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EDUCATION

Ph.D. in Economics, Georgetown University. 2013.
M.A. in Economics, ILADES/Georgetown University. 2005.
B.S. in Economics, Universidad Católica Boliviana. 2002.

ACADEMIC POSITIONS

March 2023 to Present – Associate Professor. Department of Economics. Universidad Diego Portales. Santiago, Chile.
July 2013 to February 2023 – Assistant Professor. Department of Economics. Universidad Alberto Hurtado. Santiago, Chile.
January 2021 to February 2023 – Director of the Master Program in Economics (MAE). Department of Economics. Universidad Alberto Hurtado. Santiago, Chile.

FIELDS OF INTEREST

Labor Economics, Macroeconomics, Applied Econometrics, and Computational Economics.

WORK EXPERIENCE

2019 – Consultant. Comisión Nacional de Productividad. Santiago, Chile.
2017 – Consultant. International Development Bank (IADB). Washington DC, United States.
2011 to 2012 – Consultant. Directorate for Employment, Labour and Social Affairs, OECD. Paris, France.
2010, 2012 – Research Assistant. World Bank (LAC). Washington DC, United States.
2008 to 2009 – Research Associate. School of Economics and Business, Universidad de Chile. Santiago, Chile.
2007 to 2008 – Consultant. Research Department, Chilean Chamber of Construction. Santiago, Chile.
2007 – Consultant. Electricity Regulatory Agency. La Paz, Bolivia.
2005 to 2007 – Economist. Research Department, Chilean Chamber of Construction. Santiago, Chile.
2002 to 2003 – Consultant. Ministry of Sustainable Development. La Paz, Bolivia.
2001 – Consultant. Ministry of Economic Development and Andean Development Corporation (CAF). La Paz, Bolivia.

RESEARCH

Selected Refereed Publications

- “Are Informal Self-Employment and Informal Employment as Employee Behaviorally Distinct Labor Force States?” . **Economics Letters**, Vol. 231, October 2023, 111278.
- “Does Public Sector Employment Buffer the Minimum Wage Effects?” . **Review of Economic Dynamics**, Vol. 43, January 2022, pp. 168196 (with Lucas Navarro).
- “Sources of Gender Wage Gaps for Skilled Workers in Latin American Countries” . **Journal of Economic Inequality**, July 2021 (with Marcela Perticara).
- “Gender Gaps in Latin American Labor Markets: Implications from an Estimated Search Model” , **Annals of Economics and Statistics**, Vol. 142, June 2021, pp. 1-68 (with Monserrat Bustelo, Luca Flabbi and Claudia Piras)
- “Labor Market Search, Informality, and On-The-Job Human Capital Accumulation” **Journal of Econometrics**, Vol. 223(2), August 2021, pp. 433-453 (with Matteo Bobba, Luca Flabbi and Santiago Levy).
- “Dual Labor Markets and Labor Protection in an Estimated Search and Matching Model” . **Labour Economics**, Vol. 46, June 2017, pp. 26-46.
- “Lifetime Inequality Measures for an Emerging Economy: The Chilean Case” . **Labour Economics**, Vol. 42, October 2016, pp. 1-15.

Work in Progress

- Working and Saving Informally (with Luca Flabbi).
- Household job search, wages and job flexibility (with Marcela Perticara)
- Welfare, inequality and occupational choice.
- Legal working hours and labor market outcomes (with Benjamın Villena)

Book Chapters

- “Gender Gaps in Education and Labor Market Outcomes in the U.S.: The Impact of Employers Prejudice” . In “Unexplored Dimensions of Discrimination” . Editors Tito Boeri, Eleonora Patacchini and Giovanni Peri. Oxford University Press (with Luca Flabbi).
- “Sources of Uncertainty in Chilean Monetary Policy” . XIII Volume of the Central Bank of Chile Book Series on Analysis and Economic Policies. Editors Carl Walsh and Klaus Schmidt-Hebbel (with Felipe Morande).

