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EDUCATION:

Ph.D.	1985	Sociology Department, Yale University
M.Phil.	1980	Sociology Department, Yale University
M.A.	1979	Sociology Department, Yale University
B.A.	1977	Yale College, (summa cum laude) Major in History

POSITIONS HELD:

Distinguished Research Professor (CONEX Professor to Professor to Distinguished Research Professor, Universidad Carlos III, 2015-25). Member Carlos III/Juan March Institute (as of October 2025 Juan Linz Institute), Carlos III University.

Professor of Sociology, (Associate Professor to Professor, 1992 – 2015)
Fellow Kellogg Institute,
Fellow Nanovic Institute,
University of Notre Dame

Associate Professor of Government and of Social Studies, Harvard University (1988 - 1991); Instructor to Assistant Professor of Government and of Social Studies, Harvard University (1984 - 1988)

PUBLICATIONS:

Books:

Robert M Fishman and Ignacio Sánchez-Cuenca, *Las Huellas de la Transición*. (Catarata, 2025).

Democratic Practice: Origins of the Iberian Divide in Political Inclusion. (Oxford University Press, 2019.)

-- Translated into Spanish as: *Práctica Democrática e Inclusión: La Divergencia entre España y Portugal*. Catarata: Madrid, 2021.

-- Translation into Portuguese as *Prática democrática e inclusão política : origens da clivagem Ibérica* Tinta da China: Lisboa. 2023.

The Year of the Euro: The Cultural, Social and Political Import of Europe's Common Currency. Co-edited with Anthony Messina (University of Notre Dame Press, 2006). [Author of Introduction and of one substantive chapter.]

Democracy's Voices: Social Ties and the Quality of Public Life in Spain, (Cornell University Press, 2004)

-- Winner of Honorable Mention for Best Book in Political Sociology, ASA 2005

-- Translated into Spanish as: *Voces de la democracia*. (Centro de Investigaciones Sociológicas, 2008).

Working Class Organization and the Return to Democracy in Spain (Cornell University Press, 1990).

-- Translated into Spanish as: *Organización obrera y retorno a la democracia*. (Centro de Investigaciones Sociológicas/Siglo XXI, 1996).

Journal articles and contributions in books (partial list):

“Deepening or Endangering Democracy: Demonstrations and Institutions under Representative Government”, *Perspectives on Politics*, March 2025, 23(1): 93-102.

“Portugal Before and after Democracy: New Forms of Dualism and Success”, *Análise Social*, December 2023, 58(4): 790-805.

DW Everson, and RM Fishman, “Searching for Mechanisms of Social Movement Success: Research on Political and Cultural Underpinnings of Protestors’ Impact”, Chapter 24 in *Handbook of Research Methods and Applications for Social Movements*, Laurence Cox, Anna Szolucha, Alberto Arribas Lozano and Sutapa Chattopadhyay, Eds. Edwar Elgar, Cheltenham, UK, 2024,. Pp. 336-348.

“From Problematic Laggard to Star of the South? The Comparative Significance of the Portuguese Case”

Chapter 1 in Jorge Fernandes, Pedro Magalhaes and António Costa Pinto (eds.), *Oxford Handbook of Portuguese Politics*. Oxford University Press, Oxford, UK, 2022..

“Regime Transitions as Critical Junctures: Cultural Legacies of Democratization in Spain and Portugal”, pp. 265-287 in David Collier and Gerardo L. Munck (eds.), *Critical Junctures and Historical Legacies: Insights and Methods for Comparative Social Science*. Rowman and Littlefield: Lanham, MD, 2022.

Robert M. Fishman and Alejandro Tirado Castro, “How Democracy Works: Divergent Perspectives of Representatives and Citizens”. Pp. 183-203 in Xavier Collier and Leonardo Sánchez-Ferrer (eds.), *Politicians in Hard Times: Spanish and South European MPs Facing Citizens*. Palgrave Macmillan: Cham, Switzerland, 2021.

