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#### Employment

2009 - **Assistant Professor.** *Universitat Rovira i Virgili.*  
2007-2009: **Post-Doctoral researcher.** *INRA, Toulouse School of Economics.*

#### Education

2006-2007: **Visiting PhD. Student.** *Toulouse School of Economics.*  
2001-2007: **Ph.D. in Economics.** *Universidad Carlos III de Madrid.*  
Dissertation: “*Essays in modelling entry decisions in differentiated product markets*”.  
Advisor: Prof. Jordi Jaumandreu.  
Committee: Marc Ivaldi (TSE), Pedro Mira (CEMFI), Bruno Cassiman (IESE), María José Moral (UNED), Susanna Esteban (UC3M), Philippe Gagnepain (UC3M).  
1999-2000: **MSc in Econometrics and Economics.** *University of York.*  
Dissertation: “*Modelling conditional volatility: an application of GARCH models to the spanish stock return index IGBM*”.  
Advisor: Prof. Patrick Marsh.  
1994-1999: **BA in Economics.** *Universidade de Santiago de Compostela.*

#### Teaching and Research Fields

Primary field: Industrial Organization.  
Secondary fields: Applied Econometrics, Competition Policy, Agricultural Economics.

#### Teaching and Research Experience

2001-2006: Economics Department of University Carlos III de Madrid:  
**Instructor:** Decisions and Introductory Game Theory (undergraduate)  
**Teaching Assistant:** (MSc in Industrial Economics) Industrial Organization.  
(Undergraduate) Intermediate Microeconomics, Decisions and Introductory Game Theory, Industrial Economics, Public economics.  
2000-2001: **Research Assistant** in the Spanish Institute for Fiscal Studies (*Instituto de Estudios Fiscales*), collaborating in the project “Simulation tools for fiscal policy”.

#### Scholarships and Awards

2006-2007 and 1999-2000: Caixa Galicia Foundation’s Scholarship for Graduate Studies (*Beca para estudios de postgrado en universidades extranjerias, Fundación Caixa Galicia*).  
2005: Fundación Barrié de la Maza award to the best PhD paper presented at the Encontro de Novos Investigadores de Análise Económica.  
2001: Ministry of Finance Research grant at the *Instituto de Estudios Fiscales*. Madrid.

## **Research Papers**

- [1] “Age effects, unobserved characteristics and hedonic price indexes: The Spanish car market in the 1990's”, CREIP Working Paper n. 14-2011. (Submitted)
- [2] “Multi-stage oligopoly models with nested logit demand structures: A simplifying approach ”, CREIP Working Paper n. 21-2011. (Submitted)
- [3] “Imperfect competition in the fresh tomato industry” (with V. Réquillart and M. Simioni), IDEI Working Paper n. 498.
- [4] “Profitability, uncertainty and multi-product firm product proliferation: the Spanish car industry”, CREIP Working Paper n. .(Submitted)
- [5] “Entry costs and economies of scope in multiproduct firms' decisions”.
- [6] “A descriptive analysis of the Spanish automobile market in the 1990's”.
- [7] “Modelling conditional volatility: An application of GARCH models to the Spanish stock return index IGBM”. (MSc Dissertation)

## **Conferences and workshops**

- November 2009: Workshop “Incomplete Pass-Through in Marketing Channels: National and International Trends”, Toulouse (France)
- September 2009: XXIV Jornadas de Economía Industrial (Presenter and Discussant), Vigo (Spain)
- March 2009: Department Seminar. Universidade de Vigo. Vigo (Spain)
- February 2009: Department Seminar. Universidad de Navarra. Pamplona (Spain)
- February 2009: Department Seminar. OFCE-CERAM Business School. Sophia Antipolis (France)
- February 2009: Department Seminar. Universitat Rovira i Virgili. Reus (Spain)
- January 2009: 4th PhD Presentation Meeting of the Royal Economic Society, London (UK)
- December 2008: XXXIII Simposium of Economic Analysis. Zaragoza (Spain)
- September 2008: XXXIII Jornadas de Economía Industrial (Presenter and discussant). Reus (Spain)
- September 2008: XXXV EARIE Conference, Toulouse (France)
- January 2008: RNIC workshop “Structural models in IO”, Mannheim (Germany)
- September 2007: XXXIV EARIE Conference, Valencia (Spain)
- May 2007: VIII CEPR Conference on Applied IO, Tarragona (Spain)
- April 2007: V International IO Conference (Presenter and Discussant), Savannah (U.S.)
- August 2006: XXXIII EARIE Conference, Amsterdam (The Netherlands)
- April 2006: IV International IO Conference (Presenter and Discussant), Boston (U.S.)
- January 2006: DRUID-DIME Academy Winter 2006 PhD Conference (Presenter and Discussant), Aalborg (Denmark)
- September 2005: XXI Jornadas de Economía Industrial (Presenter and Discussant), Bilbao (Spain)
- September 2005: XI Encontro de Novos Investigadores de Análise Económica, A Coruña (Spain)