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### RESEARCH INTERESTS

Economic Development, Organizational, Labor and Spatial Economics

### EDUCATION

**Yale University** Fall 2023  
Visiting PhD Student hosted by Prof. Mushfiq Mobarak

**CEMFI**  
PhD in Economics 2025 (expected)  
Master in Economics & Finance 2021

*Double degree:*

**Sciences Po**, Master in Economics 2018  
**University of Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne & Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona**,  
Master Erasmus Mundus Models and Methods of Quantitative Economics

**Eberhard Karl University of Tübingen**  
Bachelor of Science in International Economics & European Studies 2015

### RESEARCH

#### Working Papers

“Informality and the City Size Wage Premium: Evidence from Brazil”

#### Work in Progress

“Uber for Tractors: Digital Tools for Agricultural Mechanization”

“Milky Way: Market Structure and Behavior of Informal Traders in the Kenyan Dairy Sector” with Guanghong Xu and Martin Nandelenga

“Ethnic Diversity and Technology Choice in Manufacturing”

#### Research Assistant

2022-2023 Prof. Monica Martinez-Bravo, CEMFI  
2021-2022, Prof. Paula Bustos, CEMFI  
Summer 2020  
2018-2019 Pre-doc (full-time), Prof. Francis Kramarz, CREST (ENSAE-École Polytechnique), Paris  
2014-2015 Institute for Applied Economic Research (IAW) Tübingen, Germany

### TEACHING

#### Teaching Assistant (graduate level)

2023, 2024 Development Economics, CEMFI, Prof. Monica Martinez-Bravo  
2022 Urban Economics (Geographic Data Science Module), CEMFI, Prof. Diego Puga

#### Teaching Assistant (undergraduate level)

2012 Mathematics for Economists, Eberhard Karl University of Tübingen, Prof. Thomas Dimpfl

#### Instructor

2022 Big Data Applications to Spatial Data, Undergraduate Summer Internship Program (3h), CEMFI

**AWARDS & RESEARCH GRANTS**

Pre-doctoral Fellowship (FPI), Spanish State Research Agency (AEI)	2022-2025
María de Maeztu Exploration Grant, CEMFI	2023
STEG PhD Research Grant (PI; £3,434)	2022-2023
PEDL Exploratory Research Grant (Co-PI; £6,500)	2022
María de Maeztu PhD Track Excellence Scholarship, Spanish State Research Agency (AEI)	2019-2021
Mobility scholarship, German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD)	2015
Study abroad scholarship, Baden-Württemberg STIPENDIUM (BWS)	2013

**OTHER PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES**

Since 2023	Student representative, Internal Compliance Unit, CEMFI
2022/23	Organizer, Applied Micro PhD Workshop (BUDIE), CEMFI
2022/23	Mentor, Graduate Applications International Network (GAIN)
2022	Young Scholar, PEDL Matchmaking Workshop, NYU Abu Dhabi
2021/22	Mentor, Women in Economics Initiative

**POLICY PUBLICATIONS**

“The Determinants of Non-Monetary Poverty in Rwanda” with Thierry Kalisa; *Banque Nationale du Rwanda (BNR) Economic Review*, 2017, Vol. 10, pp. 83-105.

**OTHER WORK EXPERIENCE**

Intern, Evaluation Unit, Development Co-operation Directorate, OECD, Paris	Jun-Aug 2017
Consultant, Monitoring & Evaluation, German Development Co-operation (GIZ), Kigali (Rwanda)	Jun-Jul 2016
Intern, Promotion of Economy and Employment Program, German Development Co-operation (GIZ), Kigali (Rwanda)	Jan-May 2016
Intern, Economic Division, Permanent Mission of Germany to the United Nations, Geneva	Oct-Dec 2015

**SKILLS**

<i>Analytical Tools:</i>	Stata, Python, QGIS, R, Matlab
<i>Languages:</i>	German (Native), English (Proficient), Spanish (Advanced), French (Intermediate)

**OTHER ACTIVITIES**

Vice President, Madrid Lacrosse Club	since 2022
Player, Spanish National Women's Lacrosse Team	2020-2023