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# **EMPLOYMENT**

Luxembourg Institute of Socio-economic Research Research Associate	2023 – Present
New York University Abu Dhabi Social Science Division / CBID Adjunct Professor	2022 – 2023
New York University Abu Dhabi Center for Behavioral Institutional Design (CBID) Behavioral Economist / Researcher	2020 – 2022
New York University Abu Dhabi Social Science Division Postdoctoral Associate	2017 – 2020
University of Valencia Economics Department, Juan de la Cierva Postdoctoral Fellow	2016 – 2017
EDUCATION	
University of Groningen (Netherlands) Ph.D., Sociology	2010 – 2015
University of Valencia (Spain) MSc., Economics, *with distinction	2008 – 2010
Industrial University of Santander (Colombia) BSc., Economics	2001 – 2006
RESEARCH INTERESTS	
Behavioral Economics, Experimental Economics, Social Networks,	Game Theory.
PUBLISHED PAPERS	
The Role of Personal and Impersonal Relational Contracts on Partner Sele <b>Journal of Law, Economics &amp; Organization</b> – forthcoming (with E. Re	

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2020

**Experimental Economics** (with S. Goyal, P. Hernández, G. Martínez, F. Moisan, A. Sánchez)

**Journal of Behavioral and Experimental Economics** (with D. Parra, L.A. Palacio)

Web of lies: A Tool for Determining the Limits of Verification in Preventing the Spread

The Limits of Transparency in Reducing Corruption.

of False Information on Networks. **Scientific Reports** (with K. Makovi)

*Integration and Diversity.* 

Collaborative Production Networks among Unequal Actors.  Network Science (with J. Dijkstra, R. Wittek, A. Flache)	2020
Equilibrium Characterization of Networks under Conflicting Preferences. <b>Economic Letters</b> (with P. Hernández, G. Martínez, A. Sánchez)	2017
The Bargaining Power of Commitment: An Experiment on the Effects of Threats in the Hawk-Dove Game.  Rationality & Society (with L. A. Palacio, A. Cortés)	2015
Heterogeneous Network Games: Conflicting Preferences. <b>Games and Economic Behavior</b> (with P. Hernández, A. Sánchez)	2013

#### **WORKING PAPERS**

Experimental Evidence Shows that Negative Motive Attribution Drives Counter-punishment (with N. Nikiforakis)

# **R&R Journal of the Economic Science Association**

*Identity change and economic mobility: experimental evidence* (single author)

Under review

The Recency Bias in the Attribution of Responsibility for Joint Work (with A. Baranski)

Under review

# **WORK IN PROGRESS**

The relation of merit and identity on the take-up of opportunities: A field experiment (single author) **Data analysis stage** 

*Gender bias in job referrals* (with E. Reuben)

Data analysis stage

Social class, mobility and efficiency in job referrals (with E. Reuben)

Data analysis stage

*Using goal-pursuit training to promote aspirations in low-income college students (single authored)* **Data collection stage** 

# **POLICY REPORTS**

An Experimental Evaluation of the Forever Fit Program Policy Report - Department of Community Development Abu Dhabi, UAE (with N. Nikiforakis, E. Reuben, A. Dariel, U. Afzal)	2021
Exploring Nudges to Promote Physical Activity Among Senior Adults in Abu Dhabi Policy Report - Department of Community Development Abu Dhabi, UAE (with N. Nikiforakis, E. Reuben, A. Dariel, U. Afzal)	2020
Physical Activity for Senior Adults in Abu Dhabi Policy Report - Department of Community Development Abu Dhabi, UAE (with N. Nikiforakis, E. Reuben, A. Dariel, U. Afzal)	2020

#### **CONSULTING**

Specialist consultant: Debiasing performance evaluations Consulting for KPMG Middle East

2022 - Present

External consultant: Subject matter expert in Behavioral Sciences

2022

# **KPMG Middle East – Dubai Executive Council**

#### **INVITED SEMINAR PRESENTATIONS**

- 2022. U. Castellon, IMT Lucca.
- 2021. U. Paris Nanterre.
- **2019**. U. Tilburg, LISER-Luxembourg, WZB-Berlin, Maastricht U.
- 2018. U. Cologne, Central Bank Colombia.
- 2015. UIS-Bucaramanga, UNAB-Bucaramanga.
- **2014**. UIS-Bucaramanga, Maastricht U.
- 2012. U. Castellón, U. Utrecht.
- 2011. U. Valencia, Maastricht U.

