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Academic appointments

Professor, Center for Economic Research, ITAM, 2005-present

Associate Professor, Center for Economic Research, ITAM, 1998-2005

Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, Universidad Carlos III de Madrid, 1993-1998

Education

Ph.D. Economics, 1993, University of California, Los Angeles

M.A. Economics, 1991, University of California, Los Angeles

B.A. Social Sciences (Economics), 1987, Catholic University of Peru

Significant honors and professional service

Fellow of the Econometric Society, 2009-

Member of the Council of the Econometric Society, 2009 (3 year appointment)

Director, Center for Economic Research, ITAM, 2007-2008

Director, PhD Program and Master in Economic Theory, ITAM, 2001-2006

Member of the Standing Committee of the Latin American Chapter of the Econometric Society, 2006, 2000 (5 year appointments)

Editorial committees

Associate Editor, *Social Choice and Welfare*, 2008 (3 year appointment)

Associate Editor, *BE Journal of Theoretical Economics*, 2006-present

Editorial Board, *Gaceta de Economía*, ITAM, 2008-present

Advisory Board, *Economía*, PUCP, 2009-present

Visiting positions

Visitor, Center for Mathematical Studies in Economics & Management Science, Northwestern University, May 2009

Mexico Public Policy Scholar, Woodrow Wilson Center, Washington D.C., Summer 2006

Visiting Professor, Department of Economics and Department of Sciences (Mathematics), Catholic University of Peru, Spring 2005

Visiting Scholar, Department of Economics, University of Pennsylvania, 2004-2005

Visiting Assistant Professor, Wallis Institute of Political Economy, University of Rochester, 1997-1998

Published and forthcoming articles

“A Spatial Theory of Media Slant and Voter Choice ” (2010) with John Duggan, *Review of Economic Studies*, forthcoming

“Bargaining over Public Goods” (2009) with Julio Dávila and Jan Eeckhout, *Journal of Public Economic Theory*, 11: 927-945

“Deception and Misreporting in a Social Program” (2009) with Susan W. Parker, *Journal of the European Economic Association*, 7: 886-908

“Do School Subsidies Promote Human Capital Accumulation among the Poor?” (2008) with Susan W. Parker, *Scandinavian Journal of Economics*, 110: 261–276

“Policy Platforms, Campaign Spending and Voter Participation” (2008) with Helios Herrera and David K. Levine, *Journal of Public Economics*, 92: 501-513

“When Are Stabilizations Delayed? Alesina-Drazen Revisited” (2007) with Raul Escorza, *European Economic Review*, 51: 1223-1245

“Rational Ignorance and Voting Behavior” (2007), *International Journal of Game Theory*, 35: 315- 335

“Group Formation and Voter Participation” (2006) with Helios Herrera, *Theoretical Economics*, 1: 461-487

“Would Rational Voters Acquire Costly Information?” (2006), *Journal of Economic Theory*, 129: 225-251

“Economic Analysis of Voting Behavior” [in Spanish] (2006), *El Trimestre Económico*, 73: 211-237

“Anonymity in Large Societies” (2005) with Andrei Gomberg and Ricard Torres, *Social Choice and Welfare*, 25: 187-205

“Should Transfers to Poor Families be Conditional on School Attendance? A Household Bargaining Perspective” (2003) with Susan W. Parker, *International Economic Review*, 44: 523-544

