# Pello Aspuru

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# ACADEMIC POSITIONS

University of Vienna - Department of Economics

Assistant Professor (non-tenure track).

2025 –Onwards

Institute for Policy Integrity - NYU School of Law

Economics Fellow. 2024 –2025

# EDUCATION

**CEMFI** 

Ph.D. in Economics. 2020–2024

- Visiting scholar, Columbia University Spring 2023. Sponsor: Gautam Gowrisankaran

- Visiting scholar, Toulouse School of Economics (TSE) Fall 2022. Sponsor: Doh-Shin Jeon
- Visiting scholar, Barcelona School of Economics (BSE) Spring 2022. Sponsor: Mar Reguant

**CEMFI** 

MSc in Economics and Finance. 2018–2020

University of Deusto

BSc in Industrial Engineering 2012–2018

University of Deusto

Bachelor in Business Administration 2012–2018

## Research Interests

**Primary:** Energy and Environmental Economics, Industrial Organization.

Secondary: Political Economy.

## WORKING PAPERS

Delaying the Coal Twilight: Local Mines, Regulators, and the Energy Transition Job Market Paper

Ballot measures, political advertising, and contribution caps

Joint with Cristian Navarro. Preliminary Draft.

Paying (with your) attention: Optimal regulation of user-generated content digital platforms

Good and bad discretion in procurement

Joint with Juan-José Ganuza and Gerard Llobet

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

#### BSE

Teaching Assistant, Economics of Market Regulation

Spring 2024

- Graduate-level Course by Prof. Gerard Llobet.

#### **CEMFI**

Teaching Assistant, Regulation and Competition Policy

Fall 2021, 2022

- Graduate-level Course by Prof. Gerard Llobet.
- Best CEMFI Teaching Assistant Award, 2022

#### **CEMFI**

Teaching Assistant, Uncertainty and Information

Winter 2021

- Graduate-level Course by Prof. Guillermo Caruana.

## Conference and Seminar Presentations

#### 2024

University of Vienna; IFO Institut Munich; CUNEF; KU Leuven; LSE Geography; Institute for Policy Integrity at the NYU School of Law; 14th Toulouse Conference on the Economics of Energy and Climate at TSE; IO Day, Barcelona School of Economics; ANEKO seminar series at UPV-EHU

#### 2023

FIRMS workshop, CEMFI; BSE workshop on Mahine Learning and Energy Economics, BSE; IO Colloquium, Columbia University; Energy EcoLab, Universidad Carlos III Madrid; European Winter Meeting of the Econometric Society in Manchester, UK.

#### 2022

FIRMS workshop, CEMFI; Environmental Group, Toulouse School of Economics; CAGE Summer School, University of Warwick.

## Professional Experience

## **Brattle Group**

Graduate Intern Summer 2019

#### **CEMFI**

Undergraduate Summer Intern. Summer 2017

## Skills Languages

R, Julia, Python, LATEX.

English fluent, Basque native, Spanish native.

# Policy Work

• Book Chapter: "Contratación pública en Espana. Los beneficios y los costes de reducir la discreccionalidad de los centros de contratación" with Juan-José Ganuza and Gerard Llobet, in "Reformas para impulsar la competencia en Espana", FUNCAS 2023.