#### **CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS**

- 2023. iSee (NYU Abu Dhabi), Workshop on the Frontiers of Network Science (NYU New York), ESA European Meeting (Lyon)
- **2022**. iSee (NYU Abu Dhabi), BiNoMa workshop on Economic Networks (U. Navarra), Inaugural Meeting of the MENA Network of Experimental Social Scientists (NYU Abu Dhabi)
- **2021**. Bogotá Exp. Econ. Conf. (U. Rosario), 7<sup>th</sup> Annual Workshop on Behav. Game Theory (U. East Anglia, Norwich), 6<sup>th</sup> Behav. Econ. Policy Symp. (Maastricht U.)
- **2020**. ESA Global Conference.
- **2019**. Winter Experimental Social Sciences Institute (Abu Dhabi), ESA Asia-Pacific Meeting (Abu Dhabi), Workshop in the Frontiers of Network Science WTFNS (Abu Dhabi), IMEBESS (Utrecht U.)
- 2018. Bogotá Exp. Econ. Conf. (U. Rosario), iSee (NYU Abu Dhabi), Workshop on the Frontiers of Network Science (NYU Abu Dhabi), 4<sup>th</sup> Conf. on Network Science in Econ. (Vanderbilt U.), IMEBESS (E.U.I. Florence), ESA World Meeting (Berlin), 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Workshop on Behav. Game Theory (U. East Anglia, Norwich), 1<sup>st</sup> Workshop on Exp. Econ (UNAB)
- **2017**. IMEBESS (U. A. Barcelona), 1<sup>st</sup> Workshop on Industrial Econ. (U. Valencia), 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Research Poster Day (NYU Abu Dhabi)
- **2016**. 26<sup>th</sup> Game Theory Festival (SUNY at Stony Brook, New York)
- **2013**. Annual Conf. of the American Sociol. Assoc. (New York), Pre-conference Rat. Choice Sec.(Am. Sociol. Assoc., New York)

- **2012**. U4 Workshop (University of Ghent), 23<sup>rd</sup> Game Theory Festival (SUNY at Stony Brook, New York)
- **2011**. 10<sup>th</sup> Workshop on Networks in Econ. and Sociol. (U. Utrecht), 3<sup>rd</sup> UECE Lisbon Meetings Game Theory and Applications (U. Lisbon)
- **2010**. 2<sup>nd</sup> UECE Lisbon Meetings Game Theory and Applications (U. Lisbon)
- **2009**. 6<sup>th</sup> Int. Meeting on Exp. & Behavioral Econ. (U. Basque Country), Dynamics & Collective Phenomena of Socio-Economic Systems (U. Valencia)

#### **CONFERENCE ORGANIZATION**

International Symposium on Experimental Economics, NYU Abu Dhabi	2018
ESA Asia-Pacific Conference, NYU Abu Dhabi	2018
International Symposium on Experimental Economics, NYU Abu Dhabi	2017
Workshop on the Frontiers of Network Science, NYU Abu Dhabi	2017
Dynamics & Collective Phenomena of Socio-Economic Systems, U. Valencia	2009
International Meeting on Exp. Behavioral Economics, U. Granada	2008

# COURSES, SUMMER SCHOOLS & RESEARCH VISITS

- **2017**. Crash Course in oTree/oTree Hackathon WZB, Berlin; Crash Course Experimental Economics Summer School CREED, U. Amsterdam
- **2014**. Visiting Scholar, Columbia Business School (April May)
- 2013. Visiting Scholar, Columbia Business School (August November)
- 2011. Bargaining Theory & Applications U. Turku; Bounded Rationality Max Plank Institute of Human Development in Berlin; The Math of Games: Strategies, Cooperation & Fair Division U. Sevilla
- **2010**. z-Tree Toolbox Programming Course Lineex, U. Valencia (with Grant)

#### PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

**Referee for:** European Economic Review, Journal of Behavioral and Experimental Economics; J. Economics Psychology; Experimental Economics; Management Science; Games and Economic Behavior; J. Economic Behavior & Organizations; PlosOne; Theory & Decision; Mathematical Social Science; Rationality & Society; Advances in Complex Systems

# TEACHING INTERESTS AND EXPERIENCE

Interests: Behavioral Economics, Experimental Economics, Social Networks, Microeconomics

Fairness (NYU Abu Dhabi) 2022 – 2023 Goal Pursuit (U. Autónoma de Bucaramanga) 2022 – 2023

Application of Theories (University of Groningen)
Social Networks (Evangelisches Studienwerk Villigst, Germany)

2011 – 2014 2015

#### **MISCELLANEOUS**

Programming/Software: zTree, oTree, LaTex, Python, HTML5, CSS

Languages: Spanish (native), English (proficient)

Citizenship: Colombian

#### **REFERENCES**

Prof. Ernesto Reuben NYU Abu Dhabi Social Science Division ereuben@nyu.edu

Prof. Nikos Nikiforakis NYU Abu Dhabi Social Science Division nikos.nikiforakis@nyu.edu Prof. Pedro Rey Biel ESADE Business School Department of Economics pedro.rey@esade.edu

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