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| APPOINTMENTS | Associate Professor of Economics, CEMFI | 2025 - Present |
| | Assistant Professor of Economics, CEMFI | 2021 - 2025 |
| | Visiting Affiliated Faculty, Reichman University | 2025 |
| | Research Affiliate, Laboratorio de Oportunidades | 2025 - Present |
| | Research Affiliate, CESifo | 2023 - Present |
| | Research Affiliate, Inclusion Lab | 2022 - Present |
| | Visiting Researcher, UC Berkeley (June-August) | 2022 |
| EDUCATION | PhD in Economics, Stanford University | June 2021 |
| | Visiting Student in Economics, UC Berkeley | Fall 2012 |
| | BA in Economics, Interdisciplinary Center (IDC) - Summa Cum Laude | 2013 |
| FIELDS | Labor Economics: Focus on Labor-Market Inequality, Intergenerational Mobility, Economics of the Household, and Reproductive Decisions | |
| TEACHING EXPERIENCE | Labor Economics (Graduate, CEMFI) | 2021 - Present |
| | Applied-micro workshop (Graduate, CEMFI) | 2021 - Present |
| | Paper structure workshop (Graduate, CEMFI) | 2023 - Present |
| | Summer School in Labor Economics (Graduate, Santander) | 2024 |
| | Head-TA of Stanford's Economics Department | 2018 - 2020 |
| | Teaching Assistant: Labor Economics (Undergrad), Stanford | Fall 2017 |
| FELLOWSHIPS, HONORS & AWARDS | Teacher of the Year (CEMFI) 2025 | |
| | Proyectos de Generación de Conocimiento, 2025 - 2027 (€103,125) | |
| | Comunidad de Madrid (Consejería de Educacion e Investigacion), 2025 (€342,000) | |
| | Juan de la Cierva aid, 2022 (€67,400) | |

Leonard W. Ely and Shirley R. Ely Graduate Student Fellowship (\$29,958)

Graduate Research Opportunity Funds (\$4,500)

FSI GOES large research grant (\$5,700)

Shultz Fellowship:

- November 2018 (\$12,500)
- April 2018 (\$26,516)
- Nov 2017 (\$46,840)

Stanford Center for Computational Social Science (\$2,000)

Honors Fellowship, IDC (\$13,500)

Berkeley Economics Semester Abroad Program Fellowship (\$2,000)

Rotary Fellowship (\$1,200)

CONFERENCES & INVITED TALKS

2025: Univ. of Copenhagen, Helsenki GSE, Rockwool, WU Vienna, IAB, BdE

2025: UCLA, Tel-Aviv Univ., Hebrew Univ., Reichman, Bar-Ilan Univ.

2024: Bergen, Warwick, Carlos III, ELSE (IZA), Econometric Society, ASSA, SAE

2023: NBER, IFS, SOLE, IFAU, IZA, CESifo, IE, BSE, IAB

2022: Econometric Society, ASSA, UAB, Bank of Spain, Spanish Ministry of Inclusion, COSME

2021: NBER SI, CSWEP, VERB, Bank of Israel, Tel-Aviv Univ., Hebrew Univ., IDC, Haifa Univ.

2020: APPAM, PAA

2019: APPAM International Conference, IRES

RESEARCH

PUBLICATIONS

Quantifying The Role of Firms in Intergenerational Mobility
(with Caue Dobbin)
AEJ:Applied (forthcoming)

WORKING PAPERS

Women's Agency and Abortion Decision-Making

(with Nina Brooks & Caue Dobbin)

R&R at the Journal of Political Economy

Children of immigrants: Intergenerational mobility across countries

(Spain team – Jaime Arellano-Bover and Javier Soria Espín)

R&R at the American Economic Review

The Role of Information and Contraceptive Use on Teen Pregnancy

(with Sevin Kaytan and Stwarth Piedra-Bonilla)

R&R at the Journal of Development Economy

Separations Revisited: Do Layoffs or Quits Drive Lower Separation Rates in High-Quality Firms?

(with Daniel Fernandez and Caue Dobbin)

On Causal Inference with Model-Based Outcomes

(with Dmitry Arkhangelsky and Kazuharu Yanagimoto)

SELECTED WORK IN PROGRESS

Intergenerational Mobility and Employment Status

(with Caue Dobbin)

Labor Market Consequences of Perinatal Depression

(with Sonia Bhalotra, N. Meltem Daysal, Priyama Majumdar, and Mircea Trandafir)

Job Flows and Racial Inequality

(with Daniel Fernandez and Caue Dobbin)

Social Norms Implications of Prostitution, a Transitory or Absorbing State?

(with Nina Bucmann, Sevin Kaytan)

POLICY REPORTS

Digital Inclusion and Labor Market Performance: An Experimental Evaluation

(with Miguel Almunia and Aleksei Samkov)

PUBLIC SERVICE ACTIVITIES

Placement officer (CEMFI, 2021 - 2025)

Referee: Journal of Political Economy, The Review of Economic Studies, Journal of Labor Economics, The Economic Journal, Journal of Health Economics, Economic Development and Cultural Change.

PhD thesis advisor: Christian Maruthiah (Trinity College, postdoc), Sevin Kaytan, Daniel Fernandez, Moritz Osterhuber, Guillermo Martínez, Elena Sanjuan Estevan

PhD thesis committee member: Giorgio Pietrabissa (LSE), Qianqian Shang (Shangdong University), Aleksei Samkov, Cristian Navarro, Jorge Rodríguez de la Rubia, Kazuharu Yanagimoto, Salvatore Liaci

MA thesis advisor: Stwarth Piedra-Bonilla, Sevin Kaytan, Moritz Osterhuber, Guillermo Martínez, Salvatore Liaci, Elena Sanjuan Estevan

Seminar organizer: CEMFI's applied micro seminar (AMiS) and students' workshop

Executive Committee Member: COSME (2025 - Present)

Advising Board Member: Econ Job Market (2021 - 2024)

**OTHER
PROFESSIONAL
EXPERIENCE**

Management Consultant, Deloitte

2014-2015