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Date of Birth: July 9th, 1972
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Education

Ph.D. in Economics: University of Illinois, August 2001

- Thesis Topic: *Quantile Regression in Applied Labor Economics.*
- *Dissertation Chair: Prof. Kevin Hallock.*

M.A. in Economics: University of Illinois, 1997

- M.A. Essay: *Informal Labor Markets and Unemployment: The case of the Urban Area of Recife in Brazil.*
- *Advisor: Prof. Werner Baer.*

B.A. in Economics: Universidade Federal de Pernambuco (UFPE) - Brazil, 1995

Academic Positions

- College Lecturer in Economics, Homerton College, University of Cambridge, from June. 2012 to the present.
- Director of Studies in Economics, Homerton College, University of Cambridge, from Oct. 2012 to the present .
- Forbes Lecturer in Economics, Newnham College, University of Cambridge, from Oct. 2009 to 2011.
- Director of Studies in Economics, Newnham College, University of Cambridge, from Oct. 2009 to 2011.
- University Lecturer, Faculty of Economics, University of Cambridge, from Sept. 2007 to Sept.2009.
- Associate Professor, Universidade Federal de Pernambuco - Brazil - Department of Economics, (May 2004 to May 2013)
- Pos-Doc INOVA Fellowship Universidade Nova de Lisboa Faculdade de Economia, 2001-2003.

- Fall 2004: Visiting Scholar (Hewlett Foundation) at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign. Economics Department, November 2004.

Research Areas

- Labour Economics, Education Economics, Development and Applied Econometrics.

Teaching Areas

- Undergraduate: Macroeconomics, Microeconomics, Labour Economics, Statistics and Econometrics.
- Graduate: Labour Economics, Development, Applied Econometrics and Macroeconomics.

Publication:

- Family Background and Students' Achievement on a University Entrance Exam in Brazil. (with Breno Sampaio), *Education Economics*, vol. 21(1), 38-52, February 2013.
- Barriers to Skill Acquisition in Brazil: Public and Private School Students Performance in a Public University Entrance Exam, (with Tiago Cavalcanti and Breno Sampaio), *Quarterly Review of Economics and Finance*, vol. 50(4), November 2010.
- What is Behind University Dropout Decision in Brazil? A bivariate Probability Model (with Breno Sampaio and Yoni Sampaio), *The Empirical Economics Letter*, vol. 9(6), June 2010.
- Is Brazil the land of happiness? A comparative study using a sample with econ university students from UFPE and Purdue. (with Tiago Cavalcanti and José Ricardo Nogueira), *Brazilian Review of Econometrics*, vol. 29 (1), 2009.
- Diferença de Eficiência entre ensino Público e Privado no Brasil (with Breno Sampaio), *Revista de Economia Aplicada Mar 2009*, vol. 13, no. 1, p. 45-68. ISSN 1413-8050.
- U.S. Unemployment Duration: Has Long Become Longer or Short Become Shorter? (with José Machado and Pedro Portugal), *IZA (Zukunft der Arbeit Institute for the Study of Labor) Working Paper no 2174*.
- Is There Racial Wage Discrimination in Brazil? A new sample with proxy for family background and ability (with Alexandre R. de Barros and Tiago Cavalcanti), *In: Global Business and Economic Review - Anthology 2000*.

Work in Progress:

- The road out of serfdom, (with Marcelo Silva and Sónia Pereira).
- Less Inequality More Welfare? A Structural Quantitative Welfare Analysis for Brazil, (with António Antunes and Tiago Cavalcanti) In Revision for Resubmission, *Journal of Economic Inequality*.

- Does Education Decrease Fertility? New Evidence from the 1972 Change in British Compulsory Schooling Law, (*with Rachell Russell*) Submitted.
- Mind the Gap: Evidences from Gender Differences in Scores in Brazil , (*with Breno Sampaio*).
- Accounting for Differences in Private and Public Sector Pay in Brazil ,(with *Tiago Cavalcanti*)
- Changes in the Earnings Distribution in Brazil,1996-2009: Human Capital and Institutional Factors.).

