Curriculum Vitae

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Education

2003 Ph.D. in Political Science, Universidad Autónoma de Madrid, Spain.
2003 Doctor-Miembro, Center for Advanced Study in the Social Sciences, Juan March Institute, Spain.
2001 M.A. in Social Sciences, Center for Advanced Study in the Social Sciences, Juan March Institute, Spain.
1997 B.A. in Political Science (with Honors), Universidad de Santiago de Compostela, Spain.

Employment

2017 - present Professor, Universitat Pompeu Fabra
2008 - 2017 Associate Professor, Universitat Pompeu Fabra.
2004 - 2008 Assistant Professor, Universitat Pompeu Fabra.
2003 - 2004 Posdoctoral Research Fellow, Universidad Autónoma de Madrid.

Research Interests

Using mainly a quantitative and comparative approach, I examine the following issues:

- *The political consequences of electoral laws*: Institutional and sociological determinants of the number of parties, strategic voting, partisan bias, coordination problems.
- *Political Behaviour*: Economic voting and accountability in mass elections, religious voting, determinants and consequences of turnout.
- *Issues in Political Economy*: Tax morale, composition of public spending, budget structure.
- *Political Parties*: Nationalization of parties and party systems, impact of decentralization on the organization of parties.
- *Sports & Society:* The convergence of sports and society.
- *Decentralization:* Consequences for governance.

Journal Editor

- Associate Editor of International Journal of Public Opinion Research, 2021-2025.
- Specialty Chief Editor of Elections and Representation (specialty section of Frontiers in Political Science), 2019-2022.
- Associate Editor of *Revista Española de Ciencia Política*, 2010- 2015.

Administrative Appointments

2025-present Chair of the Political Science Research Area, Agencia Estatal de Investigación (AEI), Spain.
2023-2024 Member of the Agencia Nacional de Evaluación de la Calidad y Acreditación (ANECA), Evaluation Committee in Social Sciences, Spain.

2017-present Member of the University Professor Committee, Universitat Pompeu Fabra.
2024-present Member of the Faculty of Political and Social Sciences Steering Committee, Universitat Pompeu Fabra.
2021-2024 Vice-Head of the Department of Political and Social Sciences, Universitat Pompeu Fabra.
2016-2017 PhD Program Coordinator, Department of Political and Social Sciences, Universitat Pompeu Fabra.
2016-2017 Member of the Doctoral School Steering Committee, Universitat Pompeu Fabra.
2009-2014 PhD Program Coordinator, Department of Political and Social Sciences, Universitat Pompeu Fabra.
2010-2014 Member of the Doctoral School Steering Committee, Universitat Pompeu Fabra
2007-2012 ECPR Official Representative, Universitat Pompeu Fabra.
2008-2012 Member of the Faculty of Political and Social Sciences Steering Committee, Universitat Pompeu Fabra.
2009-2010 Coordinator of the Master of Research in Political Science, Department of Political and Social Sciences, Universitat Pompeu Fabra.
2007-2009 Secretary of the Faculty of Political and Social Sciences, Universitat Pompeu Fabra.
2005-2006 Coordinator of the Permanent Seminar, Department of Political and Social Sciences, Universitat Pompeu Fabra.

Publications

Books and Special Issues

N.d *Regional Studies*, *Special issue on "Decentralization and the governance of extreme events"*, with Santiago Lago & Jorge Martinez-Vazquez, Guest Editors.
2024 *Impactos de la COVID-19 y respuestas colectivas a la pandemia,* with Francisco Pérez García & Santiago Lago, Fundación BBVA.
2021 *Handbook on Decentralization, Devolution and the State,* Editor, Cheltenham, UK and Northampton: Edward Elgar.
2020 *Regional Studies*, 46(7). *Special issue on "Decentralization after the Great recession: Fine-tuning or Paradigm Change?"*, with Santiago Lago & Jorge Martinez-Vazquez, Guest Editors.
2020 *The Oxford Handbook of Spanish Politics,* with Diego Muro (eds.), Oxford: Oxford University Press.
2017 *Multilevel Electoral Politics: Beyond the Second-Order Election Model,* with Sona Golder, André Blais, Thomas Gschwend & Elisabeth Gidengil, Oxford: Oxford University Press.
2011 *Environment and Planning C: Government and Policy*, *Special issue on "The Economic and Political Consequences of decentralization"*, with Santiago Lago & Jorge Martinez-Vazquez, Guest Editors.
2011 *Elecciones generales 2008,* with José Ramón Montero (eds.), Madrid: Centro de Investigaciones Sociológicas.
2011 *Descentralización y control electoral de los gobiernos en España,* with Santiago Lago, Barcelona: Institut d'Estudis Autonòmics.
2008 *La lógica de la explicación en las ciencias sociales: una introducción metodológica*, Madrid: Alianza Editorial (reprint, 2015, 2017).
2007 *Elecciones generales 2004,* with José Ramón Montero & Mariano Torcal (eds.), Madrid: Centro de Investigaciones Sociológicas.
2006 *Vinte e cinco anos de autonomía en Galicia: mudanzas políticas e económicas*, with Santiago Lago, Santiago de Compostela: Escola Galega de Administración Pública.
2005 *El voto estratégico en las elecciones generales en España (1977-2000): efectos y mecanismos causales en la explicación del comportamiento electoral,* Madrid: Centro de Investigaciones Sociológicas.

2005 *Zona Abierta, Special issue on "Sistemas Electorales",* with José Ramón Montero, Guest Editors.

2003 *El voto estratégico en las elecciones generales en España (1977-2000): efectos y mecanismos causales en la explicación del comportamiento electoral,* Madrid: Instituto Juan March.

Articles (peer-reviewed)

N.d. "Assessing electoral coordination: A quasi-experimental design of changes in district magnitude over time", with Ferran Martínez i Coma, forthcoming in *Party Politics.*

N.d. "The two dimensions of district magnitude in the world's electoral systems", with Santiago Lago-Peñas, forthcoming in *Electoral Studies.*

N.d. "Decentralizing happiness", with Cristina de Gispert, Núria Bosch & Maite Vilalta, forthcoming in *Publius: The Journal of Federalism.*

N.d. "The size of countries and the nationalization of politics", with Santiago Lago-Peñas, forthcoming in *Representation.*

2025 "With a Little Help from My Friends? Understanding Individual and Team Success in the Summer Olympics", with Carlos Lago-Peñas, forthcoming in *Social Science Quarterly* 106(3): e70026.

2025 "Floods, terrorist attacks and the COVID-19 pandemic: How the (de)centralization of power affects the rally around the flag" with André Blais, *Regional Studies* 59(1): 2224836.

