

# **REPORT 2018**

**Regional Quantitative  
Analysis Group  
(AQR-IREA)**



## 1. Scientific articles published in international and national journals (WoS and SCOPUS)

### **Published**

Badillo, E.; Moreno, R. (2018). Does absorptive capacity determine collaboration returns to innovation? A geographical dimension. *The Annals of Regional Science*, 60 (3), 473-499. WoS.

Castells-Quintana, D.; Royuela, V. (2018). Spatially blind policies? Analysing agglomeration economies and European Investment Bank funding in European neighbouring countries. *The Annals of Regional Science*, 60 (3), 569-589. WoS.

Cappellari, L.; Di Paolo, A. (2018). Bilingual Schooling and Earnings: Evidence from a Language-in-Education Reform. *Economics of Education Review*, 64, 90-101. WoS.

Claveria, O.; Monte, E.; Torra, S. (2018). A data-driven approach to construct survey-based indicators by means of evolutionary algorithms. *Social Indicators Research*, 135 (1), 1-14. WoS.

D'Agostino, L.M.; Moreno, R. (2018). Exploration during turbulent times: an analysis of the relation between cooperation in innovation activities and radical innovation performance during the economic crisis. *Industrial and Corporate Change*, 27 (2), 387-412. WoS.

García, J.R.; Murillo, J.; Suriñach, J.; Vayá, E. (2018). Economic Impact of the Ministry of Defence's Budget: Methodological Design and Results for the Spanish Economy. *Defence and Peace Economics*, 29 (4), 459-473. WoS.

López-Bazo, E.; Motellón, E. (2018). Innovation, heterogeneous firms and the region: evidence from Spain. *Regional Studies*, 52 (5), 673-687. WoS.

López-Bazo, E.; Motellón, E. (2018). Firm exports, innovation, and the regional dimension in Spain. *Regional Studies*, 52 (4), 490-502. WoS.

López-Tamayo, J.; Ramos, R.; Suriñach, J. (2018). Economic performance, social progress and institutional reform in European neighbouring countries. *Annals of Regional Science*, 60 (3), 613-636. WoS.

Matano, A.; Ramos, R. (2018). Remittances and Educational Outcomes: A Regional Investigation for Moldova. *Annals of Regional Science*, 60 (3), 451-471. WoS.

Migueluez, E.; Moreno, R. (2018). Relatedness, external linkages and regional innovation in Europe. *Regional Studies*, 52 (5), 688-701. WoS.

Romaní, J.; Casado-Díaz, J.; Lillo, A. (2018). On the links between spatial variables and overeducation. *Applied Economics Letters*, 23 (9), 652-655. WoS.

Royuela, V.; Ordoñez, J. (2018). Internal migration in a developing country: A panel data analysis of Ecuador (1982-2010). *Papers in Regional Science*, 97 (2), 345-367. WoS.

Vayá, E.; García, J.R.; Murillo, J.; Romaní, J.; Suriñach, J. (2018). Economic impact of cruise activity: the case of Barcelona. *Journal of Travel & Tourism Marketing*, 35 (4), 479-492. WoS.

### **Forthcoming and published on-line**

Caminal, R.; Di Paolo, A. (Forthcoming). Your Language or Mine? The Non-Communicative Benefits of Language Skills. *Economic Inquiry*. WoS.

Carrion-i-Silvestre, J.L.; Dukpa, K. (Forthcoming). Quasi-Likelihood Ratio Tests for Cointegration, Cobreaking and Cotrending. *Econometric Reviews*. WoS.

Castells-Quintana, D.; Royuela, V.; Thiel, F. (Forthcoming). Inequality and sustainable development: Insights from an analysis of the human development index. *Sustainable Development*. WoS.

Claveria, O.; Monte, E.; Torra, S. (Forthcoming). Evolutionary computation for macroeconomic forecasting. A cross-country analysis. *Computational Economics*. WoS.

Claveria, O. (Forthcoming). A new consensus-based unemployment indicator. *Applied Economics Letter*. WoS.

Claveria, O.; Monte, E.; Torra, S. (Forthcoming). Empirical modelling of survey-based expectations for the design of economic indicators in five European regions. *Empirica*. WoS.

Claveria, O.; Monte, E.; Torra, S. (Forthcoming). Economic Uncertainty: A Geometric Indicator of Discrepancy Among Experts' Expectations. *Social Indicators Research*. WoS.

D'Agostino, L.; Moreno, R. (Forthcoming) Green regions and local firms' innovation. Papers in Regional Science. WoS.

Obaco, M.; Royuela, V.; Xavier, V. (Forthcoming). Identifying Functional Urban Areas in Ecuador using a varying travel time approach. *Geographical Analysis*. WoS.

Royuela, V.; Gásquez, R. (Forthcoming). On the Influence of Foreign Players on the Success of Football Clubs. *Journal of Sports Economics*. WoS.

Royuela, V.; Veneri, P.; Ramos, R. (Forthcoming). The short-run relationship between inequality and growth: Evidence from OECD regions during the great recession. *Regional Studies*. WoS.

Suriñach, J.; Casanovas, J.A.; André, M.; Murillo, J.; Romaní, J. (Forthcoming). An operational definition of day trips: Methodological proposal and application to the case of the province of Barcelona. *Tourism Economics*. WoS.

