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AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION	Production Economics; Applied Econometrics; Development Economics	
WORKING PAPERS	“Information Provision and Network Externalities: The Impact of Genomic Testing on the Dairy Industry” <i>with Jared Hutchins</i> “The Price of Fame: The Effect of Award-Winning Pedigrees on the Price of Livestock Genetics” <i>with Jared Hutchins</i> “Economic Value of Brangus Cattle Traits in Argentina” <i>with Nicolás Gatti and Ignacio Amaro</i> “Measuring Flood Resilience using Remote Sensors”	
PUBLICATIONS	Alejo, Javier and Funes-Leal, Víctor. 2021. “Ecuaciones de Mincer de parejas bajo un esquema de selección bivariado” (Mincer Equations for Couples under a Bivariate Selection Model), <i>Revista de Análisis Económico</i> 36(1): 3-23	
GRANTS AND FELLOWSHIPS	University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign <i>Global Food Security Graduate Fellowship</i> 2022 <i>Marilyn Downsing Fellowship</i> 2019 <i>Henry Fellowship</i> 2018 Universidad Nacional de La Plata <i>MA in Economics Fellowship</i> 2014	
CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS	“Economic Value of Expected Progeny Differences (EPDs) : of Angus and Brangus cattle breeds in Argentina” July 2023 Poster presented at the AAEA Annual Meeting Washington, DC “Economic Value of Expected Progeny Differences (EPDs) : of Angus and Brangus cattle breeds in Argentina” July 2023 Poster presented at the 27 th Annual Meeting of the Buenos Aires, Argentina International Consortium for Applied Bioeconomic Research	

	<p>“The Price of Fame: The Effect of Award-Winning Pedigrees on the Price of Livestock Genetics” Poster presented at the AAEA Annual Meeting</p>	<p>August 2022 Anaheim, CA</p>
TEACHING EXPERIENCE	<p>University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign ECON 471: Applied Econometrics Teaching Assistant</p> <p>ACE 360: Spreadsheet Models and Applications Teaching Assistant</p> <p>ACE 411: Environmental and Development Economics Teaching Assistant</p>	<p>Fall 2023</p> <p>Spring 2020</p> <p>Fall 2019-Fall 2020</p>
	<p>National University of the Northeast Mathematics for Economists Lecturer Introductory Statistics Lecturer</p>	<p>2017-2018</p> <p>Spring 2017- Spring 2018</p> <p>Fall 2017</p>
	<p>National University of the La Plata Impact evaluation of Public Policies Teaching Assistant</p>	<p>2015</p> <p>Spring 2015</p>
AWARDS AND HONORS	<p>Global Food Security Fellowship</p> <p>University of Illinois Marilyn Downsing Fellowship</p> <p>University of Illinois Cum laude</p> <p>National University of Tucumán</p>	<p>2022</p> <p>2019</p> <p>2007</p>
PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE	<p>Research Assistant Department of Agricultural and Consumer Economics University of Illinois at Urbana - Champaign Supervisor: Jared Hutchins</p> <p>Consultant The World Bank Remote Supervisors: Ezequiel Molina and Christophe Rockmore</p> <p>Research Assistant Center for Distributive, Labor and Social Studies (CEDLAS) La Plata, Argentina Supervisor: Leonardo Gasparini and María Laura Alzúa</p> <p>Economic Analyst Fundación del Tucuman Tucumán, Argentina</p> <p>Research Assistant</p>	<p>May 2021 - Present</p> <p>January 2015 to December 2015</p> <p>December 2013 to December 2014</p> <p>April 2008 to December 2012</p> <p>March 2005 to December 2006</p>

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COMPUTER PROGRAMS	Python, Stata, R, \LaTeX , Git (Advanced) Matlab, ArcGIS, SQL, Unix Shell (Intermediate)
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