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Education

2022 –	**Cornell University** PhD in Information Science **Committee:** Cristobal Cheyre (Chair), Qian Yang, and Malte Ziewitz	Ithaca, NY, USA
2022 – 2025	**Cornell University** MSc. in Information Science	Ithaca, NY, USA
2016 – 2018	**Pontificia Universidad Catolica de Chile** MSc. in Industrial and Systems Engineering	Santiago, Chile
2011 – 2018	**Pontificia Universidad Catolica de Chile** BS in Industrial Engineering Minors in Innovation, Public Policy, and Communications	Santiago, Chile

Professional Experience

2022 –	**Cornell University** Graduate Research Assistant & Teaching Assistant	U.S.
2022 –	**Foresight Consulting** Co-founder	Chile
2021–2022	**Ministry Economy, Development, and Tourism** Head of the Future and Social Adoption of Technology Unit	Chile
2019–2020	**Ministry of Science, Technology, Knowledge, and Innovation** Advisor at the Future Team	Chile
2018–2019	**Ministry Economy, Development, and Tourism** Advisor at the Economy of the Future Unit	Chile

Publications

Peer-reviewed Journal Articles

2025 **Image Generative AI to Design Public Spaces: a Reflection of how AI Could Improve Co-Design of Public Parks**
Jose A. Guridi, Cristobal Cheyre, Maria Goula, Duarte Santo, Lee Humphreys, Achilleas Souras, Aishwarya Shankar
Digital Government: Research and Practice

2020 **Natural laboratories as policy instruments for technological learning and institutional capacity building: The case of Chile's astronomy cluster**
Jose A. Guridi, Julio A. Pertuze, Sebastian Pfotenhauer.
Research Policy

Peer-reviewed Conference Proceedings

2025 **From Fake Perfects to Conversational Imperfects: Exploring Image-Generative AI as a Boundary Object for Participatory Design of Public Spaces**
Jose A. Guridi, Angel Hsing-Chi Hwang, Duarte Santo, Maria Goula, Cristobal Cheyre, Lee Humphreys, Marco Rangel
Proceedings of the ACM Conference on Computer Supported Cooperative Work and Social Computing (CSCW 2025)

2025 **Thoughtful Adoption of NLP for Civic Participation: Understanding Differences Among Policymakers**
Jose A. Guridi, Cristobal Cheyre, Qian Yang
Proceedings of the ACM Conference on Computer Supported Cooperative Work and Social Computing (CSCW 2025)

2025 **Translocal Imaginaries and Sense of Belonging: Narratives and Mythologies in the Design of the Migrant Urban Commons**
Duarte Santo, Maria Goula, Lee Humphreys, Cristobal Cheyre, Jose A. Guridi, Marco Rangel
AMPS Proceedings

2024 **Supporting Participation Processes Using NLP in Constrained Resources Settings**
Jose A. Guridi, Julio A. Pertuze, Catalina Zamora
Proceedings of the Ongoing Research, Practitioners, Posters, Workshops, and Projects of the International Conference EGOV-CeDEM-ePart 2024.

Peer-reviewed Workshops and Posters

2025 **Exploring AI Technology and Policy Co-Development: Insights from Seventeen AI Regulatory Sandboxes**

Angel Hsing-Chi Hwang, **Jose A. Guridi**, Hauke Sandhaus, Qian Yang
In Design for Hope: Cultivating Deliberate Hope in the Face of Complex Societal Challenges Workshop (CSCW 2025)

2023 **Are You Anonymous? Inferring Personal Information from Nonverbal Behavior Data Tracked in Immersive Virtual Reality**
Yeonju Jang, **Jose A. Guridi**, Daniel Molitor, Rachel Kwon, Sneha Nagarajan
In Companion of the ACM Conference on Computer Supported Cooperative Work and Social Computing (CSCW 2023)

Book Chapters

Forthcoming **Natural Laboratories**
Julio Pertuze & Jose A. Guridi
Handbook on Living Labs and Real-World Experiments.