Tojeiro-Rivero, D.; Moreno, R.; Badillo, E.R. (Forthcoming). Radical Innovations: The Role of Knowledge Acquisition from Abroad. *Review of Industrial Organization*. WoS.

## 2. Scientific articles published in international and national journals (not WoS or SCOPUS)

### **Published**

Carrion-i-Silvestre, J. L.; Kim, D. (2018). Tests for cointegration, cobreaking and cotrending in a system of trending variables. *Journal of Market Economy*, 47-189.

Di Paolo, A.; Ramos, R. (2018). El efecto de la movilidad durante los estudios sobre el desajuste educativo de los graduados recientes. Evidencia a partir de la encuesta de inserción laboral de los titulados y tituladas de las universidades catalanas, *Cuadernos Económicos del ICE*, 95, pp. 209-238.

Rubino, N. (2018). Effect of commodity price levels and volatility on growth in a leading commodity export framework. *Review of Socio-Economic Perspectives*. 3 (1), 47-71. ISI.

**Forthcoming and published on-line**

Rebolledo, T.J.M.; Suriñach, J.; Ramírez, M.M.O. (2018). El impacto laboral de las competencias en el posgrado: el caso de los egresados de la Universidad Veracruzana en México. *CPU-e, Revista de Investigación Educativa* 27, ISSN 1870-5308.

### 3. Books

Llorente, F.; Llorente, M. (2018). Retos y estrategias de los fabricantes de automóviles. Ediciones Libreria Universitària. 208 pag. ISBN: 978 84 17452230.

Cabasés, M. À. (coord.) (2018) Valoració de l'aplicació del Sistema de Garantia Juvenil a Catalunya. Edicions Universitat de Lleida. ISBN: 9788491441342.

### 4. Book chapters

Claveria, O. (2018). Combining economic and tourism indicators to position tourist destinations via perceptual maps. In Albert Tavidze (Ed.), *Progress in Economics Research. (Volume 40)*. Hauppauge NY: Nova Science Publishers. Chapter 3, 93-124.

Riera, C.; Luque, S. (2018). El papel de la formación en el Plan Nacional de Garantía Juvenil, cap. 3. A M. Àngels Cabasés Piqué Agnès Pardell Carles Feixa (Ed.). Jóvenes, Trabajo y Futuro. Perspectivas sobre la Garantía Juvenil en España y en Europa. Tirant lo Blanch. ISBN: 978-84-9169-586-8.

### 5. Working Papers

Bartoll, X.; Gil, J.; Ramos, R. Has the economic crisis worsened the world-related and mental Health of temporary workers in Spain? AQR WP 2018/8.

Bartoll, X.; Gil, J.; Ramos, R. (2018) Has the Economic Crisis Worsened the Work-Related Stress and Mental Health of Temporary Workers in Spain? IZA Discussion Paper No. 11701.

Caminal, R.; Cappellari, L.; Di Paolo, A. Linguistic skills and the intergenerational transmission of language. AQR WP 2018/9.

Claveria, O. A new metric of consensus for Likert scales. AQR WP 2018/10.

Claveria, O.; Monte, E.; Torra, S. A geometric approach to proxy economic uncertainty by metric of disagreement among qualitative expectations. AQR WP 2018/3.

Claveria, O.; Monte, E.; Torra, S. A regional perspective on the accuracy of machine learning forecasts of tourism demand based on data characteristics. AQR WP 2018/2.

Claveria, O.; Monte, E.; Torra, S. Tracking economic growth by evolving expectations via genetic programming: A two-step approach. AQR WP 2018/1.

Di Paolo, A.; Gil Trasfi, J.; Raftopoulou, A. What drives regional differences in BMI? Evidence from Spain. AQR WP 2018/5.

Fusaro, E.; López-Bazo, E. The Impact of Immigration on Native Employment: Evidence from Italy. AQR WP 2018/11.

Italo, C.; Matano, A.; Naticchioni, P. New Imported Inputs, Wages and worker Mobility. AQR WP 2018/4.

Matano, A.; Obaco, M.; Royuela, V. What drives the spatial wage Premium for formal and informal workers? The case of Ecuador. AQR WP 2018/6.

Obaco, M.; Díaz-Sánchez, JP. An Overview of Urbanization in Ecuador under FUAs Definition. AQR WP 2018/7.

Ramos, R.; Sanromá, E.; Simón, H. (2018), Wage Differentials by Bargaining Regime in Spain (2002-2014): An Analysis Using Matched Employer-Employee Data, IZA Discussion Paper No. 12013.

## 6. Contributions to international conferences

Alcañiz, M.; Chulià, H.; Pujol, M.; **Riera-Prunera, M.C.** “Graduates and competences: moving further. A gender analysis”. CIVINEDU, II Congreso Internacional Virtual de Investigación e Innovación Educativa. Madrid (Spain), October 24th-25th, 2018.

**Alcañiz, M.**; Riera-Prunera, M.C.; Solé-Auró, A. “Bienestar emocional en la tercera edad: ¿influye la ruralidad del entorno?”. AEER-International Conference on Regional Science. Valencia (Spain), November 21st-23rd, 2018.