“Spain in Comparative Perspective: Contributions of the Spanish Case to Comparative Political Analysis” in Diego Muro and Ignacio Lago (eds.), *The Oxford Handbook of Spanish Politics* (Oxford University Press, 2020).

"A Democracia Excepcional de Portugal: Como a Revolução dos Cravos Conduziu a Vantagens Duradouras" in Rui Branco e Tiago Fernandes (eds.) *45 Anos de Democracia em Portugal*, Lisboa: Assembleia da República, 2020.

“How National Histories Shaped the Politics of Crisis: South European Contrasts”, in M.E. Cavallaro and K. Kornetis (eds.), *Rethinking Democratisation in Spain, Greece and Portugal*, (Palgrave Macmillan, 2019).

“What Made the Third Wave Possible? Historical Contingency and Meta-Politics in the Genesis of Worldwide Democratization”. *Comparative Politics*, Volume 50, N4, July 2018.

“What 25 April Was and Why it Mattered”, *Portuguese Studies* (Volume 34, N1, April 2018).

“How the Past Shapes Struggles for Equality: Contrasting Legacies of Reform and Revolution” in Markus Schulz, (ed.), *Frontiers of Global Sociology: Research Perspectives for the 21st Century*, Berlin/New York: ISA Research, 2018.

“How Civil Society Matters in Democratization: Setting the Boundaries of Post-transition Political Inclusion”, *Comparative Politics* (Volume 49, N3, April 2017).

Robert M. Fishman and Suzanne M. Coshov, “Political Sociology: A Broad and Poly-centric Field” in Kathleen Korgen (ed.), *Handbook of Political Sociology* (Cambridge University Press, 2017).

“Democracy” in *Oxford Bibliographies in Sociology* (Oxford University Press, 2017).

“Acerca das Constituições e para além destas: Legados de Democratização em Espanha e em Portugal Contemporâneos”, in Marina Costa Lobo (Ed.), *A Constituição Portuguesa em Fluxo: Uma Perspectiva Comparada, 1976-2016*. Lisboa: Assembleia da República, 2017.

“Socio-historical Foundations of Citizenship Practice: After Social Revolution in Portugal”, in *Theory and Society* (Volume 45, December 2016).

Robert M. Fishman and David W. Everson. “Mechanisms of Social Movement Success: Conversation,

Displacement and Disruption”. In *Revista Internacional de Sociología* (Volume 74, October – December, 2016).

“Rethinking Dimensions of Democracy for Empirical Analysis: Authenticity, Quality, Depth and Consolidation”, in *Annual Review of Political Science* (Volume 19, June 2016).

Robert M. Fishman, Carlos Gervasoni and Keely Jones Stater, “Inequality and the Altruistic Life: A Study of the Priestly Vocation Rate”, in *Journal for the Scientific Study of Religion* (Volume 54, N3, Fall 2015).

“Networks and Narratives in the Making of Civic Practice: Lessons from Iberia”, in Jennifer Girouard and Carmen Sirianni (eds.), *Varieties of Civic Innovation: Deliberative, Collaborative, Network and Narrative Approaches*. (Vanderbilt University Press, 2014).

“Democracy and Markets: Notes on a Twenty-First Century Paradox”, in Daniel Brinks, Marcelo Leiras and Scott Mainwaring (eds.), *Reflections on Uneven Democracies: The Legacy of Guillermo O'Donnell*. (Johns Hopkins University Press, 2014).

Robert M. Fishman and Omar Lizardo, “How Macro-historical Change Shapes Cultural Taste: Legacies of Democratization in Spain and Portugal”, in *American Sociological Review* (Volume 78, N2, April 2013).

---- *Winner of Tilly Prize for Best Article, Section on Comparative and Historical Sociology, ASA*.

“The Iberian Divergence in Political Inclusion” in Pedro Alcantara da Silva and Filipe Carreira da Silva (eds.), *Ciencias Sociais: Vocaçao e Profissao. Homenagem a Manuel Villaverde Cabral*. (Imprensa de Ciencias Sociais, 2013).

