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SUMMARY

PhD-level professional, economist, researcher, professor and consultant, with more than 16 years of experience conducting empirical and econometric analyses on applied microeconomics, trade and technology, trade and finance, public policy, energy and the environment. Ranked in the top 200 young economists in the world by Ideas-RePEc in 2012 and 2013 and in the Top 10% of authors on SSRN by all-time downloads.

EXPERIENCE

Northeastern University, College of Professional Studies 06/2018 - Present
Lecturer in Economics Boston, MA

- Teach graduate courses in microeconomics (blended: in person and online)

Tufts University, Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy 09/2016 - Present
Adjunct Assistant Professor of Economics Medford, MA

- Teach graduate courses in economics and online courses to executives
- Supervise master theses and policy reports

Applied Economics Clinic 04/2018 - 06/2018
Senior Researcher Somerville, MA

- Conducted research on U.S. energy sector
- Managed projects with tight deadlines and limited budgets

Brandeis University, International Business School 06/2010 - 05/2018
Assistant Professor of Economics Waltham, MA

- Taught undergraduate and graduate courses (MA and PhD) in economics and international business (Score in teaching evaluations: 4.4 out of 5)
- Supervised undergraduate theses and PhD dissertations
- Conducted research in economics. Published nine refereed articles, one co-edited book, and one book chapter
- Head Business Economics Specialization, 2015-2016
- Member: Core Committee Latin American and Latino Studies Program (2014-present), MA in Economics Program Committee (2011-2016), PhD Advisory Committee (2012-2015)

Indiana University 06/2003 - 05/2010
Department of Economics Bloomington, IN

- Taught undergraduate and graduate students in economics; Awarded Indiana University Trustees Teaching Award
- Conducted research in economics; Published thirteen refereed articles
- Coordinated Microeconomics Workshop, 2007-2010
- Member of Graduate Studies Committee, 2006-2009

Ministry of the Economy, Development and Reconstruction, Republic of Chile 09/1994 - 07/1998
Economic Advisor Santiago, Chile

- Produced monthly and quarterly reports on the Chilean economy
- Calculated monthly real exchange rates indexes by markets and industry
- Produced competitiveness indicators for Chilean manufacturing industries
- Generated reports about performance of Chilean manufacturing industries
- Aided in preparation of Minister's speeches and presentations to the press

Other Relevant Work Experience and Professional Development

- Independent Economic Consultant (2018-Present)
- Research Assistant and Teaching Assistant, University of California Los Angeles, CA (1999-2002)
- Instructor, University of Chile, Santiago, Chile (1995-1998)
- Case Teaching Workshop, *The Art and Craft of Discussion Leadership*, Harvard Business School, Boston, MA (2010)

EDUCATION

University of California

Los Angeles, CA

MA and PhD in Economics

Fields of Specialization: International Economics, Development Economics

Doctoral Dissertation: Entry to Export Markets and Firm-Level Productivity in Developing Countries

Awards: Two dissertation fellowships; Winner graduate student competition, Empirical Investigations in International Trade Conference at Emory University

University of Chile

Santiago, Chile

BA in Economics and Business (Five-year program)

Received awards for Highest GPA and most outstanding graduating student for contributions to the school and the university

SUMMARY OF PRESENTATIONS

The World Bank (Washington, DC), The Inter-American Development Bank (Washington, DC), The London School of Economics (London, UK), The Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta (Atlanta, GA), Georgetown University (Washington, DC), The University of Illinois (Urbana-Champaign, IL), Vanderbilt University (Nashville, TN), Syracuse University (Syracuse, NY), Purdue University (West Lafayette, IN), The Norwegian University of Science and Technology (Trondheim, Norway), Erasmus University (Rotterdam, The Netherlands), North American Meeting of the Econometric Society, Empirical Investigations in International Trade Conference, Annual Meeting of the Canadian Economics Association, International Industrial Organization Conference, Midwest International Economics Meeting

SERVICE TO THE PROFESSION

Regular reviewer of manuscripts for agencies, publishers and refereed journals including The National Science Foundation, The World Bank, The Inter-American Development Bank, Oxford University Press, Pearson Education, Worth Publishers, *Journal of Political Economy*, *Quarterly Journal of Economics*, *Economic Journal*, *Journal of International Economics*, *Journal of International Business Studies*

OTHER

Software: Advanced knowledge of Microsoft Office (Excel, Word, PowerPoint), Stata, LyX, Scientific Word & Workplace, Blackboard

Languages: Fluent in English and Spanish

Citizenship: U.S.A.