Experience:

Teaching:

- Supervisor: Macroeconomics, part 1 and IIA and Labour Economics -Homerton College 2012 to the present and Newnham College, St. John's, Claire's, Kings, Girton, Jesus, Churchill, Fitzwilliams for the Labour Economics paper University of Cambridge, 2009 to the present.
- Lecturer: Macroeconomics, Easter 2009- Diploma in Economics - Faculty of Economics, University of Cambridge.
- Lecturer: Quantitative Methods in Economics - Easter 2009- Faculty of Economics, University of Cambridge.
- Lecturer: Macroeconomics, Lent 2009- Diploma in Economics - Faculty of Economics, University of Cambridge.
- Supervisor: Part IIA Paper 2, Lent/Easter 2009 - Newnham College, University of Cambridge.
- Supervisor: Part 1 Paper 2, Lent/Easter 2009 - Newnham College, University of Cambridge.
- Lecturer: Intertemporal Macroeconomics, Michaelmas 2008- (weeks 1-4) - Faculty of Economics, University of Cambridge.
- Lecturer: Unemployment, Michaelmas 2008- (weeks 4-8) - Faculty of Economics, University of Cambridge.
- Lecturer: Diploma Paper 2: Macroeconomics, Michaelmas 2008- (weeks 1-8) - Faculty of Economics, University of Cambridge.
- Supervisor: Part IIA Paper 2, Michaelmas 2008- (weeks 1-8) - Newnham College, University of Cambridge .
- Supervisor: Part IIA Paper 2, Michaelmas 2008- (weeks 1-8) - Kings' College, University of Cambridge .
- Supervisor: Part 1 Paper 2, Michaelmas 2008- (weeks 1-8) - Newnham College, University of Cambridge.

- Lecturer: Quantitative Methods in Economics- Easter 2008 (weeks 1-4) - Faculty of Economics, University of Cambridge.
- Lecturer: Intertemporal Macroeconomics, Michaelmas 2007- (weeks 1-4) - Faculty of Economics, University of Cambridge.
- Lecturer: Principles of Macroeconomics, Michaelmas 2007- (weeks 1-8) - Faculty of Economics, University of Cambridge.
- Lecturer: Labor Economics, Fall 2007-UFPE, Brazil.
- Lecturer: Principles in Economics, Fall 2007-UFPE, Brazil.
- Lecturer: Principles in Economics, Spring 2006-UFPE, Brazil.
- Lecturer: Inequality and Poverty, PhD.Spring 2006-UFPE, Brazil.
- Lecturer: Economics of Human Resources, Fall 2006-UFPE, Brazil.
- Lecturer: Principles in Economics, Spring 2006-UFPE, Brazil.
- Lecturer: Principles in Economics, Fall 2004-UFPE, Brazil.
- Lecturer: Tópicos de Economia Internacional: Mestrado Profissionalizante em Economia, PIMES-UFPE, Brazil, Spring 2003.
- Lecturer: Principles in Economics, Spring 2003-UFPE, Brazil.

Research & Consulting:

- Consultant for UNESCO on an Educational Program for the Teaching of English to Children from Disadvantaged Background on poor areas of the state of Pernambuco in Brazil. Funded by UNESCO and the Local State Government
- Consultant for IDB Inter-American Development Bank: Evaluation of Bank project BR0177, “Proposal for a loan to the State of Ceará for social reforms for child and adolescent development (PROARES)” in Brazil 2006-2007.
- Consultant for CEPLAN-Brazil in evaluating the impact of Vale do Rio Doce Investments in local Labour market in Minas Gerais 2006-2007.
- Fall 2004: Visiting Scholar (Hewlett Foundation)at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign. Economics Department, November 2004.
- Pos-Doc INOVA Fellowship Universidade Nova de Lisboa Faculdade de Economia, 2001-2003.