2025 "Introduction. Decentralization and the governance of extreme events", with Santiago Lago & Jorge Martinez-Vazquez, *Regional Studies* 59(1): 2438328

2025 "Rural decline and spatial voting patterns", with Santiago Lago-Peñas, *Parliamentary Affairs* 78: 97-110.

2025 "Selecting Party Leaders". with Javier Astudillo, *West European Politics* 48(1): 165-188.

2024 "The 'odd-even effect': The link between the number of parties and district magnitude", with Ferran Martínez i Coma, *European Journal of Political Research* 63: 1471-1490.

2024 "Making Countries Small: The Nationalization of Districts in the United States", *Political Science Research and Methods* 12(2): 416-425.

2023 "What Kind of Electoral Outcome Do People Think is Good for Democracy?", with Damien Bol, André Blais, Shaun Bowler, David Farrell, Annika Freden, Martial Foucalt, Emmanuel Heisbourg, Romain Lachat, Miroslav Nemcok, Jean-Benoit Pilet & Carolina Plescia, *Political Studies* 71(4):1068-1089.

2023 "The Short-term Effects of Electoral Reforms", with Ferran Martínez i Coma, *Party Politics* 29(5): 906-917.

2023 "Work Group Diversity in Professional Football: An Individual-level Approach to the Effects of Diversity in Organizations", with Carlos Lago-Peñas & Santiago Lago-Peñas, *Social Science Quarterly* 104(4): 927-941.

2023 *"The Strategic Determinants of Legislative Malapportionment in New Democracies"*, with Pedro Riera, *Electoral Studies* 81: 102568.

2022 "Waiting or Acting? The Gender Gap in International Football Success", with Santiago Lago-Peñas & Carlos Lago-Peñas, *International Review for the Sociology of Sports* 57(7): 1139-1156.

2022 "Rural Decline and Satisfaction with Democracy", *Acta Politica* 57: 743-771.

2022 "Escenarios para la reforma del sistema de financiación de las Comunidades Autónomas: entre los principios técnicos y las preferencias políticas", with Núria Bosch & Maite Vilalta, *Revista de Estudios Políticos (nueva época)* 197: 253-259.

2022 "'Sacrificial Lambs' or Candidate Mimicking? Gender-Based Nomination Strategies in Elections", with Ferran Martínez i Coma, *Party Politics* 28(4): 702-712.

2021 "The Glories of Immigration: How Soccer Wins Shape Opinion on Immigration", with Carlos Lago-Peñas, *Migration Studies* 9(3): 466-489.

2021 "Primaries Through the Looking Glass: The Electoral Effects of Opening the Selection of Top Candidates", with Javier Astudillo, *British Journal of Political Science* 51(4): 1550-1564.

2021 "Transaction Costs in Electoral Coordination: How Turnout Shapes Party System Changes in the Number of Parties", with Ferran Martínez i Coma, *Electoral Studies* 72: 102349.

2021 "Instituciones políticas y costes de transacción en la política electoral en España", with Gonzalo Caballero, *Papeles de Economía Española* 168: 144-156.

2021 "From the *Brady Bunch* to *Gilmore Girls*. The Effect of Household Size in Economic Voting", with Manuel E. Lago, *American Politics Research* 49(4): 400-411.

2021 "Electoral Rules and New Parties: Evidence from a Quasi-experimental Design", *Frontiers in Political Science, section Elections and Representation,* Vol 3: 623709.

2021 "The Cultural Sources of Deception in Soccer: How Collectivism Affects the Number of Penalties in European Soccer Leagues", with Carlos Lago-Peñas, *Social Science Quarterly* 102(1): 362-373.

2020 "Electoral Coordination and Party System Institutionalization", with Mariano Torcal, *Party Politics* 26(5): 570-580.

2020 "A Study of Voting Behaviour in an Exceptional Context: The 2017 Catalan Election Study", with Eric Guntermann, Andre Blais & Marc Guinjoan, *European Political Science* 19: 288-301.

2020 "Decentralization after the Great Recession: Fine-tuning or Paradigm Change?", with Santiago Lago & Jorge Martínez Vázquez, *Regional Studies* 54(7): 877-880.

2020 "Decentralization and Electoral Swings", with André Blais, *Regional Studies* 54(7): 907-918.

2020 "Explaining Gender Differences in Turnout Using Panel Data Across Elections", with Hilde Coffé, *Social Science Quarterly* 101: 940-959.

2019 "A Research Agenda in Elections and Voting Behavior in a Global and Changing World", *Frontiers in Political Science, section Elections and Representation* Vol 1: Article 1.

2019 "Early Voting and Satisfaction with Vote Choice", with André Blais, *Representation* 55: 225-233.

2019 "Player Migration and Soccer Performance", with Carlos Lago-Peñas and Santiago Lago-Peñas, *Frontiers in Psychology, section Movement Science and Sport Psychology* 10: 1-7.

2019 "The Psychological Effect of Electoral Systems in Founding Elections", *Party Politics* 25: 221-226.

2019 "Decentralization and Football", with Carlos Lago & Santiago Lago, *Social Science Quarterly* 100: 163-175.

2019 "Party Mobilisation and Electoral Systems", with Sandra Bermúdez, Marc Guinjoan, Kelly Rowe, & Pablo Simón, *Government and Opposition* 54: 1-24.

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2018 "Gerrymandering in Comparative Perspective", with Ferran Martínez, *Party Politics* 24: 99-104.

2017 "Challenge or Consent? Understanding Losers' Consent in Mass Election", with Ferran Martínez, *Government and Opposition* 52: 412-436.

2016 "An Economic Explanation of the Nationalization of Electoral Politics", with Santiago Lago, *Electoral Studies* 44: 409-418.

2016 "Democracy and Football", with Carlos Lago & Santiago Lago, *Social Science Quarterly* 97: 1282-1294.

