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Personal Information: Born on 13/7/1985, Argentinian citizen.

Employment

Visiting Professor, Universidad Carlos III, since 2017
Researcher, Universidad Carlos III, since 2017

Education

B.A, Economics, National University of La Plata, 2009
M.Res, Economics, European University Institute, 2013
Ph.D. in Economics, European University Institute, 2017
Thesis Title: “Essays in Macro-Finance”
Committee: Hugo Hopenhayn, Facundo Piguillem, David K. Levine, Ramon Marimon and Arpad Abraham

Research Fields: Macroeconomics, Finance, Experimental Economics.

Teaching Experience:

2017-2019 Macroeconomics, International Economics, Introductory Economics
UC3M, Instructor .
2015-2016 International Economics, CAPA-Florence, Lecturer.
2014 Quantitative Macroeconomics (Graduate), University of La Plata,
Lecturer.
2013 Macroeconomics I (Graduate), EUI, Teaching Assistant for Árpád
Abrahám.
2008-2012 Teaching Assistant for undergraduate courses at University of La Plata
(Money Credit and Banks, Public Finance, Introductory Economics),
University of Buenos Aires (Macroeconomics II, Topics in
Macroeconomics) and University of San Andres (Monetary Economics,
Macroeconomics I, Macroeconomics II, Advanced Macroeconomics,
International Finance).

Professional Activities:

Discussant Andrew Atkeson, Cristina Arellano and Mark Wright. “Public and
External Debt Crises” at Economic Policy and Financial Frictions
(Florence, 2015).
Mark Wright and Roland Pitchford. “Restructuring the Sovereign Debt
Restructuring Mechanism” at Economic Policy Challenges (Florence,
2016).
Referee Economica, SERIES

Honors, Scholarships, and Fellowships:

2012-2016	Grant for Graduate Studies, European University Institute.
2011-2017	Several grants to attend Trento Summer School.
2015	Scholarship to attend Zurich Initiative in Computational Economics
2011	Best Young Researcher Award, Argentinean Economic Association.

Non-degree Courses:

2017	Trento Workshop in Macro Coordination and Externalities (Prof. Axel Leijonhufvud)
2016	Macroprudential Policies, Florence School of Banking and Finance (Prof. Nobuhiro Kiyotaki)
2016	The Micro and Macroeconomics of Banking, Florence School of Banking and Finance (Prof. Dean Corbae)
2016	Summer School in Experimental Macroeconomics, Universitat Pompeu Fabra (Prof. Rosemarie Nagel)
2016	Trento Workshop in Macro Coordination and Externalities (Prof. Joseph Stiglitz)
2015	Zurich Initiative in Computational Economics (Prof. Kenneth Judd)
2012	Real Analysis, IMPA
2011	Numerical Methods, University of La Plata
2011	Trento Summer School in Macroeconomic Crises (Prof. Peter Howitt)

Research Papers:

- Capital Controls and Misallocation (with Hernan Seoane and Lian Allub)
- Certainty and Decision-Making in Experimental Asset Markets, with Rasmus Pank Roulund (revise and resubmit at JEBO)
- Banks vs Zombies (submitted)
- A Module to Measure Expectations in Experiments, with Rasmus Pank Roulund (submitted)
- Macroeconomic Implications of Behavioral Biases

Work in Progress

- Sudden stops and where to find them (with Francisco Roldan and Hernan Seoane)
- A contagion model of sovereign default (with Hernan Seoane and Alvaro Salazar)
- Optimal Haircuts (with Francisco Roldan)
- Atree- a platform to run asset market experiments (with Rasmus Pank Roulund)

Seminar Presentations

UC3M (2019), University of Buenos Aires (2018), Azim-Premji University (2018), Banco de España (2017), Pompeu Fabra University (2017), Insper, Sao Paulo (2017), Universidad Javeriana (2017), European University Institute, Italy (2016), Kazakh-British Institute (2017), American University in Beirut (2017), Pompeu Fabra Forum (2016), Trento University (2016, 2011), Argentinean Economic Association (2011).

Languages: English (advanced), Italian (advanced), Portuguese (intermediate), Spanish (native)

Software: Stata, Matlab, Julia.