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Adauto Modesto Junior was born in a small town in the state of Minas Gerais, Brazil. It was there that he first became passionate about fighting social inequality and working for more wealth distribution in Brazil. This interest led him to pursue Economics at the University of São Paulo, USP. At USP, he studied economic development using a wide range of theoretical matrices. He also served as a member of both the Board of Students' organization of the Department of Economics and the Board of the Central Directory of Students at USP. After these years at USP, he determined that government is a crucial vector of the development process. He then moved to the federal capital of Brasilia in 2007 to join the team of advisors of former Senator Aloizio Mercadante. While in Brasilia, he also worked for the Civil Cabinet of the Presidency of the Republic and the Ministry of Finance. He looks forward to his time at the Kennedy School in order to improve his skills in formulating and implementing public policies.



### **Ana Carolina Areias Fernandez da Silva**

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Ana Carolina is a Master's candidate in Public Administration/International Development (MPA/ID) at the Harvard Kennedy School of Government (HKS), for which she was awarded a merit scholarship from the university. She has a bachelor's degree in Economics (2007) and a Master's degree in International Relations (2010), both from the Catholic University of Rio de Janeiro (PUC-Rio). Her graduate studies at PUC-Rio were supported with a fellowship from the Brazilian National Scientific and Technological Development Council (CNPq). Throughout her research, Ana has focused on analyzing the opportunities and constraints to economic development faced by countries with large natural resource endowments. She plans to continue this research agenda at Harvard, specifically analyzing the process of resource based industrialization. She has experience in trade policy analysis, as a research assistant at the Center for Integration and Development Studies (CINDES) between 2007 and 2009. During 2009-2012, she has acted as field coordinator of two impact evaluations of public policies in education coordinated by the World Bank. Ana's future goal is to combine these two areas of knowledge and conduct evaluations of trade and industrial policies in Brazil.



### **Andrei Cristian Roman\***

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Andrei Roman is a Ph.D. candidate in Government at Harvard University. His research interests are related to Latin American and European politics, in particular the study of regime transitions, party systems, electoral politics, and social policy. Andrei has conducted field research in Brazil, China, India, Peru, Poland, and Romania. In Brazil, he performed a case study of the community driven development framework of the World Bank's latest generation of rural poverty alleviation programs. He conducted research on development policy and financial inclusion at UNDP and the World Bank. His work experience also includes sovereign risk analysis for Goldman Sachs and management consulting with McKinsey. In 2010, he worked on campaign strategy for a Brazilian presidential candidate. At the moment, Andrei is busy writing his dissertation, which investigates the formation of political cleavages and party systems in Latin America and Eastern Europe after the end of the Cold War.



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My name is Anelyssa D'Abreu. I am currently an Attending Physician responsible for the Movement Disorders Section at the Neurology Department at a major University Hospital (UNICAMP) in Brazil. I graduated from Medical School at UNICAMP in 1997 and did my Internship, Neurology Residency and Fellowship in the United States. I returned to Brazil in 2004 and in 2009 I finished my PhD. For the last 4 years, my main goal was to form a strong clinical and research group in Movement Disorders, with extensive educational, scientific and clinical activities. Last year, I participated at the Principles and Practice of Clinical Research, offered by the Department of Continuing Education at Harvard University. This opportunity gave me a new understanding of clinical research and made me painfully aware of how much there was left to learn to bring my group and my service to a new level. The MPH is the obvious continuation for this ongoing learning process, and I hope to take full advantage of this year!



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Anita Gurgel is a Master's candidate in International Education Policy at the Harvard Graduate School of Education (HGSE). She holds an M.A. in International Relations, with a concentration in International Development and Economics from the School of Advanced International Studies (SAIS) at Johns Hopkins University. Anita's bachelor's degrees in Management and Journalism were obtained at the University of South Florida thanks to numerous scholarships. As a Corporate Social Responsibility Manager at Odebrecht, a Brazilian multinational engineering and construction firm, Anita has helped develop and implement social initiatives in some of the poorest and most remote regions of the world, including Djibouti, Guinea, Liberia and Mozambique. Much of Anita's work in education has focused on technical and vocational education and training. Before joining the private sector, she worked for two years at Brazil's SENAC, coordinating educational projects for grassroots organizations and social entrepreneurs. At HGSE, Anita plans to deepen her understanding of education reform, of the role of public-private partnerships in education and of the impact of non-cognitive skills in academic and professional success. She sees no better way of contributing to her country's development than to help it design and implement a more equitable and effective education system.



