

# FILIFE B. CAIRES

PhD Candidate in Economics

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## Research Interests

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**Field** Applied Microeconomics

**Topics of Interest** Labor and Public Economics, Empirical Political Economy, Causal Inference, Applied Econometrics

## Education

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### PhD in Economics

European University Institute

Supervisors: Professor Andrea Ichino, Professor Thomas Crossley

*Florence, Italy*

2021 -

### MRes in Economics

European University Institute

*Florence, Italy*

2021

### Master in Economics

NOVA School of Business and Economics (Top 1%)

Supervisor: Professor Susana Peralta.

*Lisbon, Portugal*

2018

### BSc in Economics

NOVA School of Business and Economics

*Lisbon, Portugal*

2016

## Working Papers with Draft

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### Contract Splitting in Public Procurement [Draft here](#)

*with Susana Peralta and Diogo Mendes*

2023

## Presentations and Seminars

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**2023** Workshop on Lobbying and Political Influence, Utrecht USE. VPDE 16th PhD Workshop, CCA Torino\*. *\*scheduled*

**2022** Lisbon Micro Group, ISEG. Microeconometrics Working Group & Informal Economics Working Group, EUI.

**2019** 13th Annual Meeting of the Portuguese Economic Journal.

**2018** 9th Conference of Portuguese Economic Development, Bank of Portugal.

## Skills

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**Programming** STATA, R, Matlab, L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X, MS Office

**Languages** Portuguese (native), English (fluent), Italian, Spanish (conversational)

## Teaching and Grading

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**2023** Econometrics of Microdata - PhD, EUI, Thomas Crossley and Sule Alan

**2019** Microeconometrics - Masters, CATOLICA LISBON, Pedro Raposo

**2018, 2019** Econometrics II, Economics of Education - Masters, CATOLICA LISBON, Hugo Reis

## Grants and Recognitions

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2023 - 2024	<b>Mário Soares Scholarship</b> Portuguese Ministry of Foreign Affairs, DG European Affairs
2023 - 2024	<b>PhD 4th Year Grant</b> European University Institute
2020 - 2023	<b>PhD Scholarship</b> Fundação para a Ciência e Tecnologia
Jan 2019	<b>Best Master's Theses on the Portuguese Economy</b> Bank of Portugal and FFMS

## Previous Experience

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### Pre Doctoral Fellow

NOVA School of Business and Economics

- Public Procurement, Political Economy and Firm Dynamics
- Principal Researcher: Professor Susana Peralta

*Portugal*  
Mar - Aug 2020

### Research Assistant

Bank of Portugal and CATOLICA LISBON School of Business and Economics

- Economics of Education, Labor Economics, Firm Dynamics
- Principal Researchers: Professors Hugo Reis, Paulo Rodrigues, Pedro Raposo

*Portugal*  
Mar 2018 - Aug 2020

### Research Intern

Ministry for the Economy, Office for Strategy and Studies

*Portugal*  
Jun - Aug 2017