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Academic Employment

Institute of Political Economy & Governance (IPEG), Junior Research Professor, 2015-

Juan March Institute of Social Sciences, Post-Doctoral Fellow, 2012-2015

Education

Ph.D., Wilf Family Department of Politics, New York University, September 2012.

Title: The Political Economy of Fiscal Capacity Building.

Committee: Adam Przeworski (chair), David Stasavage, Shanker Satyanath, Neal Beck, and Isabela Mares (Columbia University).

Field: Comparative Political Economy.

Visiting Student at the Economics Department of Pompeu Fabra University, 2010-11.

M.A. in Political Science, New York University, 2009.

M.A. in Political Science and Sociology, Pompeu Fabra University, 2007.

M.A. in Social Sciences, Juan March Institute, 2006.

B.A. in Political Science, Pompeu Fabra University, 2004.

Honors and Awards

Juan de la Cierva - Incorporación, Spanish Ministry of Economy and Competitiveness, 2015-2017.

Max Weber Fellowship, European University Institute, 2012 (declined)

McCracken Fellowship, *New York University*, 2007-2012.

EITM Fellowship, National Science Foundation, 2011

Fulbright Fellowship, *US-Spain Fulbright Commission - Fundación Ramón Areces*, 2007-2011.

NYU GSAS Predoctoral Field Research Fellowship, 2011.

NYU Politics Departmental Summer Field Research Grant, 2011.

Institut de Ciències Polítiques i Socials Research Grant, 2010.

ECPR Franz Daalder Prize 2009 *ex aequo* for the best paper presented at the 2008 European Consortium of Political Research Graduate Conference.

Publications

“Protection not for Sale, but for Tax Compliance” *International Studies Quarterly*. Accepted.

“From Mercantilism to Free-Trade: A History of Fiscal Capacity Building.” *Quarterly Journal of Political Science*, 2015, 10(2) 221-273.

“The Non-Democratic Origins of Income Taxation.”, *Comparative Political Studies* (with Isabela Mares), 2015, 48(14) 1974-2009.

“Economic Voting in Multi-tiered Polities.” *Electoral Studies*, 2012, 31(1) 107-119.

“Spatial Voting in Spain: Testing Competing Models.” *South European Politics and Society*, 2012, 17(3) 375-392. Reprinted in *Voters and Parties in the Spanish Political Space*, edited by Ignacio Sánchez-Cuenca and Elias Dinas. 2013. London: Routledge.

Papers under Review

“The Electoral Origins of Fiscal Capacity” (with Pablo Beramendi)

“Fiscal Innovation in Non-Democratic Regimes” (with Isabela Mares)

Work in Progress

The Legacy of War on Fiscal Capacity: A Quasi-Experimental Test

A Tale of Two Regimes? Taxation and Accountability in China and Taiwan (With Xiaobo Lü and Jay C. Kao)

Other Publications

“Learning the Mechanical Effect of Electoral Systems.” *Estudio/Working Paper*, 2009/241. Madrid: Juan March Institute of Study and Research.

“Determinants of Swing Voting in Spain.” *Estudio/Working Paper*, 2008/238. Madrid: Juan March Institute of Study and Research.

“Determinants of the Reserve Wage of Unemployed Women in Catalonia”. 2009. *Informes Breus*, 17. Barcelona: Fundació Jaume Bofill.

(With Subirats, J., Riba, C., Giménez, L., Obradors, A., Giménez, M., Bottos, P. & Rapoport, A.). 2004. *Poverty and Social Exclusion. An Assessment of the Spanish and European Situation.*, Barcelona: Fundació “la Caixa”, Barcelona.

Teaching

The Political Economy of State Building (graduate), IBEI-UPF, Barcelona

International Political Economy (graduate), DiploCat-UPF, Barcelona

Research Methods for International Relations (undergraduate), IE University, Madrid

T.A. Comparative Politics (undergraduate), Prof. Michael Laver, NYU

T.A. American Politics (undergraduate), Prof. Patrick Egan, NYU

Invited Talks

CIDE-Economics Division, Spring 2017 (scheduled).

Institut d’Economia de Barcelona (IEB). May 2016.

Stanford University, Comparative Politics Seminar. February 2016.

Peking University, National School of Development. June 2014.

NYU Abu Dhabi, Political Science Seminar September 2013.

Duke University, Political Economy Seminar. March 2013.

Pompeu Fabra University, External Speaker Seminar. December 2010.

Workshops

Texas A&M University. Taxation, Revenue, and Fiscal Capacity. March 2017 (scheduled).

Sciences Po. Paris. New Perspectives on Institutional Change. May 2016.

Lund University. States and Their Making. May 2016.

CIEFR-Peking University. The Political Causes and Consequences of Fiscal Policies in Comparative Context. October 2015.

Princeton University. The Political Economy of Government Revenues. October 2015.

Lund University. Policy Reforms in Europe and Latin America: The Promises and Pitfalls of Cross-Regional Comparisons. June 2014.

Washington University in St. Louis and Vigo University, International Conference on Political Economy and Institutions. April 2014.

Princeton University. The Development of Modern Political Institutions Conference. March 2013.

Juan March Institute. The Political Economy of State Capacity. June 2012.

Conferences

2016-2013 APSA Annual Meeting; 2016, 2013, 2011 MPSA Annual Conference; 2015, 2013, 2012 CES International Conference; 2016-2013 EPSA Annual General Conference; 2013 AECPA; 2008 ECPR Graduate Conference.

Professional Services

Referee for the *American Political Science Review*, *American Journal of Political Science*, *Journal of Politics*, *Comparative Political Studies*, *Political Science Research & Methods*, *Publius*, *Political Studies*, *Socio-Economic Review*, *Review of International Political Economy*, *Journal of Economic Policy Reform*, *South European Politics & Society*, *Environment and Planning C: Government and Policy*, *Political Research Quarterly*, *International Studies Quarterly*, *Economics & Politics*, *European Journal of Political Research*, *Journal of Conflict Resolution*, *Comparative Politics*.

Editorial Board of *Reviews & Critical Commentary*, Council for European Studies, 2014.

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