- “Simple Plurality versus Plurality Runoff with Privately Informed Voters” (2002), *Social Choice and Welfare*, 19: 901-920
- “Convergence Results for Unanimous Voting” (2002), *Journal of Economic Theory*, 105: 278-297
- “Policy Reversals: Electoral Competition with Privately Informed Parties” (2002) with Akihiko Matsui, *Journal of Public Economic Theory*, 4: 39-61
- “A Bayesian Model of Voting in Juries” (2001) with John Duggan, *Games and Economic Behavior*, 37: 259-294
- “Elections with Privately Informed Parties and Voters” (2001), *Public Choice*, 108: 147-167
- “Economic Reforms and Political Constraints: The Temporal Inconsistency of Gradualism” (2001) with Mariano Tommasi [in Spanish], *Gaceta de Economía (ITAM)*, 13: 39-55
- “Reputation with Noisy Precommitment” (1998) with David K. Levine, *Journal of Economic Theory*, 78: 55-75
- “Information Revelation and Aggregation in Elections” [in Spanish] (1998), *Economía* (Pontificia Universidad Católica del Perú), 21
- “Small Firms, Borrowing Constraints, and Reputation” (1997), *Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization*, 33: 91-105
- “Sequencing of Economic Reforms in the Presence of Political Constraints” (1997) with Mariano Tommasi, *Economics & Politics*, 9: 115-131
- “Regulation of Access Pricing” [in Spanish] (1995) with Íñigo Herguera, *Revista de Economía - Información Comercial Española*, n. 747: 73-86

Books and book contributions

- “Conditional Subsidies for the Poor: A Welfare Perspective” [in Spanish] in *Economic Development and Welfare. Homage Volume for Máximo Vega-Centeno*, Efraín Gonzales de Olarte and Javier Iguíñiz, editors, Lima: Catholic University of Peru, 2009
- The Nationalization of the Mexican Banks: An Essay in Political Economy* [in Spanish], Gustavo Del Angel and César Martinelli, Mexico City: CEEY, 2009
- “Do Voters Know What They Want?” [in Spanish] in *Dynamic Economics, Applied Economics and Game Theory. Essays in Honor of Ramón García-Cobián*, César Martinelli and Loretta Gasco, editors, Lima: Catholic University of Peru, 2007
- “Sequencing of Economic Reforms in the Presence of Political Constraints” with Mariano Tommasi (previously published in *Economics & Politics*), in *The Political Economy of Economic Reforms*, Mariano Tommasi and Federico Sturzenegger, editors, Cambridge, Mass.: MIT Press, 1998

“Fiscal Decentralization in Peru” [in Spanish] in *Structural Adjustment in Peru: Economic Model, Employment and Decentralization*, Efraín Gonzales de Olarte, editor, Lima: Instituto de Estudios Peruanos, 1997

Research grants and awards

Victor Urquidi Prize, second place, awarded to “Information and Participation in a Social Program” (joint work with David Coady and Susan W. Parker), 2008

Manuel Espinosa Yglesias Prize, first place, awarded to “The 1982 Nationalization of the Mexican Banks: An Essay in Political Economy” (joint work with Gustavo Del Angel), 2007

Banamex Prize for economic research, second place, awarded to “Self-Selection in the Social Program Oportunidades” (joint work with Susan Parker), 2006

Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars-COMEXI Fellowship, 2006

Mexico’s National Research System, level II: 2005-present; level I: 2001-2004

W. Allen Wallis Institute of Political Economy, University of Rochester, Post-doctoral Fellowship, 1997-1998

Research Grant from the Project “Institutional Reform and the Informal Sector,” University of Maryland, 1993

Joint Japan-World Bank Graduate Fellowship, 1992-1993

Tuition Remission Fellowship, UCLA, 1989-1991

Fulbright Fellowship, 1989-1993

Conference organization and program committees

Co-Chairman of the Program Committee, Latin American Meeting of the Econometric Society, Mexico City, 2006

Program Committee Member, International Meeting of the Society for Social Choice and Welfare: Montreal, 2008, Pasadena, 2002 and Alicante, 2000

Program Committee Member, Latin American Meeting of the Econometric Society: Buenos Aires, 2009, Rio de Janeiro, 2008, Bogota, 2007, Mexico City, 2006, Cancun, 1999 and Lima, 1998

Program Committee Member, Meeting of the Latin American and Caribbean Economic Association (LACEA) Political Economy Group, Cartagena, Colombia, 2001

Organizing Committee Member, WUSL - Carnegie-Mellon - ITAM Joint Seminar on Political Economy, Cancun, 2005

Organizing Committee Member, Conference on New Trends in Cooperative Game Theory, Guanajuato, 2005

Organizing Committee Member, International Conference on Learning in Games, Madrid, 1995

Grant reviews

CONACyT (Mexico), Israel Science Foundation, National Science Foundation (USA), Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada

Journal refereeing

American Economic Review, American Political Science Review, B.E. Journal in Theoretical Economics, Econometrica, Economics & Politics, Economics Bulletin, Economics of Governance, Economic Theory, Games and Economic Behavior, International Economic Review, International Journal of Game Theory, Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization, Journal of Economic Theory, Journal of International Economics, Journal of Political Economy, Journal of Public Economics, Journal of Public Economic Theory, Journal of Theoretical Politics, Quantitative Economics, Quarterly Journal of Political Science, Rand Journal of Economics, Review of Economic Studies, Scandinavian Journal of Economics, Theoretical Economics, El Trimestre Económico, Estudios de Economía (Universidad de Chile), Estudios Económicos (Colegio de México), Política y Gobierno (CIDE)

Invited seminars (since 2001)

2010: Center for Economic Research and Teaching (CIDE); scheduled: UASLP

2009: University of Vigo; Mexico's Secretariat of Social Development; Inter-American Development Bank

2008: University of Essex; Free University of Brussels; Emory; Georgia Tech

2007: Mexico's Central Bank; Colegio de México

2006: Arizona State University; Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars; Center for Economic Research and Teaching (CIDE)

2005: Georgetown University; Rutgers; University of Rochester; Princeton University; Southern Methodist University; University of Pennsylvania; Peru's Central Bank; Mexico's Central Bank

2004: Harvard-MIT Positive Political Economy Seminar; Penn State University; University of Pennsylvania; Catholic University of Peru

2003: Rice University; California Institute of Technology; University of Oklahoma

2002: Southern Methodist University; University of Guanajuato

2001: GRADE (Lima); Poverty and Inequality Network - Colegio de México; University of California, Los Angeles; California Institute of Technology

Conference presentations (since 2001)

[Plenary and other major talks underlined]

2010: Princeton Conference on Political Economy (as discussant); scheduled: Brazilian Workshop of the Game Theory Society (Sao Paulo); World Congress of the Econometric Society (Shanghai)

2009: Hacienda Pública Española/Revista de Economía Pública Lecture inaugural plenary lecture at 16th Symposium on Public Economics (Granada, Spain)

2008: Plenary lecture at the Mexican Colloquium in Mathematical Economics and Econometrics (UNAM); International Meeting of the Society for Social Choice and Welfare (Montreal); World Meeting of the Game Theory Society (Northwestern University); IASE-NBER Conference (Universidad de los Andes, Chile); Latin American Meeting of the Econometric Society (LACEA-LAMES Rio de Janeiro); Conference on Theory of Economic Development (Colegio de Mexico)

2007: Association for Public Economic Theory Meeting (Vanderbilt); International Conference on Game Theory (Stony Brook); Mexican Mathematical Society annual conference (UANL, Monterrey); Mexican Economic History Association conference (Cuernavaca)

2006: Latin American Meeting of the Econometric Society (LACEA-LAMES Mexico DF); Summer Meeting of the of the North American Econometric Society (Minneapolis); International Conference on Game Theory (Stony Brook)

2005: Winter Meeting of the North American Econometric Society (Philadelphia); Conference on New Trends in Cooperative Game Theory (Guanajuato)

2004: Mario Henrique Simonsen Lecture at the Latin American Meeting of the Econometric Society (Santiago de Chile); Political Economy Workshop of the Game Theory Society (Stony Brook, NY); Miniconference on Formal and Empirical Models of Voting (Washington University – St Louis)

2003: Wallis Institute Political Economy Conference (Rochester, NY); Summer Meeting of the North American Econometric Society (Evanston, Ill.); Winter Meeting of the North American Econometric Society (Washington DC)

2002: Brazilian Workshop of the Game Theory Society (Sao Paulo); International Meeting of the Society for Social Choice and Welfare (Pasadena)

2001: Meeting of the Society for Economic Dynamics (Stockholm); Public Choice Meeting (San Antonio); American Economic Association Meetings (New Orleans)

Doctoral dissertations chaired

Esteban Colla, *Contributions to the economic analysis of monetary committies*, 2009, ITAM