Forthcoming **Crises, deliberation, and STI policy in Chile: Can political unrest institutionalise participation?**
Iñaki Goñi & Jose A. Guridi
Participatory and Deliberative practices in Techno-scientific Innovation for a better relationship between Science and Society (Vernon Press).

2025 **Piloteando la futura Ley de Protección de Datos en Chile: sandboxes regulatorios como herramientas de prototipado de política pública**
Jose A. Guridi & Carla Illanes
Actas de la Primeras Jornadas Latinoamericanas de Derecho y Tecnología (Tirant lo Blanche)

Peer-reviewed Extended Abstracts

2025 **Using LLMs to Analyze Incident Reporting and Support Policymaking: Opportunities and Challenges**
Jose A. Guridi & Eunji Emily Kim
Atlanta Conference on Science and Innovation Policy, Georgia Tech, Atlanta, U.S.

2025 **Addressing the Paradoxical Nature of Emerging Technologies in Transformative Policies**
Jose A. Guridi, Julio A. Pertuze, Cristobal Cheyre
Atlanta Conference on Science and Innovation Policy, Georgia Tech, Atlanta, U.S.

2024 **Piloteando la futura Ley de Protección de Datos en Chile: sandboxes regulatorios como herramientas de prototipado de política pública**
Jose A. Guridi & Carla Illanes
Jornadas Latinoamericanas de Derecho y Tecnología, Chile

2024 **This is not AI**
Jose A. Guridi
XI Encuentro CTS - Oscilaciones, La Serena, Chile

2024 **Matters of Representation: Deciphering participatory design thinking patterns with immigrants exploring AI as a tool for co-design practices**
Duarte Santo, Maria Goula, Aishwarya Shankar, Lee Humphreys, Cristobal Cheyre, Achilleas Souras, Jichu Zhang, Jose A. Guridi, Xiaochang Qiu, Chen Chen
Council of Educations in Landscape Architecture (CELA), St. Louis, U.S.

2023 **Building resilient technology policy through public participation: The case of the Chilean National AI Strategy**
Jose A. Guridi, Julio A. Pertuze, Cristobal Cheyre
Atlanta Conference on Science and Innovation Policy, Georgia Tech, Atlanta, U.S.

2022 **Re-centering the social in AI policy through open participation processes. The case of the Chilean National AI Policy**
Jose A. Guridi, Julio A. Pertuze, Cristobal Cheyre
Graduate Research in STS, Harvard University, Cambridge, U.S.

2017 **A framework for innovation, institutional, and cultural spillovers from Big Science Centers: the case of the Chilean astronomy cluster**
Jose A. Guridi, Julio A. Pertuze
Atlanta Conference on Science and Innovation Policy, Georgia Tech, Atlanta, U.S.

Manuscripts under Review or in Preparation

Under Review **Friction as Method: A Latin American Reading of Digital Culture Shock**
Jose A. Guridi
Tapuya: Latin American Science, Technology and Society

R&R **Framing Responsible Design of AI Mental Well-Being Support: AI as Primary Care, Nutritional Supplement, or Yoga Instructor?**
Ned Cooper, Jose A. Guridi, Angel Hsing-Chi Hwang, Beth Kolko, Beth McGinty, Qian Yang

R&R **A Park for All: Layering Transgenerational, Translocal, and Parochial Experiences of Immigrant Communities in Los Angeles**
Rosie Nguyen, Lee Humphreys, Maria Goula, Cristobal Cheyre, Duarte Santo, Jose A. Guridi, Marco Rangel

Preparation **Addressing the Paradoxical Nature of Emerging Technologies in Transformative Technology Policy Mixes**
Jose A. Guridi, Julio Pertuze, Cristobal Cheyre.