“Anomalies of Spain’s Economy and Economic Policy-making” in *Contributions to Political Economy*. (Volume 31, 2012).

“On the Significance of Public Protest in Spanish Democracy” , in Jacint Jordana, Vicenç Navarro, Francesc Pallarés and Ferran Requejo (eds.), *Democràcia, Política i Societat: Homenatge a Rosa Virós*. (Universitat Pompeu Fabra and Avenç, 2012).

“Revisiting ‘Paths Toward Redemocratization’”, in Scott Mainwaring and Doug Chalmers (eds.) *Problems Confronting Contemporary Democracies: Essays in Honor of Aldred Stepan*. (University of Notre Dame Press, 2012).

“Democratic Practice after the Revolution: The Case of Portugal and Beyond”, in *Politics & Society*. (Volume 39, N2, June 2011).

“Conclusion: The Portuguese Case in Comparative Perspective” in Sebastian Royo (ed.), *Portugal in the 21st Century*. (Lexington Books, 2011).

“Rethinking the Iberian Transformations: How Democratization Scenarios Shaped Labor Market Outcomes,” in *Studies in Comparative International Development*. (Volume 45, N3, Fall 2010).

“On the Costs of Conceptualizing Social Ties as Social Capital”, Chapter three in Viva Bartkus and Jim Davis, (eds.) *Social Capital: Multidisciplinary Perspectives*. (Edward Elgar Press, 2009).

Robert M. Fishman and Keely Jones, “Civic Engagement and Church Policy in the Making of Religious Vocations: Cross-National Variation in the Evolution of Priestly Ordinations.” Chapter six in Giuseppe Giordan (ed.), *Vocation and Social Context*. (Brill Academic Publishers and Association for the Sociology of Religion, 2007).

"Triumphs, failures and ambiguities in democratization: Juan Linz and the study of regime change", Chapter two in Joan Marcet and José Ramón Montero (eds.), *Roads to Democracy: A Tribute to Juan J. Linz*. Col·leció Barcelona, 23. (Institut de Ciències Polítiques i Socials, Barcelona, 2007).

"On Being a Weberian (After Spain's 11-14 March): Notes on the Continuing Relevance of the Methodological Perspective Proposed by Weber", Chapter eleven in Laurence McFalls (ed.) *Max Weber's "Objectivity" Revisited*, (University of Toronto Press, 2007).

"Identity, Social Practice and Currency Change: Catalonia in the Year of the Euro", Chapter four in *The Year of the Euro: The Cultural, Social and Political Import of Europe's Common Currency*. Robert M. Fishman and Anthony M. Messina (eds.) (University of Notre Dame Press, 2006).

"Shaping, not making democracy: the European Union and the post-authoritarian political transformation of Spain and Portugal," in *South European Society and Politics* (Volume 8, N 1-2, Summer – Autumn 2003).

--- and in Sebastian Royo and Paul Manuel (eds.) *From Isolation to Integration: Fifteen Years of Spanish and Portuguese Membership in Europe*. (Frank Cass, 2003.)

--- [and (in Portuguese) in Sebastian Royo (ed.) *Portugal, Espanha e a Integração Europeia. Um Balanço*. (Lisbon: ICS, 2005).]

"Workplace Leaders and Labour Organisation: Limits on the Mobilisation and Representation of Workers", with Carol Mershon, in *International Contributions to Labour Studies* N.3. (1993).

"Divergent Paths: Labor Politics in Barcelona and Madrid" in *Politics, Society and Democracy: The Case of Spain*, edited by Richard Gunther (Westview Press, 1993).

"Rethinking State and Regime: Southern Europe's Transition to Democracy" in *World Politics*. (April, 1990).

--- [Reprinted in Geoffrey Pridham, *Transitions to Democracy*. (Dartmouth Publishing Co. 1995) Pp. 207 - 225.]