Bartoll, X.; **Ramos, R.** “Quality of work, economic crisis and temporary employment”. Simposio de Análisis Económico, SAEe 2018. Madrid (Spain), December 13th-15th, 2018.

Banerjee, A.; **Carrion-i-Silvestre, J.L.** “Panel data cointegration analysis with structural instabilities”. 12th International Conference on Computational and Financial Econometrics. Pisa (Italy), December 14th-16th, 2018.

Blasco, Y.; López-Tamayo, J.; Pujol, M.; **Riera-Prunera, M.C.**; Rodríguez, N. “Assessment of trainee students’ competences and firms’ satisfaction. A structural equation modelling approach”. CIVINEDU, II Congreso Internacional Virtual de Investigación e Innovación Educativa. Madrid (Spain), October 24th-25th, 2018.

Boschma, R.; Miguelez, E.; Moreno, R.; **Ocampo, D.** “Breakthrough patents and technological relatedness”. Workshop in Radical Innovation and (Regional) Growth. Bremen (Germany), July 5th-7th, 2018.

Boschma, R.; Miguelez, E.; Moreno, R.; **Ocampo, D.** “Breakthrough patents and technological relatedness”. Conference: KIIS workshop, Valencia (Spain), 15th-16th November, 2018.

Botezat, A.; **Ramos, R.** “Physicians’ brain drain - A gravity model of migration flows”. Workshop CREA-IZA on ‘Gravity equation in international economics: when trade meets migration’. Luxemburg (Luxemburg), 29th-30th November, 2018.

**Botezat, A.**; Ramos, R. “Physicians’ brain drain - A gravity model of migration flows”. ERMAS 2018 - Annual Scientific Conference of Romanian Academic Economists from Abroad. Iaisi (Romania), 25th-27th July, 2018.

Caminal, R; Cappellari, L.; **Di Paolo, A.** “Linguistic skills and the intergenerational transmission of language. International Conference on Education Economics”. Budapest (Hungary), 21st-23rd November, 2018.

Caminal, R; Cappellari, L.; **Di Paolo, A.** “Linguistic skills and the intergenerational transmission of language”. Workshop on “Current issues in migration economics. Milan (Italy), October 29<sup>th</sup>, 2018.

Caminal, R; Cappellari, L.; **Di Paolo, A.** "Linguistic skills and the intergenerational transmission of language". XXXIII AIEL Conference. Ancona (Italy), September 20th-21st, 2018.

Caminal, R; Cappellari, L.; **Di Paolo, A.** "Linguistic skills and the intergenerational transmission of language". 93rd WEAI Conference. Vancouver (Canada), June 26th-30<sup>th</sup>, 2018.

Caminal, R; Cappellari, L.; **Di Paolo, A.** "Linguistic skills and the intergenerational transmission of language". 4th LEER Workshop on Education Economics. Leuven (Belgium), March 28th-29th, 2018.

Carrion-i-Silvestre, J.L.; **Kim, D.** "Cotrending and cointegration tests for a bivariate system with stochastic and joined segmented trends". Climate Econometrics at European Geoscience Union. Viena (Austria), April 8th-13th, 2018.

**Claveria, O.**; Monte, E.; Torra, S. "A geometric proxy of economic uncertainty based on the disagreement in survey expectations". International Conference on Time Series and Forecasting (ITISE). Granada (Spain), September 19th-21st, 2018.

**Di Paolo, A.**; Ferrer-i-Carbonell, A. "Local unemployment and happiness: the role of regional borders". 30th EALE Conference. Lyon (France), September 13th-15th, 2018.

**López-Bazo, E.** "Innovation and the regional context. Spatial sorting after all!". 58th Congress of the European Regional Science Association (ERSA). Cork (Irlanda), August 28th-31st, 2018.

**López-Bazo, E.** "Innovation and the region's innovative context. Spatial sorting after all!". IV Workshop KIIS. Valencia (Spain), November 15th-16th, 2018.

**López-Bazo, E.**; Royuela, V. "Evaluation of EU citizens' perception of the EU - the role of Cohesion Policy". PERCEIVE conference. Bucarest (Rumanía), October, 25th – 26th, 2018.

**López-Bazo, E.**; Royuela, V. "EU Regional Policy and Identification with the European Project". 58th Congress of the European Regional Science Association (ERSA). Cork (Irlanda), August 28th-31st, 2018.

Matano, A.; Obaco, M.; **Royuela, V.** "Agglomeration externalities and informality: the case of Ecuador". 58th Congress of the European Regional Science Association (ERSA). Cork (Irlanda), August 28th-31st, 2018.

**Matano, A.**; Naticchioni P. "China's Import Competition and Innovation: The Role of Unions". Geoinno2018, 4th Geography of Innovation Conference. Barcelona (Spain), January 31st–February 2nd, 2018.

**Matano, A.**; Obaco M.; Royuela V. "What Drives the Spatial Wage Premium for Formal and Informal Workers? The Case of Ecuador". European Social Population Economics (ESPE) Conference. Antwerpen (Belgium), June 25th-27th, 2018.

