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CURRENT POSITION

2012 - Institut Barcelona d'Estudis Internacionals (IBEI)
Assistant Professor

PAST POSITIONS

2009-2012 Institut Barcelona d'Estudis Internacionals (IBEI)
Head of Studies & Assistant Professor

2004-2009 King's College London
Associate Professor in European Studies (Tenured)

2003-2004 King's College London
Assistant Professor in European Studies (Lecturer)

VISITING POSITIONS

2013- Universitat Ramon Llull - Blanquerna
Adjunct Professor in International Politics

2013-2015 London School of Economics
Visiting Fellow at the Department of International Development

2011-2012 University of Oxford
Santander Visiting Fellowship at St. Antony's College

2009-2010 London School of Economics
Visiting Fellow at the Centre for International Studies (CIS)

2008-2009 European University Institute
Max Weber Fellowship at the Department of Social and Political Sciences

EDUCATION

1999-2004 London School of Economics
PhD in Political Science at the Department of Government
Supervisors: Professor Anthony D. Smith and Professor Mary Kaldor

1997-1998 Sussex European Institute, University of Sussex
MA in Contemporary European Studies

1992-1997 Autonomous University of Barcelona
BA in Political Science

ACADEMIC FELLOWSHIPS, GRANTS AND AWARDS

2013-16 Three-year Research Project on 'Rules of Disengagement: Individual and Collective Ways Out of Terrorism' funded by Spain's Ministry of Economy and Competitiveness (PI: Diego Muro)

2014 Fritz Thyssen Stiftung Grant to fund the project 'The Impact of the European Union on Secessionism'

- 2011-12 Santander Fellowship at St. Antony's College, University of Oxford
 2011 Mobility Grant for Administrative Staff (PAS 2011)
 2009-10 Visiting Fellowship at the Centre for International Studies (LSE)
 2008-09 Max Weber Postdoctoral Fellowship at the European University Institute
 2008-09 Visiting Lecturer at James Madison University (Florence Campus)
 2007 British Academy Conference Grant
 2007 Central Research Fund, University of London
 2007 Small Grant for Humanities Research, King's College London
 2006 Grice-Hutchinson Bequest, King's College London
 2005 Small Grant for Humanities Research, King's College London
 2004 Runner-up, second annual Dominique Jacquin-Berdal ASEN prize for young scholars
 2003 Summer Travel Stipend, Centre for Basque Studies, University of Nevada
 2001-04 Research Studentship, London School of Economics
 2001 Central Research Fund, University of London
 2000 PromPerú Summer Research Fellowship, Government of Perú

PUBLICATIONS

Books

- 2011 (ed.) *Politics and Memory of the Transition: The Spanish Model*. London: Routledge.
 2008 *Ethnicity and Violence: the Case of Radical Basque nationalism*, London: Routledge/Cañada Blanch Series in Contemporary Spain.

Articles

- 2015 'Healing Through Action? The Political Mobilisation of Victims of Al Qaeda Inspired Violence in Spain and the UK', *Studies in Conflict and Terrorism*, 38(6)
 2015 'When Do Countries Re-centralize? Ideology and Party Politics in the Age of Austerity', *Nationalism and Ethnic Politics*, 21(1) also published in Richard Gillespie & Caroline Gray (eds) *Contesting Spain? The Dynamics of Nationalist Movements in Catalonia and the Basque Country*. Routledge.
 2009 'Politics of Territorial Accommodation in Zapatero's Spain', *South European Society & Politics*, Vol. 14, No. 4, December 2009, pp. 453-468
 2009 'The Politics of War Memory', *Ethnic and Racial Studies*, Vol. 32, No. 4, pp. 1-20, pp. 659-678.
 2005 'Nationalism and Nostalgia: the Case of Radical Basque Nationalism', *Nations and Nationalism*, Vol. 11, No. 4, pp. 571-590.
 2005 co-authored with Alejandro Quiroga, 'Spanish Nationalism: Ethnic or Civic?', *Ethnicities*, Vol. 5, No. 1, pp. 9-29.
 2004 co-authored with Alejandro Quiroga, 'Building the Spanish Nation: The Centre-Periphery Dialectic', *Studies in Ethnicity and Nationalism*, Vol. 4, No. 2, pp. 18-37.
 2002 'The Logic of Violence', *Politics*, Volume 22, No. 2, pp. 109-117.

