# NICOLÁS VARELA GARCÍA

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# **EDUCATION**

# PhD in Economic History

2021 - ...

Universidad Carlos III de Madrid

Thesis (provisional): Política monetaria y economía política en el régimen franquista. Una aproximación cuantitativa.

Advisor: Stefano Battilossi (University of Turin, Associate Professor at UC3M).

#### Master in Social Sciences

2019 - 2021

Universidad Carlos III de Madrid

GPA: 8.33

Master's thesis: Was Spanish inflation always a monetary phenomenon? Evidence from wavelet and SVAR analyses, 1868-1998.

Advisor: Stefano Battilossi

Dissertation Committee: Jordi Domènech, Emiliano Travieso.

#### Master in Economics

2018 - 2019

Universidad Carlos III de Madrid

GPA: 7.64

Master's thesis: Gentrification: culture and crime in urban housing renovation.

Advisor: Álvaro Name-Correa (Duke University, Associate Professor with tenure at UC3M)

Dissertation Committee: José Luís Ferreira, Antonia Díaz, Julio Cáceres.

#### Degree in Economics

2014 - 2018

Universidad de Santiago de Compostela

GPA: 8.1263

Graduate thesis: La crisis fiscal de las ciudades. Una aproximación teórica.

Advisor: Luis Caramés (RAGC, RACMP, Full Professor at USC).

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

# Predoctoral fellow - Universidad Carlos III de Madrid

February 2022 - · · ·

TA in courses:

- The Process of European Economic Integration. Bachelor in Economics (English).
- El Proceso de la Integración Económica Europea. Grado en Economía (Spanish).

Research Assistant - Universidad Carlos III de Madrid November 2021 - January 2022 Research project: Desarrollo de los mercados financieros españoles en el siglo XX, code 2019/00368/001.

#### Tutor

November 2021 - January 2022

- Introductory Econometrics (linear regression analysis). Master in Economic Development and Growth (MEDEG).
- Econometrics I (time series). Master in Economic Development and Growth (MEDEG).

# Servicio Galego de Saúde (SERGAS)

June 2017

Technician

Curricular internship in the Servicio de Coordinación de Servicios Generales. Learned and implemented various aspects such as public contracts, labour management and accounting.

#### Professional musician

Concert organist. Performance as member or guest of several ensembles at international venues (World Music Contest, Kerkrade - NLD; Jungfrau Music Festival, Interlaken - CHE; Festival Rio Loco, Touluse - FRA) and many other Spanish venues. Participation in numerous recordings.

#### OTHER ACADEMIC EDUCATION

## Academic Writing in English

2021

UC3M Doctoral School (cross-curricular). Prof. Eoin Higgins

## **Macroeconomic Diagnostics**

2021

IMFx (through edX). Staff: Evan Tanner, Adolfo Barajas, Mikhail Pranovich, Maksym Ivanyna (IMF)

# Professional Music Degree

2016-2021

Specialization: Pipe organ (End-of-Career Prize, with Honors, Conservatorio Prof. de Música de Ourense)

## Python Basics for Data Science

2020

IBM (through edX). Prof. Joseph Santarcangelo (Data Scientist at IBM)

# Data Science: R Basics

2020

HarvardX (through edX). Prof. Rafael Irizarry (Harvard T.H. Chan School of Public Health)

# Course "Pedro Schwartz. El liberalismo, una filosofía en peligro."

2018

Escuela en Red Rafael del Pino. Prof. Pedro Schwartz, OBE (UCM, UAM, UCJC, Mont Pèlerin Society)

#### Curso avanzado de formación en competencias en información

2017

Universidad de Santiago de Compostela

# Professional Music Degree

2008-2014

Specialization: Percussion (End-of-Career Prize, Conservatorio Profesional de Música de Lalín)

## GRANTS AND SCOLARSHIPS

Comisión Nacional de los Mercados y la Competencia (CNMC) - DECLINED 2021-2022 12-months training fellowship. Declined due to incompatibility with RA position.

#### UC3M School of Graduate Studies

2019-2021

Scholarship to pay tuition fee of the Master in Social Sciences (extended).

# Government of Spain - Ministry of Education and Vocational Training

2018-2019

General Grant for studies of post-secondary level (Master in Economics).

With supplement of Academic Excellence.

# Government of Spain - Ministry of Education and Vocational Training

2014-2018

General Grant for studies of post-secondary level (Bachelor's Degree in Economics).

## Government of Spain - Ministry of Education, Culture and Sports

2010-2014

General Grant for studies of post-compulsory and higher non-university level (Music degree).

#### **CONFERENCES**

# Doctoral Workshop, PhD program in Economic History

13/12/2021

Universidad Carlos III de Madrid. Presentation "Monetary policy and political economy in the Francoist regime. A quantitative approach."

# Agricliometrics IV

09/12/2021 - 10/12/2021

Universidad Carlos III de Madrid

# Congress "50 anos de Economía galega"

04/18

Universidad de Santiago de Compostela

# II Xuntanzas Austríaco-Galaicas

30/09/17 - 01/10/17

Santiago de Compostela

# TECHNICAL STRENGTHS

Statistical software Stata, EViews, Matlab

Programming languages R, Python

Software & Tools LATEX, MS Office

Mother tongues Spanish & Galician

Other languages English (advanced: First Certificate: Grade A, C1 CEFR)

Portuguese (intermediate)

Italian (basic)

# OTHER ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENTS AND PERSONAL INFORMATION

End-of-Career Prize in Music by Conservatorio Profesional de Música de Ourense	2021
Nominee for Extraordinary Prize of Bachelor's Degree by USC	2018
End-of-Career Prize in Music by Conservatorio Profesional de Música de Lalín	2014
Exchange program at Lycée René Descartes (Rennes, two weeks)	2011
Running PB: 5000m - 23'47".	