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## **Employment**

2024 -- Research Economist. Institute for Fiscal Studies.  
2022-2024 Research Economist. Centre for Economic Performance, London School of Economics.  
2021-2022 Postdoctoral Researcher. Department of Economics, Uppsala University.

## **Education**

Ph.D. Economics, *Cum Laude*, University of Barcelona, 2021.  
Visiting Researcher, Bocconi University, spring 2020.  
M.Sc. Economics, Barcelona School of Economics, Universitat Pompeu Fabra, 2017.  
B.A. Economics, Universidad de la República Uruguay, 2014.

## **Fields of Interests**

Economics of Crime; Urban Economics; Public Economics; Network Analysis;

## **Article Publications**

Dominguez, M. and Montolio, D. (2021). Bolstering community ties as a means of reducing crime. *Journal of Economic Behavior & Organization*, 191:916–945

Aboal, D., Lanzilotta, B., Dominguez, M. and Vairo, M. (2016). The Cost of Crime and Violence in Five Latin American Countries. *European Journal on Criminal Policy and Research*, 22(4):689-711

## **Other Publications**

Dominguez, M. and Montolio, D. (2022) Social prevention of crime: alternatives to policing measures in an urban context. In P. Buonanno, J.F. Vargas, and P. Vanin (Eds.) *A Modern Guide to Economics of Crime*. Edward Elgar Publishing.

Dominguez, M. (2022). Gäng, nätverk och brott – lärdomar för Sverige. *Ekonomisk Debatt*, 50(4):55-65.

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

“Sweeping up gangs: the effects of tough-on-crime policies from a network approach.” (Revise and resubmit, American Economic Journal: Economic Policy)

“Neighborhood Labeling and Youth Schooling Paths” (with Hans Grönqvist and Torsten Santavirta)

“Networking Entrepreneurs (with Fernando Vega-Redondo, Paolo Pin, Diego Ubfal, Cristiana Benedetti-Fasil, Charles Brummitt, Gaia Rubera, Dirk Hovy, Tommaso Fornaciari)

“Behind closed doors: Crime composition in gang territory” (with Daniel Montolio)

## **Project Grants**

2023-2026 Research environment grant on crime: “Swedish Criminal Policy Laboratory”. Swedish Research Council. PI Hans Grönqvist. (1.4 M GBP)

2023-2026 Research environment grant on crime: “Organized Criminal Groups”. Swedish Research Council. PI Kim Moeller (1.15 M GBP)

2023-2026 Project grant for research into segregation: “Consequences of becoming a vulnerable area”. Swedish Research Council. PI Hans Grönqvist (500,000 GBP).

2023-2025 “Understanding social cohesion: the interaction between education and criminal behaviour”. Spanish Ministry of Science, Innovation and Universities. PI Daniel Montolio.

2020-2022 “Behavioural responses to social changes: crime in an interconnected world”. Spanish Ministry of Science, Innovation and Universities. PI Daniel Montolio.

2017-2019 “Networks and crime: a triple approximation to detect and prevent security threats”. Spanish Ministry of Economy. PI Daniel Montolio.

### **Honors, Scholarships, and Fellowships**

2022 Royal Economic Society Dissemination Grant.  
2017-2021 Scholarship for Ph.D. Candidates. “Networks and Crime”. Spanish Ministry of Economy.  
2019 PhD Research Grant. “Networks and Crime”. Banc Sabadell Foundation, Spain.  
2016 National Prize on Urban Development. Honors, B.A. thesis. Housing Ministry, Uruguay.  
2014 Research Initiation Grant. National Agency for Research and Innovation, Uruguay.

### **Other professional activities, Post PhD**

#### **Conferences and invited presentations**

2024 Charles University; VSE Prague; 8th Workshop on the Economics of Organized Crime, Collegio Carlo Alberto; CEP-LSE; Institute for Fiscal Studies; Chicago/LSE Crime Conference; Workshop on the Economics of Crime for Junior scholars.  
2023 Newcastle University Business School; Gothenburg University; VATT; Universidad de la República Uruguay; Universidad Católica del Uruguay; Chicago/LSE Crime Conference; European Meeting of the Urban Economics Association; Workshop on the Economics of Crime for Junior scholars; Institut d’Economia de Barcelona.  
2022 European Association of Labour Economists; Transatlantic Workshop on the Economics of Crime; Opportunity Insights Conference; Workshop on Urban Economics, University of Barcelona; Chicago/LSE Crime Conference 2022; Junior Economists Meeting, University of Milan; European Meeting of the Urban Economics Association; Linnaeus University; Uppsala University; SOFI – Stockholm University.  
2021 Workshop on the Economics of Crime for Junior scholars; LACEA-LAMES; Transatlantic Workshop Economics of Crime; European Economic Association Meeting.

#### **Teaching Experience**

2024 The Economics of Cities (Undergraduate), London School of Economics.  
2023 Economics of Crime (Graduate), Universidad de la República Uruguay.

#### **Other Research Activities**

Evaluation of the County Lines Programme. For the Home Office, UK.  
Forecasting police demand in London. For the Metropolitan Police Services, UK.  
Cost of Living and Crime in London. For the Mayor’s Office for Policing and Crime, UK.  
Evaluation of the design of the Catalan Strategy for the reception and inclusion of unaccompanied migrant children and young people. For the Catalan institute for the evaluation of public policies (IVALUA).

#### **Academic Service**

Conference Organizer or Scientific Committee: Workshop on the Economics of Crime for Junior scholars; LACEA-Lames Annual Meeting; LAUrban Meeting; Sociedad de Economistas del Uruguay.  
Journal Referee: Quarterly Journal of Economics; Journal of Law, Economics and Organization; Journal of Quantitative Criminology; Journal of Economic Criminology, Journal of Economic Geography; Network Science.  
Technical Reviewer: Spring Meeting of Young Economists; National Agency for Research and Innovation, Uruguay.

#### **Languages and computational skills**

Languages: Spanish (Native), English (Proficient), French (Intermediate), Italian (Basic); Catalan (Basic).  
Software: STATA, R, QGIS, Gephi, Python.