

# Francisco Lages

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## Work Experience

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### Census Collector

PersolKelly / Stats NZ - Invercargill / Winton, Southland  
January 2023 to Present

- Face to face communication and online learning;
- Preparing and organizing materials on a daily basis;
- Planning and executing field tasks;
- Keeping records of my professional activities;

### Philosophy and Sociology Professor

[FEDERAL INSTITUTE OF EDUCATION, SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY](#) - Ibirité, MG  
August 2020 to February 2022

I did a civil service exam and succeeded to act as a temporary Philosophy and Sociology Professor at IFMG campus Ibirité.

- Preparing and organizing online materials for 250 students per semester;
- Planning, producing, and delivering lectures;
- Advising and tutoring students in researches projects;
- Keeping records and providing reports of my professional activities;

### PhD Scholarship Research Holder

[FEDERAL UNIVERSITY OF MINAS GERAIS](#) - CAPES - Belo Horizonte, MG  
March 2017 to June 2021

- Planning and managing a research project;
- Processing vast amounts of information;
- Developing an original and innovative contribution in the research area;
- Organizing and participating in Seminars, Congresses and Fairs;

### Master Scholarship Research Holder

[FEDERAL UNIVERSITY OF MINAS GERAIS](#) - CNPQ - Belo Horizonte, MG  
March 2014 to February 2016

- Researching, gathering, and analyzing information;
- Tutored teaching;
- Delivering presentations related to the research and discussing it;
- Planning and writing a dissertation;

## Education

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### Doctoral Degree in Philosophy

FEDERAL UNIVERSITY OF MINAS GERAIS - Belo Horizonte, MG / Brazil  
March 2017 to Present (Thesis defense expected date, 05/2023)

- [Curriculum](#)

### Master's Degree in Philosophy

FEDERAL UNIVERSITY OF MINAS GERAIS - Belo Horizonte, MG / Brazil  
March 2014 to February 2017

- [Source](#)

### Bachelor's Degree in Philosophy

FEDERAL UNIVERSITY OF MINAS GERAIS - Belo Horizonte, MG / Brazil  
March 2008 to August 2013

### Bachelor's Degree in International Relations

PONTIFICAL CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY OF MINAS GERAIS - Belo Horizonte, MG / Brazil  
August 2005 to February 2010

## Research Groups

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### Lógica Ladeira Abaixo (LLA)

February 2019 to Present

I am a founding member of a [research group](#) dedicated to the study of logic, epistemology and philosophy of language at UNIVERSIDADE FEDERAL DE OURO PRETO certified by The National Council for Scientific and Technological Development (CNPq) which is a foundation linked to the Ministry of Science and Technology (MCT), to support Brazilian research.

- Organizing and attending to lectures;
- Preparing and giving lectures;
- Researching and advising;
- [Personal Page](#)

## Languages & Skills

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Portuguese - Native  
English - Fluent  
Spanish - Intermediate  
French - Basic

Research - 9 years  
Planning - 9 years  
Teaching - 3 years  
Tutoring - 3 years

## Tutoring Experience

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- **08/2018 - 12/2018** - Doctoral teaching internship carried out in the discipline of History of Contemporary Philosophy (20h);
- **03/2018 - 07/2018** - Doctoral Teaching Internship carried out in the Practical Discipline of Research and Teaching in Philosophy (20h);
- **08/2017 - 12/2017** - Doctoral teaching internship carried out in the discipline of Medieval Philosophy (20h);
- **03/2015 - 07/2015** - Master's Teaching Internship carried out in the discipline of History of Contemporary Philosophy (15h);
- **08/2014 - 12/2014** - Master's Teaching Internship in the discipline of History of Medieval Philosophy (15h).

## Certifications

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### **TE REO MĀORI: Introduction to Pronunciation (EDUMAXI)**

May 2022 to June 2022

Topics covered included the Māori alphabet - vowels and consonants, the use of macrons, and a brief introduction to some everyday phrases, commonly used greetings, birds, trees, and place names.

### **Global Education for Teachers (University College London)**

March 2022 to April 2022

This online course explored critical issues in global citizenship education and looked at how teachers can prepare their students for the global challenges of tomorrow.

### **English as a Medium of Instruction to Academics (University of Southampton)**

June 2021 to July 2021

The course covered topics such as practice and research in EMI, global contexts of EMI use, how to use the voice effectively when lecturing and teaching, appropriate language for EMI settings and the importance of intercultural awareness in EMI classrooms.

### **Tools for Academics Engagement in Public Policy (Massachusetts Institute of Technology - MITx)**

February 2021 to May 2021

The course targeted academics, researchers, or content experts who do not traditionally interact with policymakers but feel they could use their knowledge and expertise to create more thoughtful data.

## Volunteering Work

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- Volunteering since 03/2021 as a Philosophy tutor, helping students from Brazilian public schools to develop their skills in that subject (<https://programasalvaguada.com.br/>);
- Volunteering since 03/2021 as a Sociology teacher at Nubo, an intensive preparatory course that helps Brazilian low-income students achieve their dream of getting into a college (<https://www.linkedin.com/company/cursinhonubo/>);

## Additional Information

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- I love camping with my wife and son;
- I have taken the TOEFL ITP test three times (2014, 2016 and 2018) always scoring in the highest band (C1 - Proficient User);
- I did a work exchange program in the USA in 2010/2011 for four months at Rutland - VT;
- Current enrolled in a PhD Program researching scientific theoretical models as human-made artifacts - due to 05/2023;
- I am eager to help build better places through the implementation of good practices;
- I take inspiration from curiosity and the desire to learn and face new challenges.