Preparation **Exploring AI Technology and Policy Co-Development: Insights from Seventeen AI Regulatory Sandboxes**
Angel Hsing-Chi Hwang, Jose A. Guridi, Hauke Sandhaus, Qian Yang

Preparation **A Systematic Literature Review of Regulatory Sandboxes for AI**
Jose A. Guridi & Bhargavi Ganesh

Policy and Consulting Reports

2025 **Recomendaciones para la Implementación de Sandboxes Regulatorios de IA**
Interamerican Development Bank

2025 **Cambodia: artificial intelligence readiness assessment report**
UNESCO

2024 **Dominican Republic: artificial intelligence readiness assessment report**
UNESCO

2023 **Chile: artificial intelligence readiness assessment report**
UNESCO

Selected Talks

08/2025 **Context driven AI Governance - Tailoring AI Governance Beyond One-Size-Fits-All**
Global Meeting on AI for Law Enforcement, Curitiba, Brazil

03/2025 **AI in and from Latin America: Where we are and Where do we go?**
MIT Technology Review: EmTech Caribbean, Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic

11/2024 **Paradojas en el Desarrollo de Políticas Tecnológicas y de Transformación Digital**
XII Congreso Científico Internacional TUS-2024, Punta de Cana, Dominican Republic

03/2020 **UNICEF Workshop on AI and Children in Latin America and the Caribbean**
Sao Paulo, Brazil

01/2020 **National AI Strategies in Latin America**
AI Latin American SumMIT, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge, U.S.

11/2019 **The case of the Data Observatory in Earth-Space convergence**
Network for Earth-space Research Education and Innovation with Data (NEREID), Green Bank Observatory, West Virginia, U.S.

Groups, Awards, and Service

Groups and Affiliations

Cornell University

Present Research in Economic and Social Effects of Technology (RESET) Lab

2023 – 2024 Laidlaw Scholars Graduate Mentor

2022 – 2024	Fidelity, Authenticity, and Knowability in Electronic media (FAKE) Lab

	OECD
2022	Delegate at the Working Party on AI Governance (WPAIGO)
2021 – 2022	Delegate at the Committee on Digital Economy Policy (CDEP)
2020 – 2021	Member of the Working Group on National AI Policies

	Chilean Production Development Corporation (CORFO)
2021 – 2022	Directive Councilor at the Innova Chile Council

Grants, Awards, and Fellowships

2025 - 2026	[Fellowship] Data Science Fellowship (CCSS Qualitative and Interpretive Research Institute, Cornell University)
2025	[Grant] Examining rationales for exploring and selecting AI-powered tools to scale participatory design of urban spaces (CCSS Qualitative and Interpretive Research Institute, Cornell University)
2023	[Award] Outstanding Service Award (Information Science, Cornell University)
2022	[Award] Best part-time instructor (Pontificia Universidad Catolica de Chile)
2018	[Award] Best Teaching Assistant (Pontificia Universidad Catolica de Chile)

Service

2023 – 2024	CSCW 2024 Web Co-Chair
2022 – 2024	Cornell Information Science Hiring Committee

Peer Review

2024 – 2025	CSCW
2024 – 2025	FAccT
2024	Journal of Infrastructure, Policy, and Development
2024	CHI
2020	Research Policy

Teaching and Mentoring

Teaching Experience

	Cornell University
TA	College of Computing and Information Science
Present	Networks II: Market Design

Pontificia Universidad Catolica de Chile

Instructor	*School of Law*
Present	Privacy Diplomat
Present	Artificial Intelligence and Law Diplomat

Instructor	*School of Engineering*
2020 – 2021	Management and Behavior in Firms

TA	*School of Engineering*
2017	Corporate Governments
2015 – 2017	Management and Behavior in Firms

Students

Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile
Engineering School

2024 – 2025 **Miguel Mondaca**
Degree: *MSc. in Industrial and System Engineering*

Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile
Engineering School

2022 – 2023 **Catalina Zamora**
Graduated: Dec 2023
Thesis: *Managing stakeholder deliberation using NLP in poilcymaking*
Degree: *MSc. in Industrial and System Engineering*