# Josu Doncel Vicente

## Assistant Professor in the University of the Basque Country

## **EDUCATION**

2012–2015 **PhD Degree in Computer Science**, *Université de Toulouse*, France. Research carried out at LAAS-CNRS.

2010–2011 Master Degree in Mathematical Modelling, Statistics and Computation, *University of the Basque Country*, Spain.

Research carried out at BCAM-Basque Center for Applied Mathematics

2006–2010 Bachelors degree in Mathematics, University of the Basque Country, Spain.

2003–2007 Bachelors degree in Industrial Engineering, in Industrial Electronics, *University of the Basque Country*, Spain.

Final Project Title: "Dispositivo electrónico de control de aleatoriedad de una ruleta de casino". Advisor: J. M. Eguzkitza

#### PhD thesis

title Efficiency of Distributed Queueing Games and of Path Discovery Algorithms.

supervisors Olivier Brun and Balakrishna J. Prabhu.

description This thesis deals with the efficiency of distributed resource sharing algorithms and of online path discovery algorithms. In the first part of the thesis, we analyse a game in which users pay for using a shared resource. In the second part, we study the efficiency of load balancing games. In the last part of the thesis, we analyse the optimal path discovery problem in complete graphs.

#### Master thesis

title Development and testing of index policies in Internet Routers.

supervisors Urtzi Ayesta and Peter Jacko.

description In this thesis we address the problem of fast and fair transmission of flows in a router, which is a fundamental issue in networks like the Internet. We develop and test a new policy that can be implemented in Internet routers in order to efficiently manage the packets arriving to their buffers in order to prevent congestion of the network when users want to send too much data.

## Research and Teaching Positions

2017–Present **Assistant Professor**, University of the Basque Country (Applied Mathematics and Statistics and Operations Research Department), Spain.

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2015–2017 **Postdoc Researcher**, INRIA Grenoble Rhones Alpes (Polaris Team), France.

Hosts: Bruno Gaujal and Nicolas Gast

2015–2016 Lecturer, ENSIMAG, France.

Host: Frederic Wagner

2012-2015 PhD Researcher, LAAS-CNRS (SARA Team), France.

Hosts: Olivier Brun and Balakrishna J. Prabhu

2013–2015 Lecturer, INSA Toulouse, France.

Host: Olivier Brun

2014–2015 Lecturer, IUT Blagnac, France.

Host: Thierry Villemur

2011–2011 **Intern Researcher**, BCAM-Basque Center for Applied Mathematics (Networks Team), Spain.

Hosts: Urtzi Ayesta and Peter Jacko

2010–2011 **Researcher Staff**, *University of the Basque Country (Electronis and Electricy Department)*, Spain.

Hosts: Maria Ines Torres and Raquel Justo

#### Research Publications

#### Submitted Articles

- S4 J. Doncel, S. Aalto, U. Ayesta. "Performance Degradation of Scale in Parallel-Server Systems".
- S3 J. Doncel, N. Gast, B. Gaujal. "Mean-Field Games with Explicit Interactions".
- S2 C. Thraves-Caro, J. Doncel, O. Brun. "Optimal Path Discovery Problem with Homogeneous Knowledge".
- S1 J. Doncel, N. Gast, B. Gaujal. "A Mean-Field Games Analysis of SIR dynamics with vaccinations".

#### Journal Articles

- J3 J. Doncel, U. Ayesta, O. Brun, B. J. Prabhu. "A Resource Sharing Game with Relative Priorities". Performance Evaluation Volume 79, September 2014.
- J2 J. Doncel, U. Ayesta, O. Brun, B. Prabhu. "Is the Price of Anarchy the right measure for Load Balancing Games?". ACM Transactions on Internet Technology (ToIT) 14, 2-3, Article 18 (September 2014).
- J1 K. Avratchenkov, U. Ayesta, J. Doncel, P. Jacko. "Congestion Control of TCP Flows in Internet Routers by Means of Index Policy". Computer Networks, Volume 57 Issue 17 (2013).

#### Refereed International Conference Papers

- C5 M. Abidini, O. Boxma, J. Doncel. "Size-Based Routing to Balance Performance of the Queues". 11th EAI International Conference on Performance Evaluation Methodologies and Tools. Venice, Italy, December 2017
- C4 J. Doncel, S. Aalto, U. Ayesta. "Economies of Scale in Parallel-Server Systems". IEEE Infocom 2017. Atlanta, US, May 2017.

