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## Qualifications

- Ph.D. in Economics, Texas A&M University, U.S.A., August 2007.

## Relevant employment history

- Lecturer, University of Queensland, Australia, July 2011-present.
- Assistant Professor, University of Alicante, Spain, October 2007-June 2011.
- Juan de la Cierva Research Fellow, University of Alicante, Spain, January 2010 - June 2011.
- Visiting Scholar, Texas A&M University, Jose Castillejo Research Fellowship, January-August, 2009.
- Visiting Scholar, Texas A&M University, May-August, 2008.

## Fields of interest

Microeconomic Theory, Game Theory, Behavioural Economics, Learning Theory, Experimental Economics.

## Relevant peer-reviewed research publications over the last five years

- “Convergence in Models with Bounded Expected Relative Hazard Rates,” with Johannes Ruf *Journal of Economic Theory*, (forthcoming).
- “A Note on Absolutely Expedient Learning Rules” *Journal of Economic Theory* 153, 213-223 (2014).
- “Learning and Risk Aversion,” with Rajiv Sarin, *Journal of Economic Theory* 148, 1, 196-225 (2013).
- “Persuasive communication when the sender’s incentives are uncertain,” with Paan Jindapon, *Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization* 95, 111-125. (2013).
- “Mean and Variance Responsive Learning,” with Rajiv Sarin, *Games and Economic Behavior* 75, 2, 855–866 (2012).
- “Monotone Imitation,” with Johannes Ruf, *Economic Theory* 41, 3, 411-441 (2009).

## Working papers

- “Response functions,” with Adam Sanjurjo and Hien Nguyen (2014).
- “Imitation in Heterogeneous Populations,” with Jonas Hedlund (2014).

## Competitive grant funding

- **Juan de la Cierva Fellowship.** January 2010 - June 2011. This fellowship is a selective, national-level, competitive program awarded to junior faculty to develop three-year research projects and is the analogue to DECRA in Spain. **Granting Agency:** Ministry of Science and Technology, Spain. **Amount:** 100.980,00 euros. **Chief and only Investigator:** Carlos Oyarzun.

- **Jose Castillejo fellowship.** January-August, 2009. This fellowship is a national-level competitive programme that provides full sponsorship to junior faculty to collaborate as visiting scholars in research projects involving coauthorship with faculty from internationally recognized academic institutions. **Granting Agency:** Ministry of Science and Technology, Spain. **Amount:** 16.256,67 euros. **Chief and only Investigator:** Carlos Oyarzun.

#### Awards and prizes

1. *Joan Shin Research Award*, Department of Economics, Texas A&M University, 2006–2007. Award for one fourth year Ph.D. student to recognize outstanding achievement in research.
2. *Charles Maurice Research Award*, Department of Economics, Texas A&M University, Summer 2006. Award for the best fourth year student to recognize excellence in academic performance and research.
3. *Bradley Fellowship*, Private Enterprise Research Center (PERC), Texas A&M University, Fall 2005–Spring 2006. Bradley Fellows Program support for two outstanding 4th year Ph.D. students.
4. *Summer Research Fellowship*, Private Enterprise Research Center (PERC), Texas A&M University, Summer 2004. PERC awards two or three fellowships to support outstanding 2nd year Ph.D. students to do research in the summer.

#### Refereeing experience

B.E. Journal of Theoretical Economics, *Economia y Administracion*, *Economic Inquiry*, *Economic Theory*, *Games and Economic Behavior*, *Journal of Applied Economics*, *Journal of Economic Theory*, *Journal of Mathematical Economics*, *Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization*, *Latin American Journal of Economics*, *Mathematical Social Sciences*.

#### Academic services

Reviewer for FONDECYT, the National Funding Program of Scientific and Technological Development of CONICYT (National Committee of Scientific and Technological Research), Chile.

#### Selected presentations

University of Technology, Sydney, 2014 • University of New South Wales, 2014 • Universidad Catolica de Chile, 2013 • Universidad de Concepcion, Chile, 2013 • Australasian Economic Theory Workshop, University of New South Wales, February 2012 • The University of Auckland, March 2012 (invited seminar) • SAET Conference, University of Queensland, July 2012 • Australian National University, February 2011 (invited seminar) • Monash University, February 2011 (invited seminar) • The University of Queensland, February 2011 (invited seminar) • Association of Southern European Economic Theorists (ASSET) Meeting, Fall 2007 and 2010 • Theory Workshop at Universidad de Alicante, Fall 2007 • Spring 2006 Midwest Economic Theory Conference • Theory and Experimental Economics Workshop at Texas A&M University, Spring 2006 • 2005 South Western Economic Association Meeting, New Orleans • Annual Chilean Meeting of Economics 2000 and 2001.