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CONTACT INFORMATION

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EMPLOYMENT

Lecturer in Economics 2023 - present
University of Leicester, United Kingdom.

EDUCATION

Ph.D. in Economics 2019 - 2023
Universidad Carlos III de Madrid (UC3M), Spain.
Advisor: Antonio Cabrales.
Master in Economic Analysis (Leading to Ph.D.) 2017 - 2019
Universidad Carlos III de Madrid, Spain.
Bachelor in Economics 2011 - 2016
Universidad Nacional de Tucumán (UNT), Argentina.

RESEARCH

Research Interests
Political Economy. Social Media. Economics of Networks. Text-as-Data.

Working Papers

Raise your Voice! Online Activism, Peer Effects, and Echo Chambers in Social Networks.
Hate in the Tropics: Political Leaders and the Social Acceptability of Online Hate Speech
(with D. Marino-Fages).
The Power of Words: Economic Conditions, Political Discourse, and Support for Populism
(with L. Menéndez and H. Redondo).
The Long Memory of Poverty: the Historical Unsatisfied Basic Needs in Argentina (with E.
Nicolini).

Selected Work in Progress

Influencer Networks (with D. Rojo-Arjona).
Silence in Social Networks.
Discrete Social Norms in Networks.

RESEARCH VISITS

Durham University. Host: D. Marino-Fages. February, 2025
University of Alicante. Host: H. Redondo. March, 2025

PRESENTATIONS

Conferences, Seminars, and Workshops

2026: *University of Leicester, University of Warwick, PEPE Workshop (University of Bath), CESifo Workshop: Digital Platforms (University of Warwick), RedNIE seminar (online).*
2025: *Durham University (seminar), CESifo (seminar), Consumers + Technology Dialogue, ESADE Barcelona, Text-as-Data workshop (University of Lancaster), 2025 EAYE Annual Meeting, 1st Annual Interdisciplinary WZB Conference.*
2024: *Public Governance Working Group, Paris Dauphine University (online seminar), NICEP 2024 Conference (University of Nottingham), Text-as-Data workshop (University of Liverpool), CESifo Venice Summer Institute: Economics of Social Media, CESifo*

Conference: Economics of Digitization, European Commission Joint Research Centre in Seville (online seminar).

2023: NICEP 2023 conference (University of Nottingham), Machine Learning for Textual and Unstructured Data Seminar (IESE Business School and Fundación Ramón Areces, Madrid), EEA-ESEM Congress (Barcelona School of Economics), 6th Monash-Warwick-Zurich Text-as-Data Workshop (online), 2nd Workshop on Digital Economics (CCP and University of Cambridge), IEA World Congress (Universidad EAFIT), 11th Annual UTDT Conference (Universidad Torcuato Di Tella).

2022: CAGE Summer School (University of Warwick), Workshop: The Political Economy of Conflict (Royal Holloway and Queen Mary University of London), Workshop: Networks in Economics (Universidad de Buenos Aires, online), UC3M Ph.D. Workshop, Annual Meeting of the Argentinian Association of Political Economy (online), RedNIE seminar (online), Tilburg University (ENTER seminar).

2021: Universidad Nacional de Tucumán, UC3M Ph.D. Workshop.

2018-2020: UC3M Ph.D. Workshop.

2016: Annual Meeting of the Argentinian Association of Political Economy.

SHORT COURSES

2023: Machine Learning for Textual and Unstructured Data Seminar, organized by IESE Business School and Fundación Ramón Areces, Madrid.

2022: New research in Political Economy, CAGE-Warwick; Python for Web scraping (online), University of Rome Tor Vergata.

2021: The Economics of Norms, Aspirations and the Media (online), University of Oslo; Data Science for Large and Unstructured Data, II Ph.D. School, SEA.

2015: Poverty and Inequality in Latin America, Universidad Nacional de Buenos Aires.

HONORS AND AWARDS

Teaching Development Fund (£2225) 2026

College of Business, University of Leicester.

