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EDUCATION

Ph.D. Political Science, University of Barcelona. June 2021. (Cum Laude)

Thesis title: *The paradox of Universality: preferences for basic income policy in Finland and Spain.*

Visiting stay: University of Oxford, Jan. 2020-March 2020. Under supervision of Prof. Ben Ansell

Post-graduate. Data Analysis using R. University of Barcelona. 2017-2018.

M.A. Political Analysis and Institutional Advising. University of Barcelona. 2015-2016.

B.Sc. Politics and International Relations. University of Bath. 2010-2014.

ACADEMIC PAPERS

Rincón L., Forthcoming. A Robin Hood for All:- Support for universal cash transfers in a context of policy competition, a conjoint experiment in Spain. *Journal of European Public Policy*.

Rincón L., Vlandas, T., Hiilamo, H., Forthcoming. What's not to like? Benefit design, funding structure and support for a universal basic income. *Journal of European Social Policy*.

Rincón, L., 2020. 'The silver bullet reversed: Does evidence increase policy-maker attention to policy proposals?' *Policy & Evidence*.

Chrisp, J., Pulkka, V.V., Rincón, L., 2020. 'Snowballing or wilting? Identifying public support for universal basic income.' *Journal of International and Comparative Social Policy* (special issue).

Chaqués, L., Cristancho, C., Muñoz, L., and Rincón, L., 2020. 'The Contingent Character of Interest Groups-Political Parties'. *Journal of Public Policy*.

BOOK CHAPTERS

Perikoo, J., Rincón, L., and Van Draanen, J., 2019. 'Framing Basic Income Policy in Comparative Perspective.' with In: *Handbook of Basic Income Studies* (Palgrave Macmillan)

Rincón, L., 2021. The basic income debate in Europe. In: *Grundeinkommen für Europa? Europa für Grundeinkommen*. Eds: Ulrich Schachtschneider, Bernhard Neumärker and Otto Lüdemann. Publisher: LIT-Verlag (Münster | Berlin | Wien | Zürich | London)

Rincón, L. Vlandas, T., (Forthcoming). Basic Income and Labour Market Policy. *Handbook of Labour Market Policy in Rich Democracies* in Edward Elgar, edited by Daniel Clegg and Niccolo Durazzi

WORKING PAPERS AND ONGOING RESEARCH

2021. 'Priors are priority: scientific information, prior beliefs and support for universal basic income'

2021. (Under review in *PSRM*): 'The paradox of basic income: how redistribution preferences and perceptions shape support for welfare cash transfers'

2021. (Under review in *Socio-Economic Review*) 'Revisiting redistribution: perceptions on the redistributive impact of cash transfers'

2020. 'From the gender gap to the gender jigsaw: preferences for welfare state reform'

2019. 'Interest groups in Spain: results from the 2016-2017 survey wave.' with Muñoz, L., Chaqués-Bonafont, L., and Cristancho, C.

2019. 'Public Opinion on interest groups: a conjoint analysis.' with Cristancho, C., and Chaqués-Bonafont, L.

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

'The silver bullet reversed: does evidence increase policy-maker attention?', Società Italiana di Scienza Política (SISP), Lecce (Italy), September 2019. European Consortium for Political Research (ECPR) General Conference, Wrocław (Poland), September 2019. Comparative Agendas Project (CAP), Budapest (Hungary), June 2019. International Public Policy Conference (ICPP), Montréal (Canada), June 2019.

‘Preferences for welfare state design in a comparative perspective: a conjoint analysis’ with Hiilamo, H., European Consortium for Political Research (ECPR) General Conference, Wroclaw (Poland), September 2019. Spanish Political Science Association Conference (AECPA), Salamanca (Spain), July, 2019. Basic Income Earth Network (BIEN) Congress, Hyderabad (India), August, 2018. European Political Science Association (EPSA) Annual Conference, Belfast (Ireland), June 2019. International Public Policy Conference (ICPP), Montréal (Canada), June 2019.

‘Frames vs facts: A field experiment on members of the European Parliament’, Workshop on Eurodividend as a Proposal. University of Freiburg (Germany), October, 2018.