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2015 “Regulation Disinformation. Poll Embargo and Electoral Coordination”, with Marc Guinjoan & Sandra Bermúdez, *Public Opinion Quarterly* 79: 932-951.
2015 “Assessing the Mechanical and Psychological Effects of District Magnitude”, with Romain Lachat & André Blais, *Journal of Elections, Public Opinion & Parties* 25: 284-299.
2015 "Gobiernos autonómicos e identidades regionales en España, 1980-2012", with José Fernández Albertos, *Política y Gobierno* XXII (2): 283-315.
2015 “The partisan consequences of turnout revisited”, with Kelly Rowe & Santiago Lago, *Comparative European Politics* 13: 514-534.
2014 “Defining and measuring party system nationalization”, with José Ramón Montero, *European Political Science Review* 6: 191-211.
2014 “Partisan Turnout Bias and District Magnitude”, with Marina Costa Lobo, *Electoral Studies* 35: 150-158.
2014 “Expectations in Mass Elections: Back to the Future?” with Marc Guinjoan, Sandra Bermúdez & Pablo Simón, *Social Science Quarterly* 95: 1346-1359.
2013 “Apuntes sobre el estudio del comportamiento electoral en España”, with Ferran Martínez, *Revista de Estudios Políticos* (nueva época) 161: 69-91.
2013 “La atribución de responsabilidades políticas en Estados descentralizados”, with Santiago Lago, *Cuadernos de Información Comercial Española* 85: 43-64.
2012 “¿De las ‘guerras metodológicas’ al pluralismo metodológico?″, with Camil Ungunearu, Donatella de La Porta & Rainer Bauböck, *Revista Española de Ciencia Política* 29: 11-38.
2012 “Strategic voting in proportional representation systems. Evidence from a natural experiment”, *Party Politics* 18: 653-665.
2012 “Forgetting to make votes count: the role of previous democratic experience”, with Ferran Martínez, *Electoral Studies* 31: 413-421.
2011 “Why new parties?” with Ferran Martínez, *Party Politics* 17: 3-20.
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2010 "Participación y resultados electorales en España”, with José Ramón Montero, *Revista Española de Investigaciones Sociológicas* 130: 97-116.
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2009 “A general measure of district competitiveness“, with André Blais, *Electoral Studies* 28: 94-100.
2009 “Coordination between electoral arenas in multi-level countries”, with José Ramón Montero, *European Journal of Political Research* 48: 176-203.
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2007 "The 2006 Regional Election in Catalonia: Exit, Voice and Electoral Market Failures", with José Ramón Montero & Mariano Torcal, *South European Society & Politics* 12: 221-235.
2007 "Incentivos distintos y comportamientos iguales: la fragmentación del sistema de partidos en las elecciones de Congreso y Senado", with Ferran Martínez, *Revista de Estudios Políticos* (nueva época) 135: 159-178.
2007 "Partidos, votantes y cultura política: los efectos de la precariedad en la dinámica electoral", *Sociedad y Utopía: Revista de Ciencias Sociales* 29: 451-461.
2007 "The 2004 Election in Spain: Terrorism, Accountability and Voting", With José Ramón Montero, *BCN Political Science Debates* 2007/5: 35-59.
2006 "The 2004 Election in Spain: Terrorism, Accountability and Voting", with José Ramón Montero, *Taiwan Journal of Democracy* 2: 13-35.
2006 "Elecciones en España 2004: terrorismo, rendición de cuentas y voto", with José Ramón Montero, *Estudios de Política y Sociedad* 2: 85-116.
2006 "The 2005 Autonomous Election in Galicia: the End of Conservative Hegemony", with Francesc Pallarés & Jordi Muñoz, *Regional and Federal Studies* 16: 1-14.
2006 "Atajos informativos y voto en tres referendos españoles", with José Ramón Montero, *Administración y Ciudadanía* 2: 131-150.
2005 "Does the Economy Matter? An empirical analysis of the causal chain connecting the economy and the vote in Galicia", with Santiago Lago, *Economics and Politics* 17: 215-243.
2005 "El voto estratégico en las elecciones autonómicas andaluzas de 1996", *Revista Española de Investigaciones Sociológicas* 109:155-180.
2005 "El evanescente abstencionista gallego", *Revista de Estudios Políticos* (nueva época) 128: 317:344.
2005 "Todavía no sé quiénes, pero ganaremos": Manipulación política del sistema electoral español", with José Ramón Montero, *Zona Abierta* 110/111: 279-348.
2005 "Glosario básico de sistemas electorales", with Josep Maria Colomer & José Ramón Montero, *Zona Abierta* 110/111: 349-358.
2005 "La investigación sobre sistemas electorales: cinco debates y una selección de artículos", with José Ramón Montero, *Zona Abierta* 110/111:1-35.
2004 "Cleavages and Thresholds: The Political Consequences of Electoral Laws in the Spanish Autonomous Communities", *Electoral Studies* 23: 23-43.
2004 "Más votos y menos escaños: el impacto del sistema electoral en las elecciones autonómicas catalanas de 2003", with José Ramón Montero, *Revista Española de Investigaciones Sociológicas* 105: 11-42.
2004 "La coordinación electoral del nacionalismo gallego alrededor del BNG", *Revista Internacional de Sociología* 39: 35-61.
2004 "Le nationalisme galicien: opportunités, mobilisation politique et coordination électorale", with Ramón Máiz, *Pôle Sud* 20: 25-46.
2004 "Una metodología alternativa para estimar los efectos de las campañas", with Ferran Martínez, *Revista Española de Ciencia Política* 11: 103-120.
2003 "Las consecuencias políticas de los sistemas electorales autonómicos", *Revista Española de Ciencia Política* 7: 131-158.

2002 "La discriminación salarial por razones de género: un análisis empírico del sector privado en España", *Revista Española de Investigaciones Sociológicas* 98: 171-196.
2001 "La influencia de los resultados económicos sobre el apoyo electoral de los gobiernos económicos, 1980-1997", with Santiago Lago, *Revista Española de Investigaciones Sociológicas* 93: 165-179.
2001 "As elección sindicais na ensinanza pública non universitaria en Galicia (1987-1998)", with Pedro Lago, *Revista Galega de Economía* 10: 231-248.
2000 "El sistema electoral español: una cuantificación de sus efectos `mecánico´ y `psicológico`", with Santiago Lago, *Revista de Estudios Políticos* (nueva época) 107: 225-250.
2000 "El rango secundario de las elecciones europeas: actitudes hacia el Parlamento Europeo y participación electoral (1979-1994)", *Dereito. Revista xurídica da Universidade de Santiago de Compostela* 9: 63-84.
2000 "Identidades duales y abstención diferencial en las Comunidades Autónomas: los casos de Cataluña, Galicia y País Vasco", *Dereito. Revista xurídica da Universidade de Santiago de Compostela* 9: 156-176.
1999 "*Economic Voting y elecciones generales en España: Un análisis con datos de panel"*, with Santiago Lago, *FEDEA. Studies on the Spanish Economy* 75.
1999 "Sobrerrepresentación de las zonas rurales y voto conservador en el sistema electoral español", *Dereito. Revista xurídica da Universidade de Santiago de Compostela* 8: 81-100.
1998 "A distorsión da proporcionalidade no sistema electoral español: unha aproximación cuantitativa", *Revista Galega de Economía* 7: 103-118.

