

# JACK FITZGERALD | CV

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## PERSONAL INFORMATION

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## REFERENCES

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## EDUCATION

<b>Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam</b> , PhD Economics University Teaching Qualification (BKO) Dissertation – <i>Why Do Firms Comply?</i>	2022 – 2026 (exp.) 2024
<b>University of Amsterdam</b> , MSc Economics Specialization in Markets and Regulation	2020 – 2021
<b>Florida State University</b> , 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. <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](https://jack-fitzgerald.github.io/files/WEA23_Replication.pdf).

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](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

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

“Practical Significance Testing in Psychological Research: A Tutorial in Three-Sided Testing.” Joint with Peder Isager.

“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

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<b>Amsterdam Sustainability Institute Behavior and Governance Cluster Grant</b> 2500 EUR, for <i>Fine Enough or Don’t Fine at All?</i>	2023
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<b>Department of Ethics, Governance, &amp; Society Inter-Sectional Grant</b> 5000 EUR, for <i>Trusting the System? Explainable AI, Trust, and Stereotyping</i> joint with Mattia Panettiere	2023
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<b>Amsterdam Law and Behavior Institute PhD Grant</b> 30,000 EUR, for <i>Why Do Firms Comply?</i>	2022 – 2026
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## TEACHING

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<b>Programming for Economists</b> , Coordinator (English) Course, BSc Economics and Business Economics	2024
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<b>Statistical Methods for Causal Inference</b> , Co-Coordinator (English) Course, Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam Summer School	2023, 2024
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<b>Voortgezette Methoden voor Criminologisch Onderzoek</b> , Lecturer (Dutch) Course, MSc Criminologie	2023, 2024
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## SERVICE AND AFFILIATIONS

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### Reviewer Activity

*Humanities and Social Sciences Communications*; *Journal of International Business Studies* (3x);  
*PLOS ONE*; *Scientific Reports*

<b>Behavioral Social Sciences Reserch Seminar</b> , Organizer	2023 – present
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<b>School of Business and Economics PhD Council</b> , Member	2023 – present
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<b>Social Science Prediction Platform</b> , Superforecaster Panel (paid)	2023 – present
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<b>Amsterdam Sustainability Institute (ASI)</b> , Behavior and Governance Cluster	2022 – present
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<b>Amsterdam Behavioral Economics and Law Lab (ABEL)</b> , Member	2022 – present
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<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><i>Tutor</i></b> – Wyzant <i>Chicago, Illinois, USA (Remote)</i>	2021 – present
<b><i>Assistant Debate Coach</i></b> – The Bronx High School of Science <i>New York City, New York, USA (Remote)</i>	2020 – 2021
<b><i>Congressional Debate Coach</i></b> – Ascend Speech and Debate <i>Sacramento, California, USA (Remote)</i>	2020 – 2021
<b><i>Research Assistant</i></b> – Florida State University Dept. of Economics <i>Tallahassee, Florida, USA</i>	2019
<b><i>Research Intern</i></b> – Teen Court of Sarasota <i>Sarasota, Florida, USA</i>	2016