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### **Pre-doctoral Studies**

B.A. Economics, Universidad del Rosario, 2009  
B.A. Finance and International Trade, Universidad del Rosario, 2010  
M.A. Economics, Brown University, 2013

### **Doctoral Studies**

Brown University, 2012 to present  
Ph.D. Candidate in Economics  
Thesis Title: Essays on Minimum Wages and Local Labor Market Policies  
Expected Completion Date: May 2018

### **Thesis Committee**

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### **Teaching and Research Fields**

Primary field: Urban Economics  
Secondary fields: Labor Economics, Public Economics

### **Teaching Experience**

Summer, 2017 Intermediate Microeconomics, Universidad del Rosario  
Summer, 2017 Econometrics, Pre-College Program, Brown University  
Summer, 2016 Econometrics. Pre-College Program. Brown University  
2014 Graduate Applied Econometrics, Brown University, TA for Professor Kenneth Chay  
2010 Microeconomic Analysis, Undergraduate, Universidad del Rosario  
2009-2016 Stata Instructor, Software Shop, Bogotá, Colombia  
2005-2009 Time Series Econometrics, Introductory Econometrics, Microeconomics, Statistics, Introduction to Economics, Undergraduate, Universidad del Rosario, teaching assistant

### **Research Experience and Other Employment**

Summer 2015 London School of Economics, visiting postgraduate researcher, London, UK  
Summer 2014 Brown University, Research Assistant for Professor Nathaniel Hilger, Providence RI, USA  
Summer 2014 Short Term Consultant, World Bank Poverty Gender and Equity Group, Washington DC, USA  
Summer 2013 Brown University, Research Assistant for Professor Nathaniel Baum-Snow, Providence RI, USA  
2010-2012 Inter-American Development Bank, Research Fellow, Washington DC, USA  
2008-2010 Universidad del Rosario, Research Assistant, Department of Economics, Bogotá, Colombia

### **Honors and distinctions**

2017 Dissertation completion award. Brown University  
2012 Fulbright Beca Francisco Jose de Caldas Grant, Fulbright Commission and Colciencias  
2009-10 Excellence for best GPA in Finance, Class of 2010 and Economics, Class of 2009. Universidad del Rosario

## **Publications**

### **Articles**

Cortés, Darwin and Pérez, Jorge (2010). “El Consumo de los Hogares Colombianos, 2006-2007: Estimación de Sistemas de Demanda”. *Desarrollo Y Sociedad* 66: 7-44. ([Link](#))

### **Policy Briefs**

Fernández-Arias, Eduardo and Pérez, Jorge (2014). “Grading Fiscal Policy in Latin America in the Last Decade”. IDB Policy Brief 216. Inter-American Development Bank. ([Link](#))

### **Presentations**

- 2017 American Association of Geographers, Brown Applied Micro Lunch, Universidad Javeriana Urban Workshop, Urban Economics Association
- 2016 World Bank, National Tax Association, Brown Applied Micro Lunch
- 2015 LACEA Annual Meeting
- 2014 Brown, Winter GIS Institute
- 2010 II Congress of Colombian Economics, VII National Microeconomics Symposium
- 2009 Dynamics, Economic Growth and International Trade DEGIT XIV

### **Professional Service**

Referee: Journal of Urban Economics (4), Cuadernos de Economía (2), Stata Journal (2), Ensayos de Economía (1)

### **Research Papers**

City Minimum Wages ([Link](#))

Minimum Wages in Formal and Informal Sectors: Evidence from the Colombian crisis ([Link](#))

Unpacking the MPI: a Decomposition Approach of Changes in Multidimensional Poverty Headcounts (With [Carlos Rodríguez-Castelán](#), José Daniel Trujillo and [Daniel Valderrama](#)) ([Link](#))

### **Research Papers in Progress**

The Efficacy of Hiring Credits in Distressed Areas (with [Michael Suher](#))