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## Academic Positions

### Universidad Carlos III de Madrid

Assistant Professor in the Economics Department 2023 - present

### Princeton University

Visiting Fellow, PLAS Oct 2024

## Education

### CEMFI

PhD in Economics (Cum Laude) 2019 - 2023

MPhil in Economics and Finance 2017 - 2019

### Princeton University

Visiting PhD Student | Host: Prof. Thomas Fujiwara Sep - Oct 2022

### Universidad de Montevideo

MA in Economics 2013 - 2015

BA in Economics 2009 - 2013

## Research Interests

Political Economy Economic Development

## Working Papers

"Brother votes for brother: The effects of Pentecostal political influence in Brazil"

Awarded LACEA's Juan Luis Londoño Prize in 2023.

Media: uc3nomics (English); Nada es Gratis (Spanish).

"The Catholic Church and its effects on Redistributive Conflict in Brazil"

with Monica Martinez-Bravo and Guadalupe Tuñon

"Does crime increase support for far-right populist movements? The case of the favelas in Rio de Janeiro"

## Conference and Seminar Presentations

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### 2025 (\*) scheduled

BSE Summer Forum Workshop on Political Economy\* | Universitat de les Illes Balears\* | Institut d'Economia de Barcelona\* | Meeting of the Spanish Society of Complex Systems (invited speaker).

### 2024

NYU Development Economics Seminar | Brown Development, Institutions, and Political Economy Seminar | EAYE Annual Meeting | RIDGE Political Economy workshop | NBER Political Economy meeting.

### 2023

LSE Urban and Regional Economics Seminar | ASREC Europe Conference at Bocconi University | LACEA-LAMES Conference | NEUDC Conference at Harvard University | 3rd Arne Ryde Workshop on Culture, Institutions, and Development at Lund University | University of Barcelona Development workshop | Universidad Nacional de La Plata Seminar | RIDGE Political Economy workshop | Northwestern Kellogg Political Economy Rookiefest | University of California Merced | Bank of Spain | Universidad Carlos III de Madrid | University of Manchester | Universidad Alberto Hurtado | CERDI, University Clermont-Auvergne.

### 2022

European Winter Meeting of the Econometric Society | NEUDC Conference at Yale University | ASREC Europe Conference | Universidad de Montevideo Seminar | Princeton University Political Economy Research Seminar | CAGE Summer School at Warwick University.

## Teaching Experience

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### Universidad Carlos III de Madrid

Applied Economics (undergraduate course).

Spring 2024, 2025

### CEMFI | Teaching Assistant

Empirical Methods for Public Policy Evaluation (summer school course).  
Prof. Monica Martinez-Bravo.

Summer 2021

Labor Economics (graduate course).  
Prof. Jan Stuhler.

Fall 2020, 2021

## Other Professional Activities

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### Applied and Econometrics Seminar co-organiser

Universidad Carlos III de Madrid, Department of Economics

2023 - present

### Referee for:

Quarterly Journal of Economics | SERIEs

### Program committee:

1st Transatlantic Workshop on Political Economy (T-PEC) | EAYE 2025 Annual Meeting

## Awards and Grants

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Princeton University Visiting Fellowship (9,500 USD)

2024

Juan de la Cierva aid (72,000 EUR - selected)

2023

LACEA's Juan Luis Londoño Prize

2023

Spanish Ministry of Economy, Industry and Competitiveness FPI Grant

2019 - 2023

Maria de Maeztu Ph.D. Scholarship

2019 - 2023

CEMFI Scholarship

2019 - 2023

## Previous Employment

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Research Assistant | CEMFI

2019 - 2023

Prof. Monica Martinez-Bravo


Economic analyst | CPA Ferrere Uruguay

2014 - 2017

Economic consultant

## Other Skills

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 IT Skills: Stata QGIS LaTeX

 Languages: Spanish (native) English (fluent)

## References

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