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## Academic Positions

Postdoctoral Associate, Yale Program on Democracy, MacMillan Center, Yale University, 2017–2018

Pre/Postdoctoral Associate, Department of Political Science, Duke University, 2016–2017

## Education

**Yale University**, New Haven, CT, USA

Ph.D., Political Science, with University and Departmental Distinction (Fall 2016)

Committee: T. Dunning, G. Huber, F. Rosenbluth, K. Scheve, S. Stokes

M.Phil., Political Science (Fall 2013)

**Universidad Torcuato Di Tella**, Buenos Aires, Argentina

B.A., Political Science and Government (2006)

## Research

### *Refereed Journal Articles*

Sharing the Costs: Party Brands and Incumbency Spillovers in Brazil. Revise & Resubmit at *The Journal of Politics*

Do the Wealthy Oppose Redistribution? Public Price Shocks and Redistributive Preferences in Buenos Aires (with L. Schiumerini and S. Stokes). Forthcoming at the *British Journal of Political Science*

Argentine presidentialism: from the crisis to the recomposition of power, 2003–2007 (“El Presidencialismo Argentino: de la Crisis a la Recomposicion Actual, 2003–2007”), with N. Cherny and M. Novaro, in *America Latina Hoy*, 54, April 2010

### *Work in Progress*

*The Left's Dilemma: Party Strategies and Informal Labor in Developing Economies* (book manuscript)

Does the Left Breed Economic Informality? Insider–Outsider Politics and Labor Markets in Developing Democracies

Electoral Accountability with Myopic Voters: Evidence from Fatal Workplace Accidents in Brazil

Distributive Politics in Three-Level Systems: Evidence from a Large Land-Titling Program

Paying Not to Vote: Pocketbook Considerations and the Shape of the Electorate (with G. Julcarimna and G. Tuñón)

Perceptions of Land Inequality and the Demand for Redistribution. Experimental Evidence from Rural Colombia (with A. Montoya and V. Paniagua)

### *Book Chapters*

Gathering Beans: The Size of Legislative Coalitions in Argentina (1983-2008) (“Juntando Porotos: El Tamaño de las Coaliciones Legislativas en Argentina”), in A. Mustapic, A. Bonvecchi, and J. Zelaznik (comps.), *Los Legisladores en el Congreso Argentino*, Instituto Torcuato Di Tella, 2012

### *Selected Other Publications*

“A significant minority of Americans say they could support a military takeover of the U.S. government,” Monkey Cage Blog, *Washington Post*, February 16th, 2018

“Yes, U.S. election integrity could be improved. Here’s why the Pence commission probably won’t do it,” Monkey Cage Blog, *Washington Post*, September 18th, 2017

“The U.S. could be free of gerrymandering. Here’s how other countries do redistricting,” Monkey Cage Blog, *Washington Post*, August 7th, 2017

From the Hegemonic to the Scrambled Stalemate, CLACS Working Paper, Brown University, May 2014

Lula and the Transformation of the Workers’ Party in Government (“Lula y el proceso de adaptación del PT a la hora de gobernar”) with V. Palermo, in *Revista Argentina de Ciencia Política*, 9/10, 2006

## Fields of Research Interest

Comparative politics, Political economy, Causal inference, Statistics, Latin America

## Teaching Interests

Political economy of development, Political parties and elections, Quantitative research methods (all levels), Latin American politics

## Honors, Awards, and Fellowships

Yale University, Postdoctoral Fellowship, 2017–2018

Duke University, Postdoctoral Fellowship, 2016–2017

Yale University Fellowship, 2010–2015

APSA Travel Grant, 2015

Latin American and Iberian Studies Travel Grant, Yale University, 2015

Tinker Summer Field Research Grant, Tinker Foundation, 2015

Henry C. Robinson Fellowship, Yale University, 2014-2015

Graduate Student Assembly Travel Award, Yale University, 2014  
Gilder Lehrman Center Graduate Research Fellowship, Yale University, 2014  
Georg Walter Leitner Program Grant, Yale University, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2015  
National Council of Scientific and Technological Research (CONICET) Fellowship 2008-2010  
National Agency of Scientific and Technological Promotion (AGECYT) Fellowship 2007-2008

## Teaching Experience

Yale University, TF, Sex, Markets, & Power (Undergraduate Level), Spring 2016  
Yale University, TF, Quantitative Methods (Graduate Level), Spring 2014  
Yale University, TF, Statistics (Graduate Level), Fall 2013  
Yale University, TF, Intro to Comparative Politics (Undergraduate Level), Spring 2013  
Yale University, TF, Intro to Statistics in Political Science (Undergraduate Level), Fall 2012  
Universidad Torcuato Di Tella, TF, Political Institutions and Government (Undergraduate Level), 2006

## Skills

### *Computer Programming*

R, STATA, Python (beginner), Git/Github, L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X, HTML

### *Languages*

Spanish (native), English (bilingual), Portuguese (intermediate)

## Fieldwork Experience

Argentina (Buenos Aires, Entre Ríos, Sante Fe, Tierra del Fuego), Brazil (Bahia, Brasilia, Rio Grande do Sul, São Paulo), Mexico (DF), Perú (Lima)

## Manuscript Reviewer

*Comparative Political Studies, American Journal of Political Science, European Journal of Political Economy*

## Other Relevant Experience

Universidad de Buenos Aires, CONICET, Fellow 2007-2010.  
Inter-American Development Bank (IADB), External Consultant for a project on fiscal reform in Latin America (Coordinator: Carlos Scartascini), October 2008-March 2009  
Universidad Torcuato Di Tella-PENT Foundation, Research Assistant 2006-2007.  
The World Bank (WB), Research Assistant for two projects on social policies and rural poverty in Argentina (Main Investigators: Catalina Smulovitz, Ignacio Llovet), August 2006-June 2007

## Invited Presentations

Comparative Politics Workshop, Yale University, 2014, 2017

Duke–Oxford Conference on Cognition, Law, and Social Science, Duke University, 2017

Duke–UNC Latin American Politics Working Group, Duke University, 2016

Political Economy Workshop, Duke University, 2016

“New Approaches to the Political Economy of Social Policy,” University of Cologne, 2016

Political Science Workshop, Universidad Torcuato Di Tella, 2014

“Argentina Today and Tomorrow: Prospects and Challenges”, Brown University, 2014

“La teoría del Estado y los Estados de América Latina,” Universidad de San Andrés, 2013

ISPS Experiments Workshop, Yale University, 2013

“The political architecture in Argentina,” Yale Law School, 2010

“New Studies on Argentine Federalism,” Universidad Torcuato Di Tella, Buenos Aires, 2009

## Conferences and Workshops

American Political Science Association, 2015, 2016, 2017

Red para el Estudio de la Economía Política de América Latina, 2014, 2017

Latin American Studies Association, 2017

Midwest Political Science Association, 2014, 2016

Argentine Association of Political Analysis, 2009