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Current status

2017- MPHIL/PHD in Social Policy, London School of Economics and Political Science
Project title: “Essays on Inequality of Opportunity”.
Supervisors: Stephen P. Jenkins and Berkay Ozcan.

Education

2016-2017 MRES in Economics (Merit), University College London
2011-2012 MSC in Economics (Highest Honours), Universidad de Chile
2007-2011 INGENIERO COMERCIAL (Honours), Universidad de Chile
2007-2011 BA in Economic Sciences (Honours), Universidad de Chile

Research Interests

Labour markets, Economic Inequality, Social Mobility, Applied Microeconometrics.

Work Experience

2015-2016 Advisor, Public Policy Department, Presidential Cabinet of Chile
2013-2015 Instructor, Department of Economics.FEN, Universidad de Chile
2014-2015 Research Assistant, Center for Social Conflict and Cohesion Studies (COES)
2013-2014 Research Manager: Managing RCT evaluations (UChile - JPAL)
2012-2014 Research and teaching assistant

Published Papers

- Otero, G., Carranza, R. & Contreras, D. (2017). *Neighbourhood effects’ on children’s educational achievement in Chile: The effects of inequality and polarization*. Environment and Planning A 49(11). [Link](#).
- Sehnbruch, K., Carranza, R. & Prieto, J.J. (2018). *The Political Economy of Unemployment Insurance Individual Savings Accounts*. Development and Change 50(4). [Link](#).

Working Papers

- Carranza, R., (2020) *Upper and lower bound estimates of inequality of opportunity: A cross-national comparison for Europe*. ECINEQ WP 511. [Link](#).
- Otero, G., Carranza, R., & Contreras, D. (2016) Los ‘efectos del barrio’ en el rendimiento educacional de los niños en Chile: los efectos de la organización local, polarización y desigualdad. [Link](#).
- Carranza, R. & Hojman, D. (2016). Inequality of Opportunity in Health and Cognitive Abilities: The Case of Chile. [Link](#).
- Sehnbruch, K. & Carranza, R. (2015) Unemployment Insurance based on Individual Savings Accounts: Lessons for other Latin American and Developing Countries from Chile. [Link](#).

Conferences

- 2020 Inequality and Economic Growth: New Evidence using Upper Bounds Estimates of Inequality of Opportunity. XXVII Meeting on Public Economics (Workshop on Public Policies: Inequality of opportunity). 23-24 January. Barcelona, Spain.
- 2020 (Poster Session) Inequality and Economic Growth: New Evidence using Upper Bounds Estimates of Inequality of Opportunity. Winter School on Inequality and Social Welfare Theory. 13-16 January. Alba di Canazei, Italy.
- 2019 Precarious Employment Conditions and Individual Savings Accounts: Lessons for other Developing Countries from Chile. Sustainability and Development Conference. 11-14 October. Ann Arbor, Michigan.
- 2019 Upper and lower bound estimates of inequality of opportunity: A cross national comparison for Europe. Opportunites, Mobility and Well-Being. 8-9 July, 2019. Warsaw, Poland.
- 2019 Upper and lower bound estimates of inequality of opportunity: A cross national comparison for Europe. 8th ECINEQ Meeting. 3-5 July 2019. Paris, France.
- 2018 (Poster session) Measuring Inequality of Opportunity trends in Europe: Lower bounds, upper bounds and the space in between. Equal Chances: Equality of Opportunity and Social Mobility Around the World. 14-15 December 2018. Bari, Italy.
- 2018 The Political Economy of Unemployment Insurance Individual Savings Accounts. Challenges for Development in Chile: New institutions for innovations. 15 November 2018. Oxford, UK.
- 2018 The Political Economy of Unemployment Insurance Individual Savings Accounts. The IZA World Labor Conference. 28-29 June 2018. Berlin, Germany.

Taught courses

- 2014 (UG) Political Economy; Resource Allocation and Welfare Economics - Lecturer - University of Chile
- 2014-2015 (G) Data Analysis; Survey design and Statistics using Stata; Applied Microeconometrics - Lecturer - University of Chile
- 2018 (G) Applied Regression Analysis (MY452) - Teaching assistant - LSE

Honours and awards

- 2016-2020 Becas Chile scholarship for PhD studies
- 2013 Master in Economics: Best graduate in class of winter 2013
- 2011 First distinction in macroeconomics graduate exam
- 2011 Joseph Grunwald scholarship (MSc scholarship)