Choice Research Centre Seed Funding (£500) 2026

College of Business, University of Leicester.

Research Funding (£400) 2025

College of Business, University of Leicester.

FPI Scholarship 2020 - 2023

State Research Agency, Spain.

Pre-doctoral research training scholarship (PIPF) 2019 - 2020

Universidad Carlos III de Madrid, Spain.

Master Scholarship 2017 - 2019

Universidad Carlos III de Madrid, Spain.

Scientific Vocations Scholarship 2015

Consejo Interuniversitario Nacional (CIN), Argentina.

Amartya Sen Program Scholarship 2016

Universidad Nacional de Buenos Aires, Buenos Aires, Argentina.

Vice Dean's congratulation letter for excellent teaching 2018 - 2021

Universidad Carlos III de Madrid, Spain.

Silver Medal (Second GPA) of the School of Economic Sciences 2015

Universidad Nacional de Tucumán, Argentina.

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Coordination of academic events:

Choice Research Centre (CRC), ULSB

Coordinator of the CRC External Seminar Series and member of the CRC management group. 2024 - present

Economics and Data Analytics Hackathon, ULSB

	Organizer of the first edition of the hackathon.	2026
	Midlands Empirical Economics Workshop, ULSB	
	Organizer of the first edition of the workshop.	2025
	ENTER Network, UC3M	
	Coordinator of Ph.D. Student Seminars at UC3M.	2021 - 2022
	Refereeing:	
	<i>European Journal of Political Economy, Health Economics, Universidad de Las Américas (Ecuador).</i>	
TEACHING EXPERIENCE	Fellow (FHEA)	2025
	<i>Higher Education Academy, United Kingdom.</i>	
	Main Teaching Fields	
	Applied Economics. Microeconomics. Microeconometrics. Machine Learning.	
	Module leader, Ph.D. level, ULSB	
	Text-as-data in Economics (fully designed by me).	2023 - 2026
	Module leader, BSc level, ULSB	
	EC3027. Data Analytics in Practice (fully designed by me).	2025 - 2026
	EC1025. Contemporary Issues in Economics (fully designed by P. Schaefer and me).	2024 - 2026
	Seminar Instructor, BSc level, ULSB	
	EC1005. Maths for Economics I.	2023 - 2024
	EC1025. Contemporary Issues in Economics.	2023 - 2024
	EC3061. Development Economics.	2023 - 2024
	EC3080. Public Economics.	2023 - 2024
	Teaching Assistant, Ph.D. level, UC3M	
	Econometrics III. English. Prof. Carro.	2019 - 2021
	Microeconomics II. English. Prof. Loeper.	2021
	Teaching Assistant, BSc level, UC3M	
	Microeconomics. English. Prof. Schneider.	2019, 2021
	Applied Economics. Spanish. Prof. Cáceres del Piano.	2019 - 2020
	Labor Economics. Spanish. Prof. Alba Ramírez.	2018
	Teaching Assistant, BSc level, UNT	
	Economic Problems of Latin America. Spanish. Prof. Nicolini.	2015 - 2017
	Mathematical Analysis. Spanish. Prof. Rodríguez.	2013 - 2014
NON-ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE	Consulting Assistant	2015, 2021
	Economic Development. Consultant: E. Nicolini.	
	<i>Fundación Internacional y para Iberoamérica de Administración y Políticas Públicas (FIIAPP), Spain.</i>	
OTHER DATA OF INTEREST	Citizenship. Argentinian, Spanish.	
	Languages. Spanish (native), English (fluent).	
	Computer programming. Python, Stata, Matlab, $\text{\LaTeX}$.	

Volunteer work

<i>Volunteer and Treasurer. Fundación Payasos Sociales, Argentina.</i>	<i>2014 - 2017</i>
<i>Volunteer. Cruz Roja Española, Madrid, Spain.</i>	<i>2021 - 2022</i>

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