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## EDUCATION

- 2016      **PhD in Geophysics**, Observatrio Nacional, Brazil  
Thesis: *Forward modeling and inversion of gravitational fields in spherical coordinates*
- 2011      **MSc in Geophysics**, Observatrio Nacional, Brazil  
Thesis: *Robust 3D gravity gradient inversion by planting anomalous densities*
- 2009      **BSc in Geophysics**, Universidade de So Paulo, Brazil
- 2008      **International Exchange**, York University, Canada

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 2017–      **Visiting Research Scholar**, Department of Geology and Geophysics, School of Ocean and Earth Science and Technology, University of Hawai'i at Mānoa, USA
- 2014–2018   **Assistant Professor**, Departamento de Geologia Aplicada, Faculdade de Geologia, Universidade do Estado do Rio de Janeiro, Brazil

## HONORS & AWARDS

- 2017      Brazilian Geophysical Society (SBGf) Award for **Best PhD Thesis** of 2015 – 2017
- 2016      Universidade do Estado do Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, School of Geology **Teaching Award** given by the graduating class of 2016
- 2014–2018   **QUALITEC/UERJ Grant** for training a technician for the Laboratory of Exploration Geophysics - Universidade do Estado do Rio de Janeiro
- 2011–2015   Brazilian Ministry of Education CAPES **PhD Research Scholarship**
- 2011      SEG Near Surface Geophysics Section **Student Travel Grant** to present at the SEG Annual Meeting, San Antonio, TX, USA
- 2011      EAGE **PACE Student Travel Grant** to present at the 73rd EAGE Conference & Exhibition, Vienna, Austria
- 2010–2011   Brazilian Ministry of Education CAPES **Masters Research Scholarship**
- 2008      Brazilian Geophysical Society (SBGf) **Undergraduate Research Scholarship**
- 2005      So Paulo Research Foundation (FAPESP) **Undergraduate Research Scholarship**

## PUBLICATIONS

Source code, data, and PDFs for most articles are available at [leouieda.com/papers](http://leouieda.com/papers)

## PEER-REVIEWED

- 2017      **Uieda, L**, Barbosa, VCF. Fast non-linear gravity inversion in spherical coordinates with application to the South American Moho, *Geophysical Journal International*, doi:[10.1093/gji/ggw390](https://doi.org/10.1093/gji/ggw390).
- 2016      **Uieda, L**, Barbosa, VCF, Braitenberg, C. Tesseroids: forward modeling gravitational fields in spherical coordinates, *Geophysics*, doi:[10.1190/geo2015-0204.1](https://doi.org/10.1190/geo2015-0204.1).
- Carlos, DU, **Uieda, L**, Barbosa, VCF. How two gravity-gradient inversion methods can be used to reveal different geologic features of ore deposit - A case study from the Quadriltero Ferrifero (Brazil), *Journal of Applied Geophysics*, doi:[10.1016/j.jappgeo.2016.04.011](https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jappgeo.2016.04.011).
- 2015      Oliveira Jr, VC, Sales, DP, Barbosa, VCF, **Uieda, L**. Estimation of the total magnetization direction of approximately spherical bodies, *Nonlinear Processes in Geophysics*, doi:[10.5194/npg-22-215-2015](https://doi.org/10.5194/npg-22-215-2015).
- 2014      Carlos, DU, **Uieda, L**, Barbosa, VCF. Imaging iron ore from the Quadriltero Ferrifero (Brazil) using geophysical inversion and drill hole data, *Ore Geology Reviews*, doi:[10.1016/j.oregeorev.2014.02.011](https://doi.org/10.1016/j.oregeorev.2014.02.011).
- 2013      Melo, FF, Barbosa, VCF, **Uieda, L**, Oliveira Jr, VC, Silva, JBC. Estimating the nature and the horizontal and vertical positions of 3D magnetic sources using Euler deconvolution, *Geophysics*, doi:[10.1190/geo2012-0515.1](https://doi.org/10.1190/geo2012-0515.1).
- Oliveira Jr, VC, Barbosa, VCF, **Uieda, L**. Polynomial equivalent layer, *Geophysics*, doi:[10.1190/geo2012-0196.1](https://doi.org/10.1190/geo2012-0196.1).
- 2012      **Uieda, L**, Barbosa, VCF. Robust 3D gravity gradient inversion by planting anomalous densities, *Geophysics*, doi:[10.1190/geo2011-0388.1](https://doi.org/10.1190/geo2011-0388.1).

## PEER-REVIEWED CONFERENCE PROCEEDINGS

- 2014      Melo, FF, Barbosa, VCF, **Uieda, L**, Oliveira Jr, VC, Silva, JBC. A Single Euler Solution Per Anomaly, *76th EAGE Conference and Exhibition 2014*, doi:[10.3997/2214-4609.20140891](https://doi.org/10.3997/2214-4609.20140891).
- 2013      **Uieda, L**, Oliveira Jr, VC, Barbosa, VCF. Modeling the Earth with Fatiando a Terra, *Proceedings of the 12th Python in Science Conference*.
- 2012      **Uieda, L**, Barbosa, VCF. Use of the “shape-of-anomaly” data misfit in 3D inversion by planting anomalous densities, *SEG Technical Program Expanded Abstracts*, doi:[10.1190/segam2012-0383.1](https://doi.org/10.1190/segam2012-0383.1).
- Carlos, DU, **Uieda, L**, Li, Y, Barbosa, VCF, Braga, MA, Angeli, G, Peres, G. Iron ore interpretation using gravity-gradient inversions in the Carajás, Brazil. *SEG Technical Program Expanded Abstracts*, doi:[10.1190/segam2012-0525.1](https://doi.org/10.1190/segam2012-0525.1).

