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## Education

Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Ph.D. in Economics, 2012  
Universidad Torcuato Di Tella, MA in Economics, 2006  
Universidad Torcuato Di Tella, BA in Economics (summa cum laude), 2004

## Employment

Brown University, Assistant Professor of Economics, July 2012 – Present  
Princeton University, Peter B. Kenen Fellow, 2015 – 2016.

## Visiting Positions

Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis, Visiting Scholar, December 2018  
MIT, Department of Economics, Visiting Assistant Professor, Spring 2018  
Harvard University, Department of Economics, Visiting Scholar, Fall 2017  
Yale University, Visitor, Cowles Foundation, 2018, 2019  
Universidad Torcuato Di Tella, Visiting Assistant Professor, 2017-2019  
Einaudi Institute for Economics and Finance, Visitor, August 2016  
Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis, Research Division, Visiting Scholar, August 2015

## Publications

“The Gains from Input Trade with Heterogeneous Importers”, with Michael Peters and Claire Lelarge, *American Economic Journal: Macroeconomics*, vol. 10 (2018)

“Firm Size and the Intensive Margin of Import Demand”, with Michael Peters and Claire Lelarge, *Journal of International Economics*, vol. 120 (2019)

## **Working Papers**

“Global Firms in Large Devaluations”, *Revise and Resubmit*, Quarterly Journal of Economics

“Wealth Inequality and the Losses from Financial Frictions”

“Financial Frictions and Non-Balanced Growth”

## **Work in Progress**

“Firm-level Trade Policies”, joint with David Atkin, Pablo Fajgelbaum and Augusto Ospital

“The Geography of Costs”, joint with Andrew Bernard, Glenn Magerman and Michael Peters

“Input Sourcing and Supplier Choice in International Trade”, joint with Federico Esposito and Sebastian Heise.

## **Teaching**

Topics in Macro Development and Trade (Ph.D.), Brown.

Macroeconomics II (Ph.D.), Brown.

International Trade (Undergrad), Brown.

Topics in Macroeconomics, Development and International Economics (Undergraduate), Brown.

Topics in Macro and International Economics (Graduate), Di Tella University.

## **Professional Activities**

Referee for: American Economic Review, American Economic Journal: Microeconomics, American Economic Journal: Macroeconomics, Canadian Journal of Economics, Econometrica, European Economic Review, International Economic Review, Journal of Comparative Economics, Journal of Economic Growth, Journal of Economic Theory, Journal of the European Economic Association, Journal of Globalization and Development, Journal of International Economics, Journal of Monetary Economics, Journal of Political Economy, Quantitative Economics, Quarterly Journal of Economics, Review of Economic Dynamics, Review of Economic Studies, Review of International Economics.

### *Invited Seminars and Conferences:*

2019: NBER ITI SI Meeting, Society for Economic Dynamics (St Louis), Di Tella University, Boston College, FRB Dallas – Houston University – Bank of Mexico 4<sup>th</sup> Conference on International

Economics (Mexico City), IMF Research Department, UVA Darden, Dallas Fed, University of British Columbia

2018: UT Austin, Yale University, MIT, UCLA Macro-International Miniconference, Society of Economic Dynamics (Mexico), University of Wisconsin-Madison, Clark University, Chicago International Macro-Finance Conference, Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis, Di Tella University Economics Conference.

2017: University of California, Berkeley, University of Oklahoma, Atlanta Fed, LACEA-TIGN in Montevideo, Di Tella University, Nottingham GEP Conference on Global Value Chains, Society of Economic Dynamics (Edinburgh), SAET in Portugal, NBER IFM SI Meeting, Harvard University (joint macro & international seminar), Michigan, Tufts, RIDGE in Buenos Aires.

2016: CUNY Graduate Center, Princeton University, New Faces in International Economics (Penn State), Society of Economic Dynamics (Toulouse), EIEF (Rome), University of Houston, Rochester International Mini-Conference, USC Marshall, Boston University, University of Nottingham, University of Warwick, University of Colorado Boulder, Di Tella University Economics Conference.

2015: Cowles Conference at Yale, St Louis Fed, University of Houston, Workshop on Industrial Policy and Development (RIDGE) at the University of Buenos Aires

2014: World Bank Research Department, Columbia International Economics Workshop, Princeton IES, UCLA, RIDGE Workshop on Firms Dynamics, Trade and Development (Montevideo).

2013: Boston University, University of Warwick (Conference on Financial Markets and the Real Economy), Society of Economic Dynamics (Korea), National Bureau of Economic Research Summer Institute (NBER SI) International Trade and Investment Workshop, Department of Economics at La Plata (Buenos Aires), Joint Seminar University of Buenos Aires – San Andres University, Conference on Monetary and International Economics at University in La Plata, Central Bank of Argentina.

2012: MIT, Einaudi EIEF (Rome), Brown University, Vanderbilt University, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, University of Washington, Federal Reserve Board of Governors, Federal Reserve Bank of Boston, Getulio Vargas Foundation EPGE (Rio), Getulio Vargas Foundation EESP (Sao Paulo), PUC-Rio, Society of Economic Dynamics (Cyprus)