarie University, ITAM (Econ.), Tecnológico de Monterrey, Universidad del Rosario (Colombia), Barcelona School of Economics

**2022.** Mortara Seminar (Georgetown), WADES, AEF (poster)

**2021.** SEA, WADES (poster)

**2020.** ConsiliumBots Webinar

## Teaching Experience

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### INSTRUCTOR

Fall'24 **Microeconomic Theory (master)**, Teachers College, Columbia University

Summer'21 **Intermediate Microeconomics (undergrad)**, Georgetown

Summer'20 **Principles of Microeconomics (undergrad)**, Georgetown

Spring'15 **Econometrics I (undergrad)**, ILADES, Chile

Fall'12 **Principles of Microeconomics (undergrad)**, USACH, Chile

### TEACHING ASSISTANT

Spring'23 **Economic Statistics (undergrad)**, Georgetown, Prof. Ben Solow

Spring'21,'20 **Econometrics I (undergrad)**, Georgetown, Prof. Alan Bester

Fall'18,'20 **Intermediate Microeconomics (undergrad)**, Georgetown, Prof. Garance Genicot

Spring'15 **Economics of Social Policy (master)**, ILADES, Prof. Eugenio Giolito

Spring'15 **Microeconomics II (master)**, ILADES, Prof. Carlos Ponce

Fall'14 **Econometrics I (master)**, ILADES, Prof. Ramiro De Elejalde

## Professional Activities

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### 1. PH.D. THESIS SUPERVISION

Committee member:

Saloni Gupta – Brown University, Assistant Professor of Entrepreneurship and Education (2024)

Isabela Munevar – Universidad de Los Andes (Chile), Assistant Professor of Economics (2024)

### 2. SERVICE

2024-2025 **Committee on the Economics of Education Seminar**, Columbia University

2023-2024 **Research Professional Mentorship Program**, Development Innovation Lab (DIL), UChicago

2023 **Job Market Debrief for Current Students at TC**, Teachers College, Columbia University

2020-2021 **Co-Chair Economics Graduate Student Organization**, Georgetown University

### 3. REFEREE ACTIVITIES

Economics of Education Review, Journal of Law and Economics