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EMPLOYMENT

Visiting Lecturer, Department of Economics, Universidad Carlos III de Madrid, 2020 to present

Visiting lecturer, Department of Economic Analysis: Economic Theory and Economic History, Universidad Autónoma de Madrid, 2018 to 2020

Visiting Lecturer, Department of Economics, Universidad Carlos III de Madrid, 2015 to 2018

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Political Economy, Applied Game Theory, Structural Estimation

EDUCATION

PhD Economics, University College London, 2015

Thesis Title: "Parties, Interest Groups, and Political Outcomes"

Supervisors: Ian Preston and Guy Laroque

MSc Economics, University of Warwick, Distinction, 2009.

Visiting Research Student, Jesus College, Oxford, 2007/08.

Diploma in Economics, University of Trier, 2007.

PUBLICATIONS

"Spillovers and Strategic Interaction in Immigration Policies" (joint with Joseph-Simon Görlach) Journal of Economic Geography, Volume 21, Issue 2, March 2021, 287-315.

"Who Emerges from Smoke-Filled Rooms? Political Parties and Candidate Selection" Social Choice and Welfare, Volume 52, Issue 1, January 2019, 161-196.

WORKING PAPERS

"Bureaucrats versus Politicians? Estimating a Model of Legislative Bargaining in the European Union" (joint with Joseph-Simon Görlach and Christian Odendahl)

"A Career Like No One Else Can Offer: On the Conditions for Two-Party Dominance"

"Competing Candidates, Competing Interest Groups, and the Efficacy of Political Threats"

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Universidad Carlos III de Madrid:

Temas de Intervención Pública, BA Economics;

Economics I (Microeconomics), BA International Studies;

Microeconomics, BA Economics;

Microeconomics, BA Finance and Accounting;

Microeconomics, BA Law and Business Administration;

Principles of Economics, BSc Energy Engineering;

Principles of Economics, BA Finance and Accounting;

Principles of Economics, BA Journalism;

Principles of Economics, BA Law and Business Administration;

Principles of Economics, BA Political Science;

Universidad Autonoma de Madrid:

Microeconomics: Firms and Markets, BA Economics & Finance;

Advanced Microeconomics, BA Economics & Finance;

University College London:

Game Theory, MSc Economics;

Health Economics, MSc Economics;

Microeconomics, MSc Economic Policy;

Microeconomics, MSc Economics;

Public Economics, MSc Economics;

RESEARCH GRANTS

2021-2023: "Trust, scientific systems, and denial. Social factors of vaccination in epidemic contexts (CONCERN)", Principal Investigators: Josep Lobera, Cristóbal Torres. Financed by the Spanish Agencia Estatal de Investigación (PID2020-115095RB-I00).

SCHOLARSHIPS AND AWARDS

2021 Letter of Recognition of Exceptional Achievements in Teaching, Universidad Carlos III de Madrid

2018 Letter of Recognition of Exceptional Achievements in Teaching, Universidad Carlos III de Madrid

2013 Award for Best Teaching Assistant on an MSc Optional Module, Department of Economics, UCL

2010 ESRC Quota Award (3 Years)

2007 Full Scholarship, Jesus College, University of Oxford (1 Year)

CONFERENCE & SEMINAR PRESENTATIONS

2019: Symposium of the Spanish Economic Association, Alicante;

2017: European Winter Meeting of the Econometric Society, Barcelona; ESEM-EEA, Lisbon; Journées Louis-André Gérard-Varet, Aix-en-Provonce; Spring Meeting of Young Economists, Halle;

2016: Rotterdam Political Economy Workshop, Rotterdam;

2015: Conference of the European Economics Association, Mannheim; Conference of the Royal Economic Society, Manchester;

2014: European Winter Meeting of the Econometric Society, Madrid; Symposium of the Spanish Economic Association, Palma de Mallorca; Department of Economics, Stockholm University; Meeting of the Society for Social Choice And Welfare, Boston; Conference of the Royal Economic Society, Manchester;

2013: Conference of the Singapore Review of Economics, Singapore; RIPED, University of the Thai Chamber of Commerce;

2012: Department of Economics, Mannheim University; Department of Economics, Autonomous University of Barcelona;

PROGRAMMING SKILLS

Fortran, Mathematica, Matlab, Python, R

LANGUAGE SKILLS

German (native), English (fluent), Spanish (conversational), Thai (basic)