"El Movimiento Obrero en la Transición: Objetivos Políticos y Organizativos" in *Revista Española de Investigaciones Sociológicas*. (April-June, 1984).

"The Labor Movement in Spain: From Authoritarianism to Democracy" in *Comparative Politics*. (April, 1982).

"Las Primeras Elecciones Sindicales (1978): Análisis de Factores Determinantes del Voto", Chapter IX in Juan Linz, et. al. *Informe Sociológico sobre el Cambio Político en España, 1975-1981*. (Fundación FOESSA, 1981). [This is a shorter version of the *Comparative Politics* article, directed toward the Spanish reader.]

Op-eds and Opinion Pieces:

"Preguntas para Superar Desencuentros", *El País*, May 16, 2019.

"España 2016: El Camino de Kennedy". *El País*, February 17, 2016.

“Sucessos da Democracia Portuguesa não são um Acaso.” *Publico*** (Lisbon), April 25, 2014.

“Portugal’s Unnecessary Bailout”. *New York Times*, April 13, 2011: A23, National Edition.

“Los errores de un estereotipo: Los judíos en Estados Unidos”. *La Vanguardia**, March 14, 2004: 46.

“La fragmentación del electorado norteamericano”. *La Vanguardia**, December 19, 2000: 6.

* [*La Vanguardia* is Barcelona’s newspaper of record.]

** [*Publico* is Portugal’s primary newspaper of record.].

Personal Tributes and Contributions to Professional Newsletters:

“Re-examining the State/Regime Nexus: The Importance of Historical Contingencies”, in the *Newsletter of Comparative Democratization Section*, American Political Science Association, February 2017.

“How to Pose – and then Systematically Address – Truly Meaningful Questions: The Scholarly Legacy of Juan Linz”, in H.E. Chehabi, (ed.) *Juan Linz: Scholar, Teacher, Friend*. Ty Aur Press, 2014.

“El Legado Intelectual de Juan Linz”, in *Revista de Estudios Políticos*, N. 166, Oct-Dec 2014.

“On the Scholarly Legacy of Juan Linz (1926-2013)” in *States, Power and Societies*, 19(1), Newsletter of the Political Sociology Section of ASA, Fall 2013.

“Remembering Guillermo O’Donnell: An Intellectual Rebel – Who Changed the Mainstream” in *CD-APSA*, Vol. 10, N2, June 2012. (Comparative Democratization Section APSA).

“On the Significance of Public Protest: Puzzles and Challenges of Spanish Politics (Along with some explanations)”, in *Newsletter of Iberian Politics*, Vol. 2, N.1, Summer 2007. (Publication of Iberian Politics Group, APSA).

“Understanding the Linzian Approach to Democratization”, In *Comparative Democratization Section Newsletter*, Vol. 4, N. 3, October 2006. (Comparative Democratization Section, APSA).

With George Ross, “Changing Relationships between Labor and Intellectuals”, in *European Studies Newsletter*, September/October, 1989). (Council for European Studies).

Book Prologues:

Prologue to Víctor Sampedro (ed.) *Medios y elecciones 2004. La campaña electoral y “las otras campañas”*. (Editorial Ramón Areces, Universidad Rey Juan Carlos and Universidad de Granada, 2008).

Prologue to Rafael Duran's *Contención y transgresión: las movilizaciones sociales y el Estado en las transiciones Española y portuguesa*. (Centro de Estudios Políticos y Constitucionales, 2000).

Working Papers:

"On the Continuing Relevance of the Weberian Methodological Perspective (With Applications to the Spanish Case of Elections in the Aftermath of Terrorism", (Kellogg Institute Working Paper #317 – February 2005.

"Legacies of Democratizing Reform and Revolution: Portugal and Spain Compared", (Lisbon: Instituto de Ciencias Sociais, 2005).

"Labor and the Return of Democracy to Spain", Working Paper #118 Kellogg Institute, 1989.

"1936-1986: From Civil War to Contemporary Spain", a series of three Working Papers, co-edited with Charles Maier (Center for European Studies, Harvard University: 1987).