Chapters

2022 "Voting Behavior", in *Oxford Handbook of Portuguese Politics,* Jorge M. Fernandes, Pedro C. Magalhaes & António Costa Pinto, eds. Oxford: Oxford University Press.
2021 "Introduction", in *Handbook on Decentralization, Devolution and the State,* Ignacio Lago, ed. Cheltenham, UK and Northampton: Edward Elgar.
2020 "El voto estratégico en las elecciones generales en España", with André Blais, in *Sistemas electorales en España*, Juan Montabes, Carmen Ortega & Pablo Oñate, eds. Madrid: Centro de Investigaciones Sociológicas.
2020 "Introduction", with Diego Muro, in *The Oxford Handbook of Spanish Politics*, Diego Muro & Ignacio Lago, eds. Oxford: Oxford University Press.
2018 "Strategic voting in changing times. The 2016 election in Spain", in *The Many Faces of Strategic Voting,* John Aldrich, André Blais & Laura B. Stephenson, eds., Michigan: University of Michigan Press.
2016 "Election Laws in Democracies", in *Oxford Bibliographies in Political Science,* Sandy Maisel, ed., Oxford: Oxford University Press.
2015 "Volatilidad endógena y exógena: una nueva medida de institucionalización", with Mariano Torcal, in *Sistemas de partidos en América Latina,* Mariano Torcal, coord., Barcelona: Anthropos.
2014 "Atajos informativos, partidos políticos y referéndums en España", with José Ramón Montero, in *¿Cómo votamos en los referéndums?,* Braulio Gómez Fortes & Joan Font, coords., Madrid: Catarata/Fundación Alternativas.
2010 "Selection of an Electoral System: Less Consensus, more heresthetics", with José Ramón Montero, in *Politics and Memory of Democratic Transition: The Spanish Model,* Diego Muro & Gregorio Alonso*,* eds., London: Routledge.
2010 "Las elecciones autonómicas de 2009 en Galicia", with Francesc Pallarés, in *Informe Comunidades Autónomas 2009,* Instituto de Derecho Público (ed.). Barcelona: Instituto de Derecho Público.

2010 "Introducción: 2008, las décimas elecciones desde la restauración de la democracia", with José Ramón Montero, in *Elecciones generales 2008,* José Ramón Montero & Ignacio Lago, eds., Madrid: Centro de Investigaciones Sociológicas.

2010 "La nacionalización del sistema de partidos en España: una perspectiva comparada", with José Ramón Montero, in *Elecciones generales 2008,* José Ramón Montero & Ignacio Lago, eds., Madrid: Centro de Investigaciones Sociológicas.

2010 "Conclusiones: de las razones individuales a las explicaciones generales" with José Ramón Montero, in *Elecciones generales 2008,* José Ramón Montero & Ignacio Lago, eds., Madrid: Centro de Investigaciones Sociológicas.

2009 "Voto, terrorismo, y rendición de cuentas: las elecciones de 2004 en España", with José Ramón Montero, in Guido Legnante, Renato Mannheimer & Paolo Segatti, eds., *Il cittadino-elettore in Europa e America,* Bolonia: Il Mulino.

2008 "Coordination between electoral arenas in multi-level countries", with José Ramón Montero, in Cess van der & Hermann Schnitt, eds., *The multilevel electoral systems of the EU,* Mannheim: CONNEX Report Series Nr. 04.

2008 "Govern", in *Informe sobre l´estat de la democracia a Catalunya,* Eva Anduiza, ed., Barcelona: Fundació Jaume Bofill.

2008 "Los apoyos electorales: pautas, incentivos y factores en contextos multinivel", with Carolina Galais & Francesc Pallarés, *Elecciones autonómicas 2007*, Francesc Pallarés, ed., Madrid: Centro de Investigaciones Sociológicas.

2007 "Del 11-M al 14-M: terrorismo, gestión de gobierno y rendición de cuentas", with José Ramón Montero, in *Elecciones generales 2004,* In José Ramón Montero, Ignacio Lago & Mariano Torcal, eds., Madrid: Centro de Investigaciones Sociológicas.

2007 "Introducción", with José Ramón Montero & Mariano Torcal, eds., *Elecciones generales 2004,* in *Elecciones generales 2004,* José Ramón Montero, Ignacio Lago & Mariano Torcal, eds., Madrid: Centro de Investigaciones Sociológicas.

2007 "Conclusiones", with José Ramón Montero & Mariano Torcal, in *Elecciones generales 2004,* José Ramón Montero, Ignacio Lago & Mariano Torcal, eds., Madrid: Centro de Investigaciones Sociológicas.

2007 "The Electoral Systems of the Spanish Democracies", with José Ramón Montero, in *Roads to Democracy. A Tribute to Juan J. Linz,* Joan Marcel & José Ramón Montero eds., Barcelona: ICPS.

2007 "Rational Choice". In *Encyclopaedia of European Elections*, Yves Déloye & Michael Bruter, eds., Basingstoke: Palgrave Macmillan.

2006 "Political participation, information, and accountability: some consequences of political disaffection in new democracies", with Mariano Torcal, in *Political Disaffection in Contemporary Democracies: Social Capital, Institutions and Politics,* Mariano Torcal & José Ramón Montero eds., London: Routledge.

2006 "Las elecciones autonómicas gallegas de 2005", with Francesc Pallarés, in *Informe Comunidades Autónomas 2005,* Instituto de Derecho Público, ed., Barcelona: Instituto with de Derecho Público.

2005 Choix rationnel", in *Dictionnaire des elections européennes,* Yves Déloye, ed., Paris: Economica.

2000 "Investigación del mercado electoral", with José Gabriel Vázquez Fernández, in *La investigación en marketing,* José Martínez et al, coords., Barcelona: AEDEMO.

Working Papers and Reviews

2022 *Floods, terrorist attacks and the COVID-19 pandemic: How the (de)centralization of power affects the rally around the flag*, with Andre Blais, Universidad de Vigo, GEN, working paper 2022/8.

2022 *Distance matters: The Size of countries and the nationalization of politics.* Universidade de Vigo, GEN, working paper 2022/2.

2022 *Making Countries Small: The Nationalization of Districts in the United States.* Universidade de Vigo, GEN, working paper 2022/1.

2021 *Making Mobilization Work: The Choice of Electoral Systems,* Universidade de Vigo, GEN, working paper 2021/2.

2019 *From the Brady Bunch to Gilmore Girls: The effect of household size of economic voting,* with Manuel E. Lago, Universidade de Vigo, GEN, working paper 2019/1.

2018 Book review, *Are Politics Local? The Two Dimensions of Party Nationalization around the World by* Scott Morgenstern (Cambridge University Press, 2017). *Perspectives on Politics* 16: 1211-1213.

2018 *Decentralization and Football,* with Carlos Lago & Santiago Lago. Universidade de Vigo, GEN, working paper 2018/1.

2017 *Decentralization and Electoral Swings,* with André Blais, Universidad de Vigo, GEN working paper 2017/2.

2016 *Coattail effects and electoral coordination,* with Marina Costa Lobo & Santiago Lago, Universidad de Vigo, GEN working paper 2016/3.

