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EDUCATION	Harvard University	Cambridge, MA, USA
	<i>Ph.D. in Public Policy</i>	2018
	• Dissertation: “Essays on Urban Economics and Development”	
	Harvard Kennedy School	Cambridge, MA, USA
	<i>MPA in International Development</i>	2010
FLACSO Ecuador		Quito, Ecuador
	<i>MPP (Summa Cum Laude)</i>	2004
	Universidad San Francisco de Quito	Quito, Ecuador
	<i>BA in Economics & Sociology (double major)</i>	2001
EMPLOYMENT	Inter-American Development Bank, Research Department Washington, D.C., USA.	2018 – Present
	Research Economist.	
	The World Bank, Development Research Group Washington, D.C., USA.	Consultant. 2017
	The World Bank, Private Sector Development Washington, D.C., USA.	Consultant. 2014 – 2015
	OECD, Economic Reform Programmes (ERP) Paris, France.	Consultant. 2015
	National University of Malaysia (UKM) and Bright Vision Consulting Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia.	Consultant. 2014
	Center for International Development at Harvard Cambridge, MA, USA.	Research Fellow. 2010 – 2014
	Taubman Center for State and Local Government, Harvard Kennedy School Cambridge, MA, USA.	Research Assistant to Professor Edward Glaeser. 2010 – 2011
German Technical Cooperation Agency (GTZ), Local Economic Development Division Quito, Ecuador.	Team Manager (2007 – 2008), Consultant (2004 – 2006). 2004 – 2008	

- PUBLICATIONS
1. Matias Busso, **Juan Pablo Chauvin**. Long-term effects of weather-induced migration on urban labor and housing markets. *Journal of Urban Economics*, Forthcoming, 2025.
 2. **Juan Pablo Chauvin**. Why did COVID-19 affect some cities more than others? Insights from Brazil before vaccination. *Regional Science Policy Practice* 16.12 (2024): 100138.
 3. Matias Busso, **Juan Pablo Chauvin**, Nicolás Herrera. Rural-urban migration at high urbanization levels. *Regional Science and Urban Economics* 91 (2021): 103658.
 4. **Juan Pablo Chauvin**, Edward Glaeser, Yueran Ma, Kristina Tobio. What is different about urbanization in rich and poor countries? Cities in Brazil, China, India and the United States. *Journal of Urban Economics* 98 (2017): 17–49.

WORKING PAPERS

1. **Juan Pablo Chauvin**, Clemence Tricaud. Gender and electoral incentives: Evidence from crisis response. Last updated January 2025. No. w32410. *National Bureau of Economic Research*, 2024.
2. **Juan Pablo Chauvin**. Gender-Segmented Labor Markets and the Effects of Local Demand Shocks. Last updated December 2025.
3. **Juan Pablo Chauvin**. Local Education Spending and Migration: Evidence from a Large Redistribution Program. Last updated November 2024.
4. **Juan Pablo Chauvin**, Annabelle Fowler, Nicolás Herrera L. The younger age profile of COVID-19 deaths in developing countries. Last updated December 2023.
5. Sam Asher, **Juan Pablo Chauvin**, Idaliya Grigoryeva, Paul Novosad. Rural spillovers of urban growth. (2019).

BOOKS AND BOOK CHAPTERS

1. **Juan Pablo Chauvin**, Matias Busso, Paul E. Carrillo. Rethinking Urban Migration: Policy Options for Cities in Latin American and the Caribbean. *Inter-American Development Bank*, Washington, D.C., 2023. Available in English, Spanish, and Portuguese.
2. **Juan Pablo Chauvin**. Conflict and Local Government: The Case of Urban Transportation in Quito. Original Title: “Conflicto y Gobierno Local: El Caso del Transporte Urbano en Quito”. *Ediciones Abya Yala y Flacso, Sede Ecuador*, 2007. Available in Spanish only.
3. **Juan Pablo Chauvin**. Cities and Public Health in Latin America. Chapter 18 in González-Pérez, Irazábal, and Lois González (eds.), “The Routledge Handbook of Urban Studies in Latin America and the Caribbean”. *Routledge*, 2023.
4. **Juan Pablo Chauvin**, Juliana Pinillos. Spatial Health Inequality in Latin American Cities: Magnitude, Drivers, and Policy Alternatives. Chapter 8.3 in Libertun de Durén (ed.), “Inclusive Cities: Healthy Cities for All”. *Inter-American Development Bank*, Washington, D.C., 2022. Available in English and Spanish.
5. **Juan Pablo Chauvin**, Julian Messina. Regional Disparities and Urban Segregation. Chapter 4 in Busso and Messina (eds.), “The Inequality Crisis: Latin America and the Caribbean at the Crossroads”. *Inter-American Development Bank*, 2020. Available in English and Spanish.
6. **Juan Pablo Chauvin**, Julian Messina. The Spatial Dimension of Inequality. Chapter 4 in Nuguer and Powell (eds.), “Inclusion in Times of Covid-19”. *Inter-American Development Bank*, 2020. Available in English and Spanish.

