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FIELDS OF INTERESTS: Macroeconomics, Labor Economics, Family Economics

AFFILIATIONS

Banco Central de Chile, Monetary Policy Division, Model Department
Senior Economist, January 2023 – Current

EDUCATION

University of Pennsylvania, Ph.D. in Economics, 2023

Dissertation: “*Essays on Macroeconomics and Family Economics*”
(Advisor: Jose Victor Rios Rull)

Pontifical Catholic University of Chile, M.A. in Economics, 2015

Pontifical Catholic University of Chile, B.A. in Economics, 2013

PAST WORK EXPERIENCE

Research Assistant Penn Wharton Budget Model, 2019-2022

Research Assistant, *Banco Central de Chile*, 2015-2017

WORKING PAPERS

[3] “*Fiscal and Generational Imbalances in the U.S. Federal Budget.*” with Jagadeesh Gokhale and Kent A. Smetters.

[2] “*The Role of Parental Altruism in Parents Consumption, College Financial Support, and Outcomes in Higher Education.*”

[1] “*The effect of Cognitive Skills on Fertility Timing.*”

TEACHING

Teaching Assistant, *University of Pennsylvania*, 2018-2019

Teaching Assistant, *Pontifical Catholic University of Chile*, 2009-2014

GRANTS, AWARDS, AND HONORS

Etienne van de Walle Prize for Best Graduate Paper in Demography, *University of Pennsylvania*, 2023.

Graduate Fellowship, *University of Pennsylvania*, 2018-2022.

Ph.D Fellowship, *Central Bank of Chile*, 2017.

Academic Excellence Award, M.A. in Economics, *Pontifical Catholic University of Chile*, 2015.

PUC M.A Fellowship, *Pontifical Catholic University of Chile*, 2014.

Diego Smith-Hebbel Prize for Best Teaching Assistant, *Pontifical Catholic University of Chile*, 2014.

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Refereeing: German Economic Review, International Economic Review

Conferences and Presentation:

2024: University of Pennsylvania Population Studies Group, Society of Household Economics, Barcelona Summer Forum, Sociedad de Economía Chilena, Society of Economics Dynamic Winter Meeting.

2023: Universidad de los Andes, Midwestern Macro, European Society of Population Economics, Alumni UC.

LANGUAGES: English (fluent), Spanish (native)

NATIONALITY: Chilean

BORN: October 22, 1990