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EDUCATION

BARCELONA SCHOOL OF ECONOMICS (BSE)

Barcelona

Master Program in Economics of Public Policy

Sep '21 – Jul '22

- Average grade: 8.72/10

Received a 100% tuition grant by the BSE

- Final year project: “*The effects of an early education scholarship program on household members: Evidence from Uruguay*”. Advisors: Ada Ferrer i Carbonell, Joan Llull

UNIVERSITAT POMPEU FABRA

Barcelona

Economics degree

Sep '15 – Jun '21

- Average grade: 8.67/10

Honours in Public Economics; Macroeconomics I; Information Economics; Microeconomics I; Introduction to Microeconomics; Mathematics III

- Final year project: “*Effectiveness of preventive measures against the transmission of COVID-19 in Western Europe. Have the “Mediterranean culture” and/or the health model of each country influenced the results?*” Advisor: Guillem López Casasnovas

- Erasmus+ in Rotterdam, Netherlands. **ERASMUS UNIVERSITY OF ROTTERDAM (EUR)** Sep '18 – Dec '18
- Minor in “*The Moral limits of Markets*”

Business administration degree

Sep '15 – Jun '21

- Average grade: 8.72/10

Honours in Industrial Organization; Financial Management I; Cost Accounting I

- Final year project: “*Effects of COVID-19 on the health waiting lists of Central Catalonia. Which bottleneck has most influenced the decrease in cancer diagnoses between 2019 and 2020?*” Advisor: Guillem López Casasnovas

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

UNIVERSITAT POMPEU FABRA (UPF)

Barcelona

Part-Time Lecturer

Sep '23 –

- Professor of practical lessons for the Principles of Public Economics mandatory course - 3rd grade students from Economics (Catalan) and 6th grade students from Law & Economics (English)
- Professor of theory lessons for the Economics and Analytical instruments for the Study of Law mandatory course - 1st grade students from Degree in Law (Catalan)
- Professor of practical lessons for the Economics of the Public Sector mandatory course - 3rd grade students from Political Science (Catalan)

CENTRE FOR RESEARCH IN HEALTH & ECONOMICS (CRES-UPF)

Barcelona

Technical Director

Oct '22 –

- Responsible for the day-to-day running of the Center, with the direction of professor Guillem López Casasnovas
- Logistic direction, and involvement as a researcher, of the Center's research and divulgation projects
- Coordination of the researchers involved in these projects: economists, health professionals and students

ANNUAL CONGRESS ON HEALTH ECONOMICS CRES-NOVARTIS

Palma de Mallorca

Organization and logistics

Jun '22 –

- Together with professor Guillem López Casasnovas, definition of the content of the yearly program
- Logistical direction of the sessions of the Congress, mediating between organizers, funders, and participants
- Contact with more than 20 speakers and moderators, and with more than 40 attendees from different institutions of the Spanish healthcare system
- Management of trips, lodging, meals and conference rooms for the Congress

CENTRE FOR RESEARCH IN HEALTH & ECONOMICS (CRES-UPF)

Barcelona

Research Assistant – Collaboration Grant

Nov '20 – Jun '21

- Review of academic literature for new publications:
 - a. Lower diagnostic incidence in almost the entire spectrum of diseases due to the COVID-19 pandemic in 2020 compared to 2019 in Central Catalonia (Nov '20 – Gen '21)
 - b. Indirect effects of the pandemic on worsening the health conditions of patients with pre-existing diseases (Feb '21 – Jun '21)
- Support to data processing through R, facilitating data analysis for peer researchers
- Translation to English and correction of academic papers and publications for Guillem López Casasnovas and Héctor Pifarré i Arolas

ACCIÓ-GENERALITAT DE CATALUNYA

Barcelona

Research Assistant in the Strategic Intelligence Department

Sep '20 – May '21

- Daily summary of the main economic and political news about the Catalan economy for their inclusion in the trade, investment and economic risk reports, which were presented to the Economics and the Business Departments of the Generalitat for policy guidance
- Preparation of presentations and reports on Catalan economic figures used by the Department for both internal use and for public diffusion, some based on statistical analysis through Stata
- Analysis of global geostrategic, political and economic risks for the Catalan economy

PUBLICATIONS

- Sabater, R., Ricou, L., Márquez, O., Gallifa, M. (2023) *Impacte sobre l'economia catalana de l'activitat sanitària des de la perspectiva "de demanda". El cas de l'Hospital Sant Joan de Déu*. CRES Working Paper
- López-Casasnovas G., Sabater Mezquita, R. (2023) *Institucionalitzar solucions y no improvisar sistemes de respostes*. *Diario Médico*
- López-Casasnovas G., Sabater Mezquita, R. (2023) *VIII Programa Experto en Política Sanitaria y Farmacoeconomía*. CRES Health Policy Papers 2023_7_GL_RS
- Sabater Mezquita, R., Prades i Colomé, A. (2023) *El paper de la xarxa d'oficines de farmàcia com agents del Sistema de Salut de Catalunya. Quid pro quo?* CRES Working Papers
- López-Casasnovas G., Sabater Mezquita, R. (2023) *Renda del país i capacitat econòmica dels seus ciutadans*. CRES Policy Papers 2023-1_GL_RS

PERSONAL COMPETENCES

- Motivation for rigorous and critical economic analyses, good communication skills, empathy and proactiveness
- My research interests are generally focused on the field of Health Economics and Social Economics, mainly for the evaluation and informed design of public policies in behalf of their implications on health and equality
- Language skills: English (Fluent), Spanish (Native), Catalan (Native)
- IT-skills: Stata; R; LaTeX; Python; Excel, Word, and Power Point (Office); Sheets, Docs, and Slides (Drive)