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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

Associate Professor of Economics, Universidad de los Andes, Bogotá, Colombia	2023 - present
Assistant Professor of Economics, Universidad de los Andes, Bogotá, Colombia	2017 - 2023

EDUCATION

Ph.D., Economics, Columbia University, New York, USA	2017
M.Phil., Economics, Columbia University, New York, USA	2014
M.A., Economics, Columbia University, New York, USA	2013
M.A., Economics, Universidad de los Andes, Bogotá, Colombia	2010
B.A., Economics, <i>cum laude</i> , Universidad de los Andes, Bogotá, Colombia	2008

WORKING PAPERS

“Global Labor Market Power”. February 2024. With Francesco Amodio, Emanuele Brancati, Peter Brummund, and Michele di Maio. IZA Working Paper 16823.

“Uncertainty, Peace, and Investment: Evidence from Credit Microdata in Colombia.” December 2023. With Luis R. Martínez. Previous version: STEG Working Paper 023.

“Estimating Production Functions in Differentiated-Product Industries with Quantity Information and External Instruments.” July 2023. With Marcela Eslava, Santiago Franco, and Eric Verhoogen. NBER Working Paper 28323.

“Behavioral Messages and Debt Repayment”. March 2023. With Giorgia Barboni and Juan Camilo Cárdenas. CAGE Working Paper 633.

“Exogenous Shocks, Credit Reports and Access to Credit: Evidence from Colombian Coffee Producers”. November 2021. Documento CEDE No. 2021-57.

“Measuring Labor Market Power in Developing Countries: Evidence from Colombian Plants.” With Francesco Amodio. Forthcoming, *Journal of Labor Economics*. Previous version: IZA Working Paper 14390.

PUBLISHED ARTICLES IN JOURNALS

“Deposit Insurance and Depositor Behavior: Evidence from Colombia.” With Nicola Limodio. *The Review of Financial Studies*, v.36 no.7 pp. 2721–2755, July 2023

“Do college students benefit from placement into higher-achieving classes?” With Evan Riehl. *Journal of Public Economics*, v.210, June 2022.

“Disrupted Academic Careers: The Returns to Time Off after High School.” With Evan Riehl. *Journal of Development Economics*, v.156, May 2022.

“Sacrifice Ratios and Inflation Targeting: The Role of Credibility.” With Marc Hofstetter. *International Finance*, v.17 no.3 pp.381-401, August 2014.

“Do Preferences Shape Institutions? The Case of Inflation Aversion and Inflation Targeting.” With Marc Hofstetter. *Journal of Behavioral and Experimental Economics*, v.51 pp. 68-78, August 2014.

“Is It My Money or Not? An Experiment on Risk Aversion and the House-Money Effect.” With Juan Camilo Cárdenas, Christian Jaramillo, and Luis R. Martínez. *Experimental Economics*, v.17 no.1 pp. 47-60, March 2014.

“Unemployment in Latin America and the Caribbean.” With Laurence Ball and Marc Hofstetter. *Open Economies Review*, v.24 no.3 pp. 397-424, July 2013.

PUBLISHED ARTICLES IN BOOKS

“Información Crediticia para la Formulación de Política Pública: El Caso del Banco Agrario y la Sustitución de Cultivos de Uso Ilícito.” With Margarita Gáfaró, Moisés Mahecha, Guillermo Otero, and Andrea Parejo. In *Coca, Cocaína y Violencia*, Hernando Zuleta (compiler). Ediciones Uniandes, August 2022.

SELECTED WORK IN PROGRESS

“Internet Access and Banking Competition in Rural Credit Markets.” With Zach Brown and Margarita Gáfaró.

“Temperature Shocks and Land Fragmentation: Evidence from Transaction and Property Registry Data.” With Julián Arteaga, Margarita Gáfaró, Ana María Ibáñez, and Heitor Pellegrina.

“How Resilient are Exporting Firms? Evidence from Chavez’s Trade War with Colombia.” With Luis R. Martínez, Camilo Tovar, and Jorge Tovar.

“Price-Cost Margins and Quality: Evidence from the Colombian Coffee Sector.” With Rocco Macchiavello, Pepita Miquel-Florensa, and Eric Verhoogen.

OTHER PUBLICATIONS

“Financiación no Bancaria y Casas de Agrosinsumos en Colombia.” With Natalia Moreno, María del Pilar López-Uribe, and Tomás Rodríguez Barraquer. Documento CEDE No. 2021-56. November 2021.

