Vedran Razmilic

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Education

2024 – Ongoing | **PhD in Economics**, *University of British Columbia (UBC)*

2020 – 2021 | **Masters in Applied Economics**, *Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile*
- Class rank N°1 of 38.

2016 – 2020 | **BS in Economics and Business**, *Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile*
- Class rank N°6 of 470.

References

Torsten Jaccard `tjaccard@mail.ubc.ca`
Vancouver School of Economics
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Guillermo Marshall `guillermo.marshall@sauder.ubc.ca`
Vancouver School of Economics
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Ron Yang `ron.yang@sauder.ubc.ca`
Vancouver School of Economics
University of British Columbia

Fields of Interest

Primary: Industrial Organization.
Secondary: Urban Economics and Culture Economics.

Research

Works in Progress

- *Immigrant Neighborhood Formation: Evidence from Canadian Cities*, with Pierre-Loup Beauregard and Pablo Valenzuela.
- *What do mayors learn in office? Efficiency gains and rent seeking in public procurement*, with Eduardo Barrueto and Pedro Correa.

Research Assistance

2025 | *University of British Columbia (UBC)*
- Research assistant for Professor Guillermo Marshall.
- Research assistant for professor Ron Yang on paper: *Life on the road*, with Stephanie Meyer.

2020 - 2024 | *Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile*
- Research assistant for professors Francisco Gallego and Hugo Silva on papers: *What's Behind Her Smile? Health, Looks, and Self-Esteem*, Gallego, Phillipi, and Repetto (2024); *Efficiency of Bus Priority Infrastructure*, González and Silva (2024); among others.

Teaching Experience

2025 - 2026 | **Teaching Assistant**
University of British Columbia (UBC)
- Intermediate Microeconomics Honours

2023 - 2023 | **Course Instructor**
Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile
- Introduction to Economics

2017 - 2024 | **Teaching Assistant**
Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile
- Graduate courses: Microeconomic Theory I (2024), Mathematical Economics (2019,2024), Institutional Economics (2023), and Public Economics (2021).
- Undergraduate courses in Intermediate Microeconomics, Intermediate Industrial Organization, Econometrics, Statistics, Data Science, and Behavioral Economics.

Awards, Honors, and Grants

2024 - Ongoing
- Four Year Fellowship (4YF), *University of British Columbia (UBC)*
- President's Academic Excellence Initiative PhD Award, *University of British Columbia (UBC)*

Professional Experience

2022 - 2022 | **SENAME, Justice Ministry – Santiago**
Economist
- Designed and implemented research projects on evaluating public policies related to reducing juvenile recidivism.
- Processed SQL structured criminological data through open-source software.
- Prepared and presented reports on research results to the agency Director.

2020 - 2022 | **CLAPES UC – Santiago**
Junior Researcher
- Processed household expenditure surveys and other datasets to build an absolute child poverty line.
- Wrote research proposals for public policy research grants.

Research Assistant Intern
- Processed fishing quota prices and quantity data, and worked towards building an adjusted Consumer Price Index.
- Reviewed labor literature and legislation regarding the Gig Economy in selected countries.

Additional Information

Software Skills: Stata, Python, R, Julia, SQL, and QGIS.
Full Name: Vedran Juraj Razmilic Serrano
Age: 28
Nationality: Chilean
Other: Amateur pianist with a general interest in art and a special interest in music. Hobbies also include sports, reading, and playing video games, among others.