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## *Curriculum Vitae*

School of International & Public Affairs (SIPA)  
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### PERSONAL

Born: October 23, 1972 in Paris, France.  
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### EDUCATION AND PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2006 – present	Lecturer at SIPA, Columbia University
2002 – 2006	Assistant Professor of Economics at ITAM, Mexico City
1997 – 2002	Ph.D. in Economics, New York University
1991 – 1996	B.A. in Physics, Universita' di Pavia, Italy

### SPECIALIZATION

Political Economy, Information Economics, Financial Economics, Industrial Organization.

### PUBLICATIONS

“[Quorum and Turnout in Referenda](#)”, (with Andrea Mattozzi), Journal of the European Economic Association (forthcoming 2009).

“[Policy Platforms, Campaign Spending and Voter Participation](#)”, (with David Levine and Cesar Martinelli), Journal of Public Economics (2008).

“[Group Formation and Voter Participation](#)”, (with Cesar Martinelli), Theoretical Economics (2006).

“[Sorting in Risk-Aversion and Asset Price Volatility](#)”, Journal of Mathematical Economics (2005).

### WORK IN PROGRESS

**Political Economy**

[“Turnout and Power Sharing”](#), (with Massimo Morelli).

[“Primaries as Coordination Devices”](#), (with Mattias Polborn).

[“Voter Targeting and Policy Divergence”](#), (with Cesar Martinelli).

### **Financial and Information Economics**

[“Social Learning with a Hidden Action”](#), (with Johannes Horner).

[“Rational Trader Frenzies”](#), (with Lones Smith).

### **IO and Corporate Finance**

[“Advantageous Innovation and Imitation in the Underwriting Market for Corporate Securities”](#), (with Enrique Schroth). (R&R Journal of Banking and Finance)

## **ACADEMIC ACTIVITIES**

### **Referee**

American Political Science Review, Econometrica, Economic Journal, E-conomics, Journal of Economic Theory, Journal of Law Economics and Organization, Journal of Public Economic Theory, Journal of Public Economics, Review of Economic Studies, Social Choice and Welfare, Theoretical Economics.

### **Teaching Experience**

Economic Analysis for International Affairs, Intermediate Microeconomics, Industrial Organization, Information Economics (PhD Course), Math Methods for Economists (PhD course), Statistics.

## **LANGUAGES**

English, Italian, Spanish, Portuguese, French and German.

## **REFERENCES**

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