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Education

Harvard University , Doctoral Student in Economics	2019 – Present
Fields:	
* Primary: Public economics, industrial organization, urban economics	
* Secondary: environmental economics	
Affiliations:	
* Institute for Quantitative Social Science (IQSS)	
* Harvard Environmental Economics Program (HEEP)	
Swarthmore College , B.A. in Economics, <i>Highest Honors</i> , Minors in Mathematics and Public Policy	2012 – 2016

Select works in progress

- “Impact of housing supply restrictions in increasing wildfire costs ”
- “Impact of Subnational Responses to a National Crisis: Evidence from Brazil” (with Juan Pablo Chauvin and Edward Glaeser)
- “University investments as place-making policy: evidence from Brazil” (with Cecilia Machado and Christiane Szerman)
- “Mobile Millionaires and the State and Local Tax Deduction” (with Owen Zidar)

Professional Service

Referee for <i>Quarterly Journal of Economics</i> , <i>Journal of Urban Economics</i>	
Co-Chair of Harvard Graduate Women in Economics	2020 – 2022
AEA Member	2018 – present
Graduate Student Summit for Diversity in Economics	2018
Introduction to Diversity in Doctoral Education and Research (IDDEAS), University of Pennsylvania	2016

Grants, Awards and Fellowships

HEEP Pre-Doctoral Fellow	2021 – present
COVID-19 Special Call, International Growth Centre	2020
Mott Fellowship for Graduate Studies, Swarthmore College	2019
Adams Prize in Economics, Swarthmore College	2016
Summer for Social Action Award, Lang Center for Social and Civic Responsibility	2014

Past Experiences

Pre-doctoral research assistant to Profs. Owen Zidar and Eric Zwick	Feb 2017 – July 2019
Associate , <i>PricewaterhouseCooper</i> , New York, NY	2016 – 2017
Summer Associate , <i>PricewaterhouseCooper</i> , New York, NY	2015
Planning Intern , <i>City Planning Commission at the Mayor’s Office</i> , Philadelphia, PA	2014

Other information

Portuguese (native), English (fluent), French (working proficiency), Spanish (working proficiency)

Programming languages: Stata, Python, L^AT_EX, R, Matlab, ArcGIS, CSS, HTML, Bash

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