

JACK FITZGERALD | CV

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PERSONAL INFORMATION

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

Specializations: Applied econometrics, replication, economics of science

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REFERENCES

Abel Brodeur University of Ottawa Institute for Replication ✉ abrodeur@uottawa.ca	Sanchayan Banerjee King's College London Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam ✉ sanchayan.1.banerjee@kcl.ac.uk	Arjen van Witteloostuijn Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam University of Antwerp ✉ a.van.witteloostuijn@vu.nl
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EDUCATION

Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam , PhD Economics University Teaching Qualification (BKO) Dissertation – <i>Why Do Firms Comply?</i>	2022 – 2026 (exp.) 2024
University of Amsterdam , MSc Economics Specialization in Markets and Regulation	2020 – 2021
Florida State University , BSc Economics and Political Science Minor in Mathematics	2017 – 2020

JOB MARKET PAPER

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

PUBLISHED AND FORTHCOMING ARTICLES

Fitzgerald, J. (2024). “US States That Mandated COVID-19 Vaccination See Higher, Not Lower, Take-Up of COVID-19 Boosters and Flu Vaccines.” 121(41), e2403758121, *Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences*. <https://doi.org/10.1073/pnas.2403758121>.

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

Fitzgerald, J. (2024). “Identifying the Impact of Hypothetical Stakes on Experimental Outcomes and Treatment Effects.” *Tinbergen Institute Discussion Paper Series* No. 24/070-I. Under invited submission, *Experimental Economics*. <https://papers.tinbergen.nl/24070.pdf>.

Fitzgerald, J. (2024). “Imputations, Inverse Hyperbolic Sines, and Impossible Values.” Under invited submission, *Nature Human Behaviour*. https://jack-fitzgerald.github.io/files/WEA23_Replication.pdf.

Isager, P. & Fitzgerald, J. (2024). “Three-Sided Testing to Establish Practical Significance: A Tutorial.” *PsyArXiv*. <https://doi.org/10.31234/osf.io/8y925>.

Fitzgerald, J. (2024). “Revisiting the Impacts of Anti-Discrimination Employment Protections on American Businesses.” Under submission, *Management Science*.
https://jack-fitzgerald.github.io/files/GS22_Replication.pdf.

Fitzgerald, J. (2024). “The Problems with Poor Proxies: Does Innovation Mitigate Agricultural Damage from Climate Change?” *Institute for Replication Discussion Paper* No. 158. Under submission.
<https://www.econstor.eu/handle/10419/303190>.

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

SELECTED WORKS IN PROGRESS

“The Impacts of Replications in Economics.” Joint with Bob Reed and Tom Coupé.

“A Comment on ‘Resisting Social Pressure in the Household Using Mobile Money: Experimental Evidence on Microenterprise Investment in Uganda’.” Joint with Lenka Fiala, Essi Kujansuu, & David Valenta.

“Fine Enough or Don’t Fine At All? Experimental Evidence on Optimal Fine Levels for Natural Resource Conservation.”

“The Nuclear Option: Cross-Country Evidence on the Impacts of Nuclear Power Supply.”

GRANTS

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

Programming for Economists, Coordinator (English) 2024
 Course, BSc Economics and Business Economics

Statistical Methods for Causal Inference, Co-Coordinator (English) 2023, 2024
 Course, Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam Summer School

Voortgezette Methoden voor Criminologisch Onderzoek, Lecturer (Dutch) 2023, 2024
 Course, MSc Criminologie

INVITED TALKS

Workshop on Equivalence Testing and the Smallest Effect Size of Interest 2024
 Technische Universiteit Eindhoven: Eindhoven, The Netherlands

Behavioural Insights for Business and Policy (BIBaP) Network Seminar 2024
 University of New South Wales: Remote

CONFERENCES

ODISSEI Conference for Social Sciences (poster) ODISSEI: Utrecht, The Netherlands	2024
Netherlands Reproducibility Network Symposium (poster) University of Groningen Medical Center: Groningen, The Netherlands	2024
Platform for Young Meta-Scientists Symposium (presentation) University of Groningen Medical Center: Groningen, The Netherlands	2024
Leibniz Open Science Day (presentation) RWI Essen, WZB Berlin, and ZBW Leibniz: Berlin, Germany	2024
Causal Data Science Meeting (presentation) Maastricht University and Copenhagen Business School: Remote	2024
Nederlandse Economendag (poster) Leiden University: The Hague, The Netherlands	2024
Paul Meehl Graduate School PhD Day (presentation) Technische Universiteit Eindhoven: Eindhoven, The Netherlands	2024
Meta-Analysis in Economic Research Network (MAER-Net) Colloquium (presentation) University of Augsburg: Augsburg, Germany	2024
Economic Science Association European Meeting (presentation) Hanken School of Economics: Helsinki, Finland	2024
Groningen Workshop on Causal Inference + Machine Learning (presentation + poster) University of Groningen: Groningen, The Netherlands	2024
European Commission CC-ME COMPIE Conference (presentation) Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam: Amsterdam, The Netherlands	2024
KVS New Paper Sessions (presentation) Leiden University: The Hague, The Netherlands	2024

SERVICE AND AFFILIATIONS

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

ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

Tutor – Wyzant <i>Chicago, Illinois, USA (Remote)</i>	2021 – present
Assistant Debate Coach – The Bronx High School of Science <i>New York City, New York, USA (Remote)</i>	2020 – 2021

Congressional Debate Coach – Ascend Speech and Debate 2020 – 2021
Sacramento, California, USA (Remote)

Research Assistant – Florida State University Dept. of Economics 2019
Tallahassee, Florida, USA

Research Intern – Teen Court of Sarasota 2016
Sarasota, Florida, USA