Other Refereed Publications

- “Shocks de Oferta Persistentes: Un dolor de Cabeza para los Bancos Centrales? (Persistent Supply Shocks: A Pain in the Neck for Central Banks?)” . **Economıa Chilena**, Vol. 12, No. 3, Diciembre 2009 (with Felipe Morande).

- “Fuentes de Incertidumbre en la Conducción de la Política Monetaria en Chile (Sources of Uncertainty in Chilean Monetary Policy)”. **Economía Chilena**, Vol. 11, No. 3, Diciembre 2008 (with Felipe Morandé).
- “Comprar o Arrendar una Vivienda? Una Aplicación para el caso de la Ciudad de La Paz (Housing Tenure Choice: An Application to the City of La Paz)”, **Revista Desarrollo y Sociedad**, No. 60. Noviembre 2007 (with Rafael Vidaurre).
- “No Linealidades en la Regla de Política del Banco Central de Chile: Una Evidencia Empírica (Non-linearities in the Central Bank of Chiles Monetary Policy Rule: An Empirical Evidence)”, **Revista de Análisis Económico**, Vol. 21, No. 1. Junio 2006 (with Pablo Gonzalez).

Working Papers

- “Gender Gaps in Education and Labor Market Outcomes in the U.S.: The Impact of Employers Prejudice”, IDB Working Paper Series No. 357, 2012. (with Luca Flabbi).
- ‘Modelos de predicción para la inflación de Chile (Inflation forecast models for Chile)’. MPRA Paper No. 31586. Cámara Chilena de la Construcción. September 2010. (with Byron Idrovo).

RESEARCH GRANTS

Millenium Nucleus for Labor Market Mismatch: Causes and Consequences 2022-2024

FONDECYT Research Grant - Selection for the Initiation of Research 2019-2022

Konrad Adenauer Foundation Research Grants. 2017 and 2018.

SEMINARS AND CONFERENCES

2023: Bolivian Conference on Development Economics 2023, LACEA-LAMES Annual Meeting 2023, Annual Meeting of the Chilean Society of Economists 2023 (SECHI), Society of Economic Dynamics Annual Meeting 2023, FEN Universidad de Chile Academic Seminar, Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile Academic Seminar, Universidad Católica Boliviana Academic Seminar.

2022: Bolivian Conference on Development Economics 2022, LACEA-LAMES Annual Meeting, The Economics of Informality Conference, Pontificia Universidad Javeriana de Colombia Academic Seminar, Annual Meeting of the Chilean Society of Economists (SECHI), Universidad Diego Portales Academic Seminar, Universidad Alberto Hurtado - Universidad Andrés Bello Academic Seminar.

2021: Pontificia Universidad Javeriana de Colombia Academic Seminar.

2020: Universidad Diego Portales Academic Seminar.

2019: Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile Academic Seminar. University of Sao Paulo (USP) Academic Seminar. Cowles Foundation Structural Microeconomics Conference.

2018: 7th Workshop in Economic Development, 2018 MIPP Workshop in Macroeconomics, 9th Bolivian Conference on Development Economics, Universidad Diego Portales Academic Seminar, LACEA-LAMES Annual Meeting, 30th EALE Conference, Annual Meeting of the Chilean Society of Economists (SECHI), FEN Universidad de Chile Academic Seminar, The Economics of Informality Conference.

2017: 8th Bolivian Conference on Development Economics, FEN Universidad de Chile Academic Seminar, Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile Academic Seminar, Central Bank of Chile Macroeconomics and Finance Seminar.

2016: LACEA-LAMES Annual Meeting, Annual Meeting of the Chilean Society of Economists (SECHI), 7th Bolivian Conference on Development Economics, Universidad Católica Boliviana Academic Seminar, Universidad Mayor de San Andrés Academic Seminar.

2015: LACEA Annual Meeting, Annual Meeting of the Chilean Society of Economists (SECHI).