Book Reviews:

Lisbon Rising: Urban Social Movements in the Portuguese Revolution, 1974-5, by Pedro Ramos Pinto in *Análise Social*. Vol. 51 N 218, 2016.

The Politics of Industrial Relations: Labor Unions in Spain, by Kerstin Hamann in *South European Society and Politics* (2012).

Paths Toward Democracy, by Ruth Collier in *American Political Science Review* (June 2001).

"Linking Institutionalization to Regime Consolidation in Southern Europe: Leonardo Morlino's *Democracy between Consolidation and Crisis*." Review Article in *Southern European Politics and Society*, V5 N1 (Winter 2000).

The Bourgeois Epoch, by Richard Hamilton, in *Contemporary Sociology*, (September 1993).

Dilemmas of Social Democracy: The Spanish Socialist Workers Party in the 1980s, by Donald Share and *The Spanish Socialist Party: A History of Factionalism*, by Richard Gillespie, in *American Political Science Review*, (September 1990).

FELLOWSHIPS, HONORS AND RESEARCH GRANTS:

2015-2019	CONEX-Marie Curie Fellowship, Carlos III University.
2014	Tilly Prize for Best Article, ASA Section on Comparative and Historical Sociology, article co-authored with Omar Lizardo.
Spring 2009	Kellogg Institute, Faculty Residential Fellowship. (Awarded, December 2007).
2008	Luso-American Foundation (FLAD) and Kellogg Institute grant for field research in Portugal.
2005	Honorable Mention for Best Book in Political Sociology for <i>Democracy's Voices</i> . Political Sociology Section, ASA.
Fall 1999	Kellogg Institute, Faculty Residential Fellowship.
1995-1996	German Marshall Fund of the United States, Research Fellowship.
Spring 1994	Center for Advanced Study in the Social Sciences, Juan March Institute, Madrid, Visiting research associate.
1989-1990	Center for Advanced Study in the Social Sciences, Juan March Institute, Madrid, Visiting research associate.
1987-1988	National Endowment for the Humanities, Fellowship.
1980-1982	Social Science Research Council, Award for Dissertation Research in Spain.
1980-1981	Fulbright Hays, Award for Dissertation Research in Spain.
1981	CIS (Centro de Investigaciones Sociologicas), the primary public opinion and social research center funded by the Spanish government, Research Funding for a survey of plant-level labor leaders.
1977-1980	National Science Foundation, Graduate Student Fellowship.
1977	Recipient of an Andrew D. White Prize in British and European History for Senior Essay.
1977	Graduated Yale College, summa cum laude

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES:**Conference Papers (PARTIAL LIST):**

“How National Histories Shaped the Politics of Crisis: South European Contrasts”, Paper presented at the Conference of Europeanists, the Annual Meetings of the Council for European Studies, Glasgow, July 14, 2017.

“The Constitutions and Beyond: Legacies of Democratization in Contemporary Spain and Portugal”, Paper Presented at Conference on “The Portuguese Constitution in the Third Wave of Democratization”, Assembly of the Republic [the Portuguese Parliament], Lisbon, December 6, 2016.

“How Cultural Frameworks Shape the Politics of Crisis: The Iberian Divide in Inclusion”, Paper presented at the Annual Meetings of the American Political Science Association, Philadelphia, September 4, 2016.

“When Voices in the Streets Can(not) Change the World: Origins of the Iberian Divide in Inclusion”, Paper Presented at the Annual meetings of the American Sociological Association, Seattle, August 22, 2016.

“How the Past Shapes Struggles for Equality: Contrasting Legacies of Reform and Revolution”, Presented on a Featured Speaker Panel at the International Sociological Association Forum, Vienna, July 12, 2016.

“Is the State/Regime Nexus Historically Contingent and if so in What Ways?”, Paper Presented at the Workshop on “Disentangling the State-Regime Nexus”, June 15 – 17, 2016, University of Tübingen.

