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DESIRED RESEARCH AND TEACHING FIELDS:

PRIMARY

Labor Economics
Public Finance Economics

SECONDARY

Applied Microeconomics
Economics of Education

FIELDS OF CONCENTRATION:

Labor Economics, Public Finance Economics, Economics of Education.

DISSERTATION TITLE: "Essays on Education and the Labor Market"

Expected Date of Completion: May 2025
Principal Advisor: Professor David Card
Other References: Professors Emmanuel Saez, Rucker Johnson, and Ricardo Perez-Truglia

PRE-DOCTORAL STUDIES:

	DEGREE	DATE	FIELD
Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile	M.A.	2015-2016	Economics
Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile	B.A.	2011-2015	Business and Economics

WORKING PAPERS:

["The Effect of a Homebuyer Subsidy on Children"](#) (w/ Harrison Wheeler and Felipe Vial) (*Job Market Paper*)

["The Effects of Widespread Online Education on Market Structure and Enrollment"](#) (w/ Nano Barahona, Caue Dobbin and Sebastian Otero)

SELECTED WORK IN PROGRESS:

["The Role of Housing Supply in Shaping Affordability: A Quasi-experimental Approach"](#) (w/ Felipe Sepulveda)

["Performance Pay and Competition at School: Evidence from Chile"](#) (w/ Felipe Sepulveda)

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:

NON-ACADEMIC:

Economist, Economic Research Division, Central Bank of Chile, Santiago (2017-2019)
Economist Science Intern, Advertising and Marketing Science Team, SiriusXM (2022)

RESEARCH:

Research Assistant, Department of Economics, U.C. Berkeley (2021-now)

Empirical data research with Professor Rucker Johnson on the effects of Transitional Kindergarten in the United States.

Research Assistant, Department of Economics, U.C. Berkeley (Fall 2021)

Empirical data research with Professor Conrad Miller on entrepreneurship in Brazil.

Research Assistant, Department of Economics, University of Toronto (2017-2019)

Empirical data research with Professors Gustavo Bobonis and Marco Gonzalez-Navarro on Government Transparency and Clientelism in Brazil.

Research Assistant, Department of Economics, Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile (2017)

Empirical data research with Professor Jeanne Lafortune on the elasticity of substitution between capital and skill in manufacturing in the US.

TEACHING:

Teaching Assistant, Department of Economics, U.C. Berkeley (2020-2022)

Undergraduate: Topics in Economic Research (Fall 2020, Fall 2021 and Spring 2022).

Lecturer, Department of Economics, Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile (2018-2019)

Undergraduate: Principles of Economics (Fall 2018 and Fall 2019)

Teaching Assistant, Department of Economics, Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile (2013-2017)

Graduate: Microeconomic Theory III (Mechanism Design), Economics of Institutions, Game Theory.

Undergraduate: Introduction to Economics, Microeconomics I, Accounting I, Optimization Methods, Microeconomics II, Introduction to Industrial Organization, Economical Analysis of Chilean Experience, Game Theory, International Macroeconomics, Microsoft Excel.

FELLOWSHIPS AND AWARDS:

2024-2025 Dissertation Fellowship Award, Institute for Research on Labor and Employment, **UC Berkeley**.

2023-2024 California Policy Lab Graduate Fellowship, **UC Berkeley**.

2023-2024 Center for Equitable Growth and Stone Center Fellowship, **UC Berkeley**.

2022 Fisher Center Research Grant, Haas School of Business, **UC Berkeley**.

2022-2023 Burch Center Fellowship, Robert D. Burch Center for Tax Policy & Public Finance, **UC Berkeley**.

2019-2023 Academic Excellence Scholarship for Doctorate Studies, **CONICYT, Government of Chile**.

2016 Academic Excellence Scholarship for Masters Studies, **CONICYT, Government of Chile**.

2022-2024 Smaller Grants: Opportunity Lab Place-Based Policy Initiative, Strandberg Award for Gender-related research, CEGA Spring Development Economics Challenge, Clausen Center for International Business and Policy.

OTHER INFORMATION:

Languages: Spanish (native), English (fluent).

Citizenship: Chile