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Carlos Motta Nunes is a civil engineer, graduated at Federal University of Rio de Janeiro in 1999. He holds a M.Sc. in Water and Environmental Engineering by the University of Surrey - UK. Carlos is a public servant at Brazil's National Water Agency since 2003, where he has occupied several positions, the last one being Dam Safety and Services Regulation Manager. In 2008, he was awarded the Brazilian Secretariat for Economic Monitoring Award, for his dissertation on economic regulation, which studied a financial model of a public-private partnership for the Sao Francisco Inter Basin Water Transfer Project, a water infrastructure project aiming to serve 12 million people in the Brazilian semi-arid region. He is very interested in water-related projects and how access to water can foster the development of a region. Carlos is married and has a little daughter, who is his greatest passion.



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Guilherme Lichand is an economist and a PhD student at Harvard in Political Economy and Government, a joint program between the Economics and Government Departments, and administrated by Harvard Kennedy School. His main research areas are Political Economy and Development. He received a BA in Economics from FGV-SP in 2007, and a MA in Economics from PUC-Rio in 2010. From 2010 to mid-2011, he worked as a Consultant at the World Bank country office in Brasilia. Either through the Bank or as an independent consultant, Guilherme has worked with the Governments of Alagoas, Ceará, Rio Grande do Norte, Rio Grande do Sul and São Paulo. Guilherme is one of the founders of MGov-Brasil, a platform that provides tools for Government based upon data collection through mobile phones.



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Before coming to Harvard, Jose worked at the Education Department of Goias State (Brazil) as Chief of the Educational Reform Unit and as Superintendent of Special Programs from 2011 to 2013. He focused on the development of the state-wide educational reform plan and on the implementation of part of its innovative projects. Before working at Goias Education Department, Jose developed other projects at the public sector. In 2007, he co-founded Vetor Brazil, a non-profit organization which built development plans for small Brazilian cities. In 2010, Jose worked as City Secretary of Economic Development and Social Assistance at Araguaçu (TO). Jose holds a B.S. in Mechatronic Engineering from Unicamp. During college, he was elected President of the Brazilian Confederation of Junior Enterprises and appointed as member of National Council of Youth. Jose's experiences at the public sector lead him to his current areas of interest: education, planning and reform at the government. At Harvard Kennedy School, he will complete the Master in Public Policy. After the master degree, he hopes to come back to Brazil and develop education and managerial reforms at the government. On the long term, he hopes to become a politician at the state and national levels.



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Before coming to Harvard, Karina Baba worked at the World Bank, in the Finance and Private Sector Development Network in the Latin America and Caribbean division. There, she focused on development projects in Haiti. She first joined the Bank as a fellow in CGAP's Technology Program, when she coordinated surveys on mobile money and branchless banking for unbanked populations. Karina developed her strong interest in financial inclusion after being a guest researcher at the Brazilian microfinance institution CEAPE, in the Northeast region of Brazil, and volunteering at the Center of Microfinance Studies of Fundacao Getulio Vargas. She has also worked as a Senior Associate of the Financial Institutions Group at Moody's in Sao Paulo, when she provided analytical support to senior analysts of more than 30 Brazilian banks during the financial crisis in 2008. Karina also worked for the "Developing MFI Social Performance Scorecard & Ratings" project, a collaborative commitment of Moody's and Kiva to the Clinton Global Initiative, contributing to the development of a global rating methodology for microfinance institutions. Karina holds a Bachelor in Business Administration from FGV-EAESP. At the

Kennedy School, Karina will complete the Master in Public Administration in International Development program. There, she hopes to deepen her understanding of policies that foster entrepreneurship and financial inclusion at the bottom of the pyramid.



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Larissa Cavalcante Queiroz de Lima is pursuing a combined Master in Public Policy/Master of Business Administration (MPP/MBA) degree at the Harvard Kennedy School and Harvard Business School. Originally from Fortaleza, Ceará, Larissa graduated with a Bachelor's degree in Computer Science from Harvard College in 2009, where she was a Lemann Harvard College Scholarship recipient (2008-2009). Afterwards, she worked as a management consultant for Oliver Wyman Consulting in Boston, MA, working across different industries in the US and Brazil. She took a sabbatical to serve as a volunteer consultant for TechnoServe in Addis Ababa, Ethiopia. Throughout her time abroad, she maintained her connection to Fortaleza through her work for Primeira Chance, a nonprofit that provides scholarships and mentorship to low-income students.



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Luciano Sobral is an economist with 12 years of experience in financial markets. He joined Banco Santander in 2001 as intern at the treasury, was hired as full-time analyst in 2002 and moved to research division in 2005, as economist and fixed income strategist. He left Santander in 2007 to join the team which launched FRAM Capital, an independent asset management firm. At FRAM, he worked as trader / portfolio manager for macro, fixed income, and retirement funds. Luciano was born and raised in São Paulo, and is an avid traveler, reader & writer. He is also a big fan of Argentinian jazz, Ethiopian coffee and the joys of a peaceful and globalized world.