‘Using conjoint experiments to understand preferences towards basic income policy’ Basic Income Earth Network (BIEN) Annual Congress. Tampere (Finland), August 2018. Basic Income Earth Network (BIEN) Annual Congress, Lisbon (Portugal), September, 2017.

‘Media coverage of civil society during the discussion of transparency legislation in Spain’ Spanish Association for Political Science and Administration (AECPA), Santiago (Spain), September 2017. European Consortium for Political Research (ECPR) Student Graduate Conference, Tartu (Estonia), July 2016.

‘Interest group mobilization in transparency policy’, with Chaqués-Bonafont, L. Spanish Association for Political Science and Administration (AECPA), Santiago de Compostela (Spain), September 2017.

‘Basic income and policy windows in the basque country’ 16th Symposium of the Spanish Network for Basic Income. Bilbao (Spain), September 2016.

INVITED TALKS

‘Basic Income in the new era of new social movements.’ Central European University (CEU). Budapest, Hungary. November, 2019.

‘The political economy of basic income implementation’ 18th Symposium of the Spanish Network for Basic Income, Barcelona, October, 2018.

Fast Future conference (invited by Rohit Talwar)

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

BA Seminar on Public Opinion on welfare reform and social policy. Winter semester. Humboldt University.

Advanced seminar on Growth, Inequality and Poverty. Winter semester. Humboldt University.

Teaching Assistant for the post-graduate course of Data Analysis. University of Barcelona. 2020-2021.

Collective Action and Interest Groups (U) 2018-2019. 4th year optional subject within the BSc in *Political Science* at the University of Barcelona

Tutoring of Final Year Dissertation (U). 2017-2018. Dissertation title: *Black and white feminism in the US: a historical and comparative approach*.

GRANTS

2017. POLEXP (CSO2015-71952-REDT) Grant to attend the Nuffield CESS/Essex Experimental Summer School at the Centre of Experimental Social Sciences at Nuffield College, Oxford.

2017. Grant to attend the Course: Text Mining using Quanteda package with R, London School of Economics and Political Science (LSE), London, UK. Funded by the European Research Council Grant ERC-2011-StG 283794-QUANTESS

2017-2021. Pre-doctoral scholarship: FPI Grant (Research Training Grant). Ministry of Economy and Competitiveness.

2015 – 2017. Research Assistant of the Spanish Policy Agendas project, Universitat de Barcelona, financed with the ICREA academia grant (IP: L. Chaqués-Bonafont).

RESEARCH UNDERTAKEN IN COMPETITIVE RESEARCH PROJECTS

Transparency Policy in a context of Multilevel Governance. (IP: Laura Chaqués-Bonafont) Financed by: Ministry of the Economy and Competitiveness (CSO-2015-69878-P)

Member of the Consolidated Research Group of AGAUR: Comparative Analysis of the Political Agenda (IP: L. Chaqués-Bonafont) www.ub.edu/spanishpolicyagendas

PRIZES AND AWARDS

2021. Nativitat Yarza Prize on feminist studies. Josep Irla Foundation. (3000€ award to carry out a research report on sexual violence).

2016. Award to the best academic record, Master in Political Analysis. Universitat de Barcelona.

2014. Award to academic record, more than 300 hours of extra-curricular activities and skills training courses. University of Bath.

METHODS COURSES

July 2018. Machine Learning for the social sciences. UPF Summer Course
July 2018. Social Networks Analysis for the social sciences. UPF Summer Course
July 2018. Big Data. UPF Summer Course.
July 2018. Web Scrapping course. UPC Summer Course
July 2017. Experimental Summer School at the Centre of Experimental Social Sciences
at Nuffield College, Oxford.

ACADEMIC SERVICE

I have acted as an anonymous reviewer for the following journals:

- Journal of Common Market Studies
- Journal of Public Policy
- Journal of European Social Policy
- Social Policy and Society
- Basic Income Studies

WORK EXPERIENCE

November 2014- June 2015. Academic Relations Officer at Cultural Attaché Office
in the Saudi Arabian Embassy. Madrid, Spain

September 2012-June 2013. Programs And Marketing Assistant | Calvin Thomas,
Aix-En-Provence, France