“How National Histories Shaped the Politics of Crisis: Portugal, Spain and Greece Compared” in Santander Workshop on “Model Transitions?”, St. Antony’s College, Oxford University, May 18, 2016.

Robert M. Fishman and Manuel Villaverde Cabral, “Socio-Historical Foundations of Citizenship Practice in Portugal”, Paper Presented at the Annual Meetings of the American Sociological Association, August 22 – 25, 2015, Chicago.

“How Civil Society Matters in Democratization: Theorizing the Iberian Divergence”, Presented at Conference of Europeanists,, Amsterdam, June 25-27, 2013.

“What Facilitates or Impedes Political Equality? The Role of Democratic Practice”, Presented at Workshop on “Inequality, Civil Society and Democracy: Cross-Regional Comparisons, 1970s – 2000s”, Lisbon, 7 – 8 June 2013, Luso-American Foundation for Development.

“Is Spain Greece? Is Greece Spain?” Presented at Workshop on “The Sovereign Debt Crisis as a Challenge to European Democracy”, Cornell University, Institute for European Studies, September 28-29, 2012.

“Democracy and Markets: Notes on a Twenty-First Century Paradox”, Presented at Conference in Honor of Guillermo O’Donnell, Buenos Aires, March 26-27, 2012.

“The Iberian Divergence in Political Inclusion”, Presented at the Eighteenth Conference of Europeanists (Council for European Studies), Barcelona, June 20-22, 2011.

“Why Portugal and Spain Came to Diverge in Cultural Tastes: Legacies of (Nearly) Polar Opposite Pathways to Democracy”, Co-authored with Omar Lizardo. Presented at the annual meetings of the Social Science History Association, Chicago, Nov. 18-21, 2010.

“Has European Union Membership Made Spain and Portugal More Alike”, Paper presented at the annual meetings of the American Political Science Association, September 2 – 5, 2010.

“How Legacies of Macro-Political Transformation Shape Patterns of Cultural Taste”, Co-authored with Omar Lizardo. Presented at the annual meetings of the American Sociological Association, August 14-17, 2010.

“Why Inequality Diminishes Civic Engagement”, Presented at the annual meetings of SASE, Paris, July 2009.

“Historical Legacies and Democratic Practice: Revolution and Identities in the Making of Portuguese and Spanish Politics”, Presented at the annual meetings of the Social Science History Association, Miami, October 23-26, 2008.

“Revisiting ‘Paths toward Redemocratization’ ”, Presented at Conference in Honor of Alfred Stepan, Columbia University, New York, October 19-20, 2007.

“The Distinctiveness of Democracy Forged in Revolution: Contrasts between Portugal and Spain”, Presented at the annual meetings of the American Sociological Association, August 10 – 14, 2007.

“Legacies of Democratizing Reform and Revolution: Portugal and Spain Compared”, Presented at the annual meetings of the American Political Science Association, Chicago, September 2 - 5, 2004.

“Civic Engagement, Development and Religious Vocations: Cross-National Patterns in the Evolution of Priestly Ordinations”, Co-authored with Keely Jones. Presented at the annual meetings of the American Sociological Association, August 14 - 18, 2004.

“On Being a Weberian (after Spain’s March 11 - 14): Notes on the Continuing Relevance of the

Methodological Perspective Proposed by Weber”, Presented at One Hundred Years of Objectivity, Conference at the Universite de Montreal, March, 2004.

“Democracy (and Employment) in Portugal and Spain: Legacies of Revolution and Reform” Presented at the annual meetings of the American Political Science Association, Philadelphia, August 2003.

“Explaining the Iberian Unemployment Paradox: Social and Political Underpinnings of Portugal’s Success and Spain’s Failure in Generating Employment”, Presented at the annual SASE meetings, Aix-en-Provence, June 2003.

“Identity, Social Practice and Currency Change: Catalonia in the Year of the Euro”, Presented at The Year of the Euro, A Nanovic Institute Conference held at the University of Notre Dame, Dec. 6 - 8, 2002.

