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ACADEMIC POSITIONS

American University, School of International Service
2019 Associate Professor
2013 Assistant Professor

Harvard University
2020 Academy Scholar, Harvard Academy for International and Area Studies
2011-2012 Academy Scholar, Harvard Academy for International and Area Studies

Universidad Torcuato Di Tella
2011 Lecturer on Government-Researcher

Universidad de San Andrés
2009-2011 Lecturer

EDUCATION

University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill
2009 Ph.D. in Political Science

University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
2006 MA in Political Science

Universidad Torcuato Di Tella
2000 BA in Political Science

ADDITIONAL TRAINING

2008 **Arizona State University**
Institute for Qualitative and Multi-Method Research

PUBLICATIONS

Books

- *Inside Countries: Subnational Research in Comparative Politics. Edited volume* (with Eduardo Moncada and Richard Snyder) (Cambridge University Press, 2019).
- *Democrats and Autocrats. Pathways of Subnational Undemocratic Regime Continuity within Democratic Countries* (Oxford University Press, 2015).

Reviewed in *Perspectives on Politics, Publius: The Journal of Federalism, Revista de Ciencia Política, and Local Government Studies*

2010 Co-winner of the *APSA Juan Linz Prize for Best Dissertation in the Comparative Study of Democracy*

Articles in peer reviewed journals

- “Territorial Inequality in Health Service Delivery: Lessons from Latin America’s Federations” *Latin American Politics and Society* (2020) (with Jennifer Pribble)
- “Review of Campaigns and Voters in Developing Democracies: Argentina in Comparative Perspective. Edited by Noam Lupu, Virginia Oliveros, and Luis Schiumerini. Ann Arbor: University of Michigan Press, 2019.” *Perspectives on Politics* 18 (1), 319-321 (2020).
- “Neopatrimonial Rule and Socioeconomic Well-being in Contemporary Latin America” *Latin American Politics and Society*, 62 (1), 73-96 (2020) (with Jonathan Hartlyn, Claire Dunn, and Emily Carty)
- “Rethinking Democracy and Welfare State Universalism: Lessons from Subnational Research” *Regional and Federal Studies*, Volume 29 (2): 135-163 (2018) (with Jennifer Pribble).
- “Who Wants an Independent Supreme Court? Political competition and Supreme Court autonomy in the Argentine provinces (1984-2008).” *Journal of Politics*, Volume 77:1(2015) (with Marcelo Leiras and Guadalupe Tuñón).
- “Varieties of Subnational Undemocratic Regimes: Evidence from Argentina and Mexico.” *Studies in Comparative International Development*, Vol. 48, Issue 1 (2013), 51-80.
- “Conceptualizing State Strength. Moving Beyond Strong and Weak States”. *Revista de Ciencia Política*. Vol. 32, No. 3, (2012), 599–611.
- “The politics of subnational undemocratic regime reproduction in Argentina and Mexico.” *Journal of Politics in Latin America*, Vol. 2 (2) (2010), 53-84.
- “Argentina: victoria presidencial oficialista y tensiones en el esquema macroeconómico.” *Revista de Ciencia Política*, Vol. 28 (1) (2008), 35-59 (with Alejandro Bonvecchi).
- “The distributive politics of emergency employment programs in Argentina (1993-2002).” *Latin American Research Review*, Vol. 42, No. 2 (2007), 33-55.
- “Argentina. Crecimiento Económico y Concentración del Poder Institucional.” *Revista de Ciencia Política*, Vol. 27 (EE) (2007), 29-42 (with Alejandro Bonvecchi).

Articles under review in peer reviewed journals

- “Democracy Unpacked: The Resource Curse Revisited”

- “Windfall-like Intergovernmental Transfers are not Oil: The Economic Foundations of Subnational Undemocratic Regime Stability” (with Diego Díaz Riosco)

Peer reviewed book chapters

- 2019. “Introduction. Subnational Research in Comparative Politics: Substantive, Theoretical, and Methodological Contributions” with Eduardo Moncada and Richard Snyder. In Giraudy, Agustina, Eduardo Moncada and Richard Snyder (eds.) *Inside Countries: Subnational Research in Comparative Politics*. Cambridge University Press.
- 2019. “Empirical and Theoretical Frontiers of Subnational Research in Comparative Politics” with Eduardo Moncada and Richard Snyder. In Giraudy, Agustina, Eduardo Moncada and Richard Snyder (eds.) *Inside Countries: Subnational Research in Comparative Politics*. Cambridge University Press.
- 2016. “Unpacking the State’s Uneven Territorial Reach: Evidence from Latin America” (with Juan Pablo Luna). In edited volume by Miguel Angel Centeno, Atul Kohli, and Deborah Yashar. *States in the Developing World* (Cambridge University Press)
- Forthcoming. “Estudiando los regímenes subnacionales en América Latina: dónde estamos y hacia a dónde podemos ir” (co-authored with Juan Olmeda). Forthcoming in edited volume *Los dilemas de la democracia en América Latina: a cuatro décadas de la transición* (Flavia Freidenberg editor, UNAM and FLACSO)