**Matano, A.**; Obaco M.; Royuela V. "What Drives the Spatial Wage Premium for Formal and Informal Workers? The Case of Ecuador", European Labour Economic Association (EALE). Lyon (France), September 13th-15<sup>th</sup>, 2018.

Melguizo, C.; **Royuela, V.** "What drives migration moves across urban areas in Spain? Evidence from the Great Recession". 12th Word Conference of the Regional Science Association International. Goa (India), May 29th – June 1st, 2018.

**Moreno, R.**; Ocampo, D.; Suriñach, J. "Knowledge flows and technologies in renewable energies at the regional level in Europe". Workshop on the Geography of Innovation, Environment and Resilience. Torino (Italy), September 20th-21st, 2018.

**Moreno, R.;** Tojeiro, D. "Does regional knowledge capacity mediate the acquisition of external knowledge?". Seventh International Conference Industrial Organization and Spatial Economics. Saint Petersburg (Russia), June 18th-19th, 2018.

**Ocampo, D.B.;** Moreno, R.; Suriñach, J. "Knowledge flows and the creation of technologies in renewable energies at the regional level in Europe". 4th Geography of Innovation Conference. Barcelona (Spain), January 31st- February 2nd, 2018.

**Ocampo, D.B.;** Moreno, R.; Suriñach, J. "Knowledge flows and the creation of technologies in renewable energies at the regional level in Europe". Simposio de análisis económico, SAEe 2018. Madrid (Spain), December 13th-15th, 2018.

**Ramos, R.;** Nieto, S. "Do entrepreneurs use different skills? Evidence from PIAAC", XXVII Meeting of the Economics of Education Association. Barcelona (Spain), June 28th-29th, 2018.

**Riera-Prunera, M.C.;** Alcañiz, M.; Chulià, H.; Pujol, M. "Are women more prone to managerial and self-confidence skills? A fresh graduates' skills gap analysis". The 6th QUAESTI Virtual Scientific Conference - Multidisciplinary Studies and Approaches. December 10th - 15th, 2018.

**Riera-Prunera, M.C.;** Blasco, Y.; López-Tamayo, J.; Pujol, M.; Rodríguez, N. "Are firms satisfied with new employees?". The 6th QUAESTI Virtual Scientific Conference - Multidisciplinary Studies and Approaches. December 10th - 15th, 2018.

**Rubino, N.** "Out-of-Sample performance of nonlinear models in commodities international price differential forecasting". 26<sup>th</sup> Eurasian Business and Economic Society Conference. Prague, (Czech Republic), October 24th-26<sup>th</sup>, 2018.

**Rubino, N.** "Out-of-Sample performance of nonlinear models in commodities international price differential forecasting". 12<sup>th</sup> International conference on Computational and Financial Econometrics. Pisa (Italy), December 14th-16th, 2018.

**Tojeiro-Rivero, D.** "Does regional knowledge capacity mediate the firms' acquisition of external knowledge?". Eu-SPRI Early Career Research Conference (ECC): Science, Technology and Innovation: New challenges and practices. Valencia (Spain), May 3rd-5th, 2018.

**Tojeiro-Rivero, D.** "Does regional knowledge capacity mediate the firms' acquisition of external knowledge?". 6th Ph.D-Student Workshop on Industrial and Public Economics (WIPE). Reus (Spain), February 27th-28th, 2018.

**Tojeiro-Rivero, D.;** Moreno, R. "How Does the Regional Knowledge Base Mediate Firms Acquisition of External Knowledge?". 21st Uddevalla Symposium. Lulea (Sweden), June 14th-16th, 2018.

**Tojeiro-Rivero, D.;** Moreno, R. "Does regional knowledge capacity mediate the firms' acquisition of external knowledge?". 4th Geography of innovation Conference (GEOINNO 2018). Barcelona (Spain), January 31th – February 2nd, 2018.

**Tojeiro-Rivero, D.;** Moreno, R. "Acquisition of external knowledge, local spillovers and firm's innovativeness". 4th Geography of Innovation Conference. Barcelona (Spain), January 31st - February 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2018.

**Tubiana, M.;** Miguelez, E.; Moreno, R. "The Knowledge dynamics of inventors' performance: A multilevel analysis of knowledge externalities". 4th Geography of Innovation Conference. Barcelona (Spain), 31st January-2nd February 2018.

**Tubiana, M.;** Miguelez, E.; Moreno, R. "The Knowledge dynamics of inventors' performance: A multilevel analysis of knowledge externalities". Global Conference on Economic Geography. Cologne (Germany), July 24th-28th, 2018.

**Tubiana, M.**; Miguelez, E.; Moreno, R. "The Knowledge dynamics of inventors' performance: A multilevel analysis of knowledge externalities". 2018 Technology Transfer Conference. Valencia (Spain), October 17th-19th, 2018.

## 7. Contributions to national conferences

Ariza, J.F.; **Ramos, R.** "Rendimientos sociales del capital humano en Argentina, Brasil y Colombia". XLIV Reunión de Estudios Regionales. Valencia (Spain), November 21st-23rd, 2018.

Banerjee, A.; **Carrion-i-Silvestre, J.L.** "Panel data cointegration analysis with structural instabilities". VIII Workshop in Time Series Econometrics. Zaragoza (Spain), April 12th-13th, 2018.

