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Academic Positions

2021- **Centro de Investigación y Acción Social (CIAS)**, Buenos Aires
Research Director

2020- **Universidad Nacional de San Martín**, Buenos Aires
Assistant Professor, School of Government and Politics

Education

Graduate

2019 **Ph.D. in Political Science, Department of Political Science, University of California, Berkeley.**

Fields: Comparative Politics, Latin American Politics, Methodology

Dissertation Title: "Strategies of Redistribution: The Left and the Popular Sectors in Latin America"

Committee: Ruth Berins Collier (co-chair), Jonah Levy (co-chair), Paul Pierson, Alison Post y Dylan Riley (Sociology).

2017-2018 **Visiting Student, Department of Political Science, Stanford University**

Fields: Quantitative Methods Sequence. Statistical training in linear regression, causal inference, maximum likelihood estimation and machine learning.

2011 **Master of Arts, Department of Political Science, University of California, Berkeley**

Thesis: "The New Left and the Popular Sectors: Bridging the Formal-Informal Divide in Latin America"

2006-2009 **Master's in Social Science, Universidad de General Sarmiento – IDES**
(Buenos Aires, Argentina)

Courses completed, thesis to be defended.

Undergraduate

- 2001-2006 **BA in Political Science and Government**, Universidad Torcuato Di Tella (Buenos Aires, Argentina)
- Honor Thesis:** “Movilizaciones de desocupados en la Argentina y Chile durante las reformas de mercado. Un estudio comparado de las organizaciones piqueteras” (“*Unemployed protests in Argentina and Chile during market reforms. A comparative study of the piqueteros organizations*”).

Peer-Reviewed Articles

- 2021 “Left Behind: Labor Unions and Redistributive Policy under the Brazilian Workers’ Party”, *The Journal of Comparative Politics - Honorable Mention in REPAL’s 2021 Annual Meeting*.
- 2021 “Despertando al Gigante Invertebrado. La Estrategia Sindical de los Gobiernos Kirchneristas (2003-2015)”, *Revista SAAP* (Volumen 15 Número 2)
- 2015 “Conclusion: The Comparative Analysis of Regime Change and Labor Legacies” (with Ruth Berins Collier), in Teri Caraway, Maria Lorena Cook y Stephen Crowley, *Working Through the Past: Labor and Authoritarian Legacies in Comparative Perspective*, Cornell University Press.
- 2008 “Organizando el Descontento: Movilizaciones de Desocupados en Argentina y Chile durante las Reformas de Mercado”, *Desarrollo Económico*, Vol 48, Nº 189, Abril-Junio 2008, Buenos Aires.

Other Publications

- 2020 “El debate pendiente sobre el librecomercio”, Abro Hilo, 2020: <https://abrohilo.org/el-debate-pendiente-sobre-librecomercio/>
- 2020 “¿Qué podemos esperar de la Presidencia de Joe Biden?”, El País Digital, 2020: <https://elpaisdigital.com.ar/contenido/qu-podemos-esperar-de-la-presidencia-de-joe-biden/29178>
- 2018 “Un actor central del próximo mapa político”, *Le Monde Diplomatique*, N 225.
- 2018 Review of “Politicized Enforcement in Argentina: Labor and Environmental Regulation”, by Matthew Amengual. *Latin American Politics and Society*, Vol. 59, N 2, 155-178.
- 2013 “The Low-Skill Trap”, *Berkeley Review of Latin American Studies*.
- 2012 “Los Motivos de la Fractura. Las Razones Históricas, Institucionales y Políticas detrás de la Fractura de la CGT”, *Le Monde Diplomatique*, N 157.
- 2011 “Motivos de un Fracaso”, *Le Monde Diplomatique*, N 115.

Working Papers

1. "The Left and the Labor Movement in Latin America" - **Winner of the “Dorothy Day” Award for Best Article on labor politics presented at the American Political Science Association (APSA) 2020 Annual Meeting.**
2. "Segmented Retrenchment: The Politics of Welfare Cuts in Developing Countries"
3. "The Micro-dynamics of Labor Unions: Elites, Grassroots Activism and the Decentralization of Collective Bargaining" (with Federico Fuchs)

Scholarships

2021-2024	Consejo Nacional de Investigaciones Científicas y Técnicas. Postdoctoral Associate.
2020	Universidad de San Martín. Postdoctoral Associate, School of Governments and Politics
2016	UC Berkeley. Dean's Completion Fellowship, Graduate Division
2010-2015	UC Berkeley. Department Fellowship, Department of Political Science
2011	Center for Latin American Studies, UC Berkeley. Scholarship to pursue fieldwork research in Argentina and Brazil.
2010-2012	Fulbright. Scholarship to pursue doctoral studies in the U.S.
2009-2010	Beca PICT, Agencia Nacional de Promoción Científica y Tecnológica. Researcher in training..
2008	Universidad de General Sarmiento – IDES. Tuition scholarship for the 50% of the tuition fee for M.A. in Social Sciences
2007-2010	CONICET (National Council of Scientific and Technical Research). Research Scholarship for young graduates

Teaching Experience

2020-	Universidad de San Martín, Buenos Aires Professor: "Political Economy" (Graduate Level)
2019-2020	Universidad de San Martín, Buenos Aires Professor: "Causal Inference with R: Experiments, Matching, Difference in Differences and Regression Discontinuity Design" (Graduate Level)
2016-2020	Universidad Torcuato Di Tella, Buenos Aires Professor: "Political Sociology" (Graduate Level)

