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RESEARCH INTERESTS

Political Behavior; Comparative Politics; Social Media and Internet; Causal Inference;

EDUCATION

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| Federal University of Minas Gerais (UFMG) Master Student in Political Science | Belo Horizonte 2020–Current |
| Federal University of Minas Gerais (UFMG) Bachelor in Social Sciences | Belo Horizonte 2015–2019 |
| – Title: “Os candidatos possuem o mesmo espaço na mídia? Uma análise do viés da cobertura jornalística impressa dos candidatos à presidência em 2018 a partir da análise de redes.” | |

EXPERIENCE

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| Federal University of Minas Gerais (UFMG) Researcher/Compartilha’s Project | mar/2021–Current |
| – Responsible for the treatment and manipulation of the databases for the analysis of the Deliberation Project in Public Schools: creating deliberative capacities (Shares), of the Media and Public Sphere Research Group. | |
| Federal University of Minas Gerais (UFMG) Researcher | feb/2021–Current |
| – Researcher for the Center for Studies on Political Behavior - Individual and joint group researches. | |
| Federal University of Minas Gerais (UFMG) Scholarship/CAPES | 2020–Current |
| Federal University of Minas Gerais (UFMG) Researcher/Media Bias’s Project | 2018–Current |
| – The Media Bias Research Project aims to measure the impact that the media can have on the formation of the political capital of government officials and on the assessment of their administration. | |
| Quaest Consultoria e Pesquisa Data Analyst | Belo Horizonte jan/2020–mar/2021 |
| – Survey processing, reporting (using Markdown) and developing indicators for Social Network Analysis | |
| Quaest Consultoria e Pesquisa Supervised internship | Belo Horizonte apr/2019–dec/2019 |
| Federal University of Minas Gerais (UFMG)/MEIOS JR. Project Director/Coordenação de Projetos | 2018 |
| – Responsible for meeting and understanding customer demand, preparing the research design, briefing, coordination and planning of project execution teams. | |

PUBLICATIONS

- [1] R. B. MENDES Virgilio A.; DINIZ, “Uma análise de rede das mídias tradicionais e a cobertura das eleições de 2018.”, in *2019 Anais da Jornada de Ciências Sociais da UFJF*, 2019.
- [2] V. A. Mendes and D. T. N. OLIVEIRA, “CONSTITUIÇÃO DO SELF NAS REDES SOCIAIS: considerações a partir de uma antropologia da cibercultura”, in *2017 Anais do 1º Simpósio Internacional Subjetividade e Cultura Digital*, 2017, pp. 59–67.

WORKING PAPERS

- **Master’s Thesis** at Federal University of Minas Gerais (UFMG) 2020–current
 - Social Media in Brazilian President Election, do they work? O Facebook como potencializador no desempenho digital de Jair Bolsonaro.
- **IPSA - Lisbon, Portugal** IPSA - Lisbon, Portugal jun/2021
 - Paper Presentation*
 - Analyzing the bias of journalistic coverage and ideological polarization in the social networks of candidates for the presidency in 2018.

COURSES

- MODUS 2020
 - Introduction to QCA*
- MODUS 2020
 - Quasi-Experimental Designs*
- MODUS 2020
 - Introduction to R*
- PYTHON FUNDAMENTALS - Qoda 2020
- R FUNDAMENTALS - Qoda 2020
- Indicators in R 2019
 - Ministrado pelo PhD Neylson Crepalde*
- MQuinho – MEIOS JR 2019
 - Introduction to R*
- MODUS 2019
 - Introduction to data visualization with R*
- MODUS 2018
 - Regression Analysis*
- Statistics Course - ENAP (Escola Nacional de Administração Pública) 2018
 - Detailed explanation of what you do in this event*
- Pesquisa-Formação na Cibercultura: Notas para Professores e Pesquisadores – SBPC 2017
 - Professora Rosemary dos Santos de Oliveira (UERJ)*
- MQuinho – MEIOS JR 2016
 - Academic Texts Production Course*

TEACHING

- **Equalitas 2021** at Federal University of Minas Gerais (UFMG) apr/2021
Introduction to R (15h)
 - Two introductory R courses promoted by EQUALITAS JR. that works the skills: (a) data treatment, manipulation and analysis; (b) data visualization; (c) development of a project.
- **Summer School of Methods** at Federal University of Pará (UFPA) feb/2021
Introduction to R (15h)
 - Introductory R course promoted by UFPA, UFMG and UNIFAP. Sponsored by the PROCAD Amazônia Project (UFPA - UFMG - UNIFAP).
- **MQuinho 2020** at Federal University of Minas Gerais (UFMG) 2020
oct/Introduction to R (15h)
 - Introductory R course promoted by MEIOS JR. that works the skills: (a) data treatment, manipulation and analysis; (b) data visualization; (c) development of a project.
- **Internal Training of MEIOS JR.** at Federal University of Minas Gerais (UFMG) aug/2020
Introduction to R (10h)
 - Course promoted by MEIOS JR. in order to present the R language and its main functionalities: manipulation and treatment of databases, production of analysis and data visualization

SKILLS

- **RMarkdown**
- **R**
- **Latex**
- **Python**
- **SPSS**
- **HTML**
- **Survey** (análise e processamento)

LANGUAGES

- **English:** Fluent
 - **EXAM: TOEFL ITP** (527 - B1)
- **Portuguese:** Native
- **Spanish:** Intermediate

REFERENCES

- Felipe Nunes dos Santos felipnunes@gmail.com
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- Bruno Pinheiro Wanderley Reis brunopwr@gmail.com
Professor titular, Department of Political Science, UFMG
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