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RESEARCH FIELDS

Political Economy **Primary**

Secondary Environmental Economics

REFERENCES

Ruben Durante

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EDUCATION

Ph.D. in Economics

2020 - 2026 (expected) Universitat Pompeu Fabra Barcelona, Spain

Advisors: Ruben Durante, Maria Petrova

Visiting: Paris School of Economics (Spring 2025). Sponsor: Ekaterina Zhuravskaya

M.Sc. in Economics and Data Science

ENSAE Paris Paris. France

B.Sc. in Economics and Applied Mathematics

2016

2019

ENSAE Paris Paris, France

WORKING PAPERS

"Experience, Narratives, and Climate Change Beliefs" (with Milena Djourelova, Ruben Durante and Eleonora Patacchini), R&R JEEA

WORK IN PROGRESS

"Insult Politics in the Age of Social Media" – Job Market Paper

"Does jury gender composition affect trial outcomes? Evidence from French criminal courts" (with Marie Beigelman)

PUBLICATIONS

"Media Slant and Public Policy Views" (with Milena Djourelova, Ruben Durante and Eleonora Patacchini). AEA Papers and Proceedings. May 2024.

"The road to recovery: The role of poverty in the exposure, vulnerability and resilience to floods in Accra" (with A. Erman, R. Goyal, A. Asare, S. Takamatsu, X. Chen, S. Malgioglio, A. Skinner, N. Yoshida and S. Hallegatte). Economics of Disasters and Climate Change. February 2020.

CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS AND SEMINARS

2025	Environmental Populism Conference (LSE), IEB Political Economy Workshop (UB),
	MPWZ Text-as-Data Workshop, Catalan Economic Society Congress,
	Digital Economy Workshop (DIW Berlin), Doctoral Workshop in Digital Economics (TSE)
2024	CEPR Paris Symposium, Australian Young Economist Webinar Political Economy Workshop
2023	Spanish Economic Association Simposio

Organizer: UPF Applied Student Seminar (2023-2024), BSE Jamboree (2023), UPF Applied student & postdoc workshop (2022-2023)

REFEREE ACTIVITIES

Journal of Economic Geography, Journal of Public Economics

AWARDS & GRANTS

FPI scholarship for applied economics, Spanish Ministry of Education	2022-2026
Severo Ochoa BSE-UPF Ph.D. Track Fellowship	2021
Full tuition waiver, Barcelona GSE M.Sc. Economics	2020

TEACHING

Graduate courses at Barcelona School of Economics

2024	Masters Thesis supervision (Data Science Decision Making Masters);
	Masters Thesis supervision (Competition and Market Regulation Masters)
2023	Masters Thesis supervision (Data Science Decision Making Masters);
	Masters Thesis supervision (Competition Masters & Energy and Climate Change Masters)
2022	Statistical Modeling & Inference (Data Science Methodology Masters);
	Masters Thesis supervision (Data Science Decision Making Masters);
	Masters Thesis supervision (Competition and Market Regulation Masters)

PRE-DOCTORAL EXPERIENCE

THE DOCTORNE EMPERICE	
Universitat Pompeu Fabra Pre-doctoral research assistant for Prof. Ruben Durante	2019 - 2020 Barcelona, Spain
Banque de France	2018 - 2019
Data scientist	Paris, France
Universidad del Rosario	Spring 2018
Research assistant for Prof. Jorge Gallego	Bogotá, Colombia
The World Bank	2017 - 2018
Short-term consultant	Washington D.C., USA
ENSAE-CREST Research assistant for Prof. Sander Wagner	Summer 2017 Palaiseau, France

SKILLS AND LANGUAGES

Code & software	Python, Stata, R, QGIS
Languages	English (native), French (native), Spanish (fluent), Catalan (beginner)