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Nationality: Portuguese **Visa Status:** European Union Citizen

Education:

- 07/2010-09/2007 **Universidad Carlos III de Madrid**
Madrid, Spain PhD. in Economics (grade **Cum Laude**)
 - Dissertation title: "Game Theory and Strategic Behaviour in Frequent Relations"
- 08/2007-09/2005 **Universidad Carlos III de Madrid**
Madrid, Spain MA. in Economic Analysis (grade **8/10**)
- 09/2002-10/2001 **University of Warwick**
Warwick, England MSc. in Financial Mathematics (grade **distinction**)
 - Dissertation title: "Default and Default-free Interest-rate Modelling: A New Approach"
- 03/2001-09/1996 **Universidade Católica Portuguesa**
Porto, Portugal Licenciatura em Economia (grade **15/20**)
- 07/1995-09/1992 **Professional School of Cortegaça**
Cortegaça, Portugal Degree in Commercial Services and Foreign Trade (grade **14/20**)
 - Dissertation title: "Real Estate Development"

Work Experience:

- Present-09/2010 **Universitat Rovira i Virgili – Department of Economics**
Barcelona, Spain *Assistant Professor of Economics*
 - Microeconomics (2012), Macroeconomics (2011 & 2012)
 - Research, administrative and bureaucratic duties
- 07/2010-09/2006 **Universidad Carlos III de Madrid – Department of Economics**
Madrid, Spain *Assistant Lecturer*
 - Game Theory* (2009 & 2010), *Game Theory and Decision Theory* (2008), *Microeconometrics* (2008), *Economics of Information and Uncertainty* (2008 & 2009), *Public Economics II* (2007), *International Economics* (2007), and *Introduction to Economics* (2006).
- 07/2004-02/2004 **Instituto Politécnico Bragança – Escola Superior Tecnologia e Gestão**
Bragança, Portugal *Lecturer (Invited Assistant)*
 - Corporate Management* (2004) and *Financial Management* (2004).
 - Coordination and surveillance of trainee students throughout their final projects.
- 12/2003-10/2002 **Humana People to People (Non-Governmental Organization)**
Denmark & Botswana *Development Instructor*
 - A multi-million project aiming to eliminate the HIV/AIDS from Botswana, employing around 800 people all over the country, financed in partnership by the US and Botswana Governments. Activities: Participation in the project implementation and management, equipment control, suppliers relationships, other operational responsibilities, development and participation in fundraising projects, management and training duties, control and leadership activities.
- 09/1998-07/1995 **Novo Podium Lda. (Real Estate Consultancy)**
S.J. da Madeira, Portugal *Entrepreneur/Own Company/Real Estate Consultant*
 - Company created in partnership with a friend. Activities: real estate consultancy and sales, design and planning of financial solutions for clients, planning and development of promotional campaigns for real estate developers, dealing with banks, insurance companies and suppliers, contracts, real estate valuations, human resources training and selection, plus all the day-to-day activities and duties to keep the company working effectively.
- 06/1995-09/1994 **Réplica Lda. (Real Estate Consultancy)**
Porto, Portugal *Trainee*
 - In the 90's, Réplica Lda., was probably the largest real estate companies operating in Portugal with dozens of offices all over the country. Activities: most of the time was spent learning and gaining experience in real estate issues like; sales techniques, bureaucracies, valuation of properties, design and planning of financial solutions to clients, contracts, etc.

Scientific Publications

- Book Review: "A Behavioral Theory of Elections. By Jonathan Bendor, Daniel Diermeier, David A. Siegel, and Michael M. Ting. Princeton and Oxford: Princeton University Press, 2011. ISBN 978 0 691 13506 9 264pp." *Journal of Behavioral Decision Making*, Volume 25, Issue 2, pages 213–214, DOI: 10.1002/bdm.765, April 2012.
- "A Folk Theorem for Games when Frequent Monitoring Decreases Noise," *The B.E. Journal of Theoretical Economics*. Volume 12, Issue 1, ISSN (Online) 1935-1704, DOI: 10.1515/1935-1704.1782, April 2012

- "Discrimination in Bankruptcy Problems," 2012, with José M. Giménez-Gómez, under revision, *Journal of Economic Theory*.
- "The Limits of Discrete Time Repeated Games: Some Notes and Comments," 2012, under revision, *Journal of Economic Dynamics and Control*.
- "The Lottery Blotto Game," 2012, under revision, *Economic Letters*.
- "Signalling in Dynamic Contexts," 2011, work in progress.
- "Valence Attributes in Political Competition," 2011, work in progress.
- "Asymmetric Valuation Blotto Game," 2012, work in progress.
- "Strategic Bribery," 2012, work in progress.
- "Strategic Mood," 2012, work in progress.
- "From Democracy to Dictatorship," 2012, work in progress.