2016 *An economic explanation of the nationalization of electoral politics*, with Santiago Lago, Universidad de Vigo, GEN working paper 2016/2.

2015 *Democracy and Football,* with Carlos Lago & Santiago Lago. Universidade de Vigo, GEN, working paper 2015/1.

2014 *Turnout and Fractionalization*, with Sandra Bermúdez, Marc Guinjoan & Pablo Simón, Universidad de Vigo GEN working paper 2014/4.

2011 *Why not National Party Systems?* Instituto Juan March, working paper 2011/259.

2010 *Decentralization and Party System Nationalization*, with Santiago Lago, Andrew Young School of Policy Studies, International Studies Program, Georgia State University.

2008 *The determinants of tax morale in comparative perspective: evidence from a multilevel analysis,* with Santiago Lago, Instituto de Estudios Fiscales, 8.

2007 *Coordination between electoral arenas in multi-level countries*, with José Ramón Montero, Instituto Juan March, working paper 2007/231.

2007 *Why new parties? Changes in the number of parties over time within countries*, with Ferran Martínez, Departamento de Ciencia Política y Relaciones Internacionales, Universidad Autónoma de Madrid.

2007 *Why new parties? Changes in the number of parties over time within countries*, with Ferran Martínez, México D.F.: CIDE.

2006 *The importance of electoral rules: comparing the number of parties in Spain's lower and upper houses*, with Ferran Martínez, Departamento de Ciencia Política y Relaciones Internacionales, Universidad Autónoma de Madrid.

2006 *The 2004 Election in Spain: Terrorism, Accountability and Voting*, with José Ramón Montero, Institut de Ciències Politiques i Socials (ICPS), 253.

2006 *The composition of public spending and the nationalization of party systems in Western Europe,* with José Ramón Montero, Instituto de Estudios Fiscales, 8.

2006 Book review, *Cómo votamos. Los sistemas electorales del mundo: pasado, presente y futuro*. De Josep M. Colomer. *Pôle Sud* 24: 161-163.

2005 Book review, *Sistemas electorales y partidos políticos* de Dieter Nohlen y *Cómo votamos. Los sistemas electorales del mundo: pasado, presente y futuro* de Josep M. Colomer. *Revista Española de Ciencia Política* 12: 155-159.

2005 '*Todavía no sé quiénes, pero ganaremos': Manipulación política del sistema electoral*, with José Ramón Montero, Departamento de Ciencia Política y Relaciones Internacionales, Universidad Autónoma de Madrid.

2004 *Más votos y menos escaños: el impacto del sistema electoral en las elecciones autonómicas catalanas de 2003*, with José Ramón Montero, Departamento de Ciencia Política y Relaciones Internacionales, Universidad Autónoma de Madrid.

2004 *Does the Economy Matter? An empirical analysis of the causal chain connecting the economy and the vote in Galicia,* with Santiago Lago, Fundación Pedro Barrié de la Maza, IEGG PBM, Número 72.
2004 *Explaining budget indiscipline: evidence from Spanish municipalities,* with Santiago Lago, Instituto de Estudios Fiscales, 21.
2004 Book review, *Strategic Voting in Mixed Electoral Systems* de Thomas Gschwend. *Revista Española de Ciencia Política* 11:191-192.
2000 *Política y Economía en las Comunidades Autónomas, 1980-1997*, with Santiago Lago, Departamento de Economía Aplicada, Universidad de Santiago de Compostela.
1999 *Economic Voting y elecciones generales en España: Un análisis con datos de panel*, with Santiago Lago, Departamento de Economía Aplicada, Universidad de Santiago de Compostela.
1998 *Los estudios electorales en Galicia. Una revisión bibliográfica (1876-1997)*. Universidad de Santiago de Compostela, IDEGA.
1998 *Sistemas electorales y gobierno representativo* de Josep M. Vallés & Agustí Bosch. Revista *Galega de Economía* 7: 364-368.

Research Funding

2023-2026 Ministerio de Economía y Competitividad. (PID2022-136276NB-C21). "Descentralización y eventos extremos en las democracias contemporáneas" (PI: Ignacio Lago) (59,125 euros).
2023-2025 Fundaçao para a Ciência e a Tecnologia, Portugal (2022-05057.PTCD). "Losers of Representation" (Co-PI; PI: Jorge Fernandes) (250,000 euros).
2023-2024 Institut d'Estudis de l'Autogovern (PREE166/23/000007). "Happiness, fiscal federalism and institutions: Application to the Spanish case" (Co-PI; PI: Nùria Bosch) (7,000 euros).
2021-2022 Beca Leonardo a Investigadores y Creadores Culturales concedidas por la Fundación BBVA. "El Efecto del Tamaño de los Países en la Representación Política" (PI: Ignacio Lago) (40,000 euros).
2021-2022 Fundación BBVA / Instituto Valenciano de Investigaciones Económicas, "Respuestas Colectivas a la Pandemia" (Co-PI; PI: Francisco Pérez García) (22.000 euros).
2018-2021 Ministerio de Economía y Competitividad. (CSO2017-85024-C2-1-P). "Descentralización después de la Gran Recesión: ¿Ajuste o Cambio de Paradigma?" (PI: Ignacio Lago) (35,090 euros).
2016-2018 Institut d'Estudis de l'Autogovern (Generalitat de Catalunya). "Les relacions Catalunya/Espanya en el context europeu. Conseqüencies econòmiques i fnancieres dels diferents escenaris político-constitucionals" (Co-PI; PI. Antoni Castells Oliveres) (45,000 euros).
2014-2017 Ministerio de Economía y Competitividad (CSO2013-40723-C2-1-R). "Consecuencias políticas y económicas de la descentralización" (PI: Ignacio Lago) (47,190 euros).
2014-2015 Agencia Gestió Ajuts Universtaris i Recerca. Generalitat de Catalunya (2014-DEMOC 00008)- "Rendició de comptes i governs multinivell" (PI: Ignacio Lago) (6,500 euros).
2011-2014 Ministerio de Ciencia e Innovación (CSO2010-16319). "El funcionamiento de la democracia electoral: votantes, partidos y reglas de juego" (PI: Ignacio Lago) (102,850 euros).
2011 Universitat Pompeu Fabra (3 PlaCQUID 2010-2011). "Aula Global e Inglés" (PI: Ignacio Lago).
2010 Juan March Institute. "Las consecuencias políticas de los sistemas electorales con magnitudes de distrito variables" (PI: Ignacio Lago).

2009-2016 Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada (412-2009-1004). "Making electoral democracy work: voters, parties and the rules of the game" (Co-PI; PI: André Blais).

2009 AGAUR (Agència de Gestió d'Ajuts Universitaris i de Recerca Participación (2009 MQD 00005). "Proyecto para la mejora de la calidad docente" (Co-PI; PI: Anna Cuxart).