Banerjee, A.; **Carrion-i-Silvestre, J.L.** "Panel data cointegration analysis with structural instabilities. Time series analysis in macro and finance". Barcelona GSE Summer Forum. Barcelona (Spain), June 14th-15th, 2018.

Boschma, R.; Miguelez, E.; **Moreno, R.**; Ocampo, D. "Breakthrough patents and technological relatedness". Reunión de Estudios Regionales. Valencia (Spain), 21st-23rd November, 2018.

Carrion-i-Silvestre, J.L.; Gadea, M.D.; **Montañés, A.** "Testing for cointegration with broken trend variables". VIII Workshop in Time Series Econometrics. Zaragoza (Spain), April 12th-13th, 2018.

**López-Bazo, E.** "Innovation and the regional context. Spatial sorting after all!". Encuentro de Economía Aplicada. Alcalá de Henares (Spain), June 7th-8th, 2018.

**López-Bazo, E.**; Royuela, V. "The effect of cohesion policy on European identification". XLIV Reunión de Estudios Regionales. Valencia (España), November 21st-23rd, 2018.

**Matano, A.**; Obaco, M.; Royuela, V. "What Drives the Spatial Wage Premium for Formal and Informal Workers? The Case of Ecuador". Symposium Economía Española. Madrid (Spain), December 13-15th, 2018.

**Melguizo, C.**; Royuela, V. "What drives migration moves across urban areas in Spain? Evidence from the Great Recession". Encuentro de Economía Aplicada. Alcalá de Henares (España), June 7th-8th, 2018.

**Melguizo, C.**; Almenar, V.; Ramos, R. "A spatial approach of Okun's law in Spain's provinces". XLIV Reunión de Estudios Regionales. Valencia (Spain), November, 21st-23rd, 2018.

Obaco, M.; Matano, A.; **Royuela, V.** "City Size and Slums: Evidence for Ecuador". XLIV Reunión de Estudios Regionales. Valencia (Spain), November 21st-23rd, 2018.

Ramos, R.; **Sanromá, E.**; Simón, H. "Diferencias salariales según régimen de negociación colectiva en España (2002-2014). Un análisis con datos emparejados empresa-trabajado". Encuentro de Economía Aplicada. Alcalá de Henares (Spain), June 7th-8th, 2018.

**Simón, H.**; Murillo, I.; Ramos, R. "Revisiting Interregional Wage Differentials: New Evidence from Spain with Matched Employer-Employee Data". Encuentro de Economía Aplicada. Alcalá de Henares (Spain), June 7th-8th, 2018.

**Suriñach, J.**; García, JR; Vayá, E. "Análisis del estudio 'Las consecuencias que para la economía tienen una ejecución civil ineficaz'". I Congreso de Economía y Justicia. Barcelona (Spain), March 15th-16th, 2018.

**Suriñach, J.;** Murillo, J; Vayá, E. “Impactes econòmics generats pel Sistema Públic Català d'Universitats i d'R+D+I sobre l'economia catalana. 2015”. 3r Congrés d'Economia i Empresa de Catalunya. Barcelona (Spain), May 17th, 2018.

## 8. Invited seminars and conferences

**Di Paolo, A.** “El Valor de les Llengües Locals en el Mercat Laboral: el Cas del Català”. Ponència principal al III Workshop d'Identitat i Cultura — Llengua, Cultura i Economia: el Valor dels Béns Immaterials, Fundació Nexse. Valencia (Spain), April 3th-4th, 2018.

**Di Paolo, A.** “Local languages in the labour market: The case of Catalan”. Keynote speaker at the “Language at Work” conference. Universitat Rovira i Virgili, Tarragona (Spain), June 7th-8th, 2018.

**Di Paolo, A.** “Linguistic skills and the intergenerational transmission of language”, Sessió Tècnica a l'Institut d'Estadística de Catalunya (IDESCAT). Barcelona (Spain), November 30th, 2018

**López-Bazo, E.;** Royuela, V. “The effect of cohesion policy on European identification”. Perceptions and Attitudes of the European public opinion - JRC-Joint Research Centre-European Commission. Sevilla (Spain), November 2018.

Matano, A.; Obaco, M.; **Royuela, V.** “Agglomeration economies in developing countries”, Regional Science Seminar's. Universidad de Extremadura, Badajoz (Spain), March 3rd, 2018.

**Royuela, V.** “Agglomeration economies in developing countries”. 8th Slovak Winter Seminar of Regional Science, Invited Keynote speech. Terchova (Eslovaquia), March 14th-17th, 2018.

**Royuela, V.** “Impacto territorial de la crisis en España. Análisis de la distribución de la población y el empleo”. Acto Anual de Política Regional y Fondos Europeos en España - Ministerio de Economía y Hacienda. Madrid (Spain), November 26th-27th, 2018

**Suriñach, J.;** Garcia, J.R.; Vayá, E. “Repercusiones económicas de una ejecución civil ineficiente”. I Congreso de Economía y Justicia, Ponencia invitada. Barcelona (Spain), March 15th-16th, 2018.

## 9. Participation in Competitive Projects

**Period:** 2018 -2022

**Title:** Economic Sentiment: Statistical, political, behavioral, and media aspects of its influence on economic activity.

