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## Employment

- Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, [CUNEF Universidad](#), since 2020.

## Education

- Ph.D. in Economics, CEMFI, 2019.
- Master in Economics and Finance, CEMFI, 2015.
- Master in Economics, Universidad Complutense de Madrid, 2013.
- *Licenciatura* (BA) in Business Administration, CUNEF, 2011.

## Research Interests

- Quantitative macro: intergenerational mobility, family economics, aggregate productivity.

## Publications

- “Aggregate effects of firing costs with endogenous firm productivity growth”.  
*Macroeconomic Dynamics*, Volume 27, Issue 4, June 2023, 945–965.
- “Flattening of the Phillips curve with state-dependent prices and wages”  
*with James Costain and Anton Nakov*  
*The Economic Journal*, Volume 132, No. 642, February 2022, 546–581.

## Working papers & work in progress

- “Intergenerational persistence in welfare program participation”  
*with Javier López-Segovia*
- “Size-dependent regulations in Spain”  
*with Miguel Almunia, Juan F. Jimeno, David López-Rodríguez*
- “Intergenerational effects of child-related tax benefits in the US”.

## Scholarships and grants

2023–2026 Spain’s Ministry of Science and Innovation: “Intergenerational and long-run sources of inequality”, PI (joint with Luís Bauluz) — €42.5k.  
2018–2019 Spain’s Ministry of Economics and Competitiveness, Pre-Doctoral Grant.  
2015–2018 Ph.D. Scholarship, CEMFI.

## Conferences and seminars

2025 Workshop on Macroeconomics and Productivity, Universidad de Alicante (scheduled – Alicante, Spain).

- 2024 [VI Workshop of the Spanish Macroeconomics Network](#) (Madrid, Spain); [49th Symposium of the Spanish Economic Association](#) (Palma, Spain).
- 2023 [VI Workshop of the Spanish Macroeconomics Network](#) (Seville, Spain).
- 2022 [47th Symposium of the Spanish Economic Association](#) (Valencia, Spain).
- 2021 Pontificia Universidad Javierana de Bogotá (online); Virtual Macro Family Seminar (online).
- 2020 CUNEF Universidad (Madrid, Spain).
- 2019 [6th Joint Research Workshop Banco de España—CEMFI](#) (Madrid, Spain); [3rd Meeting of the Society for Economics of the Household](#) (Lisbon, Portugal); [44th Symposium of the Spanish Economic Association](#) (Alicante, Spain).
- 2018 [43rd Symposium of the Spanish Economic Association](#) (Madrid, Spain); [2018 European Winter Meeting of the Econometric Society](#) (Naples, Italy).

## Teaching experience

- Instructor, CUNEF Universidad (undergraduate courses):
  - Monetary and banking economics: 2023, 2024.
  - Macroeconomics: 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024.
  - Bachelor's thesis: 2022.
- Teaching Assistant, CEMFI (graduate courses):
  - Macroeconomics II: 2019.
  - Quantitative Methods: 2017–2019.
  - Macroeconomics I: 2016–2017.

## Academic services

- Organizer of CUNEF's Economics Department Seminar series — since 2024.
- External reviewer at *Agencia Estatal de Investigación* — since 2022.
- Member of CREDO's Advisory Panel — since 2021.
- Member of the Job Market Committee at CUNEF Universidad — 2021/2022, 2022/2023.
- During the PhD:
  - Organizer of the CEMFI's Macro Reading Group — 2016, 2017, 2018.
  - Co-organizer of the I UC3M-CEMFI Macroeconomics PhD Workshop — 2016.
  - RA to James Costain (summer 2014), Josep Pijoan-Mas (2016/2017), Nezih Guner (2018/2019).

## Refereeing activity

- The Economic Journal (x4); International Journal of Central Banking.

## Policy experience

- External consultant at AIReF (Spain's Independent Authority for Fiscal Responsibility) — 2022.  
*Evaluation of the Spanish Minimum Income Scheme (Ingreso Mínimo Vital).*
- Analyst at AIReF (Spain's Independent Authority for Fiscal Responsibility) — 2019-2020.  
*Evaluation of Tax Benefits in Spanish Personal Income Taxes — Spending Review.*

## Other information

- Software & programming: Fortran, Matlab, Stata, LaTeX.
- Languages: Spanish (native), English (fluent).
- Born in Bilbao (Spain), in 1988. Spanish citizenship.