Chapters

- 2015 'Ethnicity, Nationalism and Social Movements', Donatella Della Porta & Mario Diani's *The Oxford Handbook of Social Movements*. Oxford: Oxford University Press.

- 2012 'The Politics of War Memory in Radical Basque Nationalism' in Martin Bulmer & John Solomos, *Nationalism and National Identities*, Routledge
- 2010 'The Basques after Franco: Terrorism and Nationalism in a Divided Society' in Alonso, Gregorio & Muro, Diego, *Politics and Memory of Democratic Transition: The Spanish Model*, London and New York: Routledge, pp. 159-180.
- 2010 'Politics of Territorial Accommodation in Zapatero's Spain', in Field, Bonnie N. (ed.) *Spain's 'Second Transition'? The Socialist government of Jose Luis Rodríguez Zapatero*, pp. 75-90.
- 2009 'Una larga transición: nacionalismo vasco y cambio político en Euskadi', in Ortiz Heras, Manuel, *Nacionalismo, Franquismo y Transición*, Madrid: La Catarata de los Libros, pp. 133-152 .
- 2003 co-authored with Mary Kaldor, 'Religious and nationalist militant networks', in M. Kaldor, H. Anheier and M. Glasius (eds.), *Global Civil Society 2003*. Oxford: Oxford University Press, pp. 151-184.
- 2003 'Campaign for a "Robin Hood Tax" for Foreign Exchange Markets' in John Clark (ed.), *Globalizing Civic Engagement: Civil Society and Transnational Action*. London: Earthscan, pp. 150-163.
- 2003 co-authored with Nuno Themudo, 'Trade Unions in a Changing World: Challenges and Opportunities of Transnationalization' in John Clark (ed.), *Globalizing Civic Engagement: Civil Society and Transnational Action*, London: Earthscan, pp. 45-65.

Working Papers

- 2015 Diego Muro & Martijn Vlaskamp (2015) How do the Prospects of EU Membership Influence Support for Secession? A Natural Experiment. *UAM Working Paper 173/2015*.
- 2014 'Disembedding Terrorists: Identifying New Factors and Models for Disengagement Research', *ICIP Working Papers 2014/4*.
- 2010 'Precipitants and Facilitators of Terrorist Disengagement: A Comparative Analysis of Germany, Italy, Spain and the UK', *Max Weber Working Paper Series*, European University Institute.

Op-Eds

- 2014 'A Catalan Compromise', *Foreign Affairs* (9-11-2014) <http://www.foreignaffairs.com/articles/142344/diego-muro/a-catalan-compromise>
- 2014 'How to Compensate Victims of Terrorism: Two Nations' Very Different Responses' (20-1-2014), *The New York Times* <http://www.nytimes.com/roomfordebate/2014/01/20/how-should-victims-of-terrorism-be-compensated>
- 2014 'Persistent unemployment poses a substantive threat to democracy in Southern European countries' (13 March 2014), *LSE's European Politics and Policy Blog (EUROPP Blog)* <http://blogs.lse.ac.uk/europpblog/2014/03/13/persistent-unemployment-poses-a-substantive-threat-to-democracy-in-southern-european-countries/>
- 2014 'The Spanish government must find a positive message for Catalonia if it is to reduce support for Catalan independence' (23 July 2014), *LSE's EUROPP Blog*

- <http://blogs.lse.ac.uk/europpblog/2014/07/23/the-spanish-government-must-find-a-positive-message-for-catalonia-if-it-is-to-reduce-support-for-catalan-independence/>
- 2014 '¿Cuándo nos importa la corrupción?' (21-3-2014), *Agenda Pública - Diario.es*.
http://www.eldiario.es/agendapublica/nueva-politica/importa-corrupcion_0_241125996.html
- 2014 '¿Qué pasa cuando las elecciones no sirven para castigar a los políticos que se lo merecen?' (21-4-2014), *Agenda Pública - Diario.es*.
http://www.eldiario.es/agendapublica/nueva-politica/elecciones-sirven-castigar-politicos-merecen_0_251974853.html
- 2014 '¿Qué piensan los votantes de las primarias?' (1-6-2014), *Agenda Pública - Diario.es*.
http://www.eldiario.es/agendapublica/nueva-politica/piensan-votantes-primarias_0_265623684.html
- 2014 'The Madrid Blasts, Ten Years Later' (11-3-2014) in *Opendemocracy.net*
<https://www.opendemocracy.net/diego-muro/madrid-blasts-ten-years-later>
- 2014 'Mind the Gap: The Political Consequences of the Great Recession', *Nota Internacional CIDOB 90*.
http://www.cidob.org/publicaciones/notes_internacionales/n1_90/mind_the_gaps_the_political_consequences_of_the_great_recession_in_europe
- 2007 'ETA's Farewell to Peace' (18-1-2007) in *OpenDemocracy.net*
http://193.41.101.57/conflict-terrorism/eta_peace_4259.jspU
- 2006 'A Basque Peace Opportunity' (23-3-2006) in *OpenDemocracy.net*
http://193.41.101.57/conflict-terrorism/basque_3385.jspU
- 2004 'ETA after Madrid: the beginning of the end?' (16-3-2004) In *OpenDemocracy.net*
http://193.41.101.57/democracy-madridprevention/article_1791.jspU

