# **Èric Roca Fernández**

# PERSONAL DATA

SURNAME: Roca Fernández

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BIRTHDATE 10th June 1987 NATIONALITY: Spanish

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### RESEARCH INTERESTS

• Comparative Development

· Gender Economics

· Economic History

# **EDUCATION**

CURRENTLY: Post-Doctoral researcher at AMSE.

Aix-Marseille Université, Marseille

SEPTEMBER 2018 PhD in Economics

Université Catholique de Louvain, Louvain-la-Neuve

Thesis: "Three Essays on Economic Development and Gender"

Supervisor: Prof. Fabio MARIANI Co-Supervisor: Prof. Luca Pensieroso

JUNE 2014 Master in Economics, orientation econometrics

Université Catholique de Louvain, Louvain-la-Neuve

**Grande Distinction** 

Thesis: "Effects of the Salic Law on economic development"

Advisor: Prof. David DE LA CROIX Thesis: "Useful useless savings" Advisor: Prof. Carmen CAMACHO

GPA: 16.93/20

JUNE 2010 Undergraduate Degree in Business Administration

Universitat Pompeu Fabra, Barcelona

GPA: 9.07/10

Final Position: 1st out of 185, academic year: 2009-2010

JUNE 2009 Undergraduate Degree in Economics

Universitat Pompeu Fabra, Barcelona

GPA: 8.99/10

Final Position: 3rd out of 163, academic year: 2008-2009

# VISITING POSITIONS

FEB 2017 - MAY 2017 Visiting scholar at *Brown University*, Providence (Rhode Island), United States.

# **TEACHING**

Nov 2013 - Jan 2014

Teaching assistant at *Université Catholique de Louvain*, Ottignies-Louvain-la-Neuve, Belgium

Practical workshop sessions for two groups of undergraduate students in economics. The main activities undertook consisted in the preparation of the materials to be reviewed during the sessions using a list of problem sets as well as its correction. Professors in charge of the course: Prof. Belleflamme, Paul and Prof. Hindriks, Jean.

OCT 2019 - DEC 2019

Macroeconomics II at *Aix-Marseille Université*, Marseille, France Ramsey and OLG models. In charge of the English group.

#### **PUBLICATIONS**

- Published papers in peer-reviewed journals:
  - Roca Fernández, Èric. "In the Name of the Father: Inheritance Systems and the Dynamics of State Capacity", *Macroeconomic Dynamics*, 2019–June, 1–28 doi:10.1017/S1365100519000476.
- Working Papers:
  - Frigo, Annalisa and Roca Fernández, Èric. "Now She Is Martha then She Is Mary": the Influence of Beguinages on Attitudes Toward Women, Unicredit Working Papers, 2017, 95, 1–67.
- Conference presentations:
  - 2014
    - \* 8th Louvain Symposium on Economic Dynamics. Louvain-la-Neuve, Belgium.
  - 2016
    - \* The Importance of Elites and their Demography for Knowledge and Development. *Louvain-la-Neuve, Belgium*.
    - \* OLG Days, 2016. Ville de Luxembourg, Luxembourg.
    - \* 12th Annual conference on economic growth and development. *New Delhi, India.*

#### - 2017

- \* ASREC European Meeting. Bologna, Italy.
- \* Elite Human Capital and the Roads to Modernity: the East versus the West. *Marseille, France.*
- \* Bonn Job Market Workshop in Economic History. Bonn, Germany.

#### - 2018

- \* 2018 ADRES Doctoral Conference. Palaiseau, France.
- \* 9th Annual Workshop on Growth, Histoy and Development. Odense, Denmark.
- \* MILLS Workshop 2018. Milan, Italy.
- \* 30th EALE Congress. Lyon, France.
- \* 2018 EEA-ESEM Congress. Köln, Germany.
- \* CREA Workshop on Culture and Comparative Development. *Ville de Luxembourg, Luxembourg.*

#### - 2019

\* ASREC Europe 2019, Lund, Sweden.

# **AWARDS & SERVICE**

• Unicredit & Universities, 7th Award in Gender Economics, 2017.
Frigo, Annalisa and Roca Fernández, Èric. '"Now She Is Martha, then She Is Mary": the Influence of Beguinages on Attitudes Toward Women'

# REFEREEING ACTIVITY

Journal of Economic Growth. Journal of Population Economics. Macroeconomic Dynamics.

# **SERVICES**

Co-organiser of the History and Economics seminar at Aix-Marseille Université