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Research School of Economics, The Australian National University

## Education

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### Australian National University

Canberra, Australia

Ph.D. in Economics

(expected) 2027

Committee: José A. Rodrigues-Neto (Chair), Han Bleichrodt, Idione Meneghel,

Ruitian Lang, Ronald Stauber

Master of Economics (with commendation)

2021

### Wuhan University

Wuhan, China

Bachelor of Philosophy

2019

Bachelor of Economics

2019

## Research Interests

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Microeconomics, Applied Game Theory, Labor Economics, Behavioral and Experimental Economics

## Research

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### Time and Income Allocation in Non-cooperative and Cooperative Families

job market paper

with José A. Rodrigues-Neto

under review at the *Journal of Population Economics*

### Matching and Taxation of Status Goods: Balancing Efficiency and Rawlsian Fairness

working paper

with Rogério Mazali and José A. Rodrigues-Neto

### Measuring Prudence

in progress

with Han Bleichrodt, Iván Payá and Jingni Yang

### Childcare, Bargaining, and Grandparental Care

in progress

with José A. Rodrigues-Neto

### Marketing Competition for Status Goods

in progress

with José A. Rodrigues-Neto

## Visits

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### University of Alicante

Alicante, Spain

Visiting student

Oct - Nov 2025

## Presentations

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### Conference and Workshop

2026 Asian and Australasian Society of Labour Economics 2026 Conference

scheduled

Econometric Society Australasia Meeting

scheduled

Australian Conference of Economists

Australasian Economic Theory Workshop

2025 Chinese Economists Society China Annual Conference

Biennial Conference of the Asian Consumer and Family Economics Association

2024 Australian Annual PhD Conference in Economics and Business

## Seminar

2026 Australian National University

*scheduled*

2025 Central University of Finance and Economics  
University of Alicante

2024 Australian National University

## Teaching

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### Teaching Assistant, Australian National University

S = Semester

Microeconomic Analysis (Postgraduate)

2024 S1, 2025 S1, 2026 S1

Advanced Microeconomic Analysis (Postgraduate)

2024 S2

Behavioral Economics (Undergraduate)

2022 S2, 2023 S2

Strategic Thinking: An Introduction to Game Theory (Undergraduate)

2023 S1

## Skills

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**Programming and Data Analysis:** Python, oTree, EViews, Stata

**Language:** Mandarin (Native), English (Fluent)

## References

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