- 2011 **Uieda, L**, Bomfim, EP, Braitenberg, C, Molina, E. Optimal forward calculation method of the Marussi tensor due to a geologic structure at GOCE height, *Proceedings of the 4th International GOCE User Workshop*.
- Uieda, L**, Barbosa, VCF. Robust 3D gravity gradient inversion by planting anomalous densities, *SEG Technical Program Expanded Abstracts*, doi:[10.1190/1.3628201](https://doi.org/10.1190/1.3628201).
- Uieda, L**, Barbosa, VCF. 3D gravity inversion by planting anomalous densities. *12th International Congress of the Brazilian Geophysical Society*, doi:[10.1190/sbgf2011-179](https://doi.org/10.1190/sbgf2011-179).
- Uieda, L**, Barbosa, VCF. 3D gravity gradient inversion by planting density anomalies. *73th EAGE Conference and Exhibition incorporating SPE EUROPEC*, doi:[10.3997/2214-4609.20149567](https://doi.org/10.3997/2214-4609.20149567).
- Carlos, DU, **Uieda, L**, Barbosa, VCF, Braga, MA, Gomes, AAS. In-depth imaging of an iron orebody from Quadrilátero Ferrífero using 3D gravity gradient inversion, *SEG Technical Program Expanded Abstracts*, doi:[10.1190/1.3628219](https://doi.org/10.1190/1.3628219).
- Carlos, DU, Barbosa, VCF, **Uieda, L**, Braga, MA. Inverso de Dados de Aerogravimetria Gravimétrica 3D-FTG Aplicada a Exploração Mineral na Região do Quadrilátero Ferrífero, *12th International Congress of the Brazilian Geophysical Society*, doi:[10.1190/sbgf2011-243](https://doi.org/10.1190/sbgf2011-243).

## OTHER PUBLICATIONS

- 2017 **Uieda, L**. Step-by-step NMO correction, *The Leading Edge*, doi:[10.1190/tle36020179.1](https://doi.org/10.1190/tle36020179.1).
- 2014 **Uieda, L**, Oliveira Jr, VC, Barbosa, VCF. Geophysical tutorial: Euler deconvolution of potential-field data, *The Leading Edge*, doi:[10.1190/tle33040448.1](https://doi.org/10.1190/tle33040448.1).

## OPEN DATASETS

- 2017 **Uieda, L**, Barbosa, VCF. A gravity-derived Moho model for South America: source code, data, and model results from “Fast non-linear gravity inversion in spherical coordinates with application to the South American Moho”. doi:[10.6084/m9.figshare.3987267](https://doi.org/10.6084/m9.figshare.3987267)

## OPEN-SOURCE SOFTWARE

I work on several open-source projects, all of which are available through my Github profile [github.com/leouieda](https://github.com/leouieda). My main projects are:

**GMT/Python** – [www.gmtpython.xyz](http://www.gmtpython.xyz)

A Python interface for the Generic Mapping Tools.

**Fatiando a Terra** – [www.fatiando.org](http://www.fatiando.org)

A Python library for geophysical data analysis, modeling, and inversion.

**Tesseroids** – [www.tesseroids.org](http://www.tesseroids.org)

Command-line programs for forward modeling of gravitational fields in spherical coordinates.

## TEACHING

All educational material developed for these courses is available at [leouieda.com/teaching](http://leouieda.com/teaching)

### UNDERGRADUATE – UNIVERSIDADE DO ESTADO DO RIO DE JANEIRO

- 2014–2016 Special Mathematics I: Introduction to Programming and Numerical Analysis
- 2014–2016 Geophysics I: Gravity and magnetic methods
- 2014–2016 Geophysics II: Exploration Seismology
- 2015 Introduction to Geology

### WORKSHOPS AND SHORT COURSES

- 2017 Introduction to Python (6 hour workshop)  
Department of Geology and Geophysics – University of Hawai’i at Mānoa, USA
- 2016 Python for Geologists (6 hour workshop)  
School of Geology – Universidade do Estado do Rio de Janeiro, Brazil  
  
Python for Earth Scientists (30 hour short course)  
Department of Geophysics – Universidade de So Paulo, Brazil
- 2014 Introduction to Geophysical Inversion (16 hour short course)  
Institute of Geosciences – Universidade de Braslia, Brazil
- 2011 Introduction to Geophysical Inversion (30 hour short course)  
Department of Geophysics – Universidade de So Paulo, Brazil

## PRESENTATIONS

Slides, posters, and abstracts for all presentations are available at [leouieda.com/talks](http://leouieda.com/talks) and [leouieda.com/posters](http://leouieda.com/posters)

- Future **Uieda, L**, et al. Building an object-oriented Python interface for the Generic Mapping Tools, *Scipy 2018*, Austin, USA.  
  