Work in progress

- Explaining Subnational Policy Deviation from Federal Responses to Covid-19: Evidence from Argentina, Brazil, Mexico and the United States
- Scaling Up: Rethinking Measures of Democracy: Evidence from Latin America (book manuscript)
- Who gets help? Poverty and the Territorial Allocation of Green Aid (with Isabella Alcañiz)
- The Second Generation of Multilevel Governance Research: The Rise of a Third Layer of Governance Within and Beyond Europe (with Sara Niedzwiecki)

Articles in scholarly journals

- “Stateness in Latin America,” *LASA Forum*. Fall 2012: Volume xliii: Issue 4 (with Juan Pablo Luna).
- “Subnational Democracy: Lessons from Latin America.” *APSA - Comparative Democratization Newsletter*, Vol. 10, No. 1 (2012).
- “La política territorial de la democracia subnacional.” *Journal of Democracy en Español*, Vol 3 (Julio) (2011), 42-57.

Other publications

- “Exploratory Study of Transparency in the Argentine Public Administration: 1998 – 1999.” Department of Transparency Policies. Anticorruption Office. Ministry of Justice and Human Rights. Argentina. 2000.

- “Social Mobilization and Constraints on Public Officials. Evidence from two neighborhoods of Capital Federal.” Manuscript. Universidad Torcuato Di Tella – Political Science Department. June 2000.

FELLOWSHIPS AND AWARDS

- 2018 Outstanding Scholarship, Research, Creative Activity & Other Professional Contributions Award (School of International Service, American University)
- 2018 Faculty Research Support Grant (American University): Who gets help? Poverty and the Allocation of Federal Green Aid
- 2016 Best paper presented at the *Latin American Studies Association 2015 Annual Meeting*: “Patrimonialism, Democracy and Socio-economic Well-being in Contemporary Latin America.”
- 2014 Co-recipient of the *William M. LeoGrande Award* for the best article in Latin American or Latino Studies published by a member of the American University community in 2013. Article: "Varieties of Subnational Undemocratic Regimes: Evidence from Argentina and Mexico"
- 2010 Juan Linz Prize for Best Dissertation in the Comparative Study of Democracy (American Political Science Association)
- 2008-2009 UNC-CH Dissertation Completion Fellowship
- 2008 UNC-CH External Fellowship Awardee
- 2008 UNC-CH Departmental Award to attend the Arizona State University Institute for Qualitative and Multi-method Research
- 2007 The Horowitz Foundation for Social Policy Research Grant
- 2007-2008 Inter-American Foundation: Grassroots Development Fellowship
- 2007 Mellon Dissertation Fellowship (Summer 2007)
- 2007 UNC-CH: Off-Campus Research Fellowship (Fall 2007)
[declined due to incompatibility with IAF Fellowship]
- 2006 UNC-CH James W. Prothro Award for best MA Thesis submitted in 2005
- 2003-2006 UNC-CH, Department of Political Science: Graduate Fellowship
- 2004 Ford Foundation Pre-dissertation Grant (Summer 2004)
- 2004 Tinker Foundation Summer Grant (Summer 2004)
- 2002-2003 Konrad Adenauer Foundation: Research Fellowship
- 2000 Universidad Torcuato Di Tella: Special Mention Award –Honors Thesis–

CONFERENCE PAPERS

- Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association: 2019, 2017, 2016, 2015, 2014, 2013, 2011, 2006.
- International Congress of the Latin American Studies Association: 2018, 2017, 2016, 2015, 2014, 2012, 2009, 2007.
- Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association: 2006.
- Other:

- 2015: “Democracia subnacional en América Latina: Avances y Desafíos” Paper prepared for the Workshop “Los dilemas de la democracia en América Latina: a cuatro décadas de la transición” organized by the UNAM and FLACSO, Mexico City (October)
- 2014: “Varieties of (subnational) undemocratic regimes.” Paper prepared for the Workshop *Conceptualizing and Operationalizing Authoritarianism in a Global Age*, University of Amsterdam (June 5-6, 2014)
- 2012: “Conceptualizing State Strength.” Paper prepared for the Conference on *Stateness in Latin America in the 21st Century*, Santiago de Chile, March 29-30
- 2009: “Subnational undemocratic regime reproduction and weakening: La Rioja and San Luis in Comparative Perspective” Paper presented at the conference “Nuevos estudios sobre el federalismo argentino”, Universidad Torcuato Di Tella, Ciudad de Buenos Aires, November 4
- 2009: “Subnational undemocratic regimes and state-administrations in contemporary Mexico.” Paper presented at the conference *Fifteen Years after the Zapatistas: Social and Political Change in Mexico and Chiapas since 1994*, Harvard University, April 10th
- 2008: “Subnational undemocratic regimes in Argentina and Mexico. An empirical assessment of nondemocratic regimes in the subnational world.” Inter American Foundation Mid-Year Conference, Cartagena de Indias, Colombia, February 6-8
- 2005: “State capacity in Chile and Argentina: a historical assessment.” *States of Democracy: Latin American/Caribbean Political Actors in Historical and Contemporary Contexts*, The Consortium of Latin American & Caribbean Studies at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill & Duke University, February 11-12