“Rethinking Iberian Democracy Twenty-Five Years after the Transitions” Presented at the annual meetings of the American Political Science Association, Boston, August 29 - September 1, 2002.

“Social Ties and the Quality of Democracy: Workers and Intellectuals in contemporary Spain”, Presented at the annual meetings of the American Sociological Association, Chicago, August 16 - 19, 2002..

“Setting the Reach of Protest: Institutions, Movements and Social Ties in Spanish Working-Class Collective Action” Co-authored with Suzanne Coshov. Presented at Authority in Contention: Collective Behavior And Social Movements Workshop 2002 held at Notre Dame, August 14 - 15, 2002.

Professional Conferences or Panels Organized:

Chair, Local Organizing Committee for 2019 Conference of Europeanists, Council for European Studies meetings (International Conference of Europeanists) held in Madrid, June 20-22, 2019.

Co-organizer of mini-symposium on “National Histories and the Politics of Crisis” held during the Council for European Studies Conference of Europeanists, University of Glasgow, July 12 – 14, 2017.

Organizer of a Theme Panel on “When ‘Changing the Conversation’ Matters: Lessons from Southern Europe” for 2016 ASA meetings in Seattle.

Co-chair of Program Committee for 2015 Council for European Studies meetings held in Paris.

Co-chair of program selection process for Politics and History Section for 2014 APSA meetings

Co-organizer of panels on Inequality and Politics in Contemporary Portugal and Spain, Eighteenth Conference of Europeanists (Council for European Studies), June 20-22, 2011, Barcelona, Spain.

Organizer of Panel on Inequality and Citizenship for Political Sociology Section for 2010 Annual Meetings of the ASA

Organizer of Special Panel on Revolutions and Democracy for 2007 Annual Meetings of the ASA with participation by Charles Tilly, Jocelyn S. Viterna, Jeff Goodwin, George Ross and myself.

Co-organizer: The Year of the Euro. A Nanovic Institute Conference. December 6 - 8, 2002, University of Notre Dame. (With Tony Messina).

Co-organizer: Workshop on Intellectuals and Workers in Western Europe, November 1990, Center for European Studies, Harvard University. (With George Ross)

Co-organizer: Conference on "1936-1986: From Civil War to Contemporary Spain", November 1986, Center for European Studies, Harvard University. (With Charles Maier).

Participant and Institutional Leadership:

Acting Director, Carlos III/Juan March Institute, Carlos III University, Madrid. (October 2024 – September 2025).

Chair, Research Network on the Historical Study of States and Regimes, Council for European Studies. (2021-2023).

Member of Board of Research Committee on Political Sociology of International Sociological Association and International Political Science Association. (2018-2023).

Member Prize Committee for Tilly Award for Best Article in Comparative and Historical Sociology, ASA Section on Comparative and Historical Sociology (2015).

Chair, Walter Dean Burnham Prize Committee for best dissertation in politics and history, APSA Section on Politics & History (2015).

Member Journal Editorial Board *Polity*. (2016-2020).

Member, Journal Editorial Board *Revista Española de Ciencia Política* (beginning 2013).

Member of evaluation commission for political and social science research projects, Spain's Ministry of Economy and Competitiveness, previously Education and Science, 2012, 2011, 2009.

Member of Prize Committee for Best Article in *Análise Social* (Lisbon, Portugal). (2010).

Member of Prize Committee for Best Article. Comparative Democratization Section, APSA (2008).

Member of Jury for Sedas Nunes Prize awarded by the ICS (Lisbon, Portugal) for the best social science book on Portugal during the previous five years. This prestigious award provided 20,000 Euros to the winner. (2007).

Editor of Kellogg Institute Working Papers Series, (2006 – 2015).

Member Prize Committee for Best Book in Political Sociology, Political Sociology Section, ASA. (2006).