**Uieda, L**, et al. Joint Interpolation of 3-component GPS Velocities Constrained by Elasticity, *AOGS 15<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting*, Honolulu, USA.  
  
**Uieda, L**, et al. Integrating the Generic Mapping Tools with the Scientific Python Ecosystem, *AOGS 15<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting*, Honolulu, USA.
- 2017 **[Invited] – Uieda, L**, et al. Nurturing reliable and robust open-source scientific software, *AGU Fall Meeting 2017*, New Orleans, USA. [recording: [youtu.be/0GO4ZZ5Ry6M](https://youtu.be/0GO4ZZ5Ry6M)]  
  
**Uieda, L**, et al. A modern Python interface for the Generic Mapping Tools, *AGU Fall Meeting 2017*, New Orleans, USA.

- Uieda, L**, et al. Bringing the Generic Mapping Tools to Python, *Scipy 2017*, Austin, USA. [recording: [youtu.be/93M4How7R24](https://youtu.be/93M4How7R24)]
- Uieda, L**. Inverting gravity to map the Moho: A new method and the open source software that made it possible, *Department of Geology and Geophysics, University of Hawai'i at Mānoa*, Honolulu, USA.
- 2016 [Invited] – **Uieda, L**. Fatiando a Terra: construindo uma base para ensino e pesquisa de geofísica, *Observatório Nacional*, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil.
- 2015 [Invited] – **Uieda, L**. Fatiando a Terra: construindo uma base para ensino e pesquisa de geofísica, *Universidade de São Paulo*, São Paulo, Brazil.
- 2014 **Uieda, L**, et al. Using Fatiando a Terra to solve inverse problems in geophysics, *Scipy 2014*, Austin, USA.
- Uieda, L**, et al. Gravity inversion in spherical coordinates using tesseroids, *EGU General Assembly 2014*, Vienna, Austria.
- 2013 **Uieda, L**, et al. Modeling the Earth with Fatiando a Terra, *Scipy 2013*, Austin, USA. [recording: [youtu.be/Ec38h1oB8cc](https://youtu.be/Ec38h1oB8cc)]
- Uieda, L**, et al. 3D magnetic inversion by planting anomalous densities, *AGU Meeting of the Americas*, Cancun, Mexico.
- 2012 Carlos, DU, **Uieda, L**, et al. Iron ore interpretation using gravity-gradient inversions in the Carajás, Brazil, *SEG Annual Meeting 2012*, Las Vegas, USA.
- Uieda, L**, et al. Use of the “shape-of-anomaly” data misfit in 3D inversion by planting anomalous densities, *SEG Annual Meeting 2012*, Las Vegas, USA.
- Uieda, L**, et al. Rapid 3D inversion of gravity and gravity gradient data to test geologic hypotheses, *International Symposium on Gravity, Geoid and Height Systems*, Venice, Italy.
- 2011 **Uieda, L**, et al. Robust 3D gravity gradient inversion by planting anomalous densities, *SEG Annual Meeting 2011*, San Antonio, USA.
- Uieda, L**, et al. 3D gravity inversion by planting anomalous densities, *International Congress of the Brazilian Geophysical Society*, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil.
- Uieda, L**, et al. Optimal forward calculation method of the Marussi tensor due to a geologic structure at GOCE height, *4th International GOCE User Workshop*, Munich, Germany.
- Uieda, L**, et al. 3D gravity gradient inversion by planting density anomalies, *73th EAGE Conference and Exhibition incorporating SPE EUROPEC*, Vienna, Austria.
- 2010 **Uieda, L**, et al. Computation of the gravity gradient tensor due to topographic masses using tesseroids, *AGU Meeting of the Americas*, Foz do Iguaçu, Brazil.
- 2008 **Uieda, L**, et al. Utilização de tesseróides na modelagem de dados de gradiometria gravimétrica, *XIII Simpósio de Início Científica do IAG-USP*, São Paulo, Brazil.

- 2006      **Uieda, L**, et al. Paleomagnetismo e mineralogia magnética dos diques cambrianos de Maravilhas e Prata (PB), *XI Simpósio de Iniciação Científica do IAG/USP*, So Paulo, Brazil.

## ACADEMIC SERVICE & AFFILIATIONS

### COMMITTEES

- 2015      Chairman of the Election Committee for the deans of the University and the School of Geology, Universidade do Estado do Rio de Janeiro

### REVIEWER

Geophysical Journal International – Journal of Geodesy – Pure and Applied Geophysics – Journal of Applied Geophysics – Geophysical Prospecting – Geophysics – Central European Journal of Geosciences – Computers & Geosciences

### AFFILIATIONS

American Geophysical Union – Society of Exploration Geophysicists – Geological Society of America

## LANGUAGES

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| Portuguese | Native                           |
| English    | Fluent (TOEFL iBT score 115/120) |