**Reference:** HRZZ IP-2018-01-4189

**Institution:** Croatian Science Foundation

**PI:** Petar Sorić

**Team members:** Petar Sorić, Mirjana Cizmesija, Oscar Claveria, Andrija Henjak, Blanka Skrabec Peric, Marina Matosec

**Period:** 2017-2019

**Title:** Estrategias Territoriales para mejorar la resistencia en tiempos de crisis

**Reference:** ECO2016-75805-R

**Institution:** Ministerio de Economía y Competitividad

**Programme:** Convocatòria d'ajuts del Programa Estatal d'Investigació, Desenvolupament i Innovació Orientada als reptes de la Societat. Modalitat Projectes I+D+i

**PI:** Vicente Royuela Mora and Raul Ramos Lobo.

**Members:** Raul Ramos Lobo, Vicente Royuela Mora, Jordi Suriñach Caralt, Matias Mayor Fernandez, Begoña Cueto Iglesias, Oscar Claveria Gonzalez, Antonio Di Paolo, Alessia Matano, David-Enrique Castells Quintana, Sandra Nieto Viramontes, Patricia Suarez Cano.

**Period:** 2017-2019

**Title:** Competencias lingüísticas en la era digital: la mejora de la productividad y empleabilidad laboral

**Institution:** Obra Social La Caixa

**PI:** Antoni Vidal i Amado Alarcón

**Members:** Ignasi Brunet, Anthony David, Pym Florian Coulmas, Josiah McC Heyman, Maria Cristina Morales, Roland Terborg, Maria Guadalupe González, Cecilio Lapresta, Eleni Papaoikonomou, Rafael Böcker, Maria Miyar, Antonio Di Paolo, Maria Teresa Sorrosal, Tinka Tabea Schubert, Maria del Carmen Molina, María Belén López, Maria Jesús Muiños, Teresa Corbella, Matias Carlos Ginieis, Johanna Woydack, Till Burckhardt, Michele Gazzola, María Martínez, Ester Torres, Natxo Sorolla, Nune Ayvazyan, Carla Aguilar, Jose Ubalde

**Period:** 2017-2019

**Title:** Econometría de series temporales

**Reference:** ECO2016-81901-REDT

**Institution:** Ministerio de Economía, Industria y Competitividad

**Programme:** Acciones de Dinamización "Redes de Excelencia". Programa Estatal de Investigación Científica y Técnica de Excelencia, Subprograma Estatal de Generación de Conocimiento

**PI:** Antonio Montañés Bernal

**Members:** Tomás del Barrio-Castro, Josep Lluís Carrion-i-Silvestre, Jesús Gonzalo, Javier Hualde, Cecilio Tamarit, Carlos Velasco.

**Period:** 2017-2019

**Title:** AURA Project

**Institution:** Auvergne-Rhone-Alpes region

**Programme:** Request for proposals: "Supporting international academic and scientific cooperation"

**PI:** Corinne Autant Bernard

**Team members:** Rosina Moreno Serrano, Enrique López-Bazo, Jordi Suriñach Caralt, Bibiana Barnadas Vilà.

**Period:** 2016-2019

**Title:** Perception and Evaluation of Regional and Cohesion policies by Europeans and Identification with the Values of Europe (PERCEIVE)

**Reference:** H2020. REFLECTIVE-3-2015-693529

**Institution:** Unió Europea

**Programme:** HORIZON 2020. PILLAR 3-SOCIETAL CHALLENGES. SC6-CHANGING WORLD. Europe in a changing world - Inclusive, innovative and reflective societies.

**PI:** Jordi Suriñach Caralt

**Members:** M. Encarnacion Andre Romero, Bibiana Barnadas Vila, Josep Lluís Carrion Silvestre, Miguel Juan Clar Lopez, Jose Ramon Garcia Sanchis, Enrique Lopez Bazo, Jorge Lopez Tamayo, Alessia Matano, Rosina Moreno Serrano, Elisabet Motellon Corral, Joaquin Murillo Viu, Ernest Pons Fanals, Raul Ramos Lobo, Maria Carme Riera i Prunera, Javier Manuel Romani Fernandez, Vicente Royuela Mora, Esther Vaya Valcarce, Antonio Di Paolo, Hoon Choi, Celia Melguizo Chafer, Moises Lenyn Obaco Alvarez, Nicola Rubino.

**Period:** 2016-2018

**Title:** La implantación de la Garantía Juvenil en España: Jóvenes, trabajo y futuro

**Reference:** CSO2015-66901-R

**Institution:** Ministerio de Economía y Competitividad.

**Programme:** Programa Estatal de Investigación, Desarrollo e Innovación orientada a los Retos de la Sociedad. Convocatoria 2015.

**PI:** Carles Feixa i Maria Angels Cabasés (UdL)

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Conceio Farinha Pereira, Emanuelle Toscano, Carmen Leccardim, Yannis Pechtelidis, Yvonne Kosma.

