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Academic Positions

09/2021- Postdoctoral Researcher (Instructor) in Political Economy. **The University of Chicago.**

Qualifications

2017-2021 PhD in Political Science. **London School of Economics.**

Examination Committee: Ricardo Alonso, Aniol Llorente-Saguer and Pablo Querubin.

Supervisors: Torun Dewan, Rafael Hortala-Vallve, Ryan Jablonski and Stephane Wolton.

2016-2017 M.Res. Political Science (Distinction). **London School of Economics.**

2014-2015 M.Sc. Political Science and Political Economy (Distinction). **London School of Economics.**

2009-2014 B.A. in Political Science and International Relations. **Universidad Casa Grande** (Ecuador).

Research

The Stakes and Informativeness Trade-Off: Electoral Incentives to Implement Programmatic Transfers.
[*Revise and Resubmit, The Journal of Politics*]

A Political Economy of Tax Evasion: Theory and Evidence (with Alberto Parmigiani). [*Under review*]

Merchants of Reputation: Privatization under Elites' Outside Lobbying [*Under review*]

Misinformed and Overworked: A Political Economy of Accountability under Economic Inequality

Awards

LSE PhD Studentship (full scholarship covering tuition fees and stipend 2016-2021)

Ecuadorian National Secretariat of Higher Education (full scholarship, 2014-2015)

Best Graduate Award (Highest GPA). Universidad Casa Grande (2014)

Presentations

Formal Theory Seminar, Washington University in St. Louis, 2022

APSA Annual Meeting 2020, 2022

Political Economy Seminar, Harris School of Public Policy, 2021, 2022

EPSA Annual Conference, 2018, 2021

MPSA Annual Conference, 2021

TSE Economics Research Seminar: 2021, University of Turku, Finland

LSE PSPE Doctoral Workshop, 2018-2021

LSE-Oxford Graduate Conference, 2020

HSE-EACES Workshop, 2020, Higher School of Economics in Moscow

APSA Virtual Formal Theory Workshop, 2020

Comparative Politics and Formal Theory, 2019, University of California, Berkeley

Teaching Experience

Analytical Politics II: Political Institutions. MPP program, 2021/22. The University of Chicago.

Intermediate Microeconomics. B.Sc., 2019/20. Course convenor: Simona Grassi. King's College London.

Public Choice and Politics. B.Sc., 2018/19 and 2019/20. Course conveners: Valentino Larcinese, Rafael Hortala-Vallve, Torun Dewan. London School of Economics.

The Political Economy of Public Policy. LSE Summer School 2019. Course conveners: Torun Dewan and Valentino Larcinese. London School of Economics.

Applied Regression Analysis. M.Sc., 2019/20. Course conveners: Indraneel Sircar and Daniele Fanelli. London School of Economics.

Introduction to Quantitative Analysis. M.Sc., 2018/19 and 2019/20. Course conveners: Ben Lauderdale and Jonathan Jackson. London School of Economics.

Other Professional Experience

LSE Political Science and Political Economy Doctoral Workshop. *September 2018-Sep*

Role: Coordinator. Main activity: To coordinate the weekly work in progress seminars.

American Political Science Review. *August 2017-August 2018*

Role: Editorial Assistant. Main activity: To help the editor in the reviewer-selection process.

Ecuador National Assembly (Parliament). *October 2015-December 2015 and February 2016-May 2016*

Role: Legislative advisor. Main activities: Drafting of the 2015 constitutional amendments (Constitutional Amendments Occasional Committee) and the Organic Law of the Environment (Biodiversity and Natural Resources Committee).

Languages

Natural: Spanish (native); English (fluent); French (intermediate); Italian (basic).

Mathematics: Wolfram Mathematica (intermediate); Maple (intermediate).

Statistics: SPSS (advanced); Stata (advanced); R (intermediate).

Programming: NetLogo (intermediate); Python (basic).

References

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