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- C3 J. Doncel, U. Ayesta, O. Brun, B. J. Prabhu. "A Resource Sharing Game with Relative Priorities". IFIP Performance 2014. Torino, Italy, October 2014.
- C2 H. Ben Cheikh, J. Doncel, O. Brun, B.J. Prabhu. "Predicting Response Times of Applications in Virtualized Environments". NCCA 2014, IEEE Network Cloud Computing and Applications. Rome, Italy, February 2014.
- C1 J. Doncel, U. Ayesta, O. Brun, B.J. Prabhu. "On the Efficiency of Non-Cooperative Load Balancing". IFIP/TC6 Networking 2013. New York, US, May 2013.

#### Workshop Papers

- W6 E. Anton, C. Carballo, J. Doncel, C. Gorria, E. Iriondo, M. Lezaun. "Improvement of the Contact Center Performance". European Studying Group with Industry. Bilbao, Spain, May 2017.
- W5 J. Doncel, N. Gast, B. Gaujal. "Are mean-field games the limits of finite stochastic games?". Workshop on Mathematical performance Modeling and Analysis (MAMA). Antibes Juan-les-Pins, France, June 2016.
- W4 J. Doncel, N. Gast, B. Gaujal. "A Mean-Field Game with Explicit Interactions for Epidemic Models". Atelier d'Evaluation de Performance. Toulouse, France, March 2016
- W3 K. Avratchenkov, U. Ayesta, J. Doncel, P. Jacko. "Optimal Congestion Control of TCP Flows in Intenet Routers". Workshop on Mathematical performance Modeling and Analysis (MAMA). London, UK, June 2012.
- W2 J. Doncel, J. M. Olaso, R. Justo, V. Guijarrubia, A. Perez, M. I. Torres. "Dialogue system based on EDECAN architecture". IMPRESS 2010, Interactive Multimodal Pattern Recognition in Embedded Systems. Bilbao, Spain, September 2010.
- W1 J. Doncel, J. M. Olaso, R. Justo, V. Guijarrubia, A. Perez, M. I. Torres. "Kiosko Basado en Sistema de Dialogo Multimodal." CEDI 2010. Valencia, Spain, September 2010.

## Research Projects Participation

2017-Present Mathematical Modelling, Simulations and Industrial Applications (M2SI).

Funded by the Basque Gobernment.

PI: David Pardo.

2015–2017 **Quanticol**.

Funded by the European Comission.

PI: Jane Hilston.

2013-2015 Panacea.

Funded by the European Comission.

PI: Olivier Brun.

2012–2013 think global Services for persOnal comPuters (SOP).

Funded by the French National Research Agency.

PI: Thierry Monteil.

2011-2012 Propiedades algebraicas, analiticas y geometricas de sistemas lineales de control y matrices.

Funded by Spanish Ministry of Science.

PI: Ion Zaballa.

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## 2010–2011 Multimodal Interaction in Patter Recognition and Computer Vision (MIPRCV) .

Funded by Spanish Ministry of Science.

PI: Paco Casacuberta.

2010–2011 Tecnologias de aprendizaje interactivo, autoevaluacion y multimodalidad en sistemas de dialogo hablado multidominio (SD-TEAM).

Funded by Spanish Ministry of Science.

PI: Maria Ines Torres.

## Industrial Projects Participation

## 2017-Present Dimensionamiento y diseño de estrategias de ruteo en un call center multi-

Industrial partner: Eroski.

PI: Carlos Gorria.

nivel.

#### 2017-Present Modelización de la gestión de programas de pagarés.

Industrial partner: PKF Attest Debt Capital Markets.

PI: Mikel Lezaun.

## Teaching Experience

#### 2017-2018

- "Biostatistics." 1st year course of Biology, UPV/EHU.
- "Advanced Mathematics and Statistics." 1st year course of Geology, UPV/EHU.
- "Advanced Mathematics and Statistics." 1st year course of Chemistry, UPV/EHU.
- "Introduction to Numeric Methods." 2nd year course of Mathematics, UPV/EHU.
- "Applied Statistics." 2nd year course of Chemistry Engineering, UPV/EHU.

