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Professional Experience

Economist September 2024 – Present
Funcas, Funcas Europe

Economist (Graduate Program) March 2022 – April 2024
Bank of Spain, Directorate General Economics and Statistics, Madrid, Spain

- Conducted macroeconomic analysis and authored reports on Spain's economic developments for senior executives.
- Carried out policy evaluations and applied research projects in the areas of climate change, economic forecasting, and investment trends.
- Provided quarterly GDP nowcasts to senior management and contributed to the Eurosystem's forecasting initiatives.

Candidate, High Corps of Spanish State Economists and Trade Experts May 2020 – June 2024
Ministry of Economic Affairs, Madrid, Spain

- Prepared for a senior economist role within the Spanish government by engaging in advanced economic policy analysis.

Research Assistant March 2017 – July 2017
University of Alicante, Alicante, Spain

- Conducted literature reviews, econometric data analysis, and economic modeling for academic research projects.
- Supported the drafting and presentation of research findings in economics.

Publications & Research

“Revision of a Model of Nowcasting” — Occasional Document, Bank of Spain. February 2024.
Developed a GDP nowcasting model that adapts to the COVID-19 pandemic's impact, using stochastic volatility.

“The Evolution of Business Investment During the COVID-19 Pandemic” — Economic Bulletin, Bank of Spain. April 2024.

Analysed business investment trends using micro-data, with a focus on financial and economic drivers.

Education

Master's Degree in Quantitative Economics September 2017 – July 2019
University of Alicante, Alicante, Spain

- Specialised in advanced econometric methods, macroeconomic theory, and microeconomic analysis.

Degree in Economics (Exchange Program)

September 2016 – July 2017

Carlos III University, Madrid, Spain

- Focused on econometrics, policy evaluation, and microeconomic theory.

Degree in Economics

September 2013 – July 2017

University of Alicante, Alicante, Spain

- Concentrated on macroeconomics, econometrics, and quantitative analysis.

Specialised Training

Local Projection Methods for Time Series and Panel Data

September 2023

CEMFI Summer School 2023, Madrid, Spain

- Acquired advanced econometric techniques applicable to policy research.

- **Instructor:** Òscar Jordà

New Developments in the Econometrics of Heterogeneous Workers and Firms

August 2022

CEMFI Summer School 2022, Madrid, Spain

- Gained insights into econometric modeling of labor markets and firm-level data.

- **Instructor:** Elena Manresa

Languages

Spanish	Native	Portuguese	Fluent
English	Fluent	Catalan	Fluent

Technical Skills

Programming Languages: Stata, Matlab, R, Python, \LaTeX

Software: Microsoft Office, FAME