Book Reviews

- 2013 Political Studies Review, Vol. 11, No. 3,
Alex Schmid (ed.) (2011) *The Routledge Handbook of Terrorism Research*.
Abingdon: Routledge.
- 2013 Political Studies Review, Vol. 11, No. 1
Martha Crenshaw (ed.) (2010) *The Consequences of Counterterrorism*. New York:
Russell Sage Foundation.
- 2009 Political Studies Review, Vol. 7, No. 1
Richard Gunther, Nikiforos Diamandouros and Dimitri A. Sotiropoulos,
Democracy and the State in the New Southern Europe (Oxford University Press, 2007)
- 2008 West European Politics, Vol. 31, No. 4
Omar Encarnación's *Contemporary Spanish Politics* (Polity, 2008)
- 2007 West European Politics, Vol. 30, No. 1, pp. 213-215
Mariano Torcal and José Ramón Montero's *Political Disaffection in Contemporary Democracies: Social capital, institutions, and politics* (Routledge, 2006).
- 2005 Political Studies Review, Vol. 3, No. 1, p. 106
Ludger Mees' *Nationalism, Violence and Democracy. The Basque Clash of Identities*
(Palgrave, 2003)
- 2005 Political Studies Review, Vol. 3, No. 2, pp. 267-268
Richard Gunther, José Ramón Montero and Joan Botella's *Democracy in Modern Spain* (Yale University Press, 2004)
- 2005 South European Society & Politics, Vol. 10, No. 1, pp. 162-163

- Ludger Mees' *Nationalism, Violence and Democracy. The Basque Clash of Identities* (Palgrave, 2003)
- 2005 Journal of Contemporary European Studies, Vol. 13, No. 1, pp. 107-108
Gloria Totoricagüena's *Identity, Culture and Politics in the Basque Diaspora* (University of Nevada Press, 2004)
- 2003 Studies in Ethnicity and Nationalism, Vol. 3, No. 1, pp. 79-81
Joe Sacco's *Palestine* (Jonathan Cape, 2002)
- 2000 ASEN Bulletin, No. 18, pp. 37-38
Montserrat Guibernau's *Nations without States. Political Communities in a Global Age* (Polity Press, 1999)

Encyclopaedia Articles

- 2011 **The Blackwell Encyclopedia of Social and Political Movements** edited by David A. Snow, Donatella Della Porta, Bert Klandermans, and Doug McAdam
Entry on 'ETA - Basque Nationalist and Separatist Organization'
- 2006 **Jane's World Insurgency and Terrorism** (<http://jwit.janes.com>)
Profiles on ETA, GRAPO and Iraultza
- 2006 **World Encyclopaedia of Political Systems and Parties (4th edition)**
Entry on 'Principality of Andorra'
- 2005 **Microsoft Encarta 2005 (Premium Suite in CD format)**
Entries on 'ETA' and 'Radical Basque Nationalism'
- 2001 **Jane's Sentinel, Western Europe online**
Entry on the 'Principality of Andorra' (executive summary, internal affairs, external affairs, plus defence and economic information)

