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RESEARCH FIELDS

Applied microeconomics, political economy, migration, economic history, labour economics.

CURRENT POSITION

Assistant Professor, Instituto de Economía, School of Economics & Management, May 2017/-
Universidad de la República (Uruguay).

EDUCATION

PhD in Economics, Queen Mary, University of London September 30th, 2018
Advisors: Marco Manacorda (1st), Francesco Fasani (2nd)

M.Sc. in Economics and Finance, Universitat Pompeu Fabra July 16th, 2012

B.Sc. in Economics, Universidad de la República July 17th, 2009

RESEARCH PAPERS

[Italian Migration to the United States: The Role of Pioneers' Locations](#) Job Market Paper

[Do dictatorships affect people's long term beliefs and preferences? An empirical assessment of the Latin American case](#) R&R, *Journal of Development Economics*

Italian Migration to the United States: The Role of Migrant Networks

WORKING PAPERS

[Too little but not too late. Nowcasting poverty and cash transfers' incidence in Uruguay during COVID-19's crisis.](#) With Mauricio De Rosa. *Submitted*

TEACHING

Graduate

Lecturer, *Applied Microeconometrics*, Universidad de la República 2018/-

Undergraduate

Lecturer, *Microeconomics I*, Universidad de la República 2017/-

Lecturer, *Economics of Social Issues*, Queen Mary, University of London 2015/2016

Teaching Assistant, *Economics of Social Issues, Game Theory, Econometrics II, Macroeconomics I*, Queen Mary, University of London 2012/2016

Teaching Assistant, *Introduction to Economics*, Universidad de la República 2008/2010

PRESENTATIONS

Economic History December Forum, RIDGE (Uruguay)	2019
31st European Association of Labour Economics Conference, Uppsala (Sweden)	
Workshop on Migration and Mobility, University of Glasgow (UK)	
IV Workshop on Migration, Health and Well-Being, University of Pittsburgh (US)	
Labour in History & Economics Conference, Oxford University (UK)	
Economics Seminar, Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile (Chile)	
Trade & Firm Dynamis / Growth & Development in Macroeconomics, RIDGE (Uruguay)	2018
Latin American and Caribbean Economic Association (LACEA), Guayaquil (Ecuador)	
XXXIII Jornadas Anuales de Economía del Banco Central del Uruguay	
Applied Micro seminar, Queen Mary, University of London (UK)	2016
Uruguayan Economists Society Annual Meeting, Montevideo (Uruguay)	2015
Power & Change in the Americas in the Modern Era Conference, Univ. College London (UK)	
IMT Institute of Advanced Studies, Economics Seminar, IMT Lucca (Italy)	2014
PhD Conference, Queen Mary, University of London (UK)	2013
New Directions in Welfare Congress, OECD (France)	2011
Historical Patterns of Development and Underdevelopment, CEPR/UdelaR (Uruguay)	2010
LACEA/IADB/WB Network of Inequality and Poverty Annual Meeting (Uruguay)	2009

PUBLICATIONS AND POLICY REPORTS

Refereed journals

- Wage inequality on the rise: The role of workers' characteristics** (with G. Alves & M. Yapor). *Journal of Income Distribution*, 2013, 22(2).
- Income mobility and poverty traps: new evidence for Southern Cone countries** (with R. Arim, A. Dean, M. Leites & G. Salas). *Estudios Economicos*, 2013, 28(1).

Books and book chapters

- Efecto de los Consejos de Salarios en los sueldos de asalariados privados, 2005-2015** (with I. Perazzo). Chapter of *Estudios sobre Trabajo y Seguridad Social, #4, Edición especial: Consejos de Salarios*, Ministerio de Trabajo y Seguridad Social, 2020.
- Changes in Uruguay's Wage Structure, 1986-2007. A Quantile Regression approach** (with G. Alves & M. Yapor). Chapter of *La investigación de los jóvenes en la facultad de ciencias económicas y administración*, Peluffo, A. (compiled by), Universidad de la Republica, Uruguay, 2012.
- La distribución de la riqueza en Uruguay: elementos para el debate** (with V. Amarante, G. Pereira, A. Velasco, A. Vigorito & A. Umpierrez), Comisión Sectorial de Investigación Científica, Uruguay, 2012.
- 'Equity and the progress of nations. A proposal of dimensions and indicators for its evaluation** (with G. Alves & A. Vigorito). Chapter of *The Measurement of progress and well-being. Proposals from Latin America*, FCCyT, Mexico, 2011.

Policy reports

- Employment and added value by activity sector in Uruguay** (with V. Amarante). Planning and Budget Office Report, Government of Uruguay, 2010.

OTHER TRAINING

Workshop on Econometrics for Public Policy, Methods and Applications, cemmap (UK)	2016
Summer School in Social Economics, HCEO/Cambridge-INET (UK)	2014
Microeconomic Applications of Social Networks Analysis Workshop, cemmap/PEPA (UK).	
Econometrics of Cross Section and Panel Data Workshop, cemmap/PEPA (UK).	
Models and Analysis of Social and Economic Networks Workshop, cemmap/PEPA (UK).	
Graduate Teaching Assistant Workshop, Economics Network, Univ. of Birmingham (UK)	2012
Summer School in Cultural Economics, CREARE Foundation (Netherlands).	2010

OTHER EXPERIENCE

Research Assistant for Prof. Marco Manacorda.	2012
Research Assistant , School of Economics & Management, Universidad de la Republica.	2009/2011
Research Assistant , School of Social Sciences, Universidad de la Republica.	2010
Short term consultant , Ministry of Industry (Uruguay).	2009
Project assistant , United Nations Development Programme (Uruguay).	2008/2009
Junior consultant , Ministry of Economics and Finance (Uruguay).	2007

FELLOWSHIPS AND AWARDS

Award for Excellence in Teaching, Queen Mary University of London	2015
Departmental PhD scholarship, Queen Mary University of London.	2012/2017
Best research paper based on undergraduate dissertation in Economics in 2007/2009.	2009
School of Economics & Management, Universidad de la República.	

OTHER ACADEMIC ACTIVITIES

Journal Referee: *Journal of Income Inequality*, *Journal of Human Development and Capabilities*.
Grant Referee: CSIC, ANII (Uruguay), FONDECYT (Peru).
M.Sc. in Economics Examiner, Universidad de la Republica: Horacio Rueda, Guillermo Lezama.

MEDIA

Television: Latin America: Russia Today en español. Uruguay: TNU, VTV, TV Ciudad, Desayunos Informales. *Radio*: Uruguay: FM Del Sol (No Toquen Nada, Facil Desviarse); El Espectador (Mas Temprano que Tarde). *Newspaper Op-Eds*: Uruguay: La Diaria.

LANGUAGES & SKILLS

Languages: English (fluent), Spanish (native). IT Skills: \LaTeX , Stata.

OTHER PERSONAL INFORMATION

Gender: Male. Citizenship: Uruguay, Italy (in progress).

REFERENCES

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