CONFERENCE AND SEMINAR PRESENTATIONS

2024: World Bank Development Research Group (scheduled), Northeastern Economics (scheduled), Seminario CEDE Universidad de los Andes (scheduled).

2023: IEA World Congress, LACEA, FGV Sao Paulo, FGV Rio, PUC Rio, INSPER, Universidad de los Andes Chile, Facultad de Economía y Negocios Universidad de Chile, Centro de Economía Aplicada Universidad de Chile, BSE Summer Forum Advances in Micro Development, Seminario de Microeconomía Aplicada Banco de la República, CEPR WEFIDEV Workshop in Finance and Development, IDB Sustainability Research Seminar, IDB Political Economy Seminar, Columbia University Applied Micro Colloquium, Columbia University Development Colloquium, ASSA Annual Meeting.

2022: Congreso Anual de la Red Investigadores de Economía, Seminario CEDE Universidad de los Andes, RIDGE Workshop Towards Sustainable Growth, RIDGE Growth and Development in Macroeconomics / International Trade, Symposium on Economic Experiments in Developing Countries (SEEDEC), CAF Development Bank of Latin America Seminar, RIDGE Workshop LACEA

Brain, RIDGE Workshop on Inequality and Poverty, Pacific Conference for Development Economics (PacDev).

2021: RIDGE Workshop Towards Sustainable Growth, NEUDC, WEFIDEV, LACEA Annual Meeting, RIDGE Workshop on Labor, RIDGE Workshop on Industrial Organization, RIDGE Workshop on The Economics of Crime, CEPR Endless Summer Conference on Financial Intermediation and Corporate Finance, China Meeting of the Econometric Society (CMES), Annual Conference of the LACEA Trade, Integration and Growth Network (TIGN), CompNet and CAF ProdTalk, Fedesarrollo (Academic Seminar), Paris School of Economics (Development Economics Seminar).

2020: Research Institute for Development, Growth and Economics (RIDGE) Public Economics Workshop, Seminario CEDE Universidad de los Andes, Webinar Series on Finance and Development (WEFIDEV), NEUDC.

2019: Rosario - Andes Applied Micro Workshop.

2018: Seminario CEDE Universidad de los Andes, Rosario - Andes Applied Micro Workshop.

2017: Universidad Nacional (X IMEMC Conference), Banco de la República (Economics Workshop), Seminario CEDE Universidad de los Andes, Universidad de los Andes (School of Management Workshop), Universidad Javeriana (Department of Economics Workshop), Universidad del Rosario (School of Economics Workshop), North East Universities Development Consortium (NEUDC).

2010: LACEA Annual Meeting.

HONORS AND AWARDS

Competition in Latin America and the Caribbean, Inter-American Development Bank Grant, with Francesco Amodio, Emanuele Brancati, and Michele Di Maio.	2022
Latin America Early-Career Scholar Program Award, Macro Finance Research Program, Becker Friedman Institute, University of Chicago, with Nicola Limodio.	2020
Student Research Grant, Center for Development Economics and Policy (CDEP) Columbia University, School of International and Public Affairs.	2015, 2016
Wueller Teaching Award, Best Teaching Assistant in Principles of Economics (runner-up) Columbia University, Department of Economics.	2015
Fellow, Center for Development Economics and Policy (CDEP) Columbia University, School of International and Public Affairs.	2014 - present
Wueller Teaching Award, Best Teaching Assistant in Principles of Economics Columbia University, Department of Economics.	2013
Faculty Fellowship, Columbia University, Department of Economics.	2011-2017
Juan Luis Londoño Award (runner-up) for Best Master Thesis, Universidad de los Andes, Department of Economics.	2010
Augusto Cano Fellowship, Universidad de los Andes, Department of Economics.	2009

TEACHING

Universidad de Los Andes	
Econometrics 1	Spring 2023
Haciendo Economía 1	Spring 2018 - present
Introduction to Macroeconomics	Fall 2017 - Spring 2018
Universidad de Los Andes, International Summer School	
Industrial Development, with Eric Verhoogen	Summer 2014

OTHER PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Consultant for: Bancolombia, FINAGRO, Inter American Development Bank (IDB).

Referee for: American Journal of Agricultural Economics, Desarrollo y Sociedad, Economic Development and Cultural Change, Economics of Education Review, Environment and Development Economics, FONDECYT Grant, Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization, Journal of Public Economics, Journal of Urban Economics, Journal of the European Economic Association.

Scientific Committee: LACEA-LAMES 2023, RIDGE IO 2022.

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