

## Curriculum Vitae

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Àrea d'Història i Institucions Econòmiques  
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### Employment

Assistant Professor, Universitat de València (October 2021 – present)  
Research Fellow, Universidad Pública de Navarra (March 2021 – October 2021)  
Guest Lecturer, Universidad de Navarra (Spring 2021)  
Research Fellow, Universidad Carlos III de Madrid (June 2019 – September 2021)  
Lecturer, Bocconi University (Spring 2018)  
Postdoctoral Researcher, Bocconi University (January 2018 – August 2018)  
Postdoctoral Researcher, University of Groningen (November 2015 – December 2017)

### Education

PhD in Economic History, Carlos III University, Madrid (2016)  
Thesis title: “Growth, Inequality and the Rise of the Middle Class, Brazil”  
Supervisor: Leandro Prados de la Escosura  
Thesis examiners: Branko Milanovic, Jaime Reis and Pablo Astorga  
*Cum laude* distinction.

MSc in Economic Growth and Development, Carlos III University, Madrid (2011)  
MSc dissertation title: “Contract enforcement in Latin America during the twentieth century”  
Supervisor: Leandro Prados de la Escosura

BSc in Economics, Carlos III University, Madrid (2010)  
Specialisation: Historia e Instituciones Económicas

### Published Articles

- [1] A Lesson from History? The 1918 Influenza pandemic and the rise of Italian Fascism: A cross-city quantitative and historical text qualitative analysis” (with Gregori Galofré Vilà, Martin McKee and David Stuckler) *American Journal of Public Health*, *forthcoming*.
- [2] Provincial health inequalities in Spain since 1860” (with Gregori Galofré Vilà), *Research in Economic History*, *forthcoming*.

[3] "The Kuznets Curve in Brazil, 1850-2010", *Revista de Historia Económica- Journal of Iberian and Latin American Economic History*, 39, 1 (2021), pp. 37-61

[4] "Inequality in Turbulent Times: income distribution in Germany and Britain, 1900-50", *The Economic History Review*, 72, 3 (2019), pp. 1079-1098 (with Herman J. de Jong).

[5] "The rise of the middle class in Brazil, 1850-1950", *European Review of Economic History*, 23, 4 (2019), pp. 482-498.

### **Unpublished papers**

[1] Wars, depression, and fascism: income inequality in Italy, 1900-1950 (with Giacomo Gabbuti). *UPNA WP series 2104*, Departamento de Economía, Universidad Pública de Navarra (2021).

[2] Distribution Dynamics in Turbulent Times: Income Inequality in Germany and Britain, 1900-50 (with Herman J. de Jong). *Groningen Growth and Development Research Centre memorandum 170*, Faculty of Economics and Business, University of Groningen (2017).

[3] The rise of the middle class in Brazil, 1839-1950. *EHES working papers in Economic History 91*, Economic History Society (2015).

### **Post and Media**

[Globalinequality](#) (October 21, 2017), [The Long Run](#) (July 3, 2019), [Positive Check](#) (January 4, 2016)

### **Teaching**

Historia Económica (BSc 1<sup>st</sup> year), Universitat de València (2022)

Development Economics (BSc 5<sup>th</sup> year), Universidad de Navarra (2021)

History of Political Institutions (BSc 3<sup>rd</sup> year), Bocconi University (2018)

Economic History (BSc 1<sup>st</sup> year), Universidad Carlos III de Madrid (2012-2014)

Engines of Growth: Innovation, Institutions and Human Capital (BSc 4<sup>th</sup> year), Universidad Carlos III de Madrid (2012)

### **Supervision**

BSc dissertation, Universidad Carlos III de Madrid, 2013 (with Stefan Houpt)

### **Grants and Fellowships**

Research Grant, Fundación Ramón Areces, 2018-2020

Research Personnel in Training, Universidad Carlos III de Madrid, 2011-2015

## Visiting Appointments

Dondena Centre for Research on Social Dynamics and Public Policy (DONDENA) - Bocconi University, April 2017-January 2018.

European University Institute (EUI), April-June 2015.

## Presentations

- 2021:** III Jornadas sobre Desigualdad, Universidad de Zaragoza (May) • Session organiser and presenter at XIII Congreso Internacional Asociación Española de Historia Económica, Bilbao (September).
- 2019:** European Historical Economics Society Conference, Paris (September) • UB Economic History Seminar, University of Barcelona (June) • Session organiser and presenter at XVI AISPE Conference, Bologna (April).
- 2018:** Session organiser at XVIII World Economic History Congress, Boston (August) • Session organiser at European Social Science History conference, Belfast (April)
- 2017:** European Historical Economics Society Conference, Tübingen (September) • *Macrohist Interwar Economic History Workshop*, LSE (May) • *Revisions in Modern Brazilian Economic History workshop*, LSE (January)
- 2016:** *Globalization and Inequality* Summer School, University of Groningen (July)
- 2015:** GEM Seminar, University of Groningen (December) • European Historical Economics Society Conference, Pisa (September)
- 2014:** Conference on Latin American Inequality in the Long Run, IDB-INTAL, Buenos Aires (December) • London School of Economics (LSE) thesis workshop, London (February)
- 2013:** *Economic History and Institutions* workshop, Universidad Carlos III, Madrid (May) • *New Economic Historians of Latin America* workshop, LSE London (April) • *Publish or Perish* workshop, Utrecht University, Utrecht (February).
- 2012:** *European Historical Economics Society* Summer School, Universidad Carlos III, Madrid (June) • *European School of New Institutional Economics* Spring School, Corsica (May).

## Referee Activity

*Economic History Review*, *Journal of World Economy*, *Revista de Historia Económica- Journal of Iberian and Latin American Economic History*

## Languages

Spanish (native speaker), English (C1), French (B1)

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