**Period:** 2015 -2018

**Title:** Solidarity in European societies: empowerment, social justice and citizenship (SOLIDUS)

**Reference:** HORIZON 2020 -EURO-SOCIETY-2014, 649489

**Institution:** European Union

**Programme:** HORIZON 2020. PILLAR 3-SOCIETAL CHALLENGES. SC6-CHANGING WORLD. Europe in a changing world - Inclusive, innovative and reflective societies.

**PI:** Marta Soler Gallart

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## 10. Awarded proposals submitted in private and public calls

**Period:** 2018-2019

**Title:** Análisis del papel de la política fiscal en los desequilibrios externos de la Eurozona y sus consecuencias para la recuperación económica

**Reference:**

**Institution:** Instituto de Estudios Fiscales

**PI:** María Amparo Camarero Olivas

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**Period:** 2017-2019

**Title:** Anàlisi Quantitativa Regional (AQR)

**Reference:** 2017 SGR 1081

**Institution:** Agència de Gestió d'Ajuts Universitaris i de Recerca (AGAUR)

**Programme:** Ajuts per donar suport a les activitats dels grups de recerca (SGR 2017-2019)

**PI:** Rosina Moreno Serrano

**Members:** M. Encarnacion Andre Romero, Josep Lluís Carrion-i-Silvestre, Miguel Juan Clar Lopez, Oscar Claveria González, Antonio Di Paolo, Jose Ramon Garcia Sanchis, Francisco Llorente Galera, Enrique Lopez Bazo, Jorge Lopez Tamayo, Alessia Matano, Rosina Moreno Serrano, Elisabet Motellon Corral, Joaquin Murillo Viu, Ernest Pons Fanals, Raul Ramos Lobo, Maria Carme Riera i Prunera, Javier Manuel Romani Fernandez, Vicente Royuela Mora, Jordi Suriñach Caralt, Esther Vaya Valcarce. Hoon Choi Moises Lenyn Obaco Alvarez, Diego Benjamín Ocampo Corrales, Nicola Rubino, Damián Tojeiro Rivero.

**Period:** 2018-2019

**Title:** Atorgament d'un ajut de la convocatòria del Programa d'Intensificació de l'Activitat Investigadora 2018.

**Institution:** Universitat de Barcelona

**Reference:** Ajuts en el marc del Programa d'Incentivació de la Intensificació de l'activitat investigadora

**PI:** Jordi Suriñach Caralt

**Period:** 2018-2020

**Title:** Time Series and panel data analysis of macroeconomics imbalances (TSPDMACI).

**Reference:** ECO2017-83255-C3-1-P

**Institution:** Ministerio de Economía y Competitividad

**Programme:** Programa Estatal de Fomento de la Investigación Científica y Técnica de Excelencia. Subprograma Estatal de Generación de Conocimiento (Plan Estatal de Investigación Científica y Técnica y de Innovación 2013-2016)

**PI:** Josep Lluís Carrion-i-Silvestre

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**Period:** 2018-2020

**Title:** Innovation and locational factors: Diversification, Knowledge and environmental revolution. **Reference:** ECO2017-86976-R

**Institution:** Ministerio de Economía y Competitividad

**Programme:** Programa Estatal de I+D+i Orientada a los Retos de la Sociedad. Retos Investigación: Proyectos I+D+i 2017

**PI:** Rosina Moreno Serrano

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**Period:** 2018

**Title:** Realització de les tasques de suport tècnic i assessorament especialitzat, per una banda, per a l'elaboració de les previsions macroeconòmiques de Catalunya i, per altra banda, per al suport en els treballs que requereixen anàlisi econòmiques i la formació en el model d'equilibri general Quest III adaptat a l'economia catalana (EC 2018 158)

**Reference:** EC 2018 158

**Institution:** Departament de la Vicepresidència i d'Economia i Hisenda. Generalitat de Catalunya

**PI:** Jordi Suriñach; Raul Ramos

**Members:** Jordi Suriñach, Raul Ramos

## 11. Thesis

### 11.1. Defended thesis

**Author:** Díaz Sánchez, Juan Pablo

**Title:** Three Empirical Essays on Fecundity, Household Overcrowding and its Effects. The Case of Ecuador

**Director:** Romaní Fernández, Javier

**Date:** 25/04/2018 - 12:00h

**Place:** Sala de Graus. Edifici 690

**Author:** Choi, Hoon

**Title:** Essays in labor and education economics in Korea

**Director:** Ramos Lobo, Raul; Choi Mendizábal, Álvaro Borja

**Date:** 03/05/2018 – 12:00h

**Place:** Sala de Graus. Edifici 690

**Author:** Melguizo Cháfer, Celia

**Title:** Essays on Regional Labour Markets in Spain

**Director:** Ramos Lobo, Raul; Royuela Mora, Vicente

**Date:** 09/07/2018 - 12:00h

**Place:** Sala de Graus. Edifici 690

**Author:** Obaco Álvarez, Moisés Lenyn

**Title:** Three Essays on Agglomeration Economies in Ecuador

**Director:** Royuela Mora, Vicente; Matano, Alessia

**Date:** 25/09/2018 – 12:00h

**Place:** Sala de Graus. Edifici 690

**Author:** Vega Núñez, Adriana Patricia

**Title:** Essays on informal labor markets

**Director:** Ramos Lobo, Raul; Di Paolo, Antonio

**Date:** 18/10/2018 – 15:30h

**Place:** Sala de Graus. Edifici 690

## 11.2. Thesis in progress

**Author:** Álvarez, Oriana S.  
**Title:** Violence and the rural labor market in Colombia  
**Director:** Di Paolo, Antonio