INVITED LECTURES AND CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

- 2015 Council of European Studies (CES) 22nd International Conference (8-10 July 2015). 'Re-centralization in Times of Crisis? The European Union and the United States during the Great Recession'.
- 2015 European University Institute - 9th Max Weber Fellows Conference (10-12 June 2015). 'Do International Factors Influence Support for Secession? EU Membership in the Cases of Catalonia and Scotland'.
- 2015 UAM Political Science Research Seminar (25 March 2015). 'How Do the Prospects of EU Membership Influence Support for Secession? A Natural Experiment'.
- 2015 IBEI Research Seminar 2015 (27 February 2015). 'Do International Factors Influence Support for Secession? EU Membership in the Cases of Catalonia and Scotland'.
- 2015 ISA Annual Convention (20 February 2015). 'Do International Factors Influence Support for Secession? EU Membership in the Cases of Catalonia and Scotland'.
- 2014 Juan March-IBEI Workshop (20 November 2014). 'Political Disaffection in Southern Europe. Clarity of Responsibility & the Great Recession'.
- 2014 APSA Annual Meeting (29 August 2014). 'Who is to Blame? Political Mistrust and the Great Recession in Southern Europe' AND 'Rules of Disengagement: Individual and Collective Ways Out of Terrorism'.
- 2014 IPRA General Conference (12 August 2014). 'Rules of Disengagement: Individual and Collective Ways Out of Terrorism in Spain'.

- 2014 IBEI International Studies Conference (19 June 2014). 'The European Union's Impact on Secessionism in its Member States. The Cases of Catalonia and Scotland'.
- 2014 University of Liverpool – Marie Curie Workshop (13 June 2014) 'Unemployment – Democracy's Worst Enemy? Political Disaffection and the Economic Crisis in Southern Europe'.
- 2014 NATO Centre of Excellence – Defence Against Terrorism (28 May 2014) 'Diplomacy and Soft Power in Combating Terrorism'.
- 2013 New York University (NYU) Berlin & Freie Universität Workshop (22 November 2013). 'Transitions After the Economic Crisis: A Comparative Analysis of Southern Europe'.
- 2013 Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association (APSA), Chicago, IL, 31 August 2013. 'The EU as a Lion Tamer? Secessionism and Centre-Periphery Relations in Spain and the UK'
- 2013 General Conference of the European Consortium for Political Research (ECPR), Bordeaux, 5 September 2013. 'Disembedding Terrorists: Identifying New Factors and Models for Disengagement Research'
- 2013 Research Seminar García Pelayo of the Centro de Estudios Políticos y Constitucionales (CEPC), 30 April 2013. 'Self-healing in action: the political activism of associations of victims of terrorism in Spain and the UK'
- 2013 7th Annual Max Weber Conference – Academic Careers in the Social Sciences: Entry, Competition and Advancement, European University Institute (EUI), 28 November 2012. 'Are the global economic recession and austerity measures in universities exacerbating the 'brain drain' effect in third level education?'
- 2012 Oxford Transitional Justice Research Seminars, Oxford, 5 June 2012: Who is the Terrorist? Memories, Victims and the Use of Legitimate Violence
- 2012 22nd Annual ASEN Conference, Nationalism, Ethnicity and Boundaries, LSE, 27-29 March 2012: 'Sorry, We Are Closed: The End of ETA's Violent Campaign and its Impact on Basque Secessionism'
- 2012 Visiting Fellows' 'Brown Bag' Presentations, Centre for European Studies, St. Antony's College, University of Oxford, 29 February 2012: 'Self Healing in Action: The Political Activism of Terror Victims Organisations in Spain and the UK'.
- 2011 6th European Consortium of Political Research (ECPR) General Conference, Reykjavik, 25-27 August 2011: 'Rules of Disengagement: Processes of Terrorist Disbandment'
- 2011 Council of European Studies 18th Annual Conference, 20-22 June 2011 'Counter-Terrorist Strategies in Western Europe'
- 2009 Institut Barcelona d'Estudis Internacionals (IBEI), 4 June 2009, 'Precipitants and Facilitators of Terrorist Disbandment'
- 2008 Universitat de València, Seminari de Discussió d'Història Cultural, 31 October 2008, 'Tales of War: Memory and National Identities in Contemporary Spain'
- 2008 Universidad de Castilla La Mancha, V Jornadas de Estudio sobre Franquismo y Transición, 29 October 2008: 'El nacionalismo vasco radical durante la transición'
- 2008 University of Cardiff, The State of the Kingdoms – Nationalist Challenges in Britain and Spain, 2 May 2008: 'Radical Nation-Building: Violence and Mobilisation in the Basque Country'
- 2008 Council of European Studies 17th Annual Conference, 6-8 March 2008: 'Zapatero and the Nationality Question'

