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RESEARCH INTERESTS

International Trade, Public Finance, Political Economy, Natural Language Processing

EDUCATION

Boston University Ph.D. in Economics	<i>2020-2026(exp.)</i>
University of California, San Diego B.A., <i>cum laude</i> , in Economics B.S., <i>cum laude</i> , in Applied Mathematics	<i>2016-2020</i>

PAPERS

Working Papers

“The Macroeconomic Effects of Tax Competition: the Brazilian “Fiscal War” and Public Goods Underprovision”
“The costs of building a majority government”

HONORS AND PRIZES

<i>Seymour Harris Award (UCSD)</i> - Department’s most outstanding Economics student	<i>2020</i>
<i>Highest Distinction in Economics (UCSD)</i>	<i>2020</i>
<i>Dean’s Fellowship (BU)</i>	<i>2020</i>
<i>Best Second Year Paper (BU)</i>	<i>2022</i>

WORK EXPERIENCE

Teaching Assistant

Principles of Macroeconomics (EC 102OL)	SU 2022, SU 2023, SU 2024
Intermediate Macroeconomics I (EC 202)	FA 2024
Intermediate Econometrics I (EC 203)	FA 2022, SP 2023
Econometric Analysis (EC 224)	FA 2023

Instructor

Econometric Analysis (EC 224)	SP 2024
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PERSONAL DATA

Citizenship: Brazilian, F1 Visa
Birth date: January 20th, 1998
Languages: English, Portuguese; Spanish

PROGRAMMING LANGUAGES

Used frequently: Python, R, Stata, MATLAB
Some experience with: Java

REFERENCES

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