2014-2016	Universidad Torcuato Di Tella, Buenos Aires Professor: "Comparative Public Policy" (Undergraduate Level)
2014-2016	Universidad Torcuato Di Tella, Buenos Aires Professor: "Political Institutions and Government" (Undergraduate Level)
2013-2016	Universidad Torcuato Di Tella, Buenos Aires Professor: "Political Actors and Processes" (Undergraduate Level)
2013	University of California, Berkeley. Teaching Assistant: "Comparative Politics", in assistance to Professor Steven Fish
2012	University of California, Berkeley. Teaching Assistant: "The Welfare State in Comparative Perspective", in assistance to Professor Jonah Levy
2006-2008	Universidad Torcuato Di Tella (Buenos Aires, Argentina) Teaching Assistant: "Research Design and the Comparative Method in Social Sciences", in assistance to Prof. Sebastian Etchemendy and Prof. Carlos Gervasoni
2008	Universidad Torcuato Di Tella (Buenos Aires, Argentina) Teaching Assistant: "Politics and Economics", in assistance to Prof. Sebastián Etchemendy
2006-2008	Universidad Torcuato Di Tella (Buenos Aires, Argentina) Teaching Assistant: "Introduction to Political Science", in assistance to Department Chair Catalina Smulovitz
2005-2008	Universidad Torcuato Di Tella (Buenos Aires, Argentina) Teaching Assistant: "Political Institutions and Government", in assistance to Prof. Ana Maria Mustapic
2004	Universidad de Buenos Aires (Buenos Aires, Argentina) Teaching Assistant: "Social Actors and Political Processes in Latin America", in assistance to Prof. Liliana De Riz

Seminars and Conferences

2021	American Political Science Association, Comparative Labor Politics Workshop Speaker: "The Left and the Labor Movement in Latin America"
2020	American Political Science Association, Annual Meeting (San Francisco, USA) Speaker: "Segmented Retrenchment: The Politics of Welfare Cuts in Developing Countries"
2020	American Political Science Association, Annual Meeting (San Francisco, USA) Speaker: "The Left and the Labor Movement in Latin America"

- 2019 **David Rockefeller Center for Latin American Studies, Harvard University**
(Cambridge, USA)

Speaker: "Strategies of Redistribution: The Left and the Popular Sectors in Latin America"
- 2019 **Department of Political Science, Massachusetts Institute of Technology**
(Cambridge, USA)

Speaker: "Strategies of Redistribution: The Left and the Popular Sectors in Latin America"
- 2019 **American Political Science Association, Annual Meeting**
(Washington, USA)

Speaker: "Strong Presidents, Sluggish Redistribution: Labor Policies under the Workers Party in Brazil"
- 2019 **Center for Inter-American Policy & Research, Tulane University**
(New Orleans, USA)

Speaker: "Strategies of Redistribution: The Left and the Popular Sectors in Latin America"
- 2019 **University of California, Santa Cruz, Comparative Politics Workshop**
(Santa Cruz, USA)

Speaker: "Strategies of Redistribution: The Left and the Popular Sectors in Latin America"
- 2018 **Universidad de los Andes, REPAL, Annual Meeting**
(Bogotá, Colombia)

Speaker: "The New Left and the Labor Movement in Latin America"
- 2017 **American Political Science Association, Annual Meeting**
(San Francisco, USA)

Speaker: "Union-Government Relations during the Commodities Boom: Evidence from Latin America"
- 2016 **American Political Science Association, Annual Meeting**
(Philadelphia, USA)

Speaker: "Popular Sectors' Incorporation under the New Left"
- 2016 **Massachusetts Institute of Technology, REPAL, Annual Meeting**
(Cambridge, USA)

Speaker: "Strategies of Redistribution: The Left and the Popular Sectors in Latin America"
- 2014 **Universidad Torcuato Di Tella, Conference on Brazil's 2014 Elections**
(Buenos Aires, Argentina)

Speaker: "Elections and Class-based Vote in Brazil: The Workers Party's Coalitional Dilemma"

- 2009 **IX National Congress of Political Science**
 (Santa Fe, Argentina)
- Speaker: "The Argentine Labor Movement after Market Reforms. Shop-floor Organizations, Union Elites and the Reconfiguration of Industrial Relations"
- 2009 **Universidad Torcuato Di Tella, Political Science Department Seminar**
 (Buenos Aires, Argentina)
- Speaker: "Organizing Dissent: Unemployed Protests in Argentina and Chile during Markets Reforms"
- 2009 **1st National Congress on Social Protest, Collective Action and Social Movements in Argentina, Universidad de Buenos Aires** (Buenos Aires, Argentina)
- Speaker: "Preaching in the Dessert: Political Activists and Unemployed Protests in Argentina and Chile"

Languages

Español: Native Speaker

Inglés: Fluent, Certificate in Advanced English, Cambridge University 2002

Francés: Intermediate – Years End Exams, 1st through 3rd year - Alliance Française

Portugués: Fluent

Computer Programming

R, STATA, Latex

Evaluator for Scientific Journals

Latin American Politics and Society, Latin American Research Review, International Labor Review, Desarrollo Económico, Revista SAAP