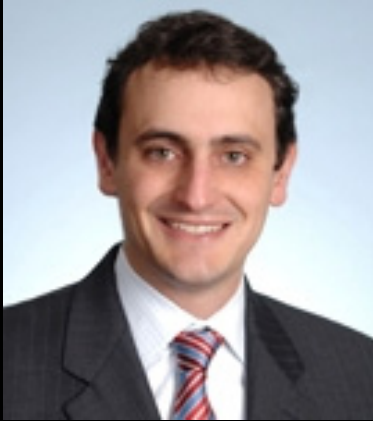


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He has lectured at the CIA and at universities including Harvard, Georgetown, and George Mason, has contributed to the United States Holocaust Memorial Museum's "Voices on Genocide Prevention," and has been interviewed by NPR, Reuters, the Australian Broadcasting Corporation, the Associated Press, CNN, and other media from around the world.

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