

# GERARD MARTÍN

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## EDUCATION

**London School of Economics and Political Science (LSE)** London 2019-2020

Master of Science in Econometrics and Mathematical Economics

*Distinction (78/100)*

**Toulouse School of Economics (TSE)** Toulouse 2017-2019

Master 1 in Economics (International Track)

*First class honours (16.98/20) and second best academic record (class of 2018-2019)*

License 3 Economie

*First class honours (18.04/20). Obtained within the frame of a double degree in economics UPF-TSE.*

**Universitat Pompeu Fabra (UPF)** Barcelona, 2015-2019

Bachelor's Degree in Economics

*First class honours (9.28/10) and best academic record (class of 2015-2019)*

## **Grants**

La Caixa Fellowship (2019)

*Excellence scholarship to pursue postgraduate studies in Europe (50,000€)*

Beca Mobint (2019)

*Scholarship to pursue graduate studies outside Spain (1,200€)*

Ajuts Universitaris Fundació Catalunya La Pedrera (2015)

*Excellence scholarship to pursue graduate studies in Spain (1,000€)*

## EXPERIENCE

### **Professional Experience**

Research Assistant at CREi Barcelona, 2020

*Produced codes, literature reviews and performed empirical analyses for several research projects on macrofinance led by professors Victoria Vanasco and/or Vladimir Asriyan.*

Research Assistant at UPF Barcelona, 2019

*Managed data and produced reports for research led by Professor Marta Reynal-Querol, who investigates the role of human capital and institutions in the development of Latin America.*

Teacher at CEUS-CETEC Barcelona, 2017-2019

*Designed and taught coursework and exercises to optimize students' learning in Macroeconomics, Microeconomics, Financial Economics and Labour Economics to Bachelor students of 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> year.*

### **Research Experience**

The effect of market potential on growth: a spatial analysis of population concentration in Spain (1900-2010) London 2019-2020

*Studied how the spatial pattern of population growth in Spain evolves over time using data on municipal population.*

Modern economic growth and convergence: the long-run evolution of regional inequality in Spain (1860-2010) Barcelona, 2019

*Performed an analysis of sigma and beta convergence of Spanish regions using different spatial units and time intervals and using several panel data econometric estimators to estimate growth regressions. Text published [here](#).*

Do economies respond with neoclassical growth dynamics to natural disasters? Evidence on the effect of natural disasters on growth Toulouse, 2018-2019

*Investigated if the effect of natural disasters on economic growth is empirically consistent with a neoclassical growth model.*

Thar she busts revisited: children, adolescents and bubble experiments Barcelona, 2016-2017  
*Produced an experiment in which participants trade and create economic bubbles, and investigated the behaviour of 9-year-old children and 15-year-old adolescents when confronted with these economic bubbles. Awarded a distinction.*

## **SKILLS**

### **Languages**

Catalan, Spanish, English, French, Italian.

### **IT**

Stata, R, Matlab, LaTeX, Microsoft Office.

### **Multilingual Public Speaking**

Taught 30-35 student classes at CEUS-CETEC.

Participated in several “Lliga de Debat” at UPF, rhetorics tournaments in Catalan.

Demonstrated fluent and diplomatic public speaking for several Models of United Nations in English.