#### 2016-2017

- "Biostatistics." 1st year course of Biotechnology, UPV/EHU.
- "Descriptive Statistics." 1st year course of Mathematics, UPV/EHU.
- "Introduction to Statistics." 1st year course of Environment Science Engineering, UPV/EHU.

#### 2015-2016

- "Introduction to Algorithmic." 1st year course in Computer Science. ENSIMAG.

#### 2014-2015

- "Web Programming in html." 1st year course of Networks and Telecommunication Engineering. IUT-Blagnac.
- "C Programming." 1st year course of Networks and Telecommunication Engineering. IUT-Blagnac.
- "Performance evaluation and application to networks." 5th year course of Networks and Telecommunication Engineering. INSA-Toulouse.

#### 2013-2014

- "Introduction to Cloud Computing." 1st year course of Networks and Telecommunication Engineering. IUT-Blagnac.

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- "C Programming." 1st year course of Networks and Telecommunication Engineering. IUT-Blagnac.
- "Performance evaluation and application to networks." 5th year course of Networks and Telecommunication Engineering. INSA-Toulouse.

## Student Supervision

- 2017–2018 Jokin Labaien. Undergraduate student at UPV/EHU. Work carried out in collaboration with the Computer Vision group of Tecnalia.
- 2017–2018 Uxue Aiestaran. Undergraduate student of UPV/EHU (Spain).
- 2017–2018 Fernando Miguelez. Undergraduate student of UPV/EHU (Spain).
- 2014–2015 Irati Unzurrunzaga. Undergraduate student of UPV/EHU (Spain).
- 2014–2014 Anouar Aaboub. Undergraduate student of INPT (Moroco).
- 2014-2014 Ayoub Maouheb. Undergraduate student of ENSEEIHT, Toulouse France.
- 2013-2013 Raouf Harzi. Undergraduate student of Ecole Nationale des Sciences de l'Informatique, Tunisie.

## Conference Presentations and Invited Talks

- 11/2017 Two Approaches for the Performance Analysis of Queueing Systems: Pricing and Scaling. Probability and Statistics Seminar. University of Pau.
- 11/2017 Discrete Mean-Field Games: existence and convergence. BCAM Scientific Seminar.
- 09/2017 Two Approaches for the Performance Analysis of Queueing Systems: Pricing and Scaling. IMDEA Networks/University Carlos III seminar.
- 06/2016 Are mean-field games the limits of finite stochastic games? Workshop on Mathematical performance Modeling and Analysis.
- 04/2016 On the Convergence to a Mean-Field Equilibrium. IMT Seminar
- 03/2016 On the Convergence to a Mean-Field Equilibrium. Atelier d'Evaluation de Performance.
- 09/2015 A Mean-Field Game with Interactions for Epidemic Models. Control Stochastique Optimal.
- 09/2014 A Resource Sharing Game with Relative Priorities. LIG/INRIA Grenoble Seminar.
- 07/2013 Game Theory and Networks. Basque Summer University.
- 05/2013 On the Efficiency of Non-Cooperative Load Balancing. IFIP/TC6 Networking Conference.
- 12/2012 On the Efficiency of Non-Cooperative Load Balancing. BCAM Seminar.
- 06/2012 Congestion Control of Flows in Internet Routers by Means of Index Policies. Stochmod Conference.
- 09/2010 *Dialogue system based on EDECAN architecture.* Interactive Multimodal Pattern Recognition in Embedded Systems.
- 09/2010 Kiosko Basado en Sistema de Dialogo Multimodal. CEDI 2010.
- 12/2016 Economies of Scale in Parallel-Server Systems. Eindhoven Stochastics Seminar.

## **Program Committee Activities**

- Scalcom 2015. Beijing, China.
- Scalcom 2016. Toulouse, France.

#### Referee activities

#### International Journals

- Operations Research, 2017.
- Performance Evaluation, 2014, 2015.

#### **International Conferences**

- Cloudnet, 2014.
- Globecom, 2014.

## Academic Responsabilities

2013-2014 Representative of the PhD Students of EDSYS Doctoral School.

## Skills

#### Languages

- Basque, Spanish. Native.
- French, English. Fluid.
- Italian, Catalan. Intermediate level (currently learning).

#### Computer

- Mathematical software: Matlab, Mathematica, R, SPSS, Octave, Weka.
- Programming: Python, ADA, C, C++, Pascal, Fortran, html.
- Others: Latex, Office, Linux, MAC OS.