**Author:** Bartoll, Xavier  
**Title:** Three essays on labour economics and health status  
**Director:** Ramos, Raul

**Author:** Fusaro, Stefano  
**Title:** Essays on International Interregional Migration  
**Director:** López-Bazo, Enrique

**Author:** Hajdukovic, Ivan  
**Title:** Essays in Macroeconomics: Monetary and Fiscal Policies  
**Director:** Ramos, Raul

**Author:** López Romero, Marisol  
**Title:** Banking Regulation, Financial Stability and Credit in Mexico (1960-2015)  
**Director:** Sudrià, Carles; Riera-Prunera, Maria-Carme

**Author:** Méndez Rebolledo, Teresita de Jesús  
**Title:** Propuesta anteproyecto de investigación: El impacto social del posgrado en México desde los perfiles profesionales de sus egresados y la opinión de empleadores  
**Director:** Suriñach, Jordi; Ojeda, Mario Miguel

**Author:** Ocampo, Diego  
**Title:** Knowledge flows and the creation of technologies in renewable energies at the regional level in Europe  
**Director:** Moreno, Rosina; Suriñach, Jordi

**Author:** Rubino, Nicola  
**Title:** Three essays on commodity prices  
**Director:** Carrion-i-Silvestre, Josep Lluís

**Author:** Shin, BongHa  
**Title:** The spatial dimensions of structural change, inequality, and economic growth  
**Director:** Royuela, Vicente

**Author:** Tojeiro Rivero, Damian  
**Title:** Breakthrough innovation and Regional determinants: Which knowledge is more important?  
**Director:** Moreno, Rosina

**Author:** Tsiachtsiras, Georgios  
**Title:** Innovation and cities  
**Director:** Moreno, Rosina

**Author:** Zárate Mirón, Viviana  
**Title:** Análisis de productividad en los clusters industriales de México  
**Director:** Moreno, Rosina; Paluzie, Elisenda

**Author:** Yurdakul, Ekin  
**Title:** Education and Entrepreneurship  
**Director:** Di Paolo, Antonio; Vilalta-Buff, Montserrat

## 12. AQR Workshops and Seminars

### Workshops

**2018 BARCELONA WORKSHOP ON REGIONAL AND URBAN ECONOMICS:** *Territorial resilience: mitigation and adaptation*. Barcelona, October 4th-5th, 2018. Faculty of Economics and Business, University of Barcelona.

### Seminars

**Enrique Morales-Benito (Banco de España)**

Credit Supply Shocks, Network Effects, and the Real Economy  
23-02-2018 12:30 Aula Seminaris 2 ERE

**Sauro Mocetti (Bank of Italy)**

How do house prices respond to credit supply?  
09-03-2018 12:30 Aula Seminaris 2 ERE

**David Castells-Quintana (Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona),**

Population dynamics, urbanisation without growth and the rise of megacities  
20-3-2018

**Diana Gutierrez Posada (Aberystwyth University)**

Economic crisis and youth unemployment in Europe: the role of regional specialization through a spatial quantile approach  
11-04-2018 14:00 Aula Seminaris 2 ERE

**Caroline Paunov (OCDE)**

Innovation Policies in the Digital Age  
20-04-2018 12:30 Aula Seminaris 2 ERE

**Martina Magli (University of Nottingham)**

Effects of Services offshoring on local labour markets. An aggregate and distributional analysis across sectors  
2-05-2018 14:00 Aula Seminaris 2 ERE

**Lorenzo Cappellari (Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore & IZA).**

Workers, Firms and Life-Cycle Wage Dynamics  
04-05-2018 12:30 Aula Seminaris 2 ERE

**Michiel Gerritse (University of Rotterdam)**

Does federal contracting spur development? Federal contracts, income, output, and jobs in US cities (with A. Rodríguez-Pose).  
18-05-2018 12:30 Aula Seminaris 2 ERE

**Aitor Lacuesta (Banco de España)**

Price strategies of independent and branded dealers in retail gas market. The case of a contract reform in Spain  
01-06-2018 12:30 Aula Seminaris 2 ERE

**Jorge Díaz-Lanchas (Joint Research Centre (European Commission))**

Do developers play a role in diversifying cities in an integrated economy? Evidence from Spain  
19-10-2018 12:30 Aula Seminaris 2 ERE

**Agata Maida (Università degli studi di Milano)**

Female Leadership and Gender Gap within Firms: Evidence from an Italian Board Reform  
09-11-2018 12:30 Aula Seminaris 2 ERE

**Gaetano Basso (Banca d'Italia)**  
The cost of youth emigration  
30-11-2018 12:30 Aula Seminaris 2 ERE

**Massimiliano Coda Zabetta (University of Bordeaux)**  
International Postdoctoral Mobility and Career Effect in Italian Academia – 1986-2015  
11-12-2018 14:00 Aula Seminaris 2 ERE

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**Name:** Herick F. Moralles  
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