

## Curriculum Vitae – Fall 2021

Family name: Baumgartner  
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**Qualifications****University of São Paulo, São Paulo, Brazil**

- *MSc in Economics*
- *Thesis: “The Payroll Tax Reform and its Effect on the Labor Market”*
- *Advisor: Professor. Renata Del Tedesco Narita*
- *2015 - 2017*

**Free University of Berlin, Berlin, Germany**

- *BSc in Economics*
- *Thesis: “Employment History and the Demographic Transition in Germany”*
- *Advisor: Professor Viktor Steiner*
- *2011 - 2015*

**State University of São Paulo, Franca, Brazil**

- *BSc in International Relations*
- *Thesis: “Income Transfer and Basic Income: an International Overview”*
- *Advisor: Professor Patricia Soraya Mustafa*
- *2006-2010*

**Awards and Scholarships**

*Bocconi University Fellowship, 2021 - 2025*  
*CNPq Scholarship, 2015-2017*

**Research Interests**

*Development, Labor Economics and Public Economics*

**Working papers**

***Payroll Tax, Employment and Labor Market Concentration***  
*(with Renata Narita and Raphael Corbi)*

*How much employment can be generated by decreasing payroll taxes? We examine this question by exploring the staggered rollout of a large payroll tax reform in Brazil. Using administrative matched employer-employee data, we find an increase of 5 percent on employment due to both firm growth and firm entry, no impact on wages and an increase of 59 percent in profits. Moreover, employment effects are driven by less concentrated labor markets, consistent with predictions from an oligopsony model.*

**Studies abroad**

*Dresden Technical University, Exchange Program, 2008-2009*

**Work Experience**

**Research Assistant at Bocconi University, Milan, Italy**

*September 2020 - July 2021*

**Research Field Coordinator at DIME (World Bank)**

*July 2017 - August 2020*

**Data Scientist at Gove**

*February 2017 - July 2017*

**Teaching Experience**

**University of São Paulo, Teaching Assistant in Microeconometrics (BSc) for professors Fabiana Fontes Rocha and Fabio Miessi**

*July 2015 - July 2016*

**Language Skills**

*Please, list International certifications, if any, and specify score or CEFR-based level achieved (e.g. B2, C1, C2). Do not use generic expressions like “fluent in...”*

**IT Skills**

*List certifications, if any, or specify your skill level:*

- Stata, Python, ODK (SurveyCTO), LaTeX, (excellent)
- R, Matlab (good)