POLICY BRIEFS

1. Matias Busso, **Juan Pablo Chauvin**. What Are the Housing Conditions of Urban Migrants in Latin America and the Caribbean, and How Can Those Conditions Be Improved? October 2024. *IDB Research Insights* 136.
2. Matias Busso, Paul E. Carrillo, **Juan Pablo Chauvin**. How Does Internal Migration Shape Urban Growth in Latin America and the Caribbean? June 2024. *IDB Research Insights* 129.
3. **Juan Pablo Chauvin**, Clemence Tricaud. Can Electoral Incentives Explain Gender Differences in Leaders’ Behavior? August 2023. *IDB Research Insights* 100.
4. Matias Busso, **Juan Pablo Chauvin**. What Are the Effects of Weather-Induced Rural-Urban Migration on Destinations’ Labor and Housing Markets? April 2023. *IDB Research Insights* 86.
5. **Juan Pablo Chauvin**. What Can Latin American Local Governments Do to Improve Public Health? March 2023. *IDB Research Insights* 70.
6. **Juan Pablo Chauvin**, Julián Messina. How Does Residential Segregation Shape Economic Inequality, and What Can Policymakers Do about It? January 2021. *IDB Research Insights* 29.
7. **Juan Pablo Chauvin**, Annabelle Fowler, Nicolás Herrera L. Why Do Young and Middle-Aged Adults Represent a Larger Share of Covid-19 Deaths in Developing Countries? December 2020. *IDB Research Insights* 26.

REFEREE SERVICE

Journal of Political Economy, Journal of Urban Economics, Journal of Development Economics, Journal of Public Economics, Journal of Economic Growth, Regional Science and Urban Economics, Journal of Economic Geography, Journal of Regional Science, Journal of Housing Economics, Urban Studies, The Annals of Regional Science, Empirical Economics, ILR Review, Research Policy, Regional Science Policy and Practice, Oxford Open Economics, *EconomiA*, Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences (PNAS).

FELLOWSHIP
AND
RESEARCH
GRANTS

- **2024.** IDB ESW competitive grant (two years) for "Informality and the Spatial Concentration of Economic Activity". Role: Team leader.
- **2024.** IDB Development Effectiveness Intelligence Fund competitive grant (3 years) for "Understanding the impacts of metro systems in LAC: The case of Quito's First Metro Line". Role: Team member.
- **2023.** IDB ESW competitive grant for "Productivity, Agglomeration Externalities, and Informality in Mexico". Role: Team member.
- **2023.** IDB ESW competitive grant for "Career boosts and the long-term success of workers in Latin America". Role: Team leader.
- **2022.** IDB ESW competitive grant for "Institutional protection and development opportunities for young women in Mexico". Role: Team leader.
- **2021.** IDB ESW competitive grant for "Local policies, gender, and resilience to the pandemic". Role: Team leader.
- **2016, 2017.** Harvard-Brazil Cities Initiative Grant.
- **2016, 2017.** Bradley Foundation Award, Harvard.
- **2011–2017.** Harvard Doctoral Fellowship.
- **2016.** Weiss Family Program Fund for Development Economics Grant.
- **2013.** Harvard Real Estate Academic Initiative Grant.

CONFERENCE
AND
SEMINAR
PRESENTATIONS

- 2025.** ASSA 2025 annual meetings (San Francisco, CA).
- 2024.** 18th North American Meetings of the Urban Economics Association (Washington, DC), 29th Annual LACEA Meeting (Montevideo, Uruguay).
- 2023.** Urban Economics Association 12th European Meetings (Milan, Italy), RIDGE May Forum – Inequality (Montevideo, Uruguay), Johns Hopkins University, Economics Brown-Bag Seminar (Washington, DC), 17th North American Meetings of the Urban Economics Association (Toronto, Canada), 28th Annual LACEA Meeting (Bogota, Colombia), LACEA's Latin American Urban Economics Network Second Annual Workshop (Rio de Janeiro, Brazil), IEA World Congress 2023 (Medellin, Colombia).
- 2022.** Economics Seminar, UWE Bristol (virtual), NBER Political Economy Program Fall Meeting (Cambridge, MA), 27th Annual LACEA Meeting (Lima, Peru).
- 2021.** Online Spatial and Urban Seminar from the Urban Economics Association (virtual), Bridges of Science Webinar Series (virtual), 10th European Meeting of the Urban Economics Association (virtual), Banco de México's Research Department Seminar (virtual), LACEA-Urban Online Research Seminar (virtual), VI International Meeting of Economics at Escuela Politécnica Nacional del Ecuador (keynote, virtual), 26th Annual LACEA Meeting (virtual), 15th North American Meeting of the Urban Economics Association (virtual).
- 2020.** 2020 Virtual Meeting of the Urban Economics Association (virtual), Harvard-Dartmouth Cities and Development Conference (virtual), LACEA Urban's COVID-19 in Latin American Cities Meeting (virtual), Colegio de Economistas del Ecuador Online Conference (virtual).
- 2019.** 2019 Society of Labor Economists Annual Meeting (Arlington, VA), 9th European Meeting of the Urban Economics Association (UEA) (Amsterdam, Netherlands), 15th North American Meeting of the Urban Economics Association (Philadelphia, PA), 24th Annual LACEA Meeting (Puebla, Mexico), 6th Urbanization and Poverty Reduction Research Conference (Washington, DC).
- 2018.** 13th Meeting of the Urban Economics Association (New York, NY), 24th Annual LACEA Meeting (Guayaquil, Ecuador), 2018 NEUDC Annual Conference (Ithaca, NY).
- 2017.** 13th Meeting of the Urban Economics Association (Vancouver, Canada), Harvard-Dartmouth Cities and Development Conference (Cambridge, MA), IPEA (Brasilia, Brazil), University of Sao Paulo (Sao Paulo, Brazil).
- 2016.** 2016 NEUDC Annual Conference (Cambridge, MA), 11th Meeting of the Urban Economics Association (Minneapolis, MN), Harvard-Dartmouth Cities and Development Conference (Cambridge, MA), INFER (Reus, Spain).

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