- 2008 17th Annual ASEN Conference, The Dark Face of Nationalism, LSE, 17-19 April 2008: 'Tales of War: Myths, Memories and Rituals in Modern Spain'
- 2008 University of Cambridge, 20 February 2008, Public Lecture at Trinity College on 'ETA and Basque Nationalism'
- 2007 4th ECPR General Conference, Pisa, 6-8 September 2007: 'War and Memory in the Basque Nationalist Imaginary'
- 2006 16th Annual ASEN Conference, Nations and their Pasts, LSE, 28-30 March 2006: 'Politics of War Memory'
- 2005 3rd ECPR General Conference, Budapest, 8-10 September 2005: 'Should Political Parties be Banned?'
- 2005 War Memories/Memory Wars, University of Cork, 16-17 September 2005: 'Politics of War Memory in Spain'
- 2004 ACIS General Conference, University of Limerick, 9-11 September 2004: 'Continuity and change in Spain's Popular Party: an analysis of Jose Maria Aznar's governments between 1996 and 2004'
- 2004 7th Congress of the Spanish Association of Contemporary History, University of Santiago de Compostela 21-24 December 2004: 'Nationalism and Nostalgia'
- 2003 2nd ECPR General Conference, Marburg, 18-21 September 2003: 'Nationalist and Religious Militant Groups'

CONFERENCES ORGANIZED

- 2011 **How Does Terrorism End?**, Institut Barcelona d'Estudis Internacionals (IBEI), 26-27 May 2011
- 2007 **New Perspectives on the Spanish Transition to Democracy**, King's College, London, 20-21 May 2007

PARTICIPATION IN FUNDED RESEARCH PROJECTS

- 2012-15 Three-year Research Project entitled 'Rules of Disengagement: Individual and Collective Ways Out of Terrorism in Spain' which has been funded by Spain's Ministry of Economy and Competitiveness. 14,000 Euros. Principal Investigator: Diego Muro
- 2010-2013 Grup de Recerca en Estudis Internacionals (GREI). Grup de Recerca Emergent awarded by the Agència d'Ajuts Universitaris i de Recerca (Talència, Generalitat de Catalunya). 36,000 Euros. Project leader: Jacint Jordana.

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Refereeing & Membership

American Journal of Political Science, Cold War History, Ethnicities, European Journal of Sociology, European Political Science Review, International Journal of Iberian Studies, Journal of Iberian and Latin American Studies, Mobilization, Millennium, National Identities, Nations and Nationalism, Party Politics, Political Studies, Political Geography, Publius, Regional and Federal Studies, Revista del Instituto Español de Estudios Estratégicos, South European Society & Politics, Studies in Ethnicity and Nationalism, and Terrorism and Political Violence.

Palgrave-Macmillan, Routledge, Centro de Investigaciones Sociológicas (CIS), Boulder, Rowman & Littlefield Publishers, INC, Agencia Nacional de Evaluación y Prospectiva (ANEP)

External Examiner of PhD candidates: Eric Binefeld (Bath, 2009)

Member of LSE Scholarship Committee (awards 2 fully-funded scholarships for postgraduate study at the London School of Economics (LSE), Obra Social de Caixa Catalunya-CIDOB, 2010)

Member, International Advisory Council of ASEN (2012-to date)

Member, International Advisory Board of *Nations and Nationalism* (2009-to date)

Member, Editorial Advisory Board of *International Journal of Iberian Studies* (Dec 2014-to date)

Member, Editorial Board of *Nations and Nationalism* (2004-2009)

Editor-in-Chief, *Studies in Ethnicity and Nationalism* (2001-2003)

Member, American Political Science Association (APSA)

Member, International Studies Association (ISA)

Member, Council of European Studies (CES)

Member, Association for the Study of Ethnicity and Nationalism (ASEN)

Member, University Association for Contemporary European Studies (UACES)

Media

I have been interviewed by the following media organisations:

- Television: CNN, CBC, Sky News, Bloomberg TV, Al Jazeera and RTE
- Radio: BBC Radio 4, BBC World Service and LBC 97.3
- Newspapers: International Herald Tribune, Wall Street Journal, The Guardian, Opendemocracy.net, Pravda, El Globo and El Mundo

COURSES OFFERED

Graduate Courses: Comparative Politics, Research Methods in International Security, Terrorism and Counter-Terrorism, Nationalism and Ethnic Conflict, Conceptualising Modern Europe, Contemporary Debates in European Integration, The Politics of European Identity, and Nationalism in Europe

Undergraduate Courses: Democracy and Democratization, Contemporary Spanish Politics, Spain in the Twentieth Century, and Theories and Problems of Nationalism

LANGUAGES

Catalan	Native
Spanish	Native
English	Fluent
Italian	Proficient

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