

# Thiago Cordeiro Almeida

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## CURRENT POSITION

Training Researcher at the Centre d'Estudis Demogràfics (CED-CERCA) and a PhD student at the Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona (UAB), Barcelona, Spain.






## RESEARCH INTERESTS

Family and kinship demography. Fertility behaviors. Life course approach. Gender and socioeconomic inequalities. Formal/Mathematical demography. Cross-national comparisons. Data quality assessment. Indirect demographic analysis techniques.

## EDUCATION



- **Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona (UAB)** September 2025 - ongoing  
*PhD in Demography* Bellaterra, Spain
  - Provisional Title: "Essays on demographic factors associated with aloneness over the life course"
- **European Doctoral School of Demography (EDSD)** September 2024 - July 2025  
*M.A in Demography* Paris, France & Rostock, Germany
  - Thesis: "The role of partnership trajectories on the delay of first birth in the Southern Cone countries: the case of Argentina and Uruguay"
- **Federal University of Minas Gerais** March 2021 - December 2023  
*M.A in Demography* Belo Horizonte, Brazil
  - Thesis: "Demographic factors associated with changes in the profile of household headship in Brazil over time"
- **Federal University of Minas Gerais** March 2016 - December 2020  
*B.A. in Social Sciences* Belo Horizonte, Brazil

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- **Institute for Applied Economic Research (IPEA)**  March 2023 - August 2024  
*Research Fellow at the Team of Social Indicators* Brasília, Brazil
  - Conduct analysis based on different data sources to estimate social indicators for evidence-based policies in the ministries.
  - Creation of panel data and performing longitudinal analyses based on the Brazilian register data for the formal labor market and the social benefits.
- **Brazilian Center for Analysis and Planning (CEBRAP)**  2023 - 2025  
*Research Assistant* Remote
  - Research Assistant in the project "Who Cares? - rebuilding care in a post-pandemic period", in the coordination of demographic estimates of paid and unpaid work/care in different countries.
  - Responsible for performing comparative analysis of time-use survey data for Brazil and Colombia.
  - Responsible for managing and analyzing census data and other household survey data in the Coordination of Inequalities by Race and Class in Brazil.
- **Institute for Research and Statistics from the Federal District (IPEDF)**  October 2023 - September 2024  
*Individual Consultant* Brasília, Brazil
  - Monitoring the data collection of the Districtal Household Survey from the Federal District (PDAD-DF), 2023-2024.
- **Ministry of Education**  April 2023 - December 2023  
*UNESCO Individual Consultant* Brasília, Brazil
  - Evaluating and analyzing the data gathered to support the Public Policy for reformulating the secondary educational level in Brazil.
- **Center for Regional and Urban Development and Planning (Cedeplar)**  August 2022 - May 2023  
*Research Assistant* Remote
  - Assisting the team in the evaluation of the 2017 Mozambique Population Census, coordinated by Laura Wong.
  - Assisting the team in the computation of the population projections for Mozambique and regions 2020-2050.

- [TR] Barbosa, A. L., Hecksher, M., Luz, F., **Cordeiro-Almeida, T.**, Lima, T. (2025). Data on the lack of fathers' leave data in Brazil. In: IPEA (Org.). The labor Market Bulletin, 31. Brasília, Brazil. Published in Portuguese. DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.38116/bmt79/dossie2>.
- [WP] De Vito, A., **Cordeiro-Almeida, T.** (2025). Family trajectories of immigrants and their descendants in Mediterranean countries: the case of Italy and Spain.
- [WP] Wajnman, S., Turra, C., Jesus, J., **Cordeiro-Almeida, T.**, Guerra, F., Almeida, M. (2024). Valuating household services in Brazil: a comparison of paid and unpaid care.
- [B] Natalino, M., **Cordeiro-Almeida, T.** (2024). Longitudinal panel of the homeless population registered in the Cadastro Único: stages of the method and first results (2011-2023). In: Freitas, R., et al. (Org.). Homeless population: concepts, methods for counting and public policies, 37, Brasília, Brazil. [Published in Portuguese](#).
- [B] Oliveira, L., **Cordeiro-Almeida, T.**, Natalino, M., Mostafa, J. (2024). Homeless population: limits and potentialities of a social category. In: Freitas, R., et al. (Org.). Homeless population: concepts, methods for counting and public policies, 37, Brasília, Brazil. [Published in Portuguese](#).
- [C] **Cordeiro-Almeida, T.**, Wajnman, S., Turra, C. (2023). Changes in household responsibility and their implications for household estimates in Brazil.
- [TR] Wong, L. R., Wajnman, S., Arnaldo, C., **Cordeiro-Almeida, T.**, Vilela, E. (2023). Study J: Prospective population estimates by sex and age - Mozambique and provinces (2020-2050). Not published.
- [TR] **Cordeiro-Almeida, T.** (2023). Evaluation of data from the Public Consultation for Reconstructing the National Secondary Education Policy. Ministry of Education, Brazil, 42p. Published for internal use.
- [B] **Cordeiro-Almeida, T.** (2023). Racial disparities in the labor market participation of the elderly population in Brazil. Cebrap (Org.). Longevity Challenge 2023. [Published in Portuguese](#).
- [C] **Cordeiro-Almeida, T.**, Almeida, M. E., Damasceno, M., Vilela, E., Antuña, B. (2022). Youth employment and household composition: effects of Covid-19. Presented at the Congress of the Asociación Latinoamericana de Población, Chile. [Published in Portuguese](#).

## TEACHING EXPERIENCES

- **Center for Regional and Urban Development and Planning (Cedeplar)**  March 2022 - December 2022  
*Teacher Assistant* Belo Horizonte, Brazil
  - Graduate course in Demography, in subjects related to the Direct and Indirect Demographic Techniques, and Formal/Mathematical Demography.
- **Brazilian Center for Analysis and Planning (CEBRAP)**  2024 - ongoing  
*Teacher* Remote
  - Teacher at the Methodological Laboratory of Cebrap (cebrap.lab), teaching courses on how to use complex survey data, and an introduction to regression models for social research.

## SKILLS

- **Programming/Software Languages:** R intermediate/advanced, SQL intermediate, Stata basic, Python basic, LaTeX intermediate
- **Data processing and analysis stages:** data production/collection intermediate, data processing intermediate/advanced, evaluation of estimates/data intermediate/advanced, data analysis advanced.
- **Experience with databases:** Generation and Gender Survey, Fertility and Family Surveys, Time-use Surveys (Brazil and Colombia), National Demographic Censuses (Brazil, Colombia, Mexico, South Africa, Mozambique, and Portugal), Brazilian administrative register, Brazilian sample surveys, DHS, IPUMS data for comparative analyses, Human Fertility Database and Collection (HFD/HFC), Human Mortality Database (HMD).

## LANGUAGES

- **Portuguese:** Native language
- **English:** Advanced, C1
- **Spanish (Castellano):** Intermediate to Advanced, B2-C1
- **French:** Basic, A2

## HONORS AND AWARDS

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- - Best Presentation Award** September 2023
  - 3rd Demographic Projections and Estimates Committee Conference* Brazil
  - \* Title: "Changes in household responsibility and their implications for household estimates in Brazil".
  - \* Authors: **Cordeiro-Almeida, T.**, Wajnman, S., Turra, C.
- - Best Poster Award** December 2024
  - Congress of the Asociación Latinomaericana de Población (ALAP)* Colombia
  - \* Title: "The adolescent fertility and its effects on the educational attainment of low socioeconomic young women in Peru".
  - \* Authors: **Cordeiro-Almeida, T.**, Arrieta-Arrieta, A. M.