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*Curriculum Vitae*  
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**PERSONAL**

Born: October 23, 1974 in Moscow, Russia.  
Family: married, two daughters.  
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Citizenship: Mexican.

**PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

Professor, ITAM, Mexico 2024 - present  
Associate Professor, ITAM, Mexico, January 2006 – July 2024  
Co-Director, Ph.D. in Economics and M.A. in Economic Theory programs, ITAM, August 2009 – August 2017  
Interim Director, Ph.D. in Economics and M.A. in Economic Theory programs, ITAM, August 2008 – July 2009  
Visiting Professor, Universidad Carlos III de Madrid, Spain October 2006 – July 2007  
Visitor, Economic Theory Center, University of Melbourne, Australia, May – July 2002  
Assistant Professor, ITAM, Mexico, August 2000 – December 2005

**EDUCATION**

Ph.D. Economics, New York University, September 2000.  
M.A. Economics, New York University, May 1998.  
B.A. Economics and Mathematics, Long Island University, 1995.

**FIELDS OF INTEREST**

Microeconomic Theory, Political Economy, Law and Economics, Experimental Economics

**RESEARCH**

**Publications**

“Citizen Candidates in the Lab” (with with [Alexander Elbittar](#) and Dario Trujano), *Journal of Behavioral and Experimental Economics* **112** (2024): 102276.

“Padding and Pruning: Gerrymandering Under Turnout Heterogeneity”, ” (joint with [Romans Pans](#) and [Tridib Sharma](#)), *Social Choice and Welfare* **63** (2024): 401-415.

“Does free information provision crowd out costly information acquisition? It's a matter of timing” (joint with [Diego Aycinena](#), [Alexander Elbittar](#) and [Lucas Rentschler](#)), [ITAM Working Paper 2020-01](#), *Games and Economic Behavior* **142** (2023): 381-410.

- “Electoral Maldistricting” (joint with [Romans Pance](#) and [Tridib Sharma](#)), *International Economic Review* **64** (2023): 1223-1264.
- “Ignorance and Bias in Collective Decision: Theory and Experiments” (with Alexander Elbittar, Cesar Martinelli and Thomas Palfrey), [ITAM Working Paper 2014-01](#), *Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization*, **174** (2020): 332-359
- “Coattails and the Forces that Drive Them: Evidence from Mexico” (with Emilio Gutierrez, Paulina Lopez and Alejandra Vasquez), [ITAM Working Paper 2015-05](#) *European Journal of Political Economy*, **58** (2019): 64-81
- “Revealed Votes”, *Social Choice and Welfare*, **51** (2018): 281-296  
Earlier version circulated as “Vote Revelation: Empirical Characterization of Scoring Rules” [ITAM Working Paper 2011-02](#),
- “Endogenous Platforms: stochastic membership” (with [Francisco Marhuenda](#) and [Ignacio Ortuño-Ortín](#)), *Economic Theory*, **62** (2016): 839 - 866
- “Negative Advertising During Mexico’s 2012 Presidential Campaign (with Emilio Gutiérrez and Zeev Thepris), in *The Political Economy of Social Choices*, María Gallego and Norman Schofield, (eds.), Springer Verlag: 2016
- “A Laboratory Study of Demand Reduction and Collusion in Uniform and Discriminatory Price Auction” (with Alexander Elbittar), in *Emile Borel and the Notion of Strategy: 90th Anniversary*, David Cantala, ed., Colégio de México, 2014
- “Group Decision-Making in Ultimatum Bargaining: An Experimental Study” (with Alexander Elbittar and Laura Sour). [ITAM Working Paper 2004-07](#), *B.E. Journal of Economic Analysis & Policy* (Contributions) 11 (2011): article 53
- “Vote revelation: empirical content of scoring rules”, in: Schofield, Norman, and Gonzalo Caballero (eds.). *Political Economy of Institutions, Democracy and Voting*. Berlin: Springer-Verlag: 2011
- “An experimental study of the citizen-candidate model” (with [Alexander Elbittar](#)), in *Political Economy of Democracy*, E. Aragonès, C. Beviá, H. Llavador and N. Schofield, (Eds.), Fundación BBVA: 2009
- “Endogenous platforms: the case of many parties” (with [Francisco Marhuenda](#) and [Ignacio Ortuño-Ortín](#)), *International Journal of Game Theory*, **35** (2007): 223-249.
- “Anonymity in Large Societies” (with Cesar Martinelli and Ricard Torres), [ITAM Working Paper 2002-11](#), *Social Choice and Welfare*, **25** (2005): 187-205.
- “An example of non-existence of three-community equilibrium”, *Journal of Public Economic Theory*, **7** (2005), 285-294.

“When the State is Untrustworthy: Public Finance and Private Banking in Porfirian Mexico”  
(with Noel Maurer), *Journal of Economic History*, **64** (2004), 1087-1107 . [ITAM Working Paper 2004-02](#)

“A Model of Endogenous Political Party Platforms” (with Francisco Marhuenda and Ignacio Ortuño-Ortín), *Economic Theory*, **24** (2004): 373-394.

“Sorting Equilibrium in a Multi-jurisdiction Model”, *Journal of Economic Theory*, **116** (2004): 138-154.

### **Working Papers and Work in Progress**

“My friends: it would be an error to accept”: Communication and group identity in a bargaining setting (with Alexander Elbittar), ITAM Working Paper 2012-03,

“Judging the Judges: Indexing Complex Information Reduces Injustices and Injustice”  
(with Andrew Caplin and Joyce Sadka), NBER Working Paper 32587

Information Acquisition and Aggregation in Elections: The Power of Opinion Polls (with Tetsuya Hoshino)

### **ACADEMIC ACTIVITIES**

#### **Teaching**

Mathematics II (undergraduate), Universidad Carlos III de Madrid

Mathematics I (undergraduate), Universidad Carlos III de Madrid

Political Economy (undergraduate), ITAM

Public Finance (undergraduate), ITAM

Public Finance (M.A./Ph.D. level), ITAM

Advanced Microeconomics I (undergraduate), ITAM

Advanced Microeconomics I (M.A. level), ITAM

Consumer and Producer Theory (undergraduate/M.A./Ph.D.), ITAM

#### **Refereeing**

*Econometrica*, *Economic Theory*, *El Trimestre Económico*, *Economía Mexicana* (Nueva Época), *Estudios Económicos*, *European Journal of Political Economy*, *Experimental Economics*, *Games and Economic Behavior*, *International Economic Review*, *International Journal of Game Theory*, *Journal of Economic Theory*, *Journal of Mathematical Economics*, *Journal of Public Economic Theory*, *Journal of Public Economics*, *Política y Gobierno*, *The Economic History Review*, *Social Choice and Welfare*, *Theoretical Economics*

#### **Recent Conference Presentations**

International Online Seminar on Social Choice, June 2021

2022 Social Choice and Welfare, Mexico City June 2022 (*local co-organizer*)

2022 LACEA/LAMES, Lima, Peru, November 2022

2023 SAET, Paris, July 2023

2024 SAET, Santiago de Chile, January 2024

2024 Social Choice and Welfare, Paris, July 2024