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Luigi Patruno is a PhD candidate in Romance Languages and Literature at Harvard University. He graduated from University of Salento with a B.A. in Spanish Philology and holds a M.A. in Latin American Literature from University of Buenos Aires. Among others, he has published academic articles on Pedro Calderón de la Barca, Gabriel García Márquez, Pablo Neruda, Alberto Blest Gana, Julio Cortázar, Leon Ferrari, Edgardo Rodríguez Juliá, Pedro Henríquez Ureña, Leopoldo Lugones. In 2011 he has been invited by University of São Paulo and offered a lecture on the emergence of the cannibalism in Early Modern literature about the Conquest. More recently, he gave a talk on the literary theme of Homecoming at the University of Iceland and on the Image of Eva Perón at the University of Rome, La Sapienza. His first book entitled "Relatos de regreso. Ensayos sobre la obra de Juan José Saer" will be soon published by Beatriz Viterbo Editora. His doctoral research explores the conditions of cultural production during the populists regimes of Vargas and Perón.



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Raphael Martins is a native of Rio de Janeiro and earned his Bachelor's Degree in Economics from the Universidade Federal do Rio de Janeiro (UFRJ). He was also a post-graduate student at the Economic Research Institute at the Universidade de São Paulo (USP) on a CNPq scholarship, where he earned a Masters in Economics. During his Master's Program, Raphael was an exchange student at Ottawa University on a scholarship from the Canadian government's Emerging Leaders of Americas Program. He then joined the Banco Nacional de Desenvolvimento Econômico e Social (BNDES), in the Area of Project

Structuring, where he worked on the structuring of concessions and Public-Private Partnerships in the areas of health and infrastructure. In 2012, Raphael was accepted to Harvard's Master in Public Administration and International Development program, where he will dedicate himself to financial and industrial development. For Raphael, a large part of Brazil's challenge to develop as a country is the formulation of consistent economic policies. He hopes to be able to contribute to this process in the future.



### **Tamaryn Nelson**

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Tamaryn Nelson begins the Mid-Career Master in Public Administration at the Harvard Kennedy School having built a 13-year career leading innovative research and advocacy work on human rights in Latin America. While she has worked on issues ranging from torture in Mexico to slave labor in Brazil, she is currently focused on the human rights impact of economic development projects such as dams, oil pipelines and mines. She was drawn to HKS to learn more about ways to reconcile competing interests and demands within government, business and civil society. Tamaryn is especially interested in the role of Brazil's public and private sector around these issues, both in Latin America and Africa. Most recently, Tamaryn worked at Amnesty International, where she led the organization's work in Ecuador, Peru and Venezuela and authored Amnesty International's recent report on human rights violations related to the expansion of the oil and mining industries in Ecuador. For seven years, Tamaryn also led the Latin America Program at WITNESS, an NGO founded by musician Peter Gabriel that uses video to document human rights abuses, and creates innovative campaigns around these films. Tamaryn's co-productions have contributed to changes in policy, practice and law. These films have been screened to high profile decision-makers in Latin America, U.S. Congress, the United Nations, the European Parliament, while also reaching millions via film festivals, concerts and major broadcast networks worldwide. Tamaryn also has managed Planned Parenthood's Global Advocacy Program in Africa and Latin America, as well as violence prevention programs at the Pan American Health Organization (PAHO). She began her career overseeing fundraising and coalition-based advocacy at a Center for Justice and International Law (CEJIL), which litigates unresolved human rights cases in the Americas before the Organization of American States (OAS). Originally from São Paulo, Tamaryn has an undergraduate degree from Georgetown University's School of Foreign Service.



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Tomás Lopes Teixeira is a candidate to the Master in Public Policy at Harvard University, with concentration in Political and Economic Development. Graduated in Economics from University of São Paulo, Tomás worked at Merrill Lynch from 2007 until mid-2011, where he was responsible for structuring financing deals for the infrastructure sector in Brazil and risk management operations (hedging). After this period, Tomás worked in Geneva, Switzerland to the United Nations (UN). Acting as an economist at the United Nations Institute for Training and Research (UNITAR), he led a research project on the importance of private sector initiatives in poverty reduction and local development in Africa and Latin America. Furthermore, he performed evaluation of public policies played in the infrastructure sector for the Federation of Industries of São Paulo - FIESP. Having served in positions linked to both the public and the private sectors, Tomás believes that both sectors should work seamlessly to promote Brazilian development and aims to bring contributions to the country in this area.

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