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## **Employment**

Since 2018:	Associate professor of International Relations, Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona.
Since 2012:	Assistant professor, UAB.
Sept 2007-Sept 2012:	Tenure track Lecturer, UAB (first two years, on leave).
Sept 2007-Sept 2009	Postdoctoral Researcher at the Centre for European Integration (OSI, Freie Universität Berlin), on a <i>Beatriu de Pinós</i> grant (Generalitat de Catalunya).
Sept 2005-Sept 2007:	Collaborating Lecturer, UAB.
2001-Sept 2005:	Affiliated Lecturer, UAB.

Teaching: International environmental politics, Contemporary International System (English), International Relations, European International Politics, Spanish foreign policy, Analysis in International Relations (graduate course, UAB), International environmental politics (graduate course, IBEI).

## **Publications**

### Books

*The EU policy responses to a shifting multilateral system.* Houndmills Basingstoke Hampshire: Palgrave Macmillan, 2016. Co-edited with Esther Barbé and Robert Kissack.

*Palgrave is ranked B (in a scale from A to E, "the world's semi-top of publishers") in the SENSE academic book publishers ranking*

*The Influence of International Institutions on the EU. When Multilateralism Hits Brussels,* Houndmills Basingstoke Hampshire: Palgrave Macmillan, 2012. Co-edited with Knud Erik Jørgensen. *Same as above*

Articles in peer reviewed journals

“Une Liaison Transnationale. Exploring the Role of NGOs in EU Foreign Policy-making on the ICC”, *Comparative European Politics* (accepted). With Patrick Müller. *SSCI Q2*

“Review of Celestino del Arenal and José Antonio Sanahuja (eds), *Teorías de las Relaciones Internacionales, Madrid: Tecnos*”, *European Review of International Studies*, 3(2), 2017, 123-126.

“Después de Kyoto, Beijing: la UE ante las nuevas negociaciones del clima”, *Revista CIDOB d'Afers Internacionals*, 108, 2015, 23-41.

“A force for and because of multilateralism. When is the EU a multilateralist actor in world society?”, *Journal of European Public Policy*, 20(8), 2013, 1213-28. *SSCI Q1*.

*Included at the JEPP Virtual Special Issue on Theorizing EU foreign policy, edited by Michael E. Smith.  
http://explore.tandfonline.com/page/pgas/rjpp-vsi-eu-fp*

“Introducción: el multilateralismo en crisis”, *Revista CIDOB d'afers internacionals*, n.101, 2013, p. 7-25

“Is the downloading of the new global IPR regime changing the EU? The second image reversed of intellectual property rights”, *Politische Vierteljahresschrift, Sonderheft 46 2011*, pp. 465-499. With Erik Henk Meier. *SSCI Q3*

“Review de Börzel, Tanja A. (ed.) *Coping with Accession to the European Union: New Modes of Environmental Governance*, London: Routledge”, *Mediterranean Politics*, 15(3), 2010, 461-462. *SSCI Q2*

“Convergence on the fringe: The environmental dimension of Euro-Mediterranean co-operation”, *Mediterranean Politics*, 15(2), 2010, 149-168. *SSCI Q2*

“The Unexpected EU Leadership on Landmines. The influence of the Ottawa Convention on the EU”, *European Security*, 18(3), 2009, 245-261.

“Greening the Neighbourhood? The Environmental Dimension of the European Neighbourhood Policy in Morocco and Ukraine”, *European Foreign Affairs Review*, 14(4), 2009, 525-545. With Aron Buzogány.

“Which rules shape the EU's external governance? Patterns of rule selection in foreign and security policies”, *Journal of European Public Policy*, 16(6), 2009, 834-882. With Esther Barbé, Anna Herranz Surrallés and Michal Naturski. *SSCI Q1*

“Drawing the neighbours closer ... to what? Explaining emerging patterns of policy convergence between the EU and its neighbours”, *Cooperation and Conflict*, 44(4), 2009, 378-399. With Esther Barbé, Anna Herranz Surrallés, Elisabeth Johansson-Nogués, Michal Naturski, Maria A. Sabiote. SSCI Q3

*(Awarded as the most cited article of Cooperation and Conflict during the years 2009-2010)*

“Is Climate Change Changing the EU? The Second Image Reversed in Climate Politics”, *Cambridge Review of International Affairs*, vol 21 (4), 2008, 527-544.

“Review of W. Bradnee Chambers & Jessica F. Green (eds.), *Reforming International Environmental Governance: From Institutional Limits to Innovative Reforms* (Tokyo: United Nations University Press, 2005)”, *Millennium –Journal of International Studies*, 36(2), 2008, 188-189. SSCI Q3

“Review of Frank Biermann and Steffen Bauer (eds.), *A World Environment Organisation: Solution or Threat for Effective International Environmental Governance?* (Aldershot: Ashgate, 2005) and Lorraine Elliot, *The Global Politics of the Environment* (Houndmills: Palgrave Macmillan, 2004 Second Edition)”, *Millennium –Journal of International Studies*, vol. 35 (3), 2007, 788-791. SSCI Q3

“Spain as an Actor in European and International Climate Policy. From a Passive to an Active Laggard?”, *South European Society & Politics*, 11(2), 2006, 223-240. SSCI Q4

“España en las negociaciones del clima y el Protocolo de Kioto”, *Política Exterior*, 113, 2006, 159-166.

### Book chapters

“Assessing influence between International Organizations”, R. Biermann and J.A. Koops (eds.), *Palgrave Handbook of Inter-organizational Relations in World Politics*. Houndmills Basingstoke Hampshire: Palgrave Macmillan, 2017, pp. 389-405.

*Palgrave is ranked B (in a scale from A to E, “the world’s semi-top of publishers”) in the SENSE academic book publishers ranking*

“Accommodating or entrenching? How the EU is dealing with changes in the multilateral system”, E. Barbé, O. Costa and R. Kissack (eds.), *The EU policy responses to a shifting multilateral system*. Houndmills Basingstoke Hampshire: Palgrave Macmillan, 2016, pp. 1-23. With Esther Barbé and Robert Kissack. Same as above

“Beijing after Kyoto? The EU and the new climate in climate negotiations”, E. Barbé, O. Costa

and R. Kissack (eds.), *The EU policy responses to a shifting multilateral system*. Houndmills Basingstoke Hampshire: Palgrave Macmillan, 2016, pp. 115-133.

*Same as above*

“Los regímenes internacionales del medio ambiente y las potencias emergentes. La provisión multilateral de bienes públicos durante la transición de poder”, N. Bouza, C. García and Á.J. Rodrigo (dir), *Gobernanza del interés público global. XXV Jornadas de la Asociación Española de Profesores de Derecho Internacional y Relaciones Internacionales*, Madrid: Tecnos, 2015, 313-332.

“La Unión Europea en las negociaciones internacionales del clima”, Esther Barbé (dir), *La Unión Europea en las Relaciones Internacionales*, Madrid: Tecnos, 2014, 336-353.

“La política exterior de la UE en material ambiental. Interacciones, normas y preferencias”, *Cursos de Derecho Internacional y Relaciones Internacionales de Vitoria-Gasteiz (2012)*, Madrid: Tecnos, 2013, 371-426.

“When multilateralism hits Brussels. Preliminary results on the influence of international institutions on the EU”, K.E. Jørgensen and K.V. Laatikainen (eds), *Routledge Handbook on the European Union and International Institutions. Performance, Policy, Power*, London: Routledge, 2013, 416-428.

*Routledge is ranