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REPORT: 2009 AND 2010



This booklet gives an overview of the research activities at the IAE (Institute for Economic Analysis) in 2009 and 2010. As a research institute of the CSIC (Higher Council for Scientific Research), the mission of the IAE is to produce policy-relevant research in economics with the highest standard of academic scholarship, and to train young researchers.

These two years were action-packed at the IAE, and prolific in terms of publications with 70 added to the ISI database. We produce both theoretical and empirical papers that cover a wide variety of fields, including labor economics, immigration and development, industrial organization, political economics, macroeconomics and growth, microeconomics, game theory and experimental economics. Our agenda of research activities was also very busy, featuring 8 conferences and more than 130 seminars.

We were very active on the recruiting front, and as a result 7 new researchers (Omar Licandro, Julien Prat, Matthew Ellman, Francesca Rondina, Francesco Fasani, Laia Balcells, and Lúdia Farré) joined our faculty. We also welcomed many distinguished visitors. In the opposite direction, several former colleagues, including Martin Meier, Rosella Nicolini, Albert Marcet, Heiko Gerlach, Begoña Domínguez, Javier Polavieja, and Ioana Schiopu, left the institute to join other academic institutions.

Last but not least, we have been an active player in the expansion and strengthening of the Barcelona GSE. This is a very important development in our long-lasting collaboration with the Department of Economics and Economic History at UAB, and with the Department of Economics and CREI at UPF.

Overall, this was an exhilarating period, as I am sure you will realize as you glance through the following pages. But the action goes on, so please visit our website [www.iae.csic.es] to keep up with the latest news and see our upcoming agenda.

Clara Ponsatí / Director

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3 / RESEARCHERS





ENRIQUETA ARAGONÈS
PH. D. NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY, 1995
RESEARCH PROFESSOR, CSIC

Publications

- > "An Automated Model of Government Formation", (with Pilar Dellunde), in "The Political Economy of Democracy", edited by E. Aragonès, C. Bevia, H. Llavador, N. Schofield, published by Fundación BBVA, 279-303, 2009.
- > "A Theory of Participatory Democracy based on the Real Case of Porto Alegre", (with Santiago Sanchez-Pages), *European Economic Review*, 53, 2009, 56-72.
- > "Making statements and approval voting", (with Itzhak Gilboa and Andrew Weiss), forthcoming in *Theory and Decision*.

Working Papers

- > "The disadvantage of winning an election", (with Santiago Sanchez-Pages).
- > "Candidate Quality in a Downsian Model with a Continuous Policy Space", (with Dimitrios Xefteris).

Presentations in conferences and seminars

- > Second Workshop on the Political Economy of Democracy: Personal and Party Representation, Bellaterra.
- > APEX conference, Bruxelles.
- > PET-10, Annual Conference of Association for Public Economic Theory, Istanbul.
- > MOVE – Urrutia Elejalde Workshop on: Information, Dynamics, and Political Decision Making, Barcelona.

Graduate teaching

- > "Political Economy I", Doctoral Program IDEA, UAB.

Seminars

- > Catholic University of Milan.
- > Universidad de Granada.
- > IAE Internal Seminar.
- > Universitat de les Illes Balears.

Other activities

- > Associate Editor of the *SERIEs*, *Journal of the Spanish Economic Association*.
- > Co-Editor of the *Spanish Economic Review*.
- > Associate Editor of *Revista Española de Investigaciones Sociológicas*.
- > Organizer of the Second Workshop on The Political Economy of Democracy, Barcelona.
- > Member of the Programme Committee for the 24th European Economic Association Annual Congress, Barcelona.
- > Organizer of "Polarization and Conflict: Conference in honor of Joan M. Esteban 65th birthday".
- > Member of the Programme Committee for the 25th European Economic Association Annual Congress, Glasgow.

Supervision of Doctoral dissertations

- > Orestis Troumponis, IDEA, UAB, in process.
- > Grisel Ayllón, IDEA, UAB, in process.
- > Rajesh Ramachandran, IDEA, UAB, in process.
- > Julen Berasaluce, "Political Competition through Democratic and Violent Institutions", IDEA, UAB.
- > Dimitrios Xefteris, "Democratic Institutions and Happiness", IDEA, UAB.

Supervision of Master Thesis

- > Orestis Troumponis, IDEA, UAB.
- > Rajesh Ramachandran, IDEA, UAB.



LAIA BALCELLS

PH. D. YALE UNIVERSITY, 2010
POST-DOC RESEARCHER

Publications

- > "Continuation of politics by two means: direct and indirect violence in civil war", forthcoming in *Journal of Conflict Resolution*, 2011.
- > "Determinants of Attitudes towards Transitional Justice: An Empirical Analysis of the Spanish Case", (with Paloma Aguilar and Héctor Cebolla), forthcoming in *Comparative Political Studies*, 44 (10), 2011.
- > Behind the Frontlines: Identity, Competition, and Violence in Civil Wars. Phd Thesis, Juan March Institute, 2010.
- > "Las Actitudes de los Españoles ante las Medidas de Justicia Transicional relativas a la Guerra Civil y al Franquismo", (with Paloma Aguilar and Héctor Cebolla), forthcoming in *Revista Internacional de Sociología*.
- > "International System and Technologies of Rebellion: How the Cold War Shaped Internal Conflict", (with Stathis N. Kalyvas), *American Political Science Review*, 104(3) 2010, 415-429.
- > "Rivalry and Revenge: Violence against Civilians in Conventional Civil Wars", *International Studies Quarterly*, 54(2), 2010, 291-313.

Working Papers

- > "Death is in the Air: Bombings during a Conventional Civil War. Catalonia (1936-1939)".
- > "The Consequences of Violence on Political Identities. Evidence from Spain".
- > "Party Polarization and Spatial Voting", (with Lluís Orriols).
- > "Did Marxism make a difference? National Liberation versus Ethnic Insurgencies", (with Stathis N. Kalyvas)

- > "The consequences of warfare in civil wars", (with Stathis N. Kalyvas)
- > "Partisan Bias and Globalization Preferences", (with J. Fernández-Albertos and Alexander Kuo)

Presentations in conferences and seminars

- > Conference on the Determinants of Social Conflict, Fundación Ramón Areces and the Institute of Economic Analysis (CSIC), Madrid.
- > International Studies Association (ISA) Annual Convention, New Orleans.
- > Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association (APSA), Washington, DC.
- > Conference of Doctors Members of the Juan March Institute, Madrid.
- > Workshop of the DIW Berlin and Households in Conflict Network (HiCN), Berlin.
- > Workshop of the Households in Conflict Network (HiCN) and the Institute of Social Sciences (ICS), Lisbon.
- > Institut Català Internacional per la Pau (ICIP). Seminari de Recerca.
- > UAB Democracy, Elections and Citizenship seminar.

Other activities

- > The Harry Frank Guggenheim Foundation Research Grant (2010).
- > University Distinction for PhD dissertation. Yale University (2010).
- > Nomination for APSA's Gabriel A. Almond Award given annually to the dissertation judged best in the field of comparative politics. Yale University (2010).
- > Senior Affiliation, Households in Conflict Network (HiCN).

Graduate teaching

- > Basic Statistics for Social Sciences, UPF (department of Political Science).
- > Political Behavior and Public Opinion, UPF (department of Political Science).



ALESSANDRA BONFIGLIOLI
PH. D. IIES STOCKHOLM UNIVERSITY, 2005
RESEARCHER, RAMON Y CAJAL PROGRAMME

Working Papers

- > "The Political Cost of Reforms" (joint with Gino Gancia).
- > "Growth, Selection and Appropriate Contracts" (joint with Gino Gancia).
- > "Investor Protection and Income Inequality: Risk Sharing vs Risk Taking", CEPR Discussion Paper 7853.

Presentations in conferences and seminars

- > North American Econometric Society Winter Meeting, San Francisco.
- > Workshop on Institutions, Contracts and Growth, Barcelona.
- > European Economic Association & Econometric Society, Barcelona.
- > Society for Economics Dynamics Annual Meeting, Istanbul.

Seminars

- > IAE Informal Seminar, Institut d'Anàlisi Econòmica.
- > Universitat de Barcelona
- > UAM, Madrid
- > IMT, Lucca
- > NBER Summer Institute, Cambridge MA

Other activities

- > Co-organizer Workshop on "Institutions, Contracts and Growth: Links and Dynamics", IAE, Barcelona.
- > Organizer of IAE Internal Seminars, 2009-2010.

Other affiliations

- > CEPR

Graduate teaching

- > "International Trade", Master in International Trade, Finance, and Development Program, Barcelona GSE.



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JORDI BRANDTS

PH. D. UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA, 1986
RESEARCH PROFESSOR, CSIC

Publications

- > "The Strategy versus the Direct-response Method: A First Survey of Experimental Comparisons", (joint with G. Charness), forthcoming in *Experimental Economics*.
- > "Drei Oligopolexperimente", (joint with K. Abbink), in: *The Selten School of Behavioral Economics. A Collection of Essays in Honor of Reinhard Selten*, (Ockenfels/Sadrieh, eds.), Springer, 2010.
- > "Information, Bilateral Negotiation and Worker Recruitment", (with A. Schram and K. Gërkhani), *European Economic Review*, 54, 2010, 1035-1058.
- > "Size Doesn't Matter! Gift Exchange in Experimental Labor Markets", (with K. Gërkhani, A. Schram and J. Ygosse-Battisti), *Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization*, 76, 2010, 544-548.
- > "Personal Relations and Their Effect on Behavior in an Organizational Setting: An Experimental Study", (joint with Carles Solà), *Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization*, 73, 2010, 246-253.
- > "Inter-group Competition and Intra-group Punishment in an Experimental Contest Game", (joint with K. Abbink, B. Herrmann and H. Orzen), *American Economic Review*, 100, 2010, 420-447.
- > "On Punishment and Well-being", (joint with F. Rivas), *Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization*, 72, 2009, 823-834.
- > "Competitive Rivalry, Social Disposition and Subjective Well-being: An Experiment", (joint with A. Riedl and F. van Winden), *Journal of Public Economics*, 93, 2009, 1158-1167.

- > "Collusion in Growing and Shrinking Markets: Empirical Evidence from Experimental Duopolies", (joint with K. Abbink), in *Experiments for Antitrust Policies*, (Hinloopen /Normann, eds.), Cambridge University Press, 2009.

Working Papers

- > "Ambiguous Information and Market Entry: An Experimental Study", (with L. Yao).
- > "The Impact of Relative Position, Prices of Sacrifice and Reciprocity: An Experimental Study Using Individual Decisions", (with E. Fatás, E. Haruvy and F. Lagos).
- > "Stand By Me. Help, Heterogeneity and Commitment in Experimental Coordination Games", (with D. J. Cooper and E. Fatás).
- > "Pivotal Suppliers and Market Power in Experimental Supply Function Competition", (with S. Reynolds and A. Schram).
- > "Frames and Economic Behavior" (with C. Schwiieren).

Presentations in conferences and seminars

- > International Meetings of the ESA, Washington, USA.
- > Amsterdam Symposium on Behavioral and Experimental Economics, Amsterdam.
- > Il Jornada de Sociología Analítica y Diseño Institucional", UAB, Barcelona.
- > 4º Encuentro de la Association of Competition Economics en España", Fundación Rafael del Pino, Madrid.
- > 4th European Workshop on Experimental and Behavioral Economics, Barcelona.
- > International Meeting in Experimental and Behavioral Economics, Bilbao.
- > Inaugural Workshop, Murat Sertel Center for Advanced Economic Studies en Istanbul Bilgi University.

Seminars

- > Universidad Rovira i Virgili.
- > University of Frankfurt.
- > Bilgi University Istanbul.
- > University of Konstanz.
- > Universidad del País Vasco.
- > Einaudi Institute for Economics and Finance en Roma.
- > University of Innsbruck.



Other activities

- > Since September 2008 Professor, Professor of the Research Chair Antoni Serra Ramoneda (UAB – Catalunya Caixa) at the Business Economics Department of the Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona.
- > Editor of the journal “Experimental Economics”.
- > Local Committee, “European Economic Association and the Econometric Society European Meeting” (EEA-ESEM) in Barcelona, 2009.
- > Organizer, “International Meeting on Experimental and Behavioral Economics”, Granada 2009 and Bilbao 2009.
- > Organizer, “European Workshop on Experimental and Behavioral Economics”, Barcelona 2009.

Graduate Teaching

- > Games and Behavioral Economics”, Doctorate in Economics, Management and Organization (DEMO), Department of Business Economics, Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona, 2009 and 2010.

Supervision of Master Thesis

- > Alessandro Danesin, UAB.
- > Orsola Garofalo, UAB.
- > Andrej Angelovski, UAB.



ROBERTO BURGUET
PH. D. SUNY AT STONY BROOK, 1988
RESEARCH PROFESSOR, CSIC

Publications

- > "Preferred Suppliers in Auction Markets", (with Martin K. Perry), *Rand Journal of Economics*, 40, 2, 2009, 283-295.
- > "License Prices for Financially Constrained Firms", (with Preston McAfee), *Journal of Regulatory Economics*, 36, 2009, 178-198.
- > "Trade of Permits for Greenhouse Gas Emissions; Bilateral Trade Need not Be the Answer", (with J. Sempere), *Environmental and Resource Economics*, 46, 4, 2010, 495-509.

Working Papers

- > "Limited Liability and Mechanism Design in Procurement", (with J. Ganuza and E. Hauk).
- > "Simultaneous Nash Bargaining with Consistent Beliefs", (with R. Caminal).

Presentations in conferences and seminars

- > Summer Workshop in Economic Theory, Invited Presentation, Madrid.
- > 9th SAET Conference, Ischia (Italy).
- > The 8th Annual International Industrial Organization Conference, Vancouver.
- > European Summer Symposium in Economic Theory, Gerzensee.
- > Econometric Society World Congress, Shanghai.
- > 37th Annual Conference EARIE, Istanbul.

Seminars

- > El Colegio de México.
- > Barcelona Jocs, Barcelona.

Other activities

Graduate teaching

- > Industrial Organization, Programa de doctorado, University of Illinois.
- > International Economics, Máster de Relaciones Internacionales, IBEI.
- > Industrial Organization II, Program IDEA, UAB.

Member of the Editorial Board

- > *Estudios Económicos*, editada por el Colegio de México, México.
- > *Política y Cultura*, México.





JORDI CABALLÉ
PH.D. UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA, 1989
VISITING PROFESSOR, UAB

Publications

- > "Martingalas y Valoración de Activos Financieros II: Aplicaciones y Extensiones", *Matematicalia* 5, 3, 2009.
- > "The Role of Central Bank Operating Procedures in an Economy with Productive Government Spending", (with J. Hromcová) *Computational Economics*, forthcoming.

Working Papers

- > "Fiscal Policy, Composition of Intergenerational Transfers, and Income Distribution" (with Alonso-Carrera and X. Raurich).
- > "The Effect of Aspirations, Habits, and Social Security on the Distribution of Wealth" (with A.I. Moro-Egido).

Presentations in conferences and seminars

- > Encuentro Consolider de Ciencias Sociales y Humanidades. Salamanca, Spain.
- > Simposio de Análisis Económico.

Seminars

- > Athens University of Economics and Business. Athens, Greece.
- > Paris School of Economics.

Other activities

Supervision of Doctoral dissertations

- > Nur Ata, "Self Control and Debt: Theory and Evidence", UAB.





RAMON CAMINAL
PH. D. HARVARD UNIVERSITY 1987
RESEARCH PROFESSOR, CSIC

Publications

- > "Markets and Linguistic Diversity", *Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization*, 76, December 2010, 774-790. Premi Catalunya d'Economia 2009.
- > "Llengua catalana, mitjans i mercat", *Informe de la Comunicació i la Cultura*, 2009-2010, Generalitat de Catalunya i UAB, forthcoming.

Working Papers

- > "The Design and Efficiency of Loyalty Rewards".
- > "Multi-Product Firms and Product Variety", (with Lluís Granero).
- > "Transitory Saturation and the Frequency of New Product Introductions".
- > "Simultaneous Nash Bargaining with Consistent Beliefs", (with Roberto Burguet).



Presentations in conferences and seminars

- > WPEG Conference, University of Nottingham.
- > 24th Annual Congress EEA, Barcelona.
- > 36th Annual Conference EARIE, Ljubljana, The design and efficiency of loyalty rewards.
- > Econometric Society World Congress, Shanghai.
- > 37th Annual Conference EARIE, Istanbul.

Seminars

- > Workshop IO: Markets and Society, IESE, Barcelona.
- > Universidad de Oviedo.
- > University of Groningen, The Netherlands.

Other activities

- > Research Fellow, Center for Economic Policy and Research (CEPR).
- > XII Premi Catalunya d'Economia, granted by Societat Catalana d'Economia (Affiliated to the Institut d'Estudis Catalans), and sponsored by Caixa Catalunya.

Graduate teaching

- > Industrial Organization II, Ph.D. Program IDEA, UAB.

Supervision of Master Thesis

- > Maxime Herbelot, IDEA, UAB.



ANA RUTE CARDOSO
PH. D. EUROPEAN UNIVERSITY INSTITUTE 1997
RESEARCH SCIENTIST, CSIC

Publications

- > "Microfoundations for wage flexibility: wage insurance at the firm level", (with Miguel Portela), *Scandinavian Journal of Economics*, 111, 1, 2009, 29-50.
- > "Perceptions of the Bologna process: what do students' choices reveal?", (with Miguel Portela, Carla Sá, and Fernando Alexandre), *Higher Education*, 58, 4, 2009, 465-474.
- > "Comparing the early research performance of PhD graduates in labor economics in Europe and the USA", (with Paulo Guimarães and Klaus F. Zimmermann), *Scientometrics*, 84, 3, 2010, 621-637.
- > "Mentoring and segregation: female-led firms and gender wage policies", (with Rudolf Winter-Ebmer), *Industrial and Labor Relations Review*, 64, 1, 2010, 143-163.
- > "Trends in economic research: an international perspective", (with Paulo Guimarães and Klaus F. Zimmermann), *Kyklos*, 63, 4, 2010, 479-494.
- > "The dynamics of job creation and destruction for university graduates: why a rising unemployment rate can be misleading", (with Priscila Ferreira), *Applied Economics*, 41, 19, 2009, 2513-2521.
- > "Children and parents time use: empirical evidence on investment in human capital in France, Italy and Germany", (with Elsa Fontainha and Chiara Monfardini), *Review of Economics of the Household*, 8, 4, 2010, 479-504.
- > "Wage mobility in Israel: the effect of sectoral concentration", (with Shoshana Neuman and Adrian Ziderman), *Journal of Labor Research*, 31, 2, 2010, 146-161.
- > "Temporary help services employment in Portugal, 1995-2000", (with René Boeheim), in David H. Autor (ed.), *Studies of Labor Market Intermediation*. Chicago University Press and NBER, 2009, 520-560.

- > "Do firms compress the wage distribution?" in David Marsden and François Rycx (eds.), *Wage Structures, Employment Adjustments and Globalization: Evidence from Linked and Firm-level Panel Data*. Hampshire: Palgrave Macmillan, 2010, 202-218.

Working papers

- > "Long-term impact of youth minimum wages: evidence from two decades of individual longitudinal data", IZA discussion paper 4236.
- > "Are older workers worthy of their pay? An empirical investigation of age-productivity and age-wage nexuses", (with Paulo Guimarães and José Varejão) IZA discussion paper 5121.

Presentations in conferences and seminars

- > Annual Conference of the American Economic Association (Annual Convention of Allied Social Science Associations), Atlanta, USA.
- > European Economic Association & Econometric Society, Barcelona.
- > Third World Conference of the European Association of Labour Economists and the Society of Labor Economists (EAL-SOLE), London, UK.
- > European Association of Labour Economists, Tallinn, Estonia.
- > European Association of Labour Economists, Sevilla.
- > XXXIV Simposio de Análisis Económico, Valencia.
- > ENTER (European Network for Training in Economic Research) Jamboree, Toulouse School of Economics, France.
- > Portuguese Economic Journal, Funchal, Madeira, Portugal.
- > Minho University, Braga, Portugal.

Seminars

- > CEMFI, Madrid.
- > IZA, Bonn, Germany.
- > Universidad Carlos III, Economics Dpt, Madrid.
- > Universidad Carlos III, Business Dpt, Madrid.
- > Alicante University.
- > Universidad Autónoma de Madrid.
- > IAE “Internal” Seminar, Barcelona.
- > Universitat Rovira i Virgili, Reus.

Other activities

- > Research Fellow, Institute for the Study of Labor (IZA), Bonn, Germany.
- > Treasurer, European Association of Labour Economists (EALE)
- > Elected member, Executive Committee of the European Association of Labour Economists (EALE)
- > *Revista de Economía Aplicada*, co-Editor.
- > *Portuguese Economic Journal*, Associate Editor.

Scientific Committee of Conferences

- > 24th European Economic Association Annual Congress, Barcelona.
- > Third World Conference of the European Association of Labour Economists and the Society of Labor Economists, London, UK.
- > Annual Conference of the European Association of Labour Economists, Tallin, Estonia.
- > XXXIV Simposio de la Asociación Española de Economía (SAEe), Valencia.
- > XXXV Simposio de la Asociación Española de Economía (SAEe), Universidad Autónoma de Madrid, Madrid.

- > 4th Meeting of the Portuguese Economic Journal, Faro, Portugal.

Organization of conferences and seminars

- > Co-organizer, Bellaterra Applied Seminars, Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona and IAE-CSIC, Barcelona.
- > Co-organizer, Fourth INSIDE (Insights on Immigration and Development) Workshop, IAE-CSIC and MOVE, Barcelona.

Graduate teaching

- > Empirical Microeconomics, Program IDEA, UAB.

Supervision of doctoral dissertations

- > Raquel Mendes, University of Minho, Portugal.
- > Cândida Machado, University of Minho, Portugal.





JOSEP M^a COLOMER
PH. D. UNIVERSITAT BARCELONA. 1984
RESEARCH PROFESSOR, CSIC

Publications

Books-Author

- > *The Science of Politics. An Introduction.* New York: Oxford University Press, 2010.
- > *Ciència de la política. Una introducció.* Barcelona: Ariel, 2009.
- > *Europe, Like America. The challenges of building a continental federation.*
 - > In Spanish: *Europa, como America.*
 - > In Catalan: *Europa, com Amèrica.*
- > LaCaixa-Research Department, 2010.

Book chapters

- > "Comparative Constitutions" In: *Oxford Handbook of Political Science* (one-volume selection of the 10 volumes) Robert Goodin, ed. Oxford University Press, 2009.
- > "Institutional Design" In: *Handbook of Comparative Politics* (Todd Landmann and Neil Robinson eds.) Sage, 2009.
- > "Making Social Sciences More Scientific" review. *Revista Espanola de Investigaciones Sociologicas*, 2009.
- > "City-republics", "Comparative Constitutional Systems", "Comparative Electoral Systems", "Constitutions and Constitutionalism", "Democratic Transitions", "Electoral Reform", "Electoral Rules", "Governance" In: *The Encyclopedia of Political Science* (George T. Kurian, editor). CQ Press-American Political Science Association (2010).
- > "The Choice of Political Institutions", "Why do Parties Exclude Important Issues from their Electoral Campaigns?" (with Humberto Llavador). In: E. Aragonès, H. Llavador, N. Schofield eds. *The Political Economy of Democracy.* Madrid: Fundacion BBVA, 2009.

Articles

- > "State", in 'Symposium: Concepts that Hinder Understanding... and What to Do About Them', Newsletter of the Comparative Politics Section, *American Political Science Association*, 20, 2, 2009.

Presentations in conferences and seminars

- > European Consortium for Political Research, General Conference. Berlin, 2009.
- > *American Political Science Association*: Annual Meeting, Washington, 2010.
- > *International Studies. Association*: Annual Convention, New York, 2009.

Lectures and seminars

- > University of Lisbon, Instituto de Ciências Sociais. Academic Year Inaugural Lecture, Lisbon.
- > University National Autonomous of Mexico (UNAM). Mexico.
- > Istanbul Aydin University, Turkey Research Center. Istanbul.
- > Circulo de Economia. Barcelona.
- > Fundación Rafael del Pino. Madrid.

Other activities

Other Affiliations

- > Research Group in Political Economy. Chairman. Generalitat de Catalunya 2009.
- > Universitat Pompeu Fabra, Department of Economics.
- > Georgetown University, Prince of Asturias Chair. Washington DC.
- > Academia Europaea. Social Science section.
- > Organizer, 2nd Workshop on the Political Economy of Democracy, IAE-CSIC. 2009.

Editorial Boards

- > *Journal of Elections, Public Opinion and Parties.*

- > *Journal of Globalization, Competitiveness and Governability.*
- > *Journal of Theoretical Politics.*
- > *Political Studies.*
- > *Political Studies Review.*
- > *Acta Republicana.*
- > *Res Publica.*
- > *Revista Latinoamericana de Politica Comparada.*

Graduate Teaching

- > Political Institutions, Georgetown University.
- > Comparative Political Institutions, UAB.



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ROSARIO CRINÒ
PH. D. UNIVERSITY OF MILAN, 2008
POST-DOC RESEARCHER
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DEGLI STUDI DI BRESCIA)

Publications

- > "Offshoring, Multinationals and Labour Market: A Review of the Empirical Literature", *Journal of Economic Surveys*, 23, 2, 2009, 197–249.
- > "Service Offshoring and the Skill Composition of Labor Demand", forthcoming in *Oxford Bulletin of Economics and Statistics*.
- > "The Effects of Offshoring on Post-Displacement Wages: Evidence from the United States", *The World Economy*, 33, 12, 2010, 1836-1869.
- > "Service Offshoring and White-Collar Employment", *The Review of Economic Studies*, 77, 2, 2010, 595-632.
- > "Employment Effects of Service Offshoring: Evidence from Matched Firms", *Economics Letters*, 107, 2, 2010, 253-256.
- > "The Effects of Service Offshoring on Productivity: An Empirical Analysis on Italian and European Data" in G. Giovannetti, P. Guerrieri and B. Quintieri (eds) *Business Services: The New Frontier of Competitiveness*, pp. 185-239, Rubbettino, Rome.

Working Papers

- > "Productivity, Quality, and Export Intensities", (with P. Epifani).

Presentations in conferences and seminars

- > MicroDyn Workshop, Milan.
- > XI Conference in International Economics, University of Barcelona.
- > Empirical Investigations in International Economics, Ljubljana.

- > XXIV Jornada de Economía Industrial, Vigo.
- > XXXIV Simposio de Análisis Económico, Valencia.
- > WTO-ILO Workshop on Global Trade and Employment, Geneva.
- > XI European Trade Study Group Conference, Rome.
- > Workshop on International Production, Aachen.
- > Italy's External Competitiveness, Italian Ministry of Economics and Finance, Rome.
- > "Italy in International Competition", Bocconi University, Milan.
- > 8th Trobada Barcelona GSE, Barcelona.

Seminars

- > Economics Department of the Universidad de Murcia.
- > Universitat de les Illes Balears.
- > Tinbergen Institute, Rotterdam (The Netherlands).
- > IAE Internal Seminar, Barcelona.

Other activities

- > Organizer, Italian Trade Study Group Conference, University of Reggio Calabria.





OLIVIER DAGNELIE
PH. D. UNIVERSITY OF NAMUR, 2007
RESEARCHER JUAN DE LA CIERVA PROGRAMME



Publications

- > "Rosca Participation in Benin: a Commitment Issue", (with Philippe LeMay-Boucher), forthcoming at the *Oxford Bulletin of Economics and Statistics*.

Working Papers

- > "Early Marriages in Sub Saharan Africa: Hoping for More Rainy Days".
- > "Too Young to Marry: Evidence from Senegal on Child Mortality".
- > "Within Beninese Households: How Spouses Manage Their Personal Income" (with Philippe LeMay-Boucher).
- > "Life and Death of Roscas: Leadership, Election and Screening".

Presentations in conferences and seminars

- > AEA Meeting 2009, San Francisco, CA, USA.
- > NEUDC 2009, Tufts University, MA, USA.
- > 7th AFD / EUDN Conference, AFD, Paris, France.
- > CSAE Conference 2010 Economic Development in Africa, Oxford.

Seminars

- > IAE Internal Seminar, Institut d'Anàlisi Econòmica, Barcelona.
- > Heriot-Watt University, Edinburgh, UK.
- > CRED, University of Namur, Belgium.



ÁNGEL DE LA FUENTE
PH. D. UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA, 1991
TENURED SCIENTIST, CSIC

Publications

- > "The Private and Fiscal Returns to Schooling in the EU", (with J. F. Jimeno), *Journal of the European Economic Association*. 7(6), 2009, 1319-1360.
- > "Sobre el reparto de la financiación sanitaria", (with María Gundín), *Investigaciones Económicas*, XXXIII(3), 2009, 473-527.
- > "El sistema de financiación regional: problemas y propuestas de reforma". *Revista de Estudios Regionales* VIII, 2009, 19-32.
- > "Infrastructure investment, growth and regional convergence in Spain", in J. R. Cuadrado, editor, *Regional policy, economic growth and convergence: lessons from the Spanish experience*, 171-85. Springer Verlag, Heildelberg, 2009.
- > "El nuevo sistema de financiación regional: un análisis crítico y proyecciones para 2009", forthcoming in *Hacienda Pública Española/Revista de Economía Pública*.
- > "¿Está bien calculado el cupo?", forthcoming in *Moneda y Crédito*.
- > "Addressing the net balances problem as a prerequisite for EU budget reform: a proposal", (with R. Doménech and V. Rant), *CESifo Economic Studies*, 56, 2, 2010, 221-250.
- > "Un enlace alternativo de los agregados de VAB y empleo entre las bases 1995 y 2000 de la Contabilidad Nacional y Regional". *Estadística Española* 52 (173), 2010, 67-90.
- > "The effects of public investment", (with R. Doménech). Chapter 5, in J. E. Boscá, R. Doménech, J. Ferri and J. Varela, editors. *The Spanish economy: a general equilibrium perspective*, forthcoming in Palgrave Macmillan.

- > "Aging and real convergence: challenges and proposals", (with R. Doménech), in J. F. Jimeno, editor, *Spain and the Euro: The first ten years*. Banco de España. Madrid, 2010, 191-273.
- > "Sostenibilidad presupuestaria" in M. Bagües, J. Fernández Villaverde and L. Garicano, editors. *La Ley de Economía Sostenible y las reformas estructurales: 25 propuestas*. Fedea, Madrid, March de 2010, 28-33.

Working Papers

- > "Series enlazadas de empleo asalariado y rentas del trabajo regionales". (RegDat versión 2.2).
- > "EU Cohesion aid to Spain: a data set. Part I: 2000-06 planning period", (with José E. Boscá).
- > "Infrastructures and productivity: an updated survey".
- > "Una nota sobre la dinámica de la financiación regional".
- > "El nuevo sistema de financiación regional: Un análisis crítico y proyecciones para 2009".
- > "A mixed splicing procedure for economic time series".
- > "Sobre la puesta en marcha del nuevo sistema de financiación regional: proyecciones para 2009 y algunas reflexiones".
- > "Testing, not modelling, the impact of Cohesion support: a theoretical framework and some preliminary results for the Spanish regions".
- > "El nuevo acuerdo de financiación regional: Un análisis de urgencia".
- > "Convergencia real y envejecimiento: retos y propuestas", (with R. Doménech).

Presentations in conferences and seminars

- > VI European Conference on the Evaluation of Cohesion Policy. Comisión Europea y Ministerio polaco de Desarrollo Regional. Varsovia.

- > XIII Encuentro de Economía Aplicada, Sevilla.
- > International Meeting on Regional Science Elvas-Badajoz.
- > VIII Jornadas de Economía Pública. Zaragoza.
- > Fundación Manuel Giménez Abad. Zaragoza.
- > XXXV Simposio de la Asociación Española de Economía, Madrid.
- > Conference "España en la UEM." Banco de España. Madrid.
- > NEREC Research Conference on Electronic Communications. Madrid.
- > XII Encuentro de Economía Aplicada. Madrid.

Seminars

- > Universidad Carlos III de Madrid, Workshop de Historia Económica.
- > Universidad de Santiago de Compostela.
- > Universidad de Sevilla.
- > Universidad de las Islas Baleares, Palma de Mallorca.
- > Servicio de Estudios del BBVA. Madrid.

Other activities

- > Associated Professor, UAB.
- > CREA fellow, 2003_.
- > CESifo *Research fellow*, 2004_.
- > Editor ejecutivo of *Revista de Economía Aplicada*, 2006_.
- > Member of the *Editorial Board of Economic and Social Review*, 2001_.
- > Member of the *Comité Asesor Investigaciones Regionales*, 2002_.
- > Miembro de honor de la *Asociación Española de Economía*, 2009_.

Graduate teaching

- > "Applied Macroeconomics", Applied Economics Doctoral Program, UAB.





MATTHEW ELLMAN
PH. D. HARVARD UNIVERSITY, 1999 RESEARCHER,
TENURED SCIENTIST, CSIC

Publications

- > "The Donor Problem: An Experimental Analysis of Beneficiary Empowerment", (with Klaus Abbink), *Journal of Development Studies*, Volume 46, Issue 8, September 2010, 1327 – 1344.
- > "Organizational structure, communication and group ethics", (with Paul Pezanis-Christou), *American Economic Review*, Volume 100, Issue 5, December 2010, 2478-91.

Working Papers

- > "How to subsidise the news".
- > "Flexible and rigid contracts with and without communication", (with Jordi Brandts and Gary Charness).
- > "Does Privatising Public Service Provision Reduce Accountability?".
- > "The Optimal Length of Contracts With Application to Outsourcing".

Presentations in conferences and seminars

- > Barcelona Industrial Organisation and Business Economics Informal Winter Workshop, Barcelona, Spain, December 2010.



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BEGOÑA DOMÍNGUEZ
PH. D. UNIVERSITAT AUTÒNOMA DE BARCELONA, 2002
RESEARCHER, RAMON Y CAJAL PROGRAMME
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Working Papers

- > “Intangible Investment and Ramsey Capital Taxation”, (with Juan C. Conesa).

Seminars

- > University of New South Wales (Australia).
- > University of Queensland (Australia).

Other Activities

- > Member of the Organising Committee of “Southern Workshop in Macroeconomics”, University of Auckland, July 2009.
- > Associate Editor for *New Zealand Economic Papers*, 2007_.

Graduate teaching

- > Monetary Economics, University of Auckland.
- > Macroeconomics, University of Auckland.

Supervision of doctoral dissertations

- > Soona Lee, “Economic Conditions and the Sovereign Default Decision: Willingness and the Ability to repay”, University of Auckland, 2009.



JOAN ESTEBAN

PH.D. OXFORD UNIVERSITY, 1988 (UAB, 1973)

RESEARCH PROFESSOR, CSIC

Publications

- > "A Model of Ethnic Conflict", (with Debraj Ray), forthcoming in *The Journal of the European Economic Association*.
- > "Comparing Polarization Measures", (with Debraj Ray), in M. Garfinkel and S. Skaperdas, forthcoming in *Oxford Handbook of the Economics of Peace and Conflict*, Oxford University Press.
- > "Linking Conflict to Inequality and Polarization", (with Debraj Ray), forthcoming in *American Economic Review*.
- > "Work Values, Endogenous Sentiments and Redistribution" (with Matteo Cervellati and Larry Kranich), *Journal of Public Economics*, 94, 2010, 212-227.

Working Papers

- > "Ethnicity and Conflict: An Empirical Study", (with Laura Mayoral and Debraj Ray).
- > "Strategic Mass Killings", (with Massimo Morelli and Dominic Rohner).
- > "Leadership in Collective Action", (with Esther Hauk).
- > "Government Information Transparency", (with Facundo Albornoz and Paolo Vanin).

Presentations in conferences and seminars

- > Workshop on *Rationality and Conflict*, Cowles Foundation, Yale University.
- > Workshop on *Conflicts and Development*, CRED, Université de Namur.
- > European Summer Symposium in Economic Theory, Gerzensee.
- > European Economic Association & Econometric Society, Barcelona.

- > Annual Meeting of the Canadian Economics Association, Quebec.
- > Political Economy and Development, Paris.
- > 1st Zurich Workshop on the Economics of Conflict, Zurich.
- > MOVE - Urrutia Elejalde Workshop on Information, Dynamics and Political Decisions Making, Barcelona.
- > Political Economy and Development, Paris.
- > Conference on Democracy, Democratization and Social Democracy, Madrid.

Seminars

- > Workshop- IAE Informal Seminar, Institut d'Anàlisi Econòmica.
- > Università di Bologna.
- > GREQAM - CNRS and IDEP, Marseille.
- > ISI, New Delhi.
- > IAE Internal Seminar, Barcelona.
- > Paris School of Economics.
- > Delhi School of Economics.
- > Rotterdam.
- > Zürich.

Other activities

- > Organizer, "Conference on the Determinants of Social Conflict", Madrid.
- > Member of the *Executive Council of the International Economic Association*.

Supervision of doctoral dissertations

- > Alessandra Conte, UAB, in progress.



LÍDIA FARRÉ

PH.D. EUROPEAN UNIVERSITY INSTITUTE, 2006
RESEARCHER JAE-DOC PROGRAMME

Publications

- > "Information and Discrimination in the Rental Housing Market: Evidence from a Field Experiment", (with Mariano Bosch and Maria Angeles Carnero), *Regional Science and Urban Economics*, 40, 2010, 11-19.
- > "A Parametric Control Function Approach to Estimating the Returns to Schooling in the Absence of Exclusion Restrictions: An Application to the NLSY", (with Roger Klein and Francis Vella), forthcoming in *Empirical Economics*.

Working papers

- > "Does increasing parents' schooling raise the schooling of the next generation? Evidence based on conditional second moments", (with Roger Klein and Francis Vella), IVIE Working Paper, WP-AD 2009-11, March 2009.
- > "Factors affecting the schooling performance of secondary school pupils – the cost of high unemployment and imperfect financial markets", (with Claudia Trentini), IVIE Working Paper, WP-AD 2009-07.
- > "Immigration, Family Responsibilities and the Labor Supply of Skilled Native Women", (with Libertad González and Francesc Ortega), IZA Working Paper 4265.
- > "Rental Housing Discrimination and the Persistence of Ethnic Enclaves", (with Mariano Bosch and M. Angeles Carnero).

Presentations in conferences and seminars

- > XXXIV Simposio de Análisis Económico, Valencia.
- > 11th IZA/CEPR European Summer Symposium in Labour Economics (ESSLE 2009), Munich.
- > EALE 2009, European Association of Labor Economists, Tallin, Estonia.
- > 24th Congress of the European Economic Association, Barcelona.
- > III Inside Workshop, Barcelona.
- > 14th Annual meeting SOLE, Society of Labor Economists, Boston.
- > 3rd COSME-FEDEA Annual Workshop on Gender Economics, Madrid.
- > 7th IZA Annual Migration Meeting (AM2), Bonn, Germany.
- > 10th Econometric Society World Congress, Shanghai.

Seminars

- > Universitat Pompeu Fabra, Barcelona.
- > IAE "Internal" Seminar, Barcelona.

Other activities

- > Co-organizer IV INSIDE Workshop on Immigration and Development, IAE-CSIC, Barcelona.
- > Academic visits: Georgetown University (Washington, D.C., USA), Visiting Researcher, February 2010.



FRANCESCO FASANI
PH. D. UNIVERSITY COLLEGE LONDON, 2011
POST-DOC RESEARCHER

Publications

- > "The quest for "La Dolce Vita"? Undocumented migration in Italy", in A. Triandafyllidou editor, *Irregular Migration in Europe: Myths and Realities*, Ashgate, 2010.
- > "Le rimesse degli immigrati residenti in Italia" (Remittances of immigrant residents in Italy), (with B. Speciale), in Franco Angeli editor *Quattordicesimo rapporto sulle migrazioni 2008*, Fondazione ISMU, 2009.

Working Papers

- > "Deporting undocumented immigrants: the role of labor demand shocks".
- > "Legal status and income allocation of immigrant households" (joint with C. Dustmann and B. Speciale).
- > "Crime and Immigration: Evidence from Large Immigrant Waves in the UK" (joint with B. Bell and S.Machin - CReAM Discussion Paper No 12/10; CEP Discussion Paper No 984; IZA Discussion Paper No 4996).
- > "Crime and mental wellbeing in the UK" (joint with F.Cornaglia and C. Dustmann).

Presentations in conferences and seminars

- > 2nd International Conference on Migration and Development, World Bank, Washington, US.
- > WPEG 2009 Conference, Nottingham, UK.
- > ASS and ESRC workshop on "Migration and Labour Markets: China and the UK", Beijing, China.

- > III INSIDE workshop, (IAE – CSIC) Barcelona.
- > Metropolis – British Columbia workshop on the Economics of Migration, Vancouver, Canada.
- > SOLE (the Society of Labor Economist) – 14th Annual Meeting, Boston, US.
- > Norface-World Bank-CReAM Conference "Migration, Development and Global Issues", University College London, UK.
- > Luca D'Agliano Workshop "Illegal Migration and the Effects of Immigration on Destination Countries". University of Milan, Italy.

Seminars

- > University of Sussex, Brighton.
- > RAND - Santa Monica.
- > Erasmus University Rotterdam - Rotterdam.
- > ROA Maastricht University - Maastricht.
- > Universitat Pompeu Fabra - Barcelona.
- > Uppsala University - Uppsala.
- > IE Business School - Madrid.
- > IAE-CSIC - Barcelona.

Other activities

Affiliations

- > IZA.
- > CReAM - Centre for Research and Analysis of Migration - University College London.
- > fRDB - Fondazione Rodolfo De Benedetti - Bocconi University.

Prizes and grants

- > Royal Economic Society - Funding for organizing a special session on "Immigration and Crime" at the 2011 RES. Annual Conference.
- > University College London. Certificate of Excellence for Outstanding Teaching Assistantship.

Organization of conferences, workshops and the like

- > Organizer of a special session on "Immigration and Crime" at the 2011 Royal Economic Society Annual Conference.
- > Organizer of the CReAM seminar series.

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JESÚS FERNÁNDEZ-HUERTAS
PH.D. COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY, 2007
RESEARCHER JAE-DOC PROGRAMME
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Publications

- > "New Evidence on Emigrant Selection", forthcoming in *The Review of Economics and Statistics*.
- > "Immigration Policies and the Ecuadorian Exodus", (with Simone Bertoli and Francesc Ortega), forthcoming in *World Bank Economic Review*.
- > "Fiscal Sustainability and Public Debt in an Endogenous Growth Model", (with Jean-Pierre Vidal), *Journal of Pension Economics and Finance*, 9, 2, April 2010, 277-302.

Working Papers

- > "Immigration Policies and the Ecuadorian Exodus", (joint with Simone Bertoli and Francesc Ortega). IZA Discussion Paper No. 4737 and CReAM Discussion Paper No. 01/10.
- > "Localización de los inmigrantes y preferencias residenciales de la población autóctona: ¿Nuevos guetos?", (joint with Ada Ferrer and Albert Saiz).
- > "Crossing the Border: Self-selection, Earnings and Individual Migration Decisions" (joint with Simone Bertoli and Francesc Ortega). IZA Discussion Paper No. 4957 and CReAM Discussion Paper No. 11/10.
- > "Tradable Immigration Quotas" (joint with Hillel Rapoport).

Presentations in conferences and seminars

- > Third INSIDE Workshop, Barcelona.
- > World Bank-AFD Second International Conference on Migration and Development, Washington, DC.
- > XXXV Simposio de la Asociación Española de Economía, Madrid.

Seminars

- > IAE Internal Seminar, Institut d'Anàlisi Econòmica.
- > Conference, IE University, Segovia.

Other activities

- > Organizer, IV INSIDE Workshop on Immigration and Development, IAE-CSIC, Barcelona.
- > Lecturer for International Economics, IBEI Master in International Relations, Barcelona.
- > Visiting Scholar, JFK School of Government, Harvard University, Cambridge, Massachusetts (May 2010).

Other affiliations:

- > IZA (Research Affiliate).
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- > Ramón y Cajal Contract (2010-2015).



ADA FERRER-I-CARBONELL
PH.D. UNIVERSITY OF AMSTERDAM
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TENURED SCIENTIST, CSIC

Publications

- > "Inequality and happiness", (with B.M.S. Van Praag), in W. Salverda, B. Nolan, and T. Smeeding (eds.), *Oxford Handbook of Economic Inequality*. 2009, Chapter 17. Oxford: Oxford University Press.
- > "The job satisfaction gender gap among young recent university graduates: Evidence from Catalonia", (with T. Mora), *Journal of Socio-Economics*, 2009, 38(4): 581-589.
- > "Financial satisfaction and (in)formal sector in a transition country", (with K. Gërkhani), forthcoming in *Social Indicators Research*, 2010.
- > "Happiness and Financial Satisfaction in Israel. Effects of Religiosity, Ethnicity, and War", (with B.M.S. van Praag and D. Romanov), forthcoming in *Journal of Economic Psychology*, 2010.
- > *Chinese translation* of "Happiness Quantified: A Satisfaction Calculus Approach" (with B.M.S. Van Praag). Published by Shanghai People's Publishing House (translator: Wen Yanping), 2009.

Working Papers

- > "A New Look at Vignette Equivalence and Response Consistency", (with B. M. S. van Praag, and I. Theodossiou).
- > "Cardinal treatment of ordinal data", (with B. M. S. van Praag).
- > "Risk attitude and wage growth: Replication and reconstruction", (with S. Budria, L. Díaz-Serrano and J. Hartog).
- > "Inequality aversion and risk attitudes" (with X. Ramos).

Presentations in conferences and seminars

- > OECD, "Application of SWB measures to public policy".
- > CSIP Workshop on Happiness and the Economy at the Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco.
- > 6th IZA Prize Conference on Frontiers in Labor Economics: The Economics of Well-Being and Happiness, Washington DC.
- > Lecture at the XXIX edition of the summer courses offered by the University of Bask Country, San Sebastian.
- > "Institut Balear d'Economia", "Direcció General d'Economia", "Govern de les Illes Balears", Palma de Mallorca.

Seminars

- > "Application of SWB measures to public policy", OECD, Paris.
- > CSIP Workshop on Happiness and the Economy at the Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco.
- > 6th IZA Prize Conference on Frontiers in Labor Economics: The Economics of Well-Being and Happiness, Washington DC.

Other activities

- > IZA and Barcelona GSE Research fellows.
- > Scientific Committee, XXXIV Simposio de la Asociación Española de Economía (SAEe), Valencia.
- > Scientific Committee, XXXV Simposio de la Asociación Española de Economía (SAEe), Universidad Autónoma de Madrid, Madrid.



Grants

- > Health at Work- An inquiry into the health and safety at work; a European Union perspective. Coordination and support action. Project number: 200716. Call identifier FP7-HEALTH-2007-A. Principal investigator: Prof. I. Theodossiou, University of Aberdeen.
- > GINI, Growing INequalities' Impacts. Accepted. Collaborative Project proposal to Call FP7-SSH-2009-A, Theme 8 SSH-2009 - 2.2.1 Social inequalities, their implications and policy options. Coordinator: Wiemer Salverda (AIAS, University of Amsterdam).

Graduate teaching

- > Empirical Microeconomics II, IDEA, UAB.

Supervision of Master Thesis

- > Laura Cozma, IDEA, UAB.

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PH.D. UNIVERSITY OF MANNHEIM, 2001
RESEARCHER, RAMON Y CAJAL PROGRAMME
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Publications

- > "Stochastic Market Sharing, Partial Communication and Collusion", *International Journal of Industrial Organization*, 27 (6), 2009, 655-666.
- > "Labor Pooling in R&D Intensive Industries", (with Thomas Roende and Konrad Stahl), *Journal of Urban Economics*, 65, 1, 2009, 99-111.

Presentations in conferences and seminars

- > European Economic Association & Econometric Society, Barcelona.
- > Workshop in Industrial Organization (SWIO), Auckland.

Seminars

- > University of Queensland.
- > University of New South Wales.
- > University of Munich.



ESTHER HAUK

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Publications

- > "The Quality of Political Institutions and the Curse of Natural Resources", (with Antonio Cabrales), forthcoming in *The Economic Journal*.

Working Papers

- > "Cultural Leaders and the Clash of Civilizations", (with Hannes Mueller).
- > "Cultural War and Foreign Influence", (with Facundo Albornoz).
- > "Limited Liability and Mechanism Design in Procurement", (with Roberto Burguet and Juan-José Ganuza).
- > "Leadership in Collective Action", (with Joan Esteban).

Presentations in conferences and seminars

- > Southern Workshop in Macroeconomics, SWIM 2009 Auckland.

Seminars

- > Universität Mannheim.
- > Oxford University.
- > Universidad Autonoma de Barcelona.
- > Joint Lunchtime Seminar (JLS) series of CFS, ECB and Deutsche Bundesbank.
- > City University London (2 seminars).
- > Universidad del País Vasco, Bilbao.
- > Goethe Universitaet Frankfurt.

- > IAE Internal Seminar, Institut d'Anàlisi Econòmica.
- > CERGE-EI Prague.
- > University of Birmingham (2 seminars).
- > London School of Economics (2 seminars).

Other activities

Scientific Committee:

- > XXXIV Simposio de la Asociación Española de Economía (SAEe), Valencia.
- > XXXV Simposio de la Asociación Española de Economía (SAEe), Universidad Autónoma de Madrid, Madrid.





SJAAK HURKENS

PH.D. TILBURG UNIVERSITY, 1995
RESEARCH PROFESSOR, CSIC

Publications

- > "Would I Lie to You? On Social Preferences and Lying Aversion", (with Navin Kartik), *Experimental Economics*, 12, 2009, 180-192.

Working Papers

- > "Mobile Termination and Mobile Penetration", (with Doh-Shin Jeon).
- > "Mobile Termination, Network Externalities, and Consumer Expectations", (with Ángel López).
- > "Mobile Termination and Consumer Expectations under the Receiver-Pays Regime", (with Ángel López).
- > "Bundling and Switching Costs, with Implications on Convergente", (with Doh-shin Jeon and Domenico Menicucci).

Presentations in conferences and seminars

- > Far East and South Asia Meeting of the Econometric Society (Tokyo).
- > Workshops on the Telecoms Industry, Barcelona.
- > IIOC, Boston.
- > 7th ZEW Conference: The Economics of Information and Communication Technologies, Mannheim.
- > EARIE, (Ljubljana).
- > The 8th Annual International Industrial Organization Conference, Vancouver.
- > Net Institute Conference on Network Economics, Stern School of Business, New York University.

Seminars

- > IAE Internal Seminar, Bellaterra.
- > University of Groningen, The Netherlands.
- > Institute for Advanced Studies and University of Vienna.
- > University of the Basque Country.
- > Toulouse School of Economics.
- > IIOC University of British Columbia.
- > University of Southampton.

Other activities

- > Research Fellow Public-Private Sector Research Center - IESE Business School.

Graduate teaching

- > Game Theory, IDEA, UAB.

Supervision of doctoral dissertations

- > Pinghan Liang, "Essays on Strategic Information Transmission in Organization", IDEA, UAB.



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PH.D., CENTER FOR ECONOMIC RESEARCH, 2000
RESEARCH SCIENTIST, CSIC

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Publications

- > "Farsighted Stability for Roommate Markets", (with B. Klaus and M. Walzl), *Journal of Public Economic Theory*, forthcoming.
- > "A Comment On: School Choice: An Experimental Study", (with C. Calsamiglia and G. Haeringer), *Journal of Economic Theory*, forthcoming.
- > "A Cooperative Approach to Queue Allocation of Indivisible Objects", (with H. Hamers, M. Slikker, and B. van Velzen), *International Game Theory Review*, 11, 2, 2009, 215-227.
- > "Employment by Lotto Revisited", (with B. Klaus), *International Game Theory Review*, 11, 2, 2009, 181-198.
- > "Constrained School Choice", (with G. Haeringer), *Journal of Economic Theory*, 144, 5, 2009, 1921-1947.
- > "Corrigendum: Stable Matchings and Preferences of Couples", (with B. Klaus and T. Nakamura), *Journal of Economic Theory*, 144, 5, 2009, 2227-2233.
- > "Farsighted House Allocation", (B. Klaus B. and M. Walzl), *Journal of Mathematical Economics*, 46, 2010, 817-824.
- > "Stochastic Stability for Roommate Markets", (with B. Klaus and M. Walzl), *Journal of Economic Theory*, 145, 2010, 2218-2240.
- > "Constrained School Choice: An Experimental Study", (with C. Calsamiglia and G. Haeringer), *American Economic Review*, 100, 4, 2010, 1860-1874.
- > "Smith and Rawls Share a Room: Stability and Medians", (with B. Klaus B.), *Social Choice and Welfare*, 35, 4, 2010, 647-667.

Working Papers

- > "Preference Intensities and Risk Aversion in School Choice: A Laboratory Experiment", (with J. Pais, and M. Vorsatz), Harvard Business School Working Paper 10-093.
- > "Manipulability in Matching Markets: Conflict and Coincidence of Interests", (with I. Ashlagi), Harvard Business School Working Paper 10-111.

Presentations in conferences and seminars

- > 14th Coalition Theory Network, Maastricht, Netherlands.
- > 6th International Meeting on Experimental & Behavioral Economics, IMEBE 2010, Bilbao.
- > Matching Workshop "Roth and Sotomayor: 20 Years After," Durham, USA.
- > XXXV Simposio de la Asociación Española de Economía, Madrid.
- > 1st UECE - Lisbon Meeting on Game Theory and Applications, Lisbon.
- > 21st Stony Brook Game Theory Festival, Stony Brook, USA.
- > ASSET Meeting, Alicante.
- > 2nd UECE - Lisbon Meeting on Game Theory and Applications, Lisbon.

Seminars

- > Rochester, USA.
- > Tilburg, The Netherlands.
- > Seminar in Microeconomics, Boston College, Boston, USA.
- > Seminar in Microeconomics, Université de Montréal, Montreal, Canada.
- > Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona.



OMAR LICANDRO

PH. D. UNIVERSITÉ CATHOLIQUE DE LOUVAIN, 1991
RESEARCH PROFESSOR, CSIC

Publications

- > "Vintage Capital", (with R. Boucekine and D. de la Croix), *The New Palgrave Dictionary of Economics*, 2009.

Working papers

- > "Trade, Firm Selection and Innovation: The Competition Chanel", (with G. Impullitti).
- > "Trade Liberalization, Competition and Growth", (with A. Navas-Ruiz).
- > "Firm Dynamics Supports the Importance of the Embodied Question", (with A. Gabler).
- > "The Child is Father of the Man: Implications for the Demographic Transition", (with D. de la Croix).

Presentations in conferences and seminars

- > Roundtable on Intellectual Property Rights and Growth, Abbey of Pontlevoy, France.
- > Workshop Research on Economic Dynamics group (REDg), Madrid.
- > Workshop "Towards Sustained Growth: Evidence and Theory", Barcelona.
- > CREI International Macro Seminar, Barcelona.
- > IAE Internal Seminar, Barcelona.
- > Seminar Tel Aviv University.
- > Seminar Hebrew University, Jerusalem.
- > IAE Internal Seminar, Barcelona.
- > Seminar Université Catholique de Louvain, Belgium.
- > Seminar University of York, UK.

Other activities

Other affiliations

- > CEPR

Organization of conferences, workshops and the like

- > Uppsala Workshop on Trade, Technology and Heterogeneous Firms, Uppsala University, Sweden 19-20 June 2010. Co-organizer.
- > XV Workshop on Dynamic Macroeconomics, Pazo de Soutomaior, Vigo, June 22 - 25, 2010. Co-organizer.
- > IV and V Research on Economic Dynamic Group (REDg), Barcelona (2009) and Madrid (2010). Member of the REDg Committee.
- > VII and VIII Annual Conference of the Euro-Latin Study Network on Integration and Trade (ELSNIT), Kiel (2009) and Paris (2010).
- > Workshop "Towards Sustained Growth: Evidence and Theory", CREI, Barcelona, October 29-30, 2010. Co-organizer.
- > Scientific committee, Simposio de la Asociación Española de Economía.

Editorial boards

- > Annales d'Economie et de Statistique.

Graduate teaching

- > Macroeconomics, European University Institute.
- > Growth Theory, IDEA, UAB.
- > Economic Growth and Development, Master in Economics, Barcelona GSE..



ALBERT MARCET
PH. D. UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA, 1987
RESEARCH PROFESSOR, CSIC
(CURRENTLY AT LONDON SCHOOL
OF ECONOMICS)

Publications

- > "Debt and Deficit Fluctuations and the Structure of Bond Markets" (with Andrew Scott), *Journal of Economic Theory*, 144, 2, 473-501, March 2009.
- > "Supply Side Interventions and Redistribution" (with Teresa García-Milà and Eva Ventura), *Economic Journal* vol. 2009, 120, 105-130.

Working Papers

- > "Internal Rationality and Asset Prices" (with Klaus Adam).
- > "Autoregressions in Small Samples, Priors about Observables and Initial Conditions" (with Marek Jarocinski).
- > "Booms and Busts in Asset Prices" (with Klaus Adam).

Presentations in conferences and seminars

- > Plenary Session, SWIO conference, Auckland.
- > Plenary Session CEF conference, Sidney.



Seminars

- > Oxford University.
- > Université de Toulouse.
- > IAE Internal Seminar, Institut d'Anàlisi Econòmica.
- > Mannheim University.
- > CEMFI.

Other activities

- > Associate editor of *Economica*.
- > Co-organizer, Workshop on "*Institutions, Contracts and Growth: Links and Dynamics*", IAE, Barcelona.

Graduate teaching

- > Advanced Macroeconomics, Master in Macroeconomic Policy and Financial, Barcelona GSE, Academic years 2008-2009, January-March 2009.

Supervision of doctoral dissertations

- > Sofia Bauducco "*Optimal fiscal policy under partial commitment*", UPF.
- > Antonio Mele "*Repeated moral hazard and recursive lagrangeans: theory and applications*", UPF.
- > Francesco Caprioli "*Optimal fiscal policy, limited commitment and learning*", UPF.
- > Eva Luthi "*Tax competition: dynamic policy and empirical evidence*", UPF.



LAURA MAYORAL
PH. D. UNIVERSIDAD CARLOS III, 2000
RESEARCH SCIENTIST, CSIC

Publications

- > "Testing for fractional integration versus short memory with trends and structural breaks", *The Oxford Bulletin of Economics and Statistics*.
- > "Aggregation is not the Solution. The PPP Puzzle Strikes Back", (with L. Gadea), *Journal of Applied Econometrics*, 24, 2009, 875-894.
- > "Simple Wald Tests of the Fractional Integration Parameter: An Overview of New Results" (with J. Gonzalo and J.J. Dolado), in J. Castle and N. Shephard (eds.) *Festschrift in Honour in David. F. Hendry*, 2009, Ch. 12, 300-321, OUP.

Working papers

- > "Ethnicity and Conflict: An Empirical Study", (with Joan Esteban and Debraj Ray).
- > "Aggregate Real Exchange Rate Persistence through the lens of pectoral data", (with L. Gadea).
- > "Heterogeneous dynamics, aggregation and the persistente of economics shocks".

Presentations in conferences and seminars

- > "Political economy and development Seminar", Paris School of Economics.
- > Microeconomic Sources of Real Exchange Rates, Valderbilt University, Nashville, USA.

Seminars

- > Paris School of Economics.
- > IAE "Internal" Seminar, Barcelona.
- > Tinbergen Institute, Amsterdam.

Other activities

- > Scientific Committee, XXXIV Simposio de la Asociación Española de Economía (SAEe), Valencia.

Graduate teaching

- > Applied Time Series, Graduate Programme Analyse et Politique Économiques, EHESS, Paris School of Economics.
- > Econometrics: Introduction to Time Series, Msc in Macroeconomic Policy, Barcelona GSE.
- > Time Series I, IDEA Program, UAB.



XAVIER MARTÍNEZ-GIRALT
PH.D, CORE, UNIVERSITÉ CATHOLIQUE
DE LOUVAIN, 1988
VISITING PROFESSOR, UAB



Working Papers

- > "Technological diffusion in health care", (with P.P. Barros).
- > "Two-Sided Markets in Health Care Provision", (with M.P. Espinosa).
- > "Firm Agreements and Technological Endowments", (with R. Nicolini).

Presentations in conferences and seminars

- > 11th European Health Economics Workshop (EHEW), University of Lund, Sweden.
- > 8th Annual International Industrial Organization Conference, University of British Columbia in Vancouver.

Seminars

- > IAE "Internal" Seminar, Bellaterra.

Other activities

Graduate teaching

- > Industrial Organization 1, IDEA Program, UAB.



MARTIN MEIER

PH. D. UNIVERSITY OF BIELEFELD, 2002

RESEARCHER, RAMON Y CAJAL PROGRAMME

(CURRENTLY AT INSTITUTE FOR ADVANCED STUDIES, VIENNA)

Publications

- > "On the relationship between hierarchy and type morphisms", forthcoming in *Economic Theory*.
- > "An Infinitary Probability Logic for Type Spaces", CORE Discussion Paper 2001/61, accepted for publication in *Israel Journal of Mathematics*.

Presentations in conferences and seminars

- > Csef-Igier Symposium on Economics and Institutions, Villa Orland, Anacapri, Italia.
- > 9th SAET Conference on Current Trends in Economics, Ischia, Italy.
- > Mika Widgrén Memorial Workshop, in Turku, Finland.
- > Conference TARK XII, Stanford University.

Seminars

- > Barcelona Jocs Seminar, Barcelona.





HANNES MUELLER
PH.D. LONDON SCHOOL OF ECONOMICS, 2008
RESEARCHER JUAN DE LA CIERVA PROGRAMME

Publications

- > "Thanks for Nothing? Welfare Effects of Not-for-profits with Endogenous Matching" (with Maitreesh Ghatak), forthcoming in *Journal of Public Economics*.

Working Papers

- > "Estimating the Peace Dividend: The Impact of Violence on House Prices in Northern Ireland", (with Tim Besley).
- > "Patronage or Meritocracy: Political Institutions and Bureaucratic Efficiency".
- > "Primaries: The Unifying Force" (with Rafael Hortala-Vallve).
- > "Cultural Leaders and the Clash of Civilizations", (with Esther Hauk).

Presentations in conferences and seminars

- > European Economic Association & Econometric Society, Barcelona.
- > Economics of NGOs and Non-Profits, Paris School of Economics.
- > American Political Science Association (APSA) Annual Meeting.
- > Workshop on Political Economy, Moscow.
- > IAE "Internal" Seminar, Barcelona.
- > Facultés Universitaires Notre-Dame de la Paix, Namur.
- > American Social Science Association (ASSA) Annual Meeting.

Other activities

Graduate teaching

- > Political Economy II, Ph.D. Program IDEA, UAB.

Supervision of Master Thesis

- > David Jiménez Gómez, IDEA, UAB.
- > Andrea Martin, IDEA, UAB.

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ROSELLA NICOLINI

PH. D. UNIVERSITÉ CATHOLIQUE LOUVAIN, 2000

RESEARCHER, RAMON Y CAJAL PROGRAMME (CURRENTLY AT UAB)

Publications

- > "Labor Productivity in Spain: 1977-2002", forthcoming in *Applied Economics*.
- > "Market Potential, Productivity and Foreign Direct Investment: Some Evidence from three Case Studies", (with L. Artige), *European Planning Studies*, vol 18(2), pp. 147-168 (2010).
- > "Inmigración y Desempleo: El Impacto de la Crisis en Algunas Comunidades Autónomas Españolas" (with C. Nicodemo), *Anuario de la inmigración en España 2010*, Fundación CIDOB.

Working Papers

- > "On the density distribution across space: a probabilistic approach", (with I. Epifani).
- > "Network effects in hiring policies", (with C. Nicodemo), IZA Discussion papers.

Presentations in conferences and seminars

- > XXXV *Simposio de Análisis Económico*, Madrid.
- > 57^a *North American Regional Science Conference*, Denver.
- > XXXIV *Simposio de Análisis Económico*, Valencia.
- > III *Spatial Econometric Conference*, Barcelona.
- > 7th *International Industrial Organization Conference*, Boston.

Seminars

- > SUNY, New York.

Other activities

- > Member of the scientific committee of *Simposio de Análisis Económico*, Madrid.
- > *IX Ayudas a la investigación Fundación Ramón Areces* (2010-2012).
- > Project: *Inmigración y productividad: el reto español*. (Project head).

Graduate teaching

- > *Introduction to research methods in Economics* (PhD in Applied Economics UAB).

Invited research visits

- > Boston University, Dept Economics.
- > University of Minnesota, Carlson B. School.





LUCINDA PLATT

PH. D. UNIVERSITY OF OXFORD, 2001

MARIE CURIE INTRA-EUROPEAN FELLOWSHIP

Publications

- > "Measuring ethnicity: challenges and opportunities for survey research", (with J. Burton and A. Nandi) *Ethnic & Racial Studies* 33 (8), 2010, 1332 – 1349.
- > "Judicial Review litigation as an incentive to change in local authority public services in England and Wales", (with M. Sunkin and K. Calvo), *Journal of Public Administration Research and Theory* (JPART) 20 (2), 2010, i243-i260.
- > "Ten year transitions in children's experience of living in a workless household: variations by ethnic group". *Population Trends* 139, Spring 2010, 70-90.
- > "Benefit dynamics among Pakistani and Black Caribbean lone parents", (with C. Mokhtar), *The Journal of Social Policy*, 39(1), 2010, 95-118.
- > "Social participation, social isolation and ethnicity", *The Sociological Review* 57(4), 2009, 670-702.
- > "Understanding inequalities: Social stratification and difference". Forthcoming in Cambridge: Polity.
- > "Exploring the social spaces of Muslims", forthcoming in W.I.U. Ahmad and Z. Sardar (eds.) *British Britain's Muslims, Muslim Britain: making social and political space* for Muslims. London: Routledge.
- > "Occupation and pay across the generations: The labour market experience of four ethno-religious groups in Britain", forthcoming in Blackburn, R., Connelly, R., Gayle, V., Lambert, P. (eds) *Social Stratification: Trends and Processes*. Ashgate.

Working Papers

- > "Understanding the religious behaviour of Muslims in the Netherlands and the UK", (with Ayse Güveli).
- > "Girls like Pink: Explaining Sex-Typed Occupational Aspirations amongst Young Children", (with Javier Polavieja).

Seminars

- > SOFI University of Stockholm, Stockholm.
- > IAE "Internal" Seminar, Barcelona.
- > Social Situation Observatory Seminar, Brussels.

Other activities

- > Research Fello, CReAM (Centre for Research and Analysis of Migration, UCL) Editorial Board, *Sociology*.
- > Cross Cutting Scientific *Team for Understanding Society*.
- > Advisory Committee for *The Ethnic Minority British Election Study*.
- > Co-organiser: National Centre for Research Methods Seminar Series on Researching Ethnicity.



JAVIER POLAVIEJA
PH. D. SOCIOLOGY, UNIVERSITY OF OXFORD, 2001
ICREA RESEARCHER
(CURRENTLY AT IMDEA, MADRID)

Publications

- > "Domestic Supply, Job-Specialisation and Sex-Differences in Pay", *Social Indicators Research, Social Indicators Research*, 93(3), 2009, 587-605.
- > "Por una Sociología Científica: La Obra de John Goldthorpe" *Claves de la Razón Práctica*, 201, 2010, 71-76.

Working Papers

- > "Girls like Pink: Explaining Sex-Typed Occupational Aspirations amongst Young Children", (with Lucinda Platt).
- > "Socially-Embedded Investments: Explaining Gender Differences in Job-Specific Skills".
- > "Labor-Market Exposure as a Determinant of Attitudes toward Immigration", (with Francesc Ortega). IZA Discussion Paper No. 2009-4519.

Presentations in conferences and seminars

- > Meeting of the Research Committee RC28 (Social Stratification) of the International Sociological Association. Yale University.
- > Conference: "Immigrants' Economic Incorporation, Spatial Segregation and Anti-Immigrant Sentiments" Juan March Institute, Madrid.
- > Conference: "Cultural Integration in Europe", Centre pour la Recherche Economique et ses Applications-CEPREMAP, Paris.
- > 17th World Congress of Sociology, International Sociological Association. Gothenburg.

- > X Congreso Español de Sociología. Federación Española de Sociología. Pamplona.
- > IV Conference of Doctor Members. Centre for the Advanced Study of Social Sciences, Juan March Institute, Madrid.
- > III Conference on Analytical Sociology and Social Mechanisms, UAB, Barcelona.
- > III Workshop on Gender Economics, Fundación de Estudios de Economía Aplicada, FEDEA & Comité sobre la Situación de la Mujer en la Economía, COSME, Madrid.
- > XXXV Symposium of the Spanish Economic Association (SAEe), Madrid, Spain.

Seminars

- > IAE Internal Seminar, Institut d'Anàlisi Econòmica.
- > EQUALSOC (Employ/Famnet) Workshop. Wissenschaftszentrum für Sozialforschung, Berlin.
- > Institute for Social and Economic Research, ISER, University of Essex.
- > Oxford Network for Social Inequality Research, Department of Sociology, Oxford.
- > Policy Evaluation Workshop, CEMFI, Madrid.
- > Instituto de Políticas y Bienes Públicos-IPP, CSIC, Madrid.
- > Departament de Sociologia, UAB.

Other activities

- > Organizer, III INSIDE Workshop, Barcelona.
- > Editorial Boards of Revista Española de Investigaciones Sociológicas.
- > Member of the Advisory Committee of the Instituto Juan March de Estudios e Investigaciones.
- > Member of the Advisory Board of the Science and Poverty Conference, Spanish
- > Presidency of the European Union (2009/2010).



CLARA PONSATÍ
PH. D. UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA, 1988
RESEARCH PROFESSOR, CSIC

Publications

- > "Arbitration Systems and Negotiations", (with M. Adamuz), *Review of Economic Design*, 13, 3, 2009, 279-303.
- > "Uniqueness of stationary equilibria in bargaining one-dimensional policies under (super) majority rules" (with Daniel Cardona), forthcoming in *Games and Economic Behavior*.

Presentations in conferences and seminars

- > European Summer Symposium in Economic Theory, Study Center Gerzensee, Switzerland, Chair.
- > Jornada von Neumann, Facultat de Matemàtiques i Estadística de la UPC.
- > PET-10, Annual conference of association for public economic theory, Istanbul, Turkey.
- > 6th Meeting on Game Theory, Palermo.
- > Urrutia Elejalde Summer School on Economics and Philosophy, Donosti.

Other activities

- > Associated Editor of:
 - > Review of Economic Design
 - > International Journal of Game Theory
- > Organizer of the Second Workshop on The Political Economy of Democracy, Barcelona.
- > Advisory Committee for Singular Scientific Infrastructures, Spanish Ministry of Science and Innovation.
- > Academic Council, Barcelona GSE.





JULIEN PRAT

PH. D. EUROPEAN UNIVERSITY INSTITUTE, 2004
TENURED SCIENTIST, CSIC

Publications

- > "Globalization and Labor Market Outcomes: Wage Bargaining, Search Frictions, and Firm Heterogeneity", (with Gabriel Felbermayr and Hans-Jorg Schmerer), forthcoming in *Journal of Economic Theory*.
- > "Product Market Regulation, Firm Selection and Unemployment", with Gabriel Felbermayr, forthcoming in the *Journal of the European Economic Association*.
- > "The Rate of Learning-by-doing: Estimates from a Search-matching Model", *Journal of Applied Econometrics*, 25, 6, 2010, 929-962.

Working Papers

- > "Dynamic Incentive Contracts under Parameter Uncertainty", (with with Boyan Jovanovic).
- > "Job Market Signaling and Employer Learning", (with Carlos Alos-Ferrer).
- > "Trade and Unemployment: What Do the Data Say?", (with Gabriel Felbermayr and Hans-Jorg Schmerer).

Presentations in conferences and seminars

- > Uppsala University, Sweden.
- > IESE Workshop on IO: Search and Matching, Barcelona.
- > CEPR ESSLE meeting, Munich.
- > ASSET Meeting, Alicante.
- > XXXV Simposio de la Asociación Española de Economía (SAEe), Madrid.

Seminars

- > Harvard University.
- > Yale Universit.
- > Bocconi University.
- > European University Institute.
- > Barcelona JOCS Seminar.
- > University of Naples (CSEF).
- > Institute for Advanced Studies (IMT) .
- > Tinbergen Institute (Amsterdam).
- > THEMA-ESSEC Seminar (Cergy-Pontoise).
- > University of Alicante.
- > IESE Workshop on IO: Search and Matching (Barcelona).
- > Institute for International Economic Studies (IIES) (Stockholm).
- > Trobada meeting (Barcelona).
- > University of Vienna.
- > WiiW Institute (Vienna).
- > Queen Mary University of London.

Other activities

- > Research Affiliate.
 - > Center for Economic Policy Research (CEPR).
 - > Research Affiliate, Institute for the Study of Labor (IZA).
- > Organizer, Bellaterra Macroeconomics Seminar series.
- > Program Committee, XXXV Simposio de la Asociación Española de Economía.

Graduate teaching

- > Labor Economics I, Ph.D. Program IDEA, UAB.



HUGO RODRÍGUEZ
PH. D. UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO, 1997
TENURED SCIENTIST, CSIC

Publications

- > "El Posible Papel de una Utilización Asimétrica de las Facilidades Permanentes en la Gestión de la Liquidez", (with Gabriel Pérez Quirós), *Banco de España Boletín Económico*, September 2010.

Working Papers

- > "Asymmetric Standing Facilities: An Unexploited Monetary Policy Tool", (with Gabriel Perez Quiros).
- > "High-growth Recoveries, Inventories and the Great Moderation", (with Maximo Camacho and Gabriel Perez Quiros).
- > "Endogenous Financial Intermediation", (with Radim Bohacek).

Presentations in conferences and seminars

- > XXXIV Simposio de Análisis Económico, Valencia.

Seminars

- > IAE Internal Seminar, Bellaterra.
- > Banco de España.
- > La Caixa, Barcelona.
- > Workshop at IESE, Barcelona.

Other activities

- > Director, Doctoral Program IDEA, UAB, 2010.
- > Deputy director, Doctoral Program IDEA, UAB, 2009.
- > Scientific Committee,
 - > XXXIV Simposio de la Asociación Española de Economía, Valencia.
 - > 24th European Economic Association Annual Meeting, Barcelona.
 - > 25th European Economic Association Annual Meeting, Glasgow.

Graduate teaching

- > "Monetary Economics I", Doctoral Program IDEA, UAB.
- > "Temas de Macroeconomía Aplicada", Doctoral Program Applied Economics, UAB.
- > "Research Projects", Master in Macroeconomic Policy and Financial Markets, Barcelona GSE.
- > "Programación Dinámica", Universidad Pablo de Olavide, Sevilla.

Supervision of Master Thesis

- > "The Federal Funds Market and Changes in Monetary Policy", Fadiola Díaz Trujillo, IDEA, UAB.
- > "Modeling Country Risk: The Case of Central-East Europe", Miodrag Stevanovic, IDEA, UAB.



FRANCESCA RONDINA

PH. D. UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN, MADISON, 2009
RESEARCHER JAE-DOC PROGRAMME, CSIC

Working Papers

- > "Policy evaluation and uncertainty about the effects of oil prices on economic activity".
- > "The role of model uncertainty and learning in the U.S. postwar policy response to oil prices".

Presentations in conferences and seminars

- > 2nd Conference on Recent Developments in Macroeconomics, ZEW Mannheim.
- > ASSET Meeting, Alicante.
- > XXXV Simposio de la Asociación Española de Economía, Madrid.

Seminars

- > IAE "Internal" Seminar, Barcelona.
- > Bank of England.
- > Sveriges Riksbank.
- > Pomona College.
- > Indiana University.
- > Universidade Nova de Lisboa.
- > BIS.
- > Dallas Fed.
- > EPFL/HEC Lausanne.
- > Vassar College.
- > IAE – CSIC, Barcelona.

Other activities

Supervision of Master Thesis

- > Natalia Suseeva, "The real exchange rate of an oil exporting country: the case of Russia", QEM-IDEA program, UAB.





IOANA SCHIOPU
PH. D. INDIANA UNIVERSITY, 2008
VISITING RESEARCHER
(CURRENTLY AT ESADE)



Publications

- > "Public versus Private Investment and Growth in a Hierarchical Education System" (with Calin Arcalean), *Journal of Economic Dynamics and Control*, 34, 2010, 604-622.
- > "Public Budget Composition, Fiscal (De)Centralization and Welfare", (with Calin Arcalean, Gerhard Glomm and Jens Suedekum), *Canadian Journal of Economics*, 43, 3), 2010, 832-859.

Working Papers

- > "Political Economy of Education", with Gerhard Glomm and B. Ravikumar (for the Handbook of the *Economics of Education* (Vol. 4), Eds. Eric Hanushek, Stephen Machin and Ludger Wößmann).
- > "Macroeconomic Effects of Higher Education Funding Policies".

Presentations in conferences and seminars

- > Midwest Macroeconomics Conference, Indiana University, USA.
- > Congress of the European Economic Association, Barcelona.
- > Econometric Society European Meeting, Barcelona.
- > Association for Public Economic Theory Meeting, Galway, Ireland.
- > CESifo Conference on the Handbook of the Economics of Education, Munich.

Seminars

- > Universidad Autonoma de Barcelona.
- > Durham University, UK.
- > University of Surrey, UK.



MARCELO SOTO
PH.D. DELTA, 2003
RESEARCHER, RAMON Y CAJAL PROGRAMME

Working Papers

- > "System GMM estimation with a small number of individuals".
- > "The causal effect of education on aggregate income".
- > "Foreign aid and child mortality" (with Roberto Burguet).

Presentations in conferences and seminars

- > Human Capital and Economic Development, London School of Economics.

Seminars

- > University of Nicosia, Larnaca (Chipre).

Other activities

Other affiliation

- > MOVE.

Graduate Teaching

- > "Economía de la Empresa", Master IDEC-Universitat Pompeu Fabra.





GISELA WAISMAN
PH. D. IIES, STOCKHOLM UNIVERSITY, 2008
VISITING PROFESSOR

Publications

- > "Hvordan indvandreres mobilitet påvirkes af negative holdninger", (with Birthe Larsen) in Svend E. H. Jensen (ed) '*Design og Styling af Institutioner*', DJØF forlag, 2009, s. 123-136.

Working Papers

- > "Explaining Extreme Right Wing Voting" (with Birthe Larsen, Ethan Kaplan and Mårten Palme).
- > "Evaluating hate crime" (with Birthe Larsen, Ethan Kaplan and Mårten Palme).
- > "Who is hurt by discrimination?" (with Birthe Larsen), SULCIS Working Papers 2008:4, resubmitted.
- > "Do attitudes towards immigrants matter?" (with Birthe Larsen) SULCIS Working Papers 2008:5, submitted.
- > "Complementary Controls of Corruption".

Presentations in conferences and Seminars

- > Thirteenth World Congress for Social Economics in Montreal.
- > Congress of the European Economic Association and the Econometric Society European meeting (*EEA-ESEM*), Barcelona.
- > Nordic Centre of Excellence: Reassessing the Nordic Welfare Model Mid-term Conference in Oslo.

Seminars

- > Bellaterra Micro Seminar, Barcelona.
- > Seminar at the Research Institute of Industrial Economics.

Other activities

- > "The Economics of Discrimination", Course code: EC2107, Stockholm University, lecturer and examiner.
- > I also supervised many C-level essays and Bachelor thesis in economics.
- > Member of the Stockholm University Linnaeus Center for Integration Studies (SULCIS).
- > Referee for the European Economic Review, Scandinavian Journal of Economics, Journal of Human Development and Capabilities.

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VISITING RESEARCHERS

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Jean-Yves Duclos (Université de Laval)
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Aljaz Ule (University of Amsterdam)
Giuseppe Verrecchia (Visiting Student, University of Milan)
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**5 / GRANTS
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"A New Microeconomic Perspective on Incentives and Constraints in the Public and Private Sector"

SEJ2006-01717, Ministerio de Educación y Ciencia
2006-09

Project leader: Jacobus Petrus Hurken

This project seeks to understand the impact of certain constraints which we believe to be realistic and relevant but which have been ignored in previous research. We also seek to understand the impact of relaxing certain constraints which we believe to be unrealistic (in some specific contexts) but which have been imposed in previous research. We consider a wide variety of theoretical models, ranging from political economy and public procurement to bargaining and industrial organization. We also intend to run laboratory experiments and to contrast our theoretical findings with empirical data.

"Strategic Behavior and Conflict Resolution in Economic and Political Institutions"

SEJ2006-02079, Ministerio de Educación y Ciencia
2006-09

Project leader: Clara Ponsatí Obiols

This research project aims to contribute to the study of how economic and political institutions work, and their impact on the resolution of conflicts between strategic agents. Our goal is to explore the institutional factors that foster welfare through the efficient resolution of conflicts, ascertaining what social situations are most prone to confrontation and which procedures and institutions most effectively encourage the search for consensus.

INSIDE Project (Insights on Immigration and Development)

INSIDE is an independent, non-partisan initiative launched by the Institute for Economic

Analysis (IAE, CSIC). We aim at mobilizing and coordinating the research community contributing to the understanding of the causes and consequences of migrations. Special emphasis is also placed on the study of key aspects of economic development and growth of poor countries.

Our mission is to promote research and coordinate the efforts from researchers belonging to different institutions in view to contribute to the public debate on immigration and development issues.

Our interests include macro and microeconomic research, theory and empirics. We are committed to high standards of research.

"Socio-Economic Interactions: models, estimation and evidence"

(SEJ2006-00369), Ministerio de Educación y Ciencia
2006-11

Project leader: Joan M^a Esteban

This project covers a variety of topics, including the roles of taxation, family organization and education in female labor participation decisions, personnel practices and labor market institutions, polarization and social mobility, identity and groups, ethnic conflict, determinants of social polarization country by country, measuring and testing persistence in socioeconomic variables, testing for structural breaks under general alternatives and dimensionality reduction in large-dimension panels.

"Consolidating Economics"

CONSOLIDER-INGENIO 2010, CSD 2006-00016, Ministerio de Educación y Ciencia
Programme Research project "Consolidating Economics" financed by the Spanish Ministry of Education and Science under the Consolider-Ingenio 2010 Programme. The research team is formed by the following Spanish Institutions: Department of Economics (Universitat Pompeu Fabra); Unit of Economic Analysis (Universitat

Autònoma de Barcelona); Instituto de Análisis Económico (CSIC); Department of Economic Analysis (University of Alicante); Centre de Recerca en Economia Internacional (CREI); Centro de Estudios Monetarios y Financieros (CEMFI, Madrid); Department of Economics, Department of Business and Department of Economic History (Universidad Carlos III, Madrid); Sector Público-Sector Privado Group, IESE; Applied Economy Studies Foundation (FEDEA, Madrid); Law and Sociology Group (UPF, Barcelona); Political Sciences (CSIC).

“Modeling and Implementation of Optimal Fiscal and Monetary Policy Algorithms in Multi-Country Econometric Models”

MONFISPOL, SSH-CT-2009-225149, EUROPEAN COMMISSION
2008-2011

Project leader: Albert Marcel Torrens

This project contributes to the evaluation of macroeconomic policy by advancing the analysis of optimal fiscal and monetary policy in monetary union such as the European one. This work will result in the addition of new numerical tools, specially designed for the computation of optimal policy in large macro-econometric models. Such multi-country models are necessary to take into account the diversity of the countries making now the European Union. These new tools for the computation of optimal policy will be added to DYNARE, a public domain platform for the simulation and estimation of dynamic stochastic general equilibrium models (DSGE), that is increasingly used in policy making institution and in academic research alike. New models are proposed to analyze the contribution of optimal policy to smooth shocks in a union of heterogeneous countries with rigidities in labor and financial markets. In that framework, special attention is given to the dynamics of public debt. Systematic models comparison is made possible thanks to a database of macroeconomic models currently in use in policy making institutions around the world. New numerical tools are added to DYNARE that provide the

computation of optimal policy, either under commitment, in a timeless perspective or under discretion, for a general class of nonlinear models. Particular attention is given to correct linear quadratic approximation of these models. Extensions are proposed to deal with partial information. These tools shall also permit to perform Bayesian estimation of models under the assumption that the policies followed were optimal. Special emphasis is placed on the definition of priors. Given the complexity of the numerical computations, we stress speed of computation and the development of parallel algorithms. Altogether, this project should represent a very significant step forward towards better models and better tools for the formulation of macroeconomic policies.

"An Inquiry into Health and Safety at Work: A European union Perspective"

HEALTH@WORK 200761, EUROPEAN COMMISSION 7PM
2008-2011

Project leader: Ada Ferrer-i-Carbonell

Work project aims to review current knowledge and issues related to the economic impact of health at work, to assemble, organise, analyse and synthesise data from national projects and surveys, and to recommend future actions for research and policy development aiming at improving health and safety at work in a changing labour market environment in the European Union in an era of ageing populations, feminised labour markets and increased incidence of Small and Medium Enterprises (SMEs). This is achieved through co-ordinated reviews, the development of common databases regarding indicators of health and safety at work in the participant countries and the associated GIS analysis capability. In addition, a pilot study aiming at designing appropriate data collection protocols is designed to explore the appropriateness of small scale surveys, using purpose-build questionnaire, to determine the preference setting of both employers and employees with regard to health and safety at work and to highlight the cost and benefits of investing in improving the health and safety at work.

"Fiscal and Monetary Policy and Financial Markets"

ECO2008-04785, Ministerio de Ciencia e Innovación

2009-2013

Project leader: Albert Marcet

Our objective is to study the effects of fiscal and monetary policy in dynamic stochastic models with microfoundations. We introduce various kinds of financial market imperfections. In some studies we impose rational expectations and in other we assume learning about expectations. We also study empirically the issues at hand and design some econometric tools for this purpose. The topics under study are:

- > Fiscal and Monetary Policy
- > Financial Markets
- > Econometric Models of Business Cycles
- > Human capital, inequality, immigration and welfare state

"Economic growth and public policies (3)"

ECO2008-04837, Ministerio de Ciencia e Innovación

2009-2011

Project leader: Ángel de la Fuente

This project analyzes the determinants of economic growth in two samples of economies, the Spanish regions and the member countries of the OECD, within the framework of modern growth theory, with special attention to the role of human capital and public investment policies. It also covers some issues related with public finances in the autonomic state, with the design and evaluation of R&D policies and with the development of LDCs. The issues to be studied include the private and social returns to investment in education, the impact of regional policies, the determinants of investment and job creation, the design of the regional financing system and the territorial implications of the public budget, the contribution of foreign aid to the

development of poor countries and the functioning of informal financial markets in developing countries. The results will be of interest to policymakers, especially those with responsibilities in the areas of regional and growth policy.

"Studies in Microeconomics: Experimental Economics, Bilateral Matching Mechanisms and Subjective Well-Being"

ECO2008-04784, Ministerio de Ciencia e Innovación

2009-2011

Project leader: Jordi Brandts

The project brings together three research lines in the field of microeconomics:

1. Experimental studies on the economy and the society.
2. Theoretical and experimental studies on bilateral matching mechanisms.
3. Studies focused on the evaluation of subjective well-being.

"Market Performance and Competition Policy"

ECO2008-01850, Ministerio de Ciencia e Innovación

2009-2011

Project leader: Roberto Burguet

The present project refers to the study of some key aspects of markets and how they influence in their performance. First, R&D, and the strategic use of this activity together with the incentives to pursue innovations or the location patterns that result from it. Second, the exchange of information among potential competitors and related antitrust and regulation issues. Finally, the implications of multimarket interactions and decisions of firms. We will study several questions in this framework, both applied and theoretical. In the first line, we will study the incentives for R&D implied by public policy in Spain, the strategic choice of R&D portfolio by firms, and how incentives for labor pooling affect the location patterns in R&D-intensive industries. In the second line, we will study

several questions that relate to information channels in the market through which collusion can be sustained or entry deterred, the effect of investigation efforts on the incentives for self reporting, or how to organize class-action litigation. Also, we will take the issue of policy towards provision of linguistic variety as a good variety, given market failures in this regard. This connects to the third line, where we will study multimarket interaction. In particular, we will study how risk variation affects the location of output. Finally, and in this multimarket framework, we will take up again the question of how multimarket interaction affects the sustainability of collusion.

“New Developments in Political Economy”

ECO2009-08820, Ministerio de Ciencia e Innovación

2010-2012

Project leader: Clara Ponsatí

This project brings together researchers in Economics, Game Theory and Political Science under a joint research agenda of new contributions to the analysis and design of political institutions with the tools of Political Economics, that is, the study of political institutions by the methods for analysis of competitive behavior developed in Economics. We will develop studies of the strategic interactions among the agents involved in political competition and negotiations, that is, candidates, parties, and voters. Our work-plan encompasses specific projects that will advance our understanding of democratic institutions along three main research avenues:

- 1- Proposing models of electoral competition that allow to discuss how and why issues become salient in a campaign, and to explore the fundamental role of promises and rhetoric.
- 2- Addressing the design of voting rules and electoral systems, with focus on their efficiency and durability, and on the mechanisms that promote quality in the election of leaders.
- 3- Developing models of bargaining and coalition formation aiming to explore the links

between negotiations and political processes, and the effect of voting rules over negotiated outcomes.

“Labor Markets and Public Policies: Recent Trends and Perspectives”

ECO2009-07958, Ministerio de Ciencia e Innovación

2010-2012

Project leader: Ana Rute Cardoso

This research project focuses on critical developments taking place in the economy, with a focus on the labor market, to provide enhanced understanding of trends in employment, productivity, the dynamics of social cohesion, the impact of public policies and the interaction between financial and economic systems. We therefore focus on a set of issues elected as key policy areas at the European level, under the Lisbon Strategy, which aims at promoting sustainable growth and employment while guaranteeing social cohesion.

“New Solutions to Old Problems”

ECO2009-12695, Ministerio de Ciencia e Innovación

2010-2012

Project leader: Sjaak Hurkens

The aim of the project is to address various relatively old and known problems from new and different angles. In particular, Esther Hauk will consider oligopoly without imposing an exogenous timing schedule. She will also address the phenomenon of terrorism as a rational strategy. Sjaak Hurkens will consider mainly issues of telecom regulation of termination tariffs. Other topics to be addressed are the effect of personal and private deadlines on bargaining outcomes (joint with Nir Vulkan, with a possible application to negotiating with criminals and terrorists) and the effect of morals and ethics (in particular, in relation to lying and truth-telling) on communication,

deception, signalling and contracts. The latter will be in collaboration with Navin Kartik. Finally, Martin Meier will address the issue of how to formally model and analyze unawareness which could lead to a well-founded concept of incomplete contracts.

CONSOLIDATED RESEARCH GROUPS

Microeconomia Teòrica i Aplicada, Grup de Recerca Consolidat

2009 SGR 1420, Generalitat de Catalunya

2009-2013

Project leader: Roberto Burguet

The interaction of agents in different socio-economic contexts is the group's general research field. In the past, the group has studied several issues regarding the performance of markets, strategic games, the interdependence of preferences and strategic interaction, as well as more specialized issues relative to financial markets and urban and regional economics. After the restructuring of the group and the change of some of the members, we open new sub-lines. Thus, in the general field of the strategic interaction of economic agents, and besides continuing developing the research lines already mentioned, we will pay attention to the strategic use of research and development activities in the market, to information and its strategic communication.

Conflicte, Cohesió Social i Polítiques Públiques, Grup de Recerca Consolidat

2009 SGR 1142, Generalitat de Catalunya

2009-2013

Project leader: Joan M^a Esteban

This project studies social integration and the functionality of democracy as means to channel conflicts of interests in society. Specifically, it analyzes the design of policies and mechanisms leading to social cohesion. To this effect, the project will set up a

model of social interaction in which the existence of opposing interests is at the center stage. Collective decisions will be conditioned by the threat of conflict triggered by any of the relevant social groups. We shall address issues concerning collective decision making ---and the working of democracy--- as well as the role of individual interactions in achieving social cohesion. We use the questionnaire information from the World Values Survey to compute individual political, religious and ethnic attitudes and aggregate levels of social polarization. We hope to contribute to the literature of early warnings of conflict. We shall also aim at explaining individual political attitudes as resulting from socio-economic status and religiosity, as well as the more traditional factors such as education, gender, age, or size of town of residence.

Migrations

2009 SGR 896, Generalitat de Catalunya

2009-2013

Project leader: Ana Rute Cardoso

The major aims of the Research Group on Migrations are:

- > to contribute to a better understanding of the growing international migration flows and its multidimensional implications on the origin and destination countries, namely on labor market outcomes, economic growth, the social security system, the educational system, and social attitudes;
- > to consolidate a team of researchers who are equipped with the most adequate theoretical and empirical tools to provide world class contributions to the scientific analysis of the issue;
- > to inform the policy debate and contribute to enhance decision-making, while disseminating information to the general public;
- > to take advantage of the multidisciplinary specialization of the members of the group, who already have joint work in progress, to improve our understanding of these phenomena;

> to contribute to establish the Institute for Economic Analysis as a focal point in the international study of migrations, consolidating the links to an international network of researchers in the field.

Economia Política

2009 SGR 1126, Generalitat de Catalunya

2009-2013

Project leader: Josep M. Colomer

This Group deals with the relations between economics and politics. First, it uses analytical tools initially developed mainly by economists for the study of traditional subjects of other disciplines, particularly politics. Second, it addresses the relations between economic structures and decisions and political institutions. More specifically, the Group studies political institutions and institutional design, change and reform, especially regarding electoral and voting rules, division of powers and federalism, as well as political participation, electoral strategies, economic growth and inequality. Both fundamental and applied research is developed. An annual Workshop on the Political Economy of Democracy is being held since 2008.

Macroeconomia, Política Fiscal i Monetària, Grup de Recerca Consolidat

2009 SGR 885, Generalitat de Catalunya

2009-2013

Project leader: Albert Marcet

Our work is in several topics on macroeconomics, specially about the implications for fiscal and monetary policy, both from a theoretical and applied perspective. We have studied the optimal tax and debt policy along the business cycle; the implications of movements in the quantity of money on inflation and velocity; convergence of regions and countries to a similar level of income; the system of regional financing; and the efficiency effects of taxes on capital flows.

Ramon y Cajal Program (Ministerio de Educación y Ciencia)

For at least part of 2009 and 2010 the following junior researchers received funding from the Ramon y Cajal Program:

Alessandra Bonfiglioli

Begoña Domínguez

Heiko Gerlach

Martin Meier

Rosella Nicolini

Marcelo Soto

Juan de la Cierva Program (Ministerio de Educación y Ciencia)

For at least part of 2009 and 2010 the following junior researchers received funding from the Juan de la Cierva Program:

Rosario Crinò

Olivier Dagnelie

Hannes Mueller

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For at least part of 2009 and 2010 the following junior researchers received funding from the I3P – JAE Doctor Program:

Laia Balcells

Lidia Farré

Jesús Fernández-Huertas

Francesca Rondina

Scholarship Holders (Ministerio de Educación y Ciencia & CSIC)

For at least part of 2007 and 2008 the following doctoral students received funding from various programs, under the supervision of researchers at the Institute:

Grisel Ayllón Aragón	(FPI-MEC 2007)
Pau Balart Castro	(FPI-MEC 2007)
Cristiana Benedetti	(JAE 2009)
Attila Budai	(JAE 2010)
Alessandra Conte	(FPU-2007)
Tatjana Dahlhaus	(JAE 2008)
Yehenew G. Endegnanew	(JAE 2009)
Riste Gjorgjiev	(Becario Predoctoral I3P, 2006)
Dolores E. Gómez Urrego	(FPI-MICINN 2009)
Kristian Grobovsek	(JAE 2008)
Yulika Kulikova	(JAE 2010)
Letizia Montinari	(Visiting Student from IMT Lucca (Italy)
Joaquín Naval Navarro	(JAE 2007)
Michele Pistollato	(FPI-MEC 2007)
Gonzalo Rivero	(Visiting student, New York University and CEACS, (Juan March Institute))
Keke Sun	(FPI-MICINN 2010)
Arnau Valladares	(FPI-MICINN 2010)

Personal Técnico de Apoyo (Technical Support Staff), Ministerio de Educación y Ciencia

For at least part of 2009 and 2010 the following research assistants received funding from Ministerio de Educación y Ciencia (Personal Técnico de Apoyo – Technical Support Staff program)

Borek Vasicek





Fact and motivation

- Households spend about 20-30% of their gross income on non-durable consumption in the household (see table 1)
- Household consumption is a major component of GDP
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2009

Third INSIDE Workshop

Institute of Economic Analysis (CSIC) June 4-5 2009

Organizer: Javier Polavieja

Keynote speakers: Jennifer Hunt (McGill University) and David Jaeger (City University of New York)

Second Workshop on the Political Economy of Democracy

Institute of Economic Analysis (CSIC) and Pompeu Fabra University

Barcelona, 18-19 June 2009

Organizers: Enriqueta Aragonès / Josep M^a Colomer / Clara Ponsatí

Workshop on "Institutions, Contracts and Growth: Links and Dynamics"

Institute of Economic Analysis (CSIC)

June 22-23, 2009

Organizers: Alessandra Bonfiglioli (IAE-CSIC) / Gino Gancia (CREI and CEPR) / Albert Marcet (IAE-CSIC and CEPR)

2010

Determinants of Social Conflict

Fundación Ramón Areces and Institute of Economic Analysis (CSIC)

Madrid

January 11-13, 2010

Organizer: Joan Esteban

Polarization and conflict: A conference in honor of Joan M Esteban's 65th birthday

Institute of Economic Analysis (CSIC), Barcelona

May 31, 2010

Organizers: Enriqueta Aragonès and Ada Ferrer

Uppsala Workshop: Trade, Technology and Heterogeneous Firms

Uppsala, Sweden

June, 19 - 20, 2010

Organizers: Rikard Forslid – Stockholm University (Sweden) / Omar Licandro – Institute for Economic Analysis (IAE), Barcelona / Giammario Impullitti – IMT Lucca (Italy) / Teodora Borota – Uppsala University (Sweden)

Fourth INSIDE Workshop (Insights on Immigration and Development)

IAE - CSIC

June, 22 - 23, 2010

Organizers: Ana Rute Cardoso / Lúcia Farré / Jesús Fernández-Huertas Moraga

Workshop "Towards Sustained Economic Growth: Evidence and Theory"

Barcelona

October 29-30, 2010

Organizers: David de la Croix / Omar Licandro / Joachim Voth



APPENDIX 1 Bellaterra Seminar

2009

February 12 Ted Bergstrom, (University of California Santa Barbara)
"One chance in a million: Altruism and the bone marrow registry"

March 12 Matias Iaryczower, (California Institute of Technology, HSS)
"Strategic Voting in Sequential Committees" and "Voting in Bicameral Legislatures: The US Congress"

March 19 Xavier Wauthy, (Facultés Universitaires Saint-Louis, Brussels)
"Bertrand Edgeworth Competition and Vertical Differentiation: The Return of Judo Economics"

March 26 Pedro Dal Bó, (Brown University)
"Institutions and Behavior: Experimental Evidence on the Effects of Democracy"
 (with Andrew Foster and Louis Putterman)

April 2 Paolo Volpin, (London Business School)
"Securitization, Transparency and Liquidity" (with Marco Pagano)

April 16 Mark Aguiar, (University of Rochester)
"Growth in the Shadow of Expropriation"

April 30 Torsten Persson, (Institute for International Economic Studies)
"The Incidence of Civil War: Theory and Evidence"
 (with Timothy Besley)

May 07 Matthew Jackson, (Stanford University)
"How Homophily affects Diffusion and Learning in Networks"

May 14 Guillaume Frechette, (New York University)
"Bargaining and Reputation: Experimental Evidence on Bargaining in the Presence of Irrational Types"
 (with Matthew S. Embrey, and Steven F. Lehrer)

May 21 Jos van Bommel (Said Business School Oxford University and UPF)
"The Governance of Financial Intermediaries" (with José Penalva)

May 28 Andrea Ichino, (University of Bologna)
"Gender Based Taxation and the Division of Family Chores"
 (with Alberto Alesina)

June 4 Mark Wright, (UCLA)
"Recovery Before Redemption: A Theory of Delays in Sovereign Debt Renegotiations"
 (with David Benjamin)

June 11 Alberto Martin, (CREI and Universitat Pompeu Fabra)
"Institutions and Foreign Finance: Sovereign and Private Flows"
 (with Nicola Gennaioli and Stefano Rossi)

June 25 Ricardo Lagos, (New York University)
"Asset Prices, Liquidity, and Monetary Policy in an Exchange Economy"

APPENDIX 2 "Bellaterra" Applied Seminars

2009

October 8 Kevin Lang, (Boston University)
"Social Ties and the Job Search of Recent Immigrants"
 (with Deepti Goel)

October 26 Greg Fischer (London School of Economics)
"Contract Structure, Risk Sharing and Investment Choice"

December 3 Assaf Razin (Cornell University)
"Migration and the Welfare State: Political Economy Policy Formation"

December 14 Michael Kremer (Harvard University)
"The Rate of Return to Capital for Small Retailers in Kenya"

2010

February 8 Elena Pastorino (University of Iowa)
"Nonlinear Pricing in Village Economies: An Empirical Assessment of Food Prices in Rural Colombia and Mexico" (with Orazio Atanasio)

March 15 Pinar Keskin Bonatti (Harvard University)
"Thirsty Factories, Hungry Farmers: Inter-sectoral Impacts of Industrial Water Demand"

2010

December 15 Georg Weizsacker (London School of Economics)
"Beliefs and Actions in the Trust Game: Creating Instrumental Variables to Estimate the Causal Effect"

March 16 Alessandro Bonatti, (MIT)
"Collaborating" (joint with J. Horner)

March 23 Aljaž Ule, (University of Amsterdam and IAE)
"On the nature of reciprocity"

April 6 Marco Pagnozzi, Università di Napoli Federico II
"Collusion and Speculators in Multi-Object Auctions"

April 13 Pablo Casas, (Universitat Pompeu Fabra)
"Opportunism and incomplete contracts"

April 20 Anna Bogomolnaia, (Rice University and UAB)
"Scheduling Problem with Multislot Demand"

April 27 Karl Schlag, (Universitat Pompeu Fabra)
"How to Elicit Beliefs" (joint with J. van der Weele)

May 4 José Luis Moraga, (University of Groningen and IESE)
"Do Firms Sell Forward Contracts for Strategic Reasons? An Application to the Wholesale Market for Natural Gas"
 (joint with R. van Eijkel)

May 11 Olivier Compte, (Paris School of Economics)
"Notes on Auctions", (with Andy Postlewaite)

May 18 Michael Manove, (Boston University)
"The Fragility of Banking Networks: Banks, Capital and Zombie Banks" (with David Martínez Miera)

May 25 Massimo Motta, (Universitat Pompeu Fabra)
"A simple theory of predation" (joint with C. Fumagalli)

June 1 Sandro Brusco, (SUNY at Stony Brook)
"Internal Financing, Managerial Compensation and Multiple Tasks"
 (with Fausto Panunzi)

June 8 Indranil Chakraborty, (National University of Singapore)
"Let the Punishment Fit the Crime: Enforcement with Error"
 (joint with P. McAfee)

June 15 Leeat Yariv, (Caltech)
"An experimental study of decentralized matching"

September 28 Rabah Amir (University of Arizona)
"Network Effects, Market Structure and Industry Performance"

October 5 Stanley Reynolds (University of Arizona)
"Supply Function Equilibria with Capacity Constraints and Pivotal Suppliers"

October 19 Sophie Bade (Pennsylvania State University)
"Matching Allocation Problems with Endogenous Information Acquisition"

October 26 Felix Kubler (University of Zurich)
"Life-Cycle Portfolio Choice, the Wealth Distribution and Asset Prices"

November 2 Sidartha Gordon (Université de Montréal)
"Strategy-proof location of multiple public goods"

November 30 Gisela Waisman (Stockholm University, visiting the IAE)
"Labour Market Performance Effects of Discrimination and Loss of Skill"

December 14 Flavio Toxvaert (University of Cambridge)
"Recurrent Infection and Externalities in Treatment"

APPENDIX 4 "Bellaterra" Macro Seminars

2009

April 2 Paolo Volpin (Department of Finance, London Business School),
"Securitization, transparency and liquidity"

April 16 Mark Aguiar (University of Rochester),
"Growth in the Shadow of Expropriation"

May 28	Andrea Ichino (Department of Economics, University of Bologna), "Gender Based Taxation and the Division of Family Chores"	December 9	Diego Restuccia (University of Toronto), "The Size Distribution of Farms and International Income Differences"
June 4	Mark Wright, (Department of Economics, UCLA), "Recovery before redemption: a theory of delays in sovereign debt recognitions"	December 16	Giorgio Primiceri (Northwestern University), "Learning the Wealth of Nations" (with Francisco Buera and Alexander Monge)
June 11	Alberto Martin (CREI and Universitat Pompeu Fabra), "Institutions and Foreign Finance: Sovereign and Private Flows"	December 18	Pol Antras (Harvard University), "Intermediated Trade" (with Arnaud Costinot)
June 25	Ricardo Lagos (New York University), "Asset Prices, Liquidity, and Monetary Policy"	2010 March 17	Almut Balleer (IIES, Stockholm University) "New Evidence, Old Puzzles: Technology Shocks and Labor Market Dynamics"
September 22	Michele Boldrin (University of Washington in Saint Louis), "Monetary Policy and Asset Evaluation"	March 24	Tullio Japelli (CSEF, University of Naples) "Financial Integration and Consumption Smoothing"
October 7	Francesco Caselli (LSE, visiting CREI), "Do Oil Windfalls Improve Living Standards? Evidence from Brazil" (with Guy Michaels)	April 7	Giammario Impullitti (IMT Institute of Advanced Studies Lucca) "Global Innovation Races, Offshoring and Wage Inequality"
October 19	Omer Moav (Hebrew University of Jerusalem, Royal Holloway, University of London), "Saving Rates and Poverty: The Role of Conspicuous Consumption and Human Capital" (with Zvika Neeman)	April 12	Evi Pappa (Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona) "Fiscal expansion may affect unemployment, but they increase it"
October 21	Ana M. Santacreu (INSEAD), "Innovation, Diffusion and Trade: Theory and Measurement"	April 21	Hans-Joachim Voth (UPF, CREI) "The Three Horsemen of Riches: Plague, War, and Urbanization in Early Modern Europe" (with Nico Voigtländer)
October 28	Per Krusell (Institute for International Economic Studies Stockholm University), "Asset Trading and Valuation with Uncertain Exposure"	April 28	Luisa Lambertini (Ecole Polytechnique Federale de Lausanne) "Risky Mortgages"
November 2	Russell Cooper (European University Institute, Florence), "Costly Portfolio Adjustment"	May 5	Morten Ravn (UCL) "Fiscal Policy in an Expectations Driven Liquidity Trap" (with Karel Mertens)
November 11	Virginia Sánchez Marcos (Universidad de Cantabria), "Aggregate Shocks and House Prices Fluctuations"	May 12	Victor Rios-Rull (University of Minnesota) "Credit Cycles" (with Xavier Mateos Planas)
December 2	Giacomo Ponzetto (CREI), "Asymmetric Information and Trade Policy"	May 13	Dirk Krueger (University of Pennsylvania) "Are Recessions Good for Young People?" (with Jonathan Heathcote and Jose-Victor Rios-Rull)

May 26 Josep Pijoan-Mas (CEMFI)
"Small Scale Reservation Laws and the Missallocation of Talent"

June 3 Ricardo Nunes (Federal Reserve Board)
"News and Sovereign Default risk in Small Open Economies"

June 9 Mirko Wiederholt (Northwestern University) visiting UPF
"Imperfect Information and Optimal Monetary Policy"

June 16 Lutz Weinke (Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin)
"Lumpy Investment and State-Dependent Pricing in General Equilibrium"
 (with Michael Reitera and Tommy Sveenb)

July 29 Patrick Kehoe, (Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis, University of Minnesota, and Princeton University)
"Bailouts, Time Inconsistency, and Optimal Regulation"
 (with V. V. Chari)

September 22 Calin Arcalean (ESADE)
"Inequality and Education Funding: Theory and Evidence from the US School Districts"

September 30 Pedro Teles (Bank of Portugal)
"Monetary Policy and the Financing of Firms"

October 13 Carlos Garriga (Federal Reserve Bank of Saint Louis)
"Home Equity, Foreclosures, and Bail-out Programs during the Subprime Crises"
 (with Don E. Schlagenhauf)

November 4 Etienne Wasmer (Sciences-Po Paris)
"The Propagation of Technology Shocks: Do Good, Labor and Credit Market Imperfections Matter and How Much?" (with Nicolas Petrosky-Nadeau)

November 10 Giovanni Pica (Università di Salerno)
"Who's Afraid of a Globalized World? Foreign Direct Investments, Local Knowledge and Allocation of Talents"

December 1 Radim Bohacek (Economics Institute, The Academy of Sciences of the Czech Republic)
"Endogenous Financial Intermediation and Risk"

December 15 Chryssi Giannitsarou (University of Cambridge)
"Social Structure and Human Capital Dynamics"

APPENDIX 5 IAE "Internal" Seminars

2009

February 27 Javier Polavieja, *"Sex-Differences in Job-Allocation: What Drives Women's Investments in their Jobs?"*

March 13 Joan M^a Esteban and with Debraj Ray,
"Linking Conflict to Inequality and Polarization"

April 17 Albert Marcet, *"Internal Rationality and Asset Prices"*,
 with Klaus Adam and Juan Pablo Nicolini.