2009 Universitat Pompeu Fabra (22 PlaCQUID 2009). " Proyecto de innovación docente para la mejora de la formación en estadística y en matemáticas de los estudiantes del Máster en Ciencias Políticas y Sociales de la Universitat Pompeu Fabra" (Co-PI; PI: Anna Cuxart).

2009 Comunidad de Madrid (CCG08-UAM/HUM-4446). "Partidos, voto y rendición de cuentas en sistemas multinivel" (Co-PI; PI: Santiago Pérez-Nievas).

2008-2009 Comunidad de Madrid (CCG07-UAM/HUM-1598). "Participación política y electoral en sistemas multinivel" (Co-PI; PI: Santiago Pérez-Nievas).

2008 Centro de Investigaciones Sociológicas (CIS). "Las consecuencias políticas del Estado de las autonomías" (PI: Ignacio Lago).

2006-2009 Ministerio de Educación y Ciencia (SEJ2006-10073/CPOL). "Religiosidad, ideología y voto en Europa" (Co-PI; PI: José Ramón Montero).

2006-2009 Ministerio de Educación y Ciencia (SEJ2006-10974). "Toma de decisiones y articulación de poderes en el gobierno a múltiples niveles de la Unión Europea" (Co-PI; PI: Josep M. Colomer Calsina).

2005 Instituto de Estudios Fiscales. "¿De qué depende la naturaleza de las políticas fiscales de los países?" (PI: Ignacio Lago).

2004 Instituto de Estudios Económicos de Galicia Pedro Barrié de la Maza (IEEGPBM), "¿Importa la coyuntura económica? Una evaluación de la relevancia del voto económico y de la importancia de los errores de percepción de los electores" (Co-PI; PI: Santiago Lago).

2002-2004 Ministerio de Educación y Ciencia (BSO2002-12733-E). "La transición política española a través del archivo de prensa del profesor Juan J. Linz (1973-1983)" (Co-PI; PI: José Ramón Montero).

2000-2002 Xunta de Galicia. "Goberno autonómico e Goberno local: rendemento politico, relacións interadministrativas e avaliación polos cidadáns" (Co-PI; PI: Xosé Vilas).

Fellowships & Awards

2024-2027 Member of the Executive Committee of the APSA's section on Federalism & Intergovernmental Relations

2024 Research Fellowship –Salvador de Madariaga Programme, Ministerio de Educación, Cultura y Deportes (Spain).

2019 - 2024 ICREA Academia, five-year award to promote research, Institució Catalana per la Recerca i Estudis Avançats.

2019 The Social Observatory of "la Caixa" Award to disseminate quantitative research on immigration.

2018 Research Fellowship –Salvador de Madariaga Programme, Ministerio de Educación, Cultura y Deportes (Spain).

2016 Research Fellowship –Salvador de Madariaga Programme, Ministerio de Educación, Cultura y Deportes (Spain).

2013-2016 Member of the Executive Committee of the APSA's section on Representation and Electoral Systems

2014 Research Fellowship –Electoral Integrity Project, Department of Government and International Relations at the University of Sydney (Australia).

2014 Scholarship Committee Member - Institut d'Estudis Autonòmics, Generalitat de Catalunya, Barcelona (Spain).

2010 Winner of the (ex-aequo) III Josep Maria Vilaseca i Marcet Award for studies on federalism and political decentralization- - Institut d'Estudis Autonòmics (Barcelona, Spain).

Teaching Experience

Graduate: Research Design, Econometrics, Electoral Systems, Comparative Politics.
Undergraduate: Quantitative Methods, Political Behaviour.
Courses taught at: UPF (Barcelona), UV (Valencia), UAB (Barcelona), IBEI (Barcelona), UAM (Madrid), CIDE (Mexico D.F.), UNSAM (Buenos Aires), USC (Santiago de Compostela), UdeM (Montreal), ICS (Lisbon), UMSA (La Paz, Bolivia), Griffith (Brisbane), Jagiellonian University (Krakow, Poland).

Doctoral Students Advised (as Chair; Chronological Order).

2011 Pablo Simón. *Understanding the Nationalization of Party Systems in Western Europe.* Universitat Pompeu Fabra. PhD Committee: José Ramón Montero, André Blais & Eva Anduiza

2012 Sandra Bermúdez. *Going beyond individuals: Understanding the influence of political context on informational shortcuts.* Universitat Pompeu Fabra. PhD Committee: Joan Font, Eva Anduiza & Marina Costa.

2012 Marc Guinjoan. *Set on Competing: Contamination Effects and Parties' Entry Decisions in Mass Elections.* Universitat Pompeu Fabra. PhD Committee: Mariano Torcal, Peter Selb & Thomas Gschwend

2014 Kelly T. Rowe. *Turnout Election Models.* Universitat Pompeu Fabra. PhD Committee: Jefrey Karp, Agustí Bosch & Aina Gallego.

2016 Eric Guntermann. *Parties and Nationalism: Assessing the Influence of Parties on Support for Regional Nationalism in Spain.* Université de Montréal. PhD Committee: Magdalena Dembinska, Patrick Fournier & Rune Slothuus.

2020 My Lan Do Nguyen. *Understanding the Political Integration Outcomes of Enfranchised and High Socioeconomic Status Immigrants in Host Societies*. Universitat Pompeu Fabra. PhD Committee: Laura Morales, Héctor Cebolla & Sergi Pardos-Prado.

2022 Abelardo Gómez Díaz. *Contamination Effects in Mixed-Member Electoral Systems; Temporal and Spatial Variance.* Universitat Pompeu Fabra. PhD Committee: Ruth Dassoneville, Pedro Riera & Carolina Plescia.

Journal Reviewer:
Electoral Studies, European Journal of Political Research, European Journal of Political Economy, Revista Española de Ciencia Política, Centro de Investigaciones Sociológicas, Revista Internacional de Sociología, Revista de Estudios Políticos, Economics and Politics, South European Society & Politics, British Journal of Political Science, Revista de Investigaciones Sociológicas, Party Politics, Political Studies, American Political Science Review, American Journal of Political Science, European Political Science Review, Revista de Estudios Regionales, Revista de Ciencia Política, Journal of Politics, Comparative Political Studies, International Review of Administrative Sciences, Environment and Planning C: Government & Policy, Territory, Politics, Governance, Acta Politica, America Latina Hoy, Journal of Elections, Public Opinion & Parties, European Political Science Review, International Tax and Public Finance, Revista Española de Sociología, Hacienda Pública Española, Scandinavian Political Studies, Revista de Psicología Social, Local Government Studies, Swiss Political Science Review,

Election Law Journal, Social Science Quarterly, Revista de la Facultad de Ciencias Económicas de la Universidad Militar Nueva Granada, Political Analysis, Frontiers in Psychology, section Personality and Social Psychology, European Union Politics, Journal of European Public Policy, Regional Studies, Political Behavior, Oxford University Press, Japanese Journal of Political Science, Political Studies Review, American Politics Research, Bloomsbury, Journal of Sports Engineering and Technology, Representation.

