



CURRICULUM VITAE

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I. Education

- Ph.D. in Economics, VU University Amsterdam, 2015
- M.Sc. and Professional Degree in Transport Engineering, Universidad de Chile, 2010

II. Academic Positions & Work Experience

- Associate Professor, UC Chile (2025–Present)
- Assistant Professor, UC Chile (2015–2024)
- Researcher, CEDEUS, BRT+ Centre of Excellence, and ISCI (2015–Present)

III. Research Positions & Professional Involvement

- Research interests: urban transportation, congestion, pricing policies, public transport systems
- Principal Investigator on multiple FONDECYT projects on urban transportation policies, airport regulation, and externalities

IV. Selected Publications

- Silva, H. et al. (2025). The efficiency of bus priority infrastructure. *Journal of Urban Economics*, 146.
- Leonardo J. Basso, Raúl Pezoa, Hugo E. Silva. (2024). Maximization of equilibrium utility vs minimization of resources in the urban equilibrium, *Economics Letters*, Volume 240.
- Ramos, Raúl and Silva, Hugo. (2023). Fare Evasion in Public Transport: How Does it Affect the Optimal Design and Pricing? *Transportation Research Part B: Methodological*, Volume 176.



- Vicente Ramírez, Patricia Galilea, Joaquín Poblete, Hugo E. Silva. (2022). Team-based incentives in transportation firms: An Experiment, Transportation Research Part A: Policy and Practice, Volume 164.
- Owen Bull, Juan Carlos Muñoz, Hugo E. Silva. (2021). The impact of fare-free public transport on travel behavior: Evidence from a randomized controlled trial, Regional Science and Urban Economics, Volume 86.

V. Teaching Activities

- Microeconomics I and II (Undergraduate, UC Chile)
- Transport Economics and Topics in Urban Economics (Graduate, UC Chile)

VI. Institutional Service

- Scientific Committee Member, International Transportation Economics Association (2023–Present)
- Advisor to the DTPM Strategy and Planning Advisory Board (2017–2018)
- Referee for AEJ: Economic Policy, Journal of Urban Economics, IJIO, and leading transport journals

VII. Conferences

- 2025 14th European Meeting of the Urban Economics Association
- 2025 May RIDGE Forum
- 2024 7th Workshop on Urban Economics
- 2024 18th North American Meeting of the Urban Economics Association
- 2024 Annual Conference of the International Transportation Economics Association.
- 2023 Annual Conference of the International Transportation Economics Association.
- 2023, 17th Meeting of the Urban Economics Association.2
- 2022 16th Meeting of the Urban Economics Association
- 2021 Annual Conference of the International Transportation Economics Association
- 2020 15th Meeting of the Urban Economics Association