May 8 Esther Hauk, *"Limited Liability and Mechanism Design in Procurement"*,
 with Roberto Burguet and Juan-José Ganuza.

May 22 Jesús Fernández-Huertas, *"Who goes where and why? Recent Ecuadorian Migration to the US and Spain"*
 with Simone Bertoli and Francesc Ortega.

June 12 Alessandra Bonfiglioli, *"Politicians under Uncertainty"*
 (very preliminary) (with Gino Gancia, UPF).

October 2 Olivier Dagnelie, *"Early Marriages in Sub Saharan Africa: Hoping for More Rainy Days"*

October 9 Enriqueta Aragonès, *"Listening to Voters: the Welfare effects of Participatory Democracy"*
 (with Santiago Sánchez-Pagés)

October 23 Dragan Filipovich, (El Colegio de Mexico, visiting IAE)
"Linked Norms and Corruption"

2010

October 30 Hugo Rodríguez, "*Endogenous Financial Intermediation*"

November 6 Julien Prat, "*Labor Market and Industry Dynamics in Economies with Multiple Sectors*"

November 13 Sjaak Hurkens, "*Mobile Termination, Network Externalities, and Consumer Expectations*", (joint with Angel Lopez)

November 20 Joan M^a Esteban, "*Strategic Mass Killings*", (with Massimo Morelli and Dominic Rohner)

January 22 Lúdia Farré, "*Immigration, Family Responsibilities and the Labor Supply of Skilled Native Women*" (with Libertad Gonzalez and Francesc Ortega).

February 5 Ramon Caminal, "*Three is a crowd: A new cooperative solution concept for three-player games that takes simultaneous, bilateral negotiations to the center stage*" (with Roberto Burguet).

February 19 Ana Rute Cardoso, "*Long-term impact of youth minimum wages: Evidence from two decades of individual longitudinal data*"

March 5 Dragan Filipovich, (El Colegio de Mexico, visiting IAE) "*Mens Rea*"

March 19 Julien Prat, "*Dynamic Contracts under Parameter Uncertainty*"

April 9 Xavier Martínez-Giralt, "*Technological adoption in health care*", (with Pedro Pita Barros)

April 16 Stephen P. Jenkins, (ISER, University of Essex, visiting IAE), "*Has income mobility in Britain changed over the last two decades?*"

April 30 Jesús Fernández-Huertas, "*Tradable Immigration (and Refugee) Quotas*"(with Hillel Rapoport)

May 7 Francesca Rondina, "*Bayesian model averaging in optimal control problems: benefits from model uncertainty?*"

May 14 Omar Licandro, "*Trade, Firm Selection, and Innovation: The Competition Channel*" (with Giammario Impullitti)

May 28 Laura Mayoral, "*Conflict and Distribution: An Empirical Study*" (with Joan Esteban and Debraj Ray)

June 11 Hannes Mueller, "*Terrorism and the Clash of Civilizations*" (with Esther Hauk)

June 14: Giovanni Mastrobuoni, "*Everybody Stay Cool, This Is a Robbery*" (Collegio Carlo Alberto, visiting IAE)

September 17 José María Da Rocha, (Universidad de Vigo), "*Fisheries with fish: Optimal management in age structured fisheries models*"

October 8 Omar Licandro, "*Innovation Cycles*" (with Mauro Bambi)

November 5 Francesco Fasani, "*Crime and Mental Health in the UK*" (with Francesca Cornaglia and Christian Dustmann)

November 12 Carmen Beviá, "*Oligopolistic Equilibrium and Bankruptcy*"

November 19 Joan Esteban, "*Immigration policy*" (with Massimo Morelli and Dominic Rohner)

December 3 Rosario Crinò, "*New Imported Inputs, New Domestic Products*" (with Italo Colantone)

APPENDIX 6

Thrid INSIDE Workshop (Insights on Immigration and Development Economics), June 4-5

2009

June 4 Keynote speaker: Jennifer Hunt (McGill University)
 "Which Immigrants are Most Innovative and Entrepreneurial? Distinctions by Entry Visa"
 (Chair: Javier Polavieja)

*“Immigration and host countries income and productivity:
A channel accounting approach”*
Mariya Aleksynska & Ahmed Tritah, CEPII, Paris

*“The Forces behind International Migration:
A Gravity Model Approach”*
Emmanuel Letouzé et. al., United Nations,
Human Development Report Office

*“The Effects of Unskilled Immigration on the Labor Supply
of High-Skilled Spanish Females”*
Lidia Farre (IAE), L. Gonzalez & Francesc Ortega, UPF
(Chair: Ada Ferrer)

“Risk Aversion and Positive Self-Selection of Immigrants in Germany”
Hector Cebolla (UNED) & Amparo González (CSIC)

“Are Skilled Women more Migratory than Skilled Men?”
Sara Salomone et al. ECON-IRES, Catholic University, Leuven

*“The Determinants of International Migration Accounting
for Self-selection”*
Jesús Fernández-Huertas IAE-CSIC (Chair: Rosario Crino)

*“Immigrant Wages in the Spanish Labor Market:
Does the Origin of Human Capital Matter?”*
E. Sanromá (UB), Raúl Ramos (UB) & .H. Simón (UA)

*“From Guests to Hosts: A First whole Picture of Immigrant-Native
Wage Differentials in Spain”*
José-Ignacio Antón et al. Universidad de Salamanca

*“Beyond Assimilation: Do Immigrants Contribute to a more
Flexible Labor Force?...”*
Miguel Angel Alcobendas & Nuria Rodriguez-Planas UAB
(Chair: Olivier Dagnelie)

“Access to Health Care and Migration”
Isabel Medalho Pereira & Pedro Pita Barros, UNDP,
Universidade Nova de Lisboa and EPR

“What Matters for Education? Evidence for Catalonia”
María Gutiérrez-Domenech (La Caixa) & Alicia Adsera (Princeton)

“School Sorting: The Effects of Immigration”
Lucila Berniel, Universidad Carlos III (Chair: Olivier Dagnelie)

*“Jobs, Working Hours, and Remuneration Packages for Migrants
and Urban Residents”*
Paul Frijters, et al. Queensland University of Technology

*“Undocumented Migrants and Labor Demand Shocks:
an Empirical Analysis of Deportations”*
Francesco Fasani, UCL

*“The Political Economy of Collective Remittances: The Mexican 3?1
Program for Migrants”*
Javier Aparicio & Covadonga Meseguer CIDE/ICREA-IBEI
(Chair: Ada Ferrer)

*“Who are the Europeans that Europeans Prefer? Economic Conditions
and Exclusionary Views toward European Immigrants”*
Anastasia Gorodzeisky, CEACS

*“Migration and Trade: Political Substitutes?
Evidence from US Congressional Roll Call Votes”*
Max Steinhard et al. Université Libre de Bruxelles

*“Discrimination against Immigrants in the Spanish Rental Market”,
Evidence from a Field Experiment”*
Mariano Bosch, M^a Carnero & Lidia Farré UAL
(Chair: Rosario Crinò)

June 5

Keynote Speaker: David Jaeger
(City University of New York & CReAM, UC London)
“Recent Trends in US Immigration” (Chair: Javier Polavieja)

2009 2nd Workshop on The Political Economy of Democracy, 18 - 19 June

2009 Thursday, 18 June

INAUGURATION. 10-10:15 h.

Clara PONSATÍ (CSIC, Barcelona)

SESSION 1. Chair: Clara PONSATÍ

Josep M. COLOMER (CSIC, Barcelona)

RE-ESTABLISHING PERSONAL REPRESENTATION

Paulo Trigo PEREIRA (Technical Univ. Lisbon)

FREEDOM TO CHOOSE MPs (with Joao A. Silva)

SESSION 2. Chair: Josep M. COLOMER

Reuven HAZAN (Hebrew Univ., Jerusalem CANDIDATE SELECTION
(with Nir Atmor and Gideon Rahat)

Enriqueta ARAGONÈS (CSIC, Barcelona)

ELECTORAL EQUILIBRIUM WITH CANDIDATE SELECTION

SESSION 3. Chair: Enriqueta ARAGONÈS

Henk VAN DER KOLK (Univ. Twente) LOCAL ELECTIONS

Dimitros XEFTERIS REFERENDA

Friday, 19 June

SESSION 1. Chair: Humberto LLAVADOR (Univ. Pompeu Fabra)

Georg LUTZ (Univ. Lausanne) OPEN BALLOT

Michael MARSH (Trinity College, Dublin) PREFERENTIAL VOTE STV

SESSION 2. Chair:

Steven J. BRAMS (New York Univ.)

SATISFACTION APPROVAL VOTING (with Mark Kilgour)

Louis MASSICOTTE (Univ. Laval, Québec) MIXED SYSTEMS

SESSION 3. Chair:

Helen MARGETTS (Oxford Univ.)

ALTERNATIVES TO SINGLE MEMBER DISTRICTS

Pedro RIERA (I. Juan March, Madrid) CLOSED LIST

2009 Workshop on "Institutions, Contracts and Growth: Links and Dynamics", June 22-23

2009 Monday, June 22

Session 1: Institutions and Development

"Development and the Interaction of Enforcement Institutions"

Amrita Dhillon (University of Warwick)

Jamele Rigolini (World Bank)

Discussant: Hannes Mueller (IAE-CSIC)

"Financing Development: the Role of Information Costs"

Jeremy Greenwood (University of Pennsylvania)

Juan Sánchez (Richmond FED)

Cheng Wang (Iowa State University)

Discussant: Gerard Llobet (CEMFI)

"Finance and Development: A Tale of Two Sectors"

Francisco Buera (Northwestern University)

Joseph Kaboski (Ohio State University)

Yongseok Shin (Washington University, St. Louis)

Discussant: Omar Licandro (European University Institute)

Session 2: Institutions and Finance

"Political Allocation of Finance"

Enrico Perotti (University of Amsterdam)

Marcel Vorage (University of Amsterdam)

Discussant: Giacomo Ponzetto (Harvard University)

"Connections and Information Acquisition in Capital Allocation"

Mariassunta Giannetti (Stockholm School of Economics)

Xiaoyun Yu (Kennedy School of Business, Indiana University)

Discussant: Mathias Thoenig (University of Geneva)

Session 3: Contract Enforcement in Open Economies

"International Trade and Institutional Change"

Andrei Levchenko (University of Michigan)

Discussant: Josep Vilarrubia (Banc Sabadell)

"Institutions, Public Debt and Foreign Finance"
Nicola Gennaioli (CREI and UPF) Alberto Martin (CREI and UPF)
Stefano Rossi (Stockholm School of Economics)
Discussant: Amrita Dhillon (University of Warwick)

Clara Ponsatí (IAE-CSIC)
Karl Shell (Cornell U.)
Xavier Vives (IESE)

Tuesday June 23

Keynote Lecture
"Endogenous Intertemporal Participation Constraints"
Ramon Marimon (European University Institute)

Session 4: Contracts and Development

"Institutions, Markets and Growth:
a Theory of Comparative Corporate Governance"
Simi Kedia (Rutgers University) Kose John (NYU Stern School of Business)
Discussant: Nicola Gennaioli (CREI and UPF)

"Growth, Selection and Appropriate Contracts"
Alessandra Bonfiglioli (IAE-CSIC) Gino Gancia (CREI and UPF)
Discussant: Gianluca Clementi (NYU Stern School of Business)

2010 Fourth INSIDE Workshop (Insights on Immigration and Development Economics), June 22-23

Organizers: Ana Rute Cardoso, Lidia Farré, Jesús Fernández-Huertas Moraga

June 22

Session 1

"Immigration and the Occupational Choice of Natives:
a Factor Proportions Approach",
Javier Ortega (City University London) and Gregory Verdugo
Discussant: Núria Rodríguez-Planas (UAB)

"Tradable Immigration Quotas", Jesús Fernández-Huertas
Moraga and Hillel Rapoport (Bar-Ilan University)
Discussant: Caterina Calsamiglia Costa (UAB)
Chair: Lidia Farre

Session 2

"Immigration, Offshoring and American Jobs",
Gianmarco I.P. Ottaviano, Giovanni Peri and Greg C. Wright (UC Davis)
Discussant: Rosario Crinò (Institut d'Anàlisi Econòmica – CSIC)

"Pension Systems and Immigration Policy",
Guadalupe Valera (Universidad Pablo de Olavide)
Discussant: Lola Collado (Universitat d'Alacant)

"Heaven's Revolving Door: On the Dynamics of Quality-selective
Immigration Policies",
Simone Bertoli (Institute for Employment Research) and Hillel Rapoport
Discussant: Aitor Lacuesta (Banco de España)
Chair: Ramon Caminal

2010 Polarization and conflict: A conference in honor of Joan M. Esteban's 65th birthday, May 31

"Conflict and Distribution: Reflections on Joint Work with Joan Esteban",
Debraj Ray, (New York University)

"Polarization, Deprivation and Individual Well-being",
Conchita D'Ambrosio, (University Milano-Bicocca)

"Fiscal Policy, Composition of Intergenerational Transfer,
and Income Distribution",
Jordi Caballé (UAB)

Round Table on Joan M. Esteban's contributions.
Salvador Barberà (UAB)
Xavier Calsamiglia (UPF)
Itzhak Gilboa (Tel Aviv U. And HEC, Paris)
Karl Ove Moene (U. Oslo)

Keynote Lecture

"The Negative Assimilation of Immigrants: A Special Case"

Barry R. Chiswick (University of Illinois)

Chair: Ana Rute Cardoso

"A Land of Milk and Honey with Streets Paved with Gold:

Do Emigrants Have Over-optimistic

Expectations about Incomes Abroad?",

David McKenzie, John Gibson and Steven Stillman

(Motu Economic and Public Policy Research)

Discussant: José Varejão (University of Porto)

Chair: Olivier Dagnelie

Session 3

"Roads to Development: Experimental Evidence from Urban Road Pavement",

Marco González-Navarro and Climent Quintana-Domeque

(Universitat d'Alacant)

Discussant: Lucia Corno (Boconni University)

"Assessing Downward Rigidities in Developing Countries",

Julián Messina (World Bank)

and Anna Sanz-de- Galdeano Discussant: Marcelo Soto

(Institut d'Anàlisi Econòmica-CSIC)

Chair: Lucinda Platt

June 23

Session 4

"The Sluggish Movement of Workers:

Rethinking Immigration Absorption, Rybezyński

Effects and Wage Responses",

Joan Monràs Oliu (Columbia University)

Discussant: Libertad González (Universitat Pompeu Fabra)

"Referral-based Job Search Networks",

Christian Dustmann, Albrecht Glitz (Universitat Pompeu Fabra)

and Uta Schönberg

Discussant: Mariano Bosch (Universitat d'Alacant)

Chair: Ada Ferrer-i-Carbonell

Session 5

"Migration Restrictions and Criminal Behavior:

Evidence from a Natural Experiment",

Giovanni Mastrobuoni (Collegio Carlo Alberto) and Paolo Pinotti

Discussant: Francesco Fasani (University College London)

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