Grant Reviewer:
FCT – Fundação para a Ciência e a Tecnologia (Portugal), Fonds de la Recherche Scientifique-FNRS (Belgium), The Netherlands Organisation for Scientific Research-NWO, Agencia Nacional de Evaluación y Prospectiva (ANEP. Ministerio de Ciencia e Innovación, Spain), Fonds de Recherche du Québec-Societé et culture (Canada), ERC Grants, National Science Centre (Poland), member of the Evaluation Panel of the *NORFACE (New Opportunities for Research Funding Agency Cooperation in Europe)* in the area of social and behavioural sciences, research programme 'Democratic governance in a turbulent age', May 2019 and February 2020, Austrian Science Fund (FWF).

Research Stays

Feb-May 2024	Instituto de Ciencias Sociais da Universidade de Lisboa (Portugal).
Feb-Mar 2023	School of Government and International Relations, Griffith University, Brisbane (Australia).
Feb-Mar 2020	School of Government and International Relations, Griffith University, Brisbane (Australia).
Mar-Apr 2019	School of Government and International Relations, Griffith University, Brisbane (Australia).
Feb-July 2018	Instituto de Ciencias Sociais da Universidade de Lisboa (Portugal).
May 2017	Department of Political Science, Université de Montréal (Canada).
June 2016	Universidad Mayor de San Andrés (La Paz, Bolivia).
Feb-Apr 2016	Instituto de Ciencias Sociais da Universidade de Lisboa (Portugal).
August 2015	Department of Political Science, Universidad Nacional de San Martín (Argentina).
June-July 2015	Department of Political Science, Université de Montréal (Canada).
Feb-May 2014	Visiting Research Fellowship –Electoral Integrity Project, Department of Government and International Relations at the University of Sydney (Australia).
May-June 2013	Department of Political Science, Université de Montréal (Canada).
Jan-Feb 2012	Instituto de Ciencias Sociais da Universidade de Lisboa (Portugal).
May-June 2010	Department of Political Science, Université de Montréal (Canada).
May-June 2009	Department of Political Science, Université de Montréal (Canada).
July 2008	CIDE, División de Estudios Políticos, Mexico.
May-June 2004	Department of Political Scienvce, Université de Montréal (Canada).

Professional Conference Presentations

- ECPR General Conference, 2024, 2019, 2018, 2016, 2013, 2009, 2007, 2005, 2001.
- European Conference of Politics & Gender, Amsterdam, 2019.
- Midwest Political Science Association Conference, Chicago, 2025, 2017, 2016, 2013, 2011.
- Congreso Nacional de Ciencia Política, Sociedad Argentina de Análisis Político, Mendoza, Argentina, 2015.
- International Conference of Europeanists, Council for European Studies, 2023, 2015.
- Congreso Español de Ciencia Política, 2017, 2015, 2013, 2011, 2009, 2007, 2005, 2003, 1999.
- Canadian Political Science Association Annual Meeting, 2017, 2015, 2013, 2010.

- EPSA Conference, 2023, 2022, 2021 (virtual), 2020 (virtual), 2013.
- ECPR Joint Sessions, 2013.
- Elections, Public Opinion and Parties (EPOP) Conference, 2023. 2012, 2010.
- International Political Science Association (IPSA) World Congress, 2012.
- APSA Annual Meeting, 2021 (virtual), 2010.
- III Congreso Internacional de Estudios Electorales, Salamanca, Spain, 2009.
- Annual Conference of the European Public Choice Society-ECPS, 2009, 2004.
- I ISA Forum of Sociology, Sociological Research and Public Debate, Barcelona, 2008.
- V Congreso de Metodología de Encuestas, Córdoba, Spain, 2008.
- ERSA 2004 Congress, Regions and Fiscal Federalism, Porto, Portugal.
- I Jornadas del Comité de Investigación sobre Estratificación Social (CIES) de la Federación Española de Sociología, Madrid, Spain.
- I Congreso Andaluz de Ciencia Política y de la Administración, Almería, Spain.

Invited Colloquia

May 2025	"Reexaminando el efecto de la magnitud de distirot sobre el número de partidos", Seminar in the Department of Political Science, Universidad de Granada.
January 2025	"Las dos dimensiones de la magnitud de distrito en los sistemas electorales del mundo", Seminar in the Department of Applied Economics, Universidad de Valencia.
April 2024	"The Two Dimensions of District Magnitude in the World's Electoral Systems", Seminar in the Instituto de Ciencias Sociais da Universidade de Lisboa, Lisbon.
June 2023	"The 'odd-even effect': The link between the number of parties and district magnitude", PolMeth Europe 2023 workshop, King's College London (UK).
Apr 2023	"Floods, terrorist attacks and the COVID-19 pandemic: How the (de)centralization of power affects the rally around the flag", Workshop on the "Territorial Politics in Europe: The Covid-19 Pandemic as 'Critical Juncture'?", Birmingham (UK).
Mar 2023	"Ciencia Política en tiempos de cambio", Universidad de Santiago de Compostela.
Sept 2022	"Culture Scores Goals: Work Group Diversity in Football." HEC Montréal, Business School.
Sept 2022	Keynote, Lisbon Meeting on Economics and Political Science, Lisbon.
May 2022	"Waiting or Acting? The Gender Gap in International Football Success", Universidad de Valencia.
Oct 2021	"The Strategic Determinants of Legislative Malapportionment", Workshop on the Partisan Effects of Electoral Systems, Universidad Carlos III de Madrid.
May 2021	"Making Mobilization Work: The Adoption of Proportional Representation", Seminar in the Instituto de Ciencias Sociais da Universidade de Lisboa, Lisbon.
Feb 2021	"How to survive in the academic world. Open dialogue with three brilliant and young scholars", Institut de Ciències Polítiques i Socials, Barcelona.
May 2019	"How to survive in the academic world. Open dialogue with three brilliant and young scholars", Institut de Ciències Polítiques i Socials, Barcelona.
Feb 2018	"New Developments in the Study of Representation and Electoral Systems", The Hebrew University of Jerusalem.
Feb 2018	"Electoral Coordination and Party Systems Nationalization", Seminar in the Instituto de Ciencias Sociais da Universidade de Lisboa, Lisbon.
Oct 2017	"Decentralization and Electoral Swings", Workshop "Decentralization after the Great recession: Fine-tuning or Paradigm Change?", Santiago de Compostela.
Feb 2016	"An Economic Explanation of the Nationalization of Electoral Politics". Seminar in the Instituto de Ciencias Sociais da Universidade de Lisboa, Lisbon.
Feb 2016	"The 2015 election in Spain", Round Table in the Instituto de Ciencias Sociais da Universidade de Lisboa, Lisbon.