Presentations and Talks (International Conferences):

- EARIE 2011 – Eur. Ass. Research in Industrial Economics, Stockholm School of Economics, September 2011.
- XXII Stony Brook Game Theory Festival, New York, NY, July 2011.
- North American Meeting of the Econometric Society, University of Washington in Saint Louis, June 2011.
- XI SAET Meeting – Society for the Advancement of Economic Theory, Faro, Portugal, June 2011.
- XXXV Spanish Economic Association Meeting, Madrid, Spain, December 2010.
- Workshop on "Stochastic Methods in Game Theory, Erice, Italy, September 2010.
- II Brazilian Workshop in Game Theory, Sao Paulo, Brazil, August 2010.
- European Science Days - Signaling Theory, Steyr, Austria, July 2010.
- XXI Jerusalem School in Economic Theory, Jerusalem, Israel, July 2010.
- XV Spring Meeting of Young Economists, Luxembourg, May 2010.
- Royal Economic Society Conference, Surrey, England, April 2010.
- Seminar, Universitat Rovira i Virgili - Tarragona, Spain, February 2010.
- Seminar, High School of Economics - Moscow, Russia, February 2010.
- Seminar, University of Groningen, Nederland's, February 2010.
- Seminar, University of Bonn, Germany, January 2010.
- Royal Economic Society PhD Meeting, City University of London, England, January 2010.
- XXXIV Spanish Economic Association Meeting, Valencia, Spain, December 2009
- UECE Lisbon Meetings 2009: Game Theory and Applications, Portugal, November 2009.
- Seminar, Universidad Carlos III Madrid, Spain, October 2009.
- XX Stony Brook Game Theory Festival, New York, NY, July 2009.
- North American Summer Meeting of the Econometric Society, University of Boston, MA, June 2009.
- XI Summer School on Economics and Philosophy, San Sebastián, Spain, June 2009.
- ECORE Summer School, Brussels, Belgium, May 2009.
- Royal Economic Society Conference, Surrey, England, April 2009.
- Seminar, Universidad Carlos III Madrid, Spain, November 2008.
- Workshop in Game Theory, University Konstanz, Germany, October 2008.
- XIII Meeting of The International Society of Dynamic Games, Wroclaw, Poland, July 2008.

Information Technologies:

Operating Systems: Windows, Mac OS and Unix/Linux
 Packages: Proficient in the Microsoft Office Package, SPSS, Eviews, Matlab, Mathematica and SAP.
 Some knowledge in JAVA, C++, VB/VBA, LaTeX and HTML

Languages:

Fluent written and spoken: Portuguese (Native), English and Spanish.
 Basic: French and Catalan

Other Experiences:

10/2010 Referee for the "Journal of Public Economic Theory"
 01/2009 Member of the Econometric Society
 01/2009 Member of the Game Theory Society
 01/2004 Portuguese Economic Society member n.10832
 08/2003 GRE (780/800 Quantitative Section)

09/2004 2004 Stochastic Finance Conference (2 weeks, Lisbon)
 04/2000 e-Business, 24 hours, CESAE
 04/2000 MS Frontpage and HTML, 15 hours, CESAE
 07/1996 Corporate Taxing, 100 hours, AIP.
 05/1996 Strategic Decision Taking, 42 hours, AIDA
 04/1996 Real Estate Valuation, 10 hours, APEMI
 03/1996 Accounting, 100 hours, AIP

11/1995 Insurance Broker Certificate, ISP

09/2009 PHD Grant/Scholarship Universidad Carlos III de Madrid

10/2004 PHD Grant/Scholarship Portuguese Ministry of Education (FCT)

09/2000 Merit Certificate from the Portuguese Catholic University for academic achievements and also for other extra activities.

10/2000 – 02/2001 Socrates/Erasmus Student in the Department of Economics at Warwick University, England.

Participation in R&D Competitive Projects:

- ECO2011-24200 – “Teoria económica dinamica: métodos y modelos en macroeconomía, finanzas y juegos repetidos”
Principal Researcher: Prof. Juan Pablo Rincón Zapatero
Team: 4 people, Financing: Ministerio de Ciencia e Innovación (Spain)
Begin/Duration: 2012, 3 years, Funds: 30.000
- 2011LINE-01 – “Incentivos en las democracias modernas”
Principal Researcher: Galina Zudenkova
Team: 2 people, Financing: Banco de Santander
Begin/Duration: 2011, 2 years, Funds: 6.000
- ECO2008-02358 – “Caracterización directa de políticas óptimas en modelos dinámicos de la economía (Direct characterization of optimal policies in dynamic economic models)”
Principal Researcher: Juan Pablo Rincón Zapatero
Team: 5 people, Financing: Ministerio de Ciencia e Innovación (Spain)
Begin/Duration: 2009, 3 years, Funds: 58.080

Activities and Interests:

Sports: Squash, swimming and football.
Interests: Cinema, music, travelling, cycling and reading.