Member Editorial Board *Journal of Public Policy* (2003-2009)

Fellowship Screening Committee for the German Marshall Fund of the United States, Fellowship Awards (1997-1998)

Selection Committee for Council of European Studies Pre-dissertation grants. (1988-1989; 1990-1991; 1991-1992).

Screening Committee for SSRC Dissertation Awards, Western Europe Program (1985- 1986; 1986-1987; 1987-1988; 1988-1989)

Reviewer:

Journals (partial list):

American Journal of Sociology
American Sociological Review
American Political Science Review
American Journal of Political Science
British Journal of Sociology
Comparative Political Studies
Comparative Politics
Democratization
World Politics
Journal of Politics
Mobilization
Review of Politics
Perspectives on Politics
Political Science Quarterly
Polity
Revista Internacional de Sociología
Social Forces
Socio-Economic Review
Sociological Theory
Sociological Focus
Sociological Forum

South European Society & Politics
Journal of Public Policy
Qualitative Sociology
Revista de Estudios Políticos
Análise Social
West European Politics

University Presses (partial list):

Cornell University Press
Cambridge University Press
Johns Hopkins University Press
Oxford University Press
Princeton University Press
Stanford University Press
University of Pittsburgh Press
Wesleyan University Press

Other (partial list):

National Science Foundation

Teaching: Courses Taught (partial list):

At the Carlos III University:

Research in Progress Seminar, Masters in Social Science, co-taught with Professor Leandro Prados de la Escosura and in 2019- 2023 with Professor Sandra León and in 2024 with Pedro Riera.

Sociological Analysis I, offered in Masters in Social Science.

Transitional Justice and Democratization, co-taught with Professor Javier Dorado Porras

Classical Sociological Theory.

At the University of Notre Dame, Department of Sociology:

Political Sociology, a graduate seminar.

Foundations of Sociological Theory, a required undergraduate course.

Understandings of Democracy, an interdisciplinary first year of studies undergraduate seminar.

Research Methods, a required graduate course on a wide range of methods and design issues.

Comparing European Societies, an undergraduate course.

Social Ties, Social Networks and Social Capital, an undergraduate course.

Designing Research Projects: Practical Problems and Theoretical Issues, a graduate course co-listed in

sociology and political science.

Introduction to Sociology, an undergraduate course.

At Harvard University, Department of Government and Committee on Degrees in Social Studies:

Introduction to Comparative Politics, offered at the undergraduate level (co-taught three times).

Labor and Politics, cross-listed at the undergraduate and graduate levels.

Democratic Regime Transitions, a graduate seminar co-taught with Grzegorz Ekiert.

Politics and Society in Twentieth-Century Spain, an undergraduate course.

Social Studies 10, the sophomore undergraduate tutorial on social theory in the Social Studies Program.

At the Universitat Pompeu Fabra, Barcelona, as a visiting professor of political science:

Fundamentals of Political and Social Research, a graduate-level methods course offered in the UPF Master's Program.

Comparative Politics I: Offered at Undergraduate Level, Spring 2000.

Supervised Ph. D. Dissertations (as Principal Dissertation Director):

Rafael Durán Muñoz, Center for Advanced Study in the Social Sciences, Juan March Institute Madrid in conjunction with Department of Political Science, Autonomous University of Madrid, 1997.

Beth Schaefer Caniglia, Department of Sociology
University of Notre Dame, 2001

Joanna Kaftan, Department of Sociology
University of Notre Dame, 2002

Andres Walliser, Center for Advanced Study in the Social Sciences, Juan March Institute Madrid in conjunction with Department of Sociology, Autonomous University of Madrid, 2002

Suzanne Coshaw, Department of Sociology
University of Notre Dame, 2003

Eric Stromberg, Department of Sociology
University of Notre Dame, 2003

Andrew Downs, Department of Sociology

University of Notre Dame, 2004

Josh Dinsman, Department of Sociology
University of Notre Dame, 2014.

Alejandro Tirado Castro, Department of Social Sciences.
Carlos III University, 2022.