Jan 2016 "Democracy and Football", Seminar in the Instituto de Ciencias Sociais da Universidade de Lisboa, Lisbon.

Sep 2015 "An economic explanation of the nationalization of electoral politics", Research workshop at the University of Zurich on "The Nationalization of Electoral Politics: Frontiers of Research", Zurich.

Jun 2015 "An Economic Explanation of the Nationalization of Electoral Politics", Seminar in the Department of Political Science, Université de Montreal, Montreal.

Mar 2014 "Regulating Disinformation: Poll Embargo and Electoral Coordination", Seminar in the School of Politics & International Relations, Australian National University, Canberra.

Apr 2014 "Why Democracy Prevails: Good Losers and Democratic Consolidation", EIP Research Seminar, Department of Government & International Relations, University of Sydney, Sydney.

May 2013 "Turnout and Fractionalization", Seminar in the Department of Political Science, Université de Montreal.

May 2012 "Turnout Partisan Bias and District Magnitude", in the workshop "The Effects of District Magnitude", Instituto de Ciencias Sociais da Universidade de Lisboa, Lisbon.

May 2012 "Opening the black box: the partisan consequences of turnout in Portugal and Spain", Universitat de Girona, Girona.

Feb 2012 "Opening the black box: the partisan consequences of turnout in Portugal and Spain", Seminar in the Instituto de Ciencias Sociais da Universidade de Lisboa, Lisbon.

Mar 2011 "Why (not) national party systems?", Seminar at the Universidad Autònoma de Barcelona, Barcelona.

Jan 2011 "Why (not) national party systems?" Institut d'Economia de Barcelona, Universidad de Barcelona, Barcelona.

Nov 2010 "Three Decades of Elections in Spain: the causal chain of voting behaviour" in "Comportamento Electoral e attitudes políticas em Portugal: 2002-2009". Instituto de Ciencias Sociais da Universidade de Lisboa. Lisbon.

Nov 2009 "Decentralization and the Nationalization of Party Systems", Workshop The Political and Economic Consequences of Decentralization", Santiago de Compostela.

Nov 2009 Round Table "From methodological ´wars´ to methodological pluralism?" with Donatella Della Porta and Rainer Bauböck in the Departamento de Ciencias Políticas y Sociales de la UPF, Barcelona.

Nov 2008 "El proceso de institucionalización de los sistemas de partidos de las nuevas democracias: el efecto de la campaña electoral en el anclaje ideológico en España, Uruguay y Chile" in Seminario Internacional "Institucionalización de los sistemas de partidos en América Latina", CIDOB, Barcelona.

Nov 2008 "Distorted Mirrors: Strategic Voting and Contamination Effects", Fórum de Recerca del Departamento de Ciencia Política y Sociología de la Universitat Pompeu Fabra, Barcelona.

Jun 2008 "Rational Expectations or Heuristics? Strategic Voting in Proportional Representation Systems", Seminar, Departamento de Economía Aplicada IV de la Universidad Complutense de Madrid, Madrid.

Mar 2008 "Análisis de los resultados de las elecciones del 9 de marzo", Fórum de Recerca del Departamento de Ciencia Política y Sociología de la Universitat Pompeu Fabra, Barcelona.

Dec 2007 "Participación y abstención", in I Jornadas sobre Análisis de Campaña Electoral, ADE/UAM, Madrid.

Jul 2007	"Descentralización y oferta de los sistemas de partidos" in "Los debates sobre el Estado Autonómico. La descentralización en España desde diferentes perspectivas", Cursos de Verano de la Universidad Internacional Menéndez Pelayo (UIMP), A Coruña.
Jun 2007	"Why new parties?" in V Seminario de Investigación del Programa de Doctorado de la Universidad Autónoma de Madrid. Madrid.
May 2007	"The selection of an electoral systems: less consensus, more heresthetics", in "New Perspectives on the Spanish Transition to Democracy". Kings College London. London.
Mar 2007	"Coordination between electoral arenas in multi-level systems", in "The Multi-level Electoral System of the EU", CONNEX-Conference. Cadenabbia (Milano).
Mar 2007	"Information shortcuts and vote in three Spanish referendums" in "Os contextos do voto em Portugal: perspectivas sobre as eleicoes legislativas e presidenciais", Instituto de Ciencias Sociais da Universidade de Lisboa. Lisbon.
Apr 2006	"The importance of electoral rules: comparing the number of parties in Spain's Lower and Upper Houses", IV Seminario de Investigación del Programa de Doctorado de la Universidad Autónoma de Madrid, Madrid.
Jun 2005	"Del 11-M al 14-M los mecanismos del cambio electoral", Seminar, Universitat Oberta de Barcelona, Barcelona.
Apr 2005	"Las consecuencias políticas de los atajos informativos en los referéndums sobre la Constitución Europea, la OTAN y la Constitución Española", in XVI Seminario Permanente de Administración y Economía Pública, "La calidad de la democracia en España", Instituto Universitario "Ortega y Gasset", Madrid.
Feb 2005	"Del 11-M al 14-M: los mecanismos del cambio electoral", Fórum de Recerca del Departamento de Ciencia Política y Sociología de la Universitat Pompeu Fabra, Barcelona.
Nov 2004	"Del 11-M al 14-M: los mecanismos del cambio electoral", in XIII Congreso de Estudios Políticos y Sociológicos de AEDEMO. Madrid.
Oct 2004	"El evanescente abstencionista gallego", Fórum de Recerca del Departamento de Ciencia Política y Sociología de la Universitat Pompeu Fabra, Barcelona.
Dec 2003	"Reexamining the Electoral Campaign Effects: A Methodological Discussion with Empirical Consequences", in VIII Convegno Internazzionale "Le Campagne Elettorali", Venice.
Feb 2001	"Las relaciones entre la economía y la ciencia política", Departamento de Economía Aplicada de la Universidad de Vigo, Vigo.
Nov 1997	"Los estudios electorales en Galicia", Seminar, IDEGA, Universidad de Santiago de Compostela, Santiago de Compostela.

Knowledge Transfer

Appearances: Parliamentary Commissions of Andalucía, Catalonia, Galicia, La Rioja, and Madrid for the reform of the regional electoral law, Inclusive Society Institute (South Africa).

Media appearances: The Huffington Post, New York Times, Fortune. Financial Times, Publico (Portugal), TVE, TV3, TVG, Cadena Ser, Onda Cero, RNE, El País, La Vanguardia, El Mundo, La Voz de Galicia.

Languages

English, Spanish, Portuguese, Galician, and Catalan.