INVITED TALKS

- Harvard University (November 2020)
- Interamerican Development Bank (September 2020)
- LASA Charlemos (July 2020)
- McGill University (May 2020)
- OECD, Paris (April 2020)
- Duke University (December 2019)
- Brown University (November 2019)
- Robert Schuman Centre of the European University Institute (May 2019)
- McGill University (April 2019)
- University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill (October 2018)
- SUNY, Albany, April 2018
- Princeton University, March 2017
- University of Amsterdam, March 2017
- Temple University, November 2016
- Inter-American Development Bank, July 2016
- King’s College of London, May 2016
- Brown University, April 2016
- University of Maryland, College Park, March 2016
- University of Sussex, January 2016
- Woodrow Wilson Center for International Scholars, December 2015
- Brown University, October 2015
- FLACSO, Mexico City, October 2015

- University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, April 2012
- Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile, March 2012
- Harvard University, March 2012
- Harvard University, February 2012
- Brown University, February 2012
- American University, December 2011
- Universidad Torcuato Di Tella, August 2010
- Univesidad de San Andrés, August 2010

PROFESSIONAL POSITIONS

2017	Ford Foundation – Short Term Consultant
2011	World Bank – Short Term Consultant
Summer 2009-2011	Ford Foundation – Permanent Consultant
2009	IADB – Short Term Consultant
Fall 2007 – Summer 2008	Universidad Torcuato Di Tella, Argentina –Visiting Researcher
Fall – Summer 2007	CIDE, México D.F. – Visiting Researcher
Summer 2004	Universidad Andrés Bello, Chile – Visiting Researcher
Jan 2002- July 2003	Universität zu Köln, Germany – Visiting Researcher
Feb 2000 – Aug 2001	Department of Transparency Policies, Anticorruption Office. Ministry of Justice and Human Rights, Argentina –Jr. Policy Analyst

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

American University	Democracy and Authoritarianism: Spring 2018
	Beyond the capital: Democracy and Development: Spring 2014 (undergraduate, capstone seminar)
	Latin America: Subnational Democracy and Development, Spring 2014 (undergraduate)
	Contemporary Latin American Politics and Society: Fall 2013, Fall 2014, Fall 2015, Fall 2017 (graduate), Spring 2018, Fall 2018, Spring 2019
	Contemporary Latin America: Fall 2014, Spring 2015, Fall 2015, Spring 2016, Spring 2017, Fall 2017, Spring 2018 (undergraduate)
	Governance and Development in Latin America: Spring 2015, Spring 2016 (graduate)
	Political and Social Challenges in Latin America: Spring 2018 (undergraduate)
Universidad Torcuato Di Tella	Issues in Contemporary Latin American Politics, Spring 2011
	Politics and Society in Latin America, Fall 1999, Fall 2000 (TA)

Universidad de San Andrés	Introduction to Qualitative Methods, Fall 2009, Summer 2010, Fall 2010
University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill	Contemporary Latin American Politics, Fall 2005 (TA) Politics in Western Europe, Spring 2005, Fall 2004 (TA)

LANGUAGES

Spanish (native), English (proficient), German (proficient)

SERVICE TO THE PROFESSION

Journal Referee

American Journal of Political Science, American Political Science Review, British Journal of Political Science, Comparative Political Studies, Conflict Management and Peace Science, Democratization, Journal of Cleaner Production, Journal of Comparative Politics, Journal of Development Studies, Journal of Politics, Latin American Politics and Society, Perspectives on Politics, Political Geography, Political Science Research and Methods, Publius, Regional and Federal Studies, Revista de Ciencia Política, Revista Colección, Revista Colombia Internacional, Studies in Comparative International Development, World Politics.

Book Referee

Cambridge University Press, Oxford University Press, Johns Hopkins University Press, Routledge (Taylor and Francis Group)

Editorial

- Co-editor of Palgrave Macmillan's Comparative Territorial Politics book series (2020 -)
- Editorial Board, *Regional and Federal Studies* (November 2016 -)
- Editorial Board, *Latin American Politics and Society* (June 2016 -)
- LASA Forum, Special Issue on the State in Latin America (August 2012)

Discipline

- Member, APSA Robert Dahl Award Committee, 2020
- Member, APSA Comparative Democratization Best Paper Prize Committee, 2019
- Co-Chair of the Territorial Politics and Federalism Research Network, Center for European Studies (CES)
- Co-Track Chair for LASA 2017, Latin American Political Institutions Section
- Member, Donna Lee Van Cott Book Award Committee, Latin American Political Institution Section, Latin American Studies Association, 2010

Conferences Organized

- 4th DC Area Comparative Politics Workshop, American University, 2016

- Subnational Research in Comparative Politics, Harvard University, 2014
- Subnational Research in Comparative Politics, Brown University, 2013