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Education

Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona

Ph.D. in Applied Economics

2023

Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona

Master's in Applied Economics Research

2018

Universidad Alcalá de Henares, Madrid

Master's in Finance

2013

Universidad La Gran Colombia, Bogotá

Bachelor's in Economics

2011

Publications

- Real estate prices and land use regulations: Evidence from the Law of Heights in Bogotá with Miquel-Àngel Garcia-López.

(Paper published in Regional Science and Urban Economics. Here a copy.)

Research in Progress

- Accessibility and Railroads: Population's Intra-Urban Mobility Patterns in Madrid (JMP)
- Causes and consequences of urban form: Evidence from US cities with Miquel-Àngel Garcia-López.
- High-speed-rail system, highways and the spatial redistribution of population in China with David Castells - Quintana and Binwen Yan

Professional Experience

Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona

Post-doctoral researcher

Barcelona, Spain

Nov 2023 – Current

Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona

Pre-doctoral researcher

Barcelona, Spain

Dec 2020 – Nov 2023

3 years

Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam (VU Amsterdam)

Visiting Research

Amsterdam, The Netherlands

Mar 2022 – Jul 2023

5 months

Tecnológico de Monterrey

Visiting Research

Monterrey, México

Feb 2020 – Jun 2020

5 months

Public Housing Office of Bogotá (Secretaría del Habitat Bogotá)

Economist

Bogotá, Colombia

Mar 2016 – Sep 2017

18 months

DELIMA MARSH (Marsh & McLennan companies)

Financial and Economics Analyst (FP&A)

Bogotá, Colombia

Aug 2014 – Jul 2015

11 months

INFISA Consultores

Economic and Financial Advisor

Madrid, Spain

Jul 2013 – May 2014

10 months

Teaching Experience

Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona

Development Economics

2023–2024

Currently

CIEE

International Economics

2023–2024

Currently

Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona

International Economics

2021–2023

3 semesters

Universidad de Ciencias Aplicadas Y ambientales UDCA

Principles of Economic, Statistical, Mathematics, and Market Management Subjects

2016–2018

3 semesters

Thesis Direction

Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona

High-speed-rail system, highways and the spatial redistribution of population in China

2022-2023

Master in applied economics

Awards and Scholarships

2020: Cum Laude mention. Ph.D. in Applied Economics (UAB)

2020: Scholarship from the Ministry of Science and Innovation Spain. Ph.D. in Applied Economics (UAB)

2020: Scholarship from the Ministry of Science, Technology and Innovation of Colombia. Ph.D. in Applied Economics (UAB)

2019: ERASMUS KA107 Scholarship from the European Union. Research visit to the Tecnológico de Monterrey

2017: Scholarship from the Foundation for the Future of Colombia. Master's in Applied Economics (MAREB)

2007: Meritorious Thesis. Recognized for outstanding research to obtain the economist B.A. title

International Conferences Contributions

2024: 5th Meeting on Transport Economics and Infrastructure, Barcelona , Spain, January 2024

2023: GATE - 3rd Workshop on Public Policies, Cities and Regions, Lyon , France, November 2023

2023: NARSC - North American Regional Science Council, San Diego, CA (USA), November 2023

2023: SAE - Spanish Economics Association, Salamanca, Spain, December 2023

2023: ITEA - International Transportation Economics Association, Santander, Spain, June 2023

2022: Workshop Applied Economics- UAB, Barcelona, Spain, June-2022

2021: Lunch Seminar UAB, Barcelona November-2021

2021: Workshop Applied Economics- UAB, Barcelona (online) June-2021

2020: Spanish Economics Association (SAE), Salamanca (online) December-2020

2020: Urban Economics Association (UEA), PhD-Students Workshop (online) September-2020

2020: Workshop Applied Economics- UAB, Barcelona (online) June-2020

2019: 2nd Workshop Urban and Regional Economics, Bogotá, Colombia, July-2019

2019: Second Catalan Economics Society Conferences (CESC), Barcelona, Spain, May-2019

Doctoral Courses

2023: Spatial machine learning

2022: Image processing with ArcGIS Pro

2022: Editing data with ArcGIS Pro

2021: Introduction to Python

2019: Tools for policy evaluation

Software, Systems and Languages

Econometric systems: Stata (advance), E-views (intermediate), R (spatial interface)

GIS packages: Arc-pro

Text processing: \LaTeX

Languages: Spanish (native). English (advanced C1)