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FIELDS OF INTERESTS: Macroeconomics, Monetary Economics, Expectations Formation in Macroeconomics.

AFFILIATION

Banco Central de Chile, Economic Modelling Department
Senior Economist (level 5), 2015 – Present

EDUCATION

Columbia University, Ph.D. in Economics, 2015.

Dissertation: “*Essays on Information, Expectations, and the Aggregate Economy*” (Chair: M. Uribe).

Universidad Católica de Chile, M.A. in Economics (*magna cum laude*), 2007.

Universidad Católica de Chile, B.A. in Economics (*summa cum laude*), 2007.

Universidad Católica de Chile, B.A. in Business Administration (*summa cum laude*), 2006.

PAST WORK EXPERIENCE

Direct Advisor to the Governor, José De Gregorio, *Banco Central de Chile*, 2008-2010.

Economic Analyst, *Banco Central de Chile*, 2008.

PUBLICATIONS

[1] “**Are Low Interest Rates Deflationary? A Paradox of Perfect-Foresight Analysis**”
American Economic Review, 2019, 109(1), pages 86-120, January. (with M. Woodford).

WORKING PAPERS

[1] “**Revisiting the Exchange Rate Pass Through: A General Equilibrium Perspective**,”
DTBC 826, Banco Central de Chile, 2018 (with J. García-Cicco).

WORK IN PROGRESS

[3] “**Explaining the Exchange Rate Pass-Through in Chile: An Estimated DSGE TNT Model**” (with J. García-Cicco)

[2] “**Anticipated Monetary Policy Shocks in a Large-Scale Open Economy Model**,” (with A. Arias and R. Zuñiga)

[1] “Monetary Policy Surprises and Expectations”

TEACHING

Advanced Macroeconomics II (Ph.D. in Economics, TA), *Columbia University*, 2014.
Advanced Macroeconomics (Undergraduate, TA), *Columbia University*, 2013.
Economic Principles, *Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile*, 2008-2010.

GRANTS, AWARDS AND HONORS

Fellowship, *Columbia University*, 2012-2015.
Scholarship, *Banco Central de Chile*, 2010-2012.
Wueller Teaching Award (runner-up) for best Teaching-Assistant, *Columbia University*, 2014.
Raul Yver O. Award to the best student in Economics, *Pontificia Universidad Católica*, 2008.
Miguel Kast Award to the best student in Business Administration, *Pontificia Universidad Católica*, 2007.
Academic Excellence Award, *Pontificia Universidad Católica (Chile)*, 2004-2005.

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Refereeing: *American Economic Review*, *Journal of Economic Dynamics and Control*, *Serie Documentos de Trabajo (Banco Central de Chile)*.

Seminars: *Banco Central de Chile* (2015-2018), *Universidad Torcuato Di Tella* (2017*), *Universidad San Andrés* (2017*), *Universidad Católica Argentina* (2017*), *Columbia University* (2017*), *Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile* (2016), *Universidad de Chile* (2016), *Federal Reserve of New York* (2015), *Columbia University* (2013-2015).

Conferences: *Conferencia en Desarrollo Económico (Bolivia, 2017)*, *Workshop on Macroeconomics and Development (Argentina, 2017*)*, *Workshop on Financial Stability (Uruguay, 2017*)*, *Latin American Meeting (2017*)*, *CGBCR Conference (Manchester, UK, 2016)*, *NBER Summer Institute (2015*)*, *Sveriges Riksbank (2015*)*.

Internship: *Federal Reserve Bank of New York, New York*, 2015.

Research Assistant: for M. Uribe and S. Schmitt-Grohé (2012-2013) and E. Nakamura and J. Steinsson (2011-2012), *Columbia University*.

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

NATIONALITY: Chilean.