Grants and Awards:

- Pos-Doc INOVA Fellowship with the project “U.S. Unemployment Duration” supervised by Prof. José Machado. Faculdade Nova de Lisboa, Lisbon 2001-2003
- CAPES-MEC PRODOC Fellowship with the project “Unemployment Duration in Brazil: a quantile regression approach - June 2003-June 2004
- Hans Brems Research Paper Award: For the paper “Labor Market Discrimination in Brazil: A Quantile Regression Approach.”
- Tinker Field Research Grant: Awarded in the summer of 1999 for the project: Wage differentials between the formal and informal labor sectors in Brazil.
- Doctoral Fellowship from CAPES-MEC BRAZIL: Doctoral Fellowship from the Brazilian Government, 1998-2000.
- Lehman Scholar: University of Illinois 1996-1998.
- Undergraduate Fellowship: From the Brazilian Government, 1992-1995, for the PET (Programa de Estudo e Treinamento) Program. Capes-Ministério da Educação - Brazil
- Dirceu Pessoa Award: Prize for best undergraduate Final Project granted by Regional Economic Council (Conselho Regional de Economia-NE): Recife Brazil.

Conference Presentations:

- 1999 Brazilian Economic Association (ANPEC) Meeting: *“Is there racial discrimination in Brazil? A new sample with proxies for family background and ability”* jointly with Alexandre R. Barros and Tiago Cavalcanti.
- 1999 Brazilian Econometric Association (SBE) Meeting: *“Labor Market Discrimination: A Quantile Regression Approach”*.
- 2001 Brazilian Econometric Association (SBE) Meeting : *“Changes in the Earnings Distribution in Brazil, 1986-1995: Human Capital and Institutional Factors”*
- 2002 EALE - European Association of Labor Economics Meeting in Paris: *“Changes in the Earnings Distribution in Brazil, 1986-1995: Human Capital and Institutional Factors”*
- 2002 LACEA Meeting in Madrid: *Changes in the Earnings Distribution in Brazil, 1986-1995: Human Capital and Institutional Factors”*
- 2002 Brazilian Econometric Association (SBE) Meeting: *Are All Women Swimming Upstream? Using Quantile Regression to Estimate the Gender Wage Gap in the U.S. over time*
- 2003 Brazilian Econometric Association (SBE) Meeting: *Gender Discrimination in the US: A quantile Regression Approach*
- 2004 Brazilian Econometric Association (SBE) Meeting: *Has long become longer or short become shorter? Evidence from a censored quantile regression analysis of the changes in the distribution of U.S. unemployment duration (with José Machado and Pedro Portugal)*

- 2006 Brazilian Economics Association (ANPEC) Meeting: *Accounting for Labor Income Differences in Brazil: the role of Human Capital*(with Tiago Cavalcanti and Raul Silveira Neto)
- 2007 Brazilian Economics Association (ANPEC) Meeting: *The Influence of Family Background and Individual Characteristics on Entrance Test Scores of Brazilian University Students* (with Breno Sampaio)
- 2007 Brazilian Econometric Association (SBE) Meeting: *Quantitative Evidences on Inequality of Opportunities in Brazil*(with Tiago Cavalcanti and Breno Sampaio)
- 2008 Brazilian Economic Association (ANPEC) Meeting: *Mind the Gap: Evidence from Gender Differences in Scores in Brazil*(with Breno Sampaio)
- 2010 Brazilian Econometric Association (SBE) Meeting: *Barriers to Skill Acquisition in Brazil:Public and Private School Students Performance in a Public University Entrance Exam* (with Tiago Cavalcanti and Breno Sampaio)
- 2011 Brazilian Econometric Association (SBE) Meeting: *Declining (Un)Observed Wage Inequality: A Quantitative Welfare Analysis for Brazil* , (with Tiago Cavalcanti and Tatiane Menezes)
- 2012 Brazilian Econometric Association (SBE) Meeting: *Does Education Decrease Fertility? New Evidence from the 1972 Change in British Compulsory Schooling Law*, (with Rachell Russell)
- 2014- April Paper presentation at the Lemann Institute for Brazilian Studies: *Declining (Un)Observed Wage Inequality: A Quantitative Welfare Analysis for Brazil*

Computer Skills:

Stata, SPLUS, R, LaTeX and UNIX environment.

Languages

Portuguese, *mother tongue*, English, *fluent*, French, *fair*.

References:*Available upon request*