2014: LACEA-LAMES Annual Meeting, CEA Universidad de Chile Academic Seminar, Annual Meeting of the Chilean Society of Economists (SECHI), Superintendencia de Pensiones Seminar, Universidad Adolfo Ibañez Academic Seminar, Universidad de Santiago Academic Seminar, FEN Universidad de Chile Academic Seminar, 2nd Meeting LACEA Labor Network, 2nd Workshop on Economic Development (Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile), 5th Annual Meeting of the Chilean Society of Public Policy, 6th Bolivian Conference on Development Economics.

2013: 5th Bolivian Conference on Development Economics, Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile Academic Seminar, ILADES/Universidad Alberto Hurtado Academic Seminar, Universidad Mayor Academic Seminar, Central Bank of Chile Macroeconomics and Finance Seminar.

2012: Georgetown University Microeconomics Seminar.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Department of Economics, Universidad Diego Portales. Santiago, Chile.

- Macroeconomics I (Undergrad), 2023.
- Advanced Econometrics (Undergrad), 2023.

Department of Economics, Universidad Alberto Hurtado. Santiago, Chile.

- Macroeconometrics (Undergrad), 2021 – 2022.
- Macroeconomics I (Undergrad), 2013 – 2022.
- Advanced Econometrics (Undergrad), 2013 – 2020.
- Macroeconomics I (Master), 2013 – 2022.
- Labor Economics (Master), 2017 – 2018.

Department of Economics, Georgetown University. Washington DC, United States.

- International Trade (Undergrad), 2012.

School of Economics and Business, Universidad de Chile. Santiago, Chile.

- Introduction to Macroeconomics (Undergrad), 2008.
- Advanced Macroeconomics (Undergrad), 2008.

School of Economics and Business, Universidad Alberto Hurtado. Santiago, Chile.

- Macroeconomics (Undergrad), 2008.
- Time Series Econometrics (Master), 2008.
- Econometrics I and II (Undergrad), 2004 to 2006.

Department of Economics, Universidad Privada Boliviana. La Paz, Bolivia.

- Labor Economics (Graduate, PhD), 2018.
- Econometrics (Undergrad), 2007.
- Macroeconomics I (Undergrad), 2007.

REFEREE REPORTS

Journals

Scandinavian Journal of Economics, European Economic Review, Journal of Economic Dynamics and Control, Economic Journal, Journal of Money Credit and Banking, Journal of Macroeconomics, Labour Economics, Labour, Southern Economic Journal, Economic Analysis Review.

Institutions

National Commission for Scientific and Technological Research (CONICYT - Chile).

Conferences

2018 BCDE, 2017 BCDE, 2016 BCDE, 2015 LACEA Annual Meeting.

ACADEMIC HONORS AND AWARDS

EALE Labour Economics Prize 2018 for the best paper published in Labour Economics during 2017.

Best Paper, 7th Bolivian Conference on Development Economics. 2016.

Ph.D. dissertation obtained the highest honors, Georgetown University. 2013.

Razin Prize for Best Dissertation Paper. Economics Department, Georgetown University. 2013.

Full Tuition Scholarship, Georgetown University. Fall 2009 2013.

National Scholarship Program of Chile (Becas Chile). 2009.

Tuition Scholarship, ILADES/Georgetown University. 2003 2005.

B.A. dissertation obtained the highest honors, Universidad Católica Boliviana. 2002

OTHER PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

2015 to 2016 – Board Member of the Bolivian Society of Economists (SEBOL)

2020 to 2021 – Board Member of the Bolivian Society of Economists (SEBOL)

2022 to 2023 – Board Member of the Chilean Society of Economists (SECHI)

COMPUTER SKILLS

Julia, Fortran, Python, Matlab, Gauss, Stata, Gretl, R, Dynare, L^AT_EX and MS Office.

REFERENCES

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Matteo Bobba, Toulouse School of Economics. Email: matteo.bobba@tse-fr.eu

Luca Flabbi, University of North Carolina - Chapel Hill. Email: lflabbi@email.unc.edu

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