

# JACK FITZGERALD | CV

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## PERSONAL INFORMATION

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**Languages:** English (native), Dutch (B2 proficient, NT2 diploma)

## EDUCATION

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**Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam**, PhD Economics 2022 – 2026 (exp.)  
Dissertation – *Why Do Firms Comply?*

**University of Amsterdam**, MSc Economics 2020 – 2021  
Specialization in Markets and Regulation

**Florida State University**, BSc Economics and Political Science 2017 – 2020  
Minor in Mathematics

## PUBLISHED PAPERS

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Fitzgerald, J., Stroet, P., van Witteloostuijn, A., & Weissmueller, K. S. (2024). “Is There a Foreign Language Effect on Workplace Bribery Susceptibility? Evidence from a Randomized Controlled Vignette Experiment.” *Journal of Business Ethics*. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s10551-024-05731-x>.

## WORKING PAPERS

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Fitzgerald, J. (2024). “US States That Mandated COVID-19 Vaccination See Higher, Not Lower, Takeup of COVID-19 Boosters and Flu Vaccines.” R&R, *PNAS*.

Fitzgerald, J. (2024). “Manipulation Tests in Regression Discontinuity Design: The Need for Equivalence Testing.” *Institute for Replication Discussion Paper* No. 136.  
<https://www.econstor.eu/handle/10419/300277>.

Fitzgerald, J. (2024). “The Need for Equivalence Testing in Economics.” *Institute for Replication Discussion Paper* No. 125. <https://www.econstor.eu/handle/10419/296190>. Under submission.

Fitzgerald, J. (2024). “The Problems with Poor Proxies: Does Innovation Mitigate Agricultural Damage from Climate Change?”

## GRANTS

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**Amsterdam Sustainability Institute Behavior and Governance Cluster Grant** 2023  
2500 EUR, for *Fine Enough or Don't Fine at All?*

**Department of Ethics, Governance, & Society Inter-Sectional Grant** 2023  
5000 EUR, for *Trusting the System? Explainable AI, Trust, and Stereotyping*  
joint with Mattia Panettiere

**Amsterdam Law and Behavior Institute PhD Grant** 2022 – 2026  
30,000 EUR, for *Why Do Firms Comply?*

## TEACHING

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<b>Statistical Methods for Causal Inference</b> , Co-Coordinator (English) Course, Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam Summer School	2023 – Present
<b>Voortgezette Methoden voor Criminologische Onderzoek</b> , Lecturer (Dutch) Course, MSc Criminologie	2023 – Present

## SERVICE AND AFFILIATIONS

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<b>Reviewer Activity</b> <i>Humanities and Social Sciences Communications; Journal of International Business Studies (3x); Scientific Reports</i>	
<b>Behavioral Social Sciences Reserch Seminar</b> , Organizer	2023 – present
<b>School of Business and Economics PhD Council</b> , Member	2023 – present
<b>Social Science Prediction Platform</b> , Superforecaster Panel (paid)	2023 – present
<b>Amsterdam Sustainability Institute (ASI)</b> , Behavior and Governance Cluster	2022 – present
<b>Amsterdam Behavioral Economics and Law Lab (ABEL)</b> , Member	2022 – present
<b>Dutch Inst. for the Study of Crime and Law Enf. (NSCR)</b> , PhD Candidate	2022 – present
<b>Amsterdam Law and Behavior Institute (A-LAB)</b> , PhD Candidate	2022 – present

## ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

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<b>Tutor – Wyzant</b> <i>Chicago, Illinois, USA (Remote)</i>	2021 – present
<b>Assistant Debate Coach – The Bronx High School of Science</b> <i>New York City, New York, USA (Remote)</i>	2020 – 2021
<b>Congressional Debate Coach – Ascend Speech and Debate</b> <i>Sacramento, California, USA (Remote)</i>	2020 – 2021
<b>Research Assistant – Florida State University Dept. of Economics</b> <i>Tallahassee, Florida, USA</i>	2019
<b>Research Intern – Teen Court of Sarasota</b> <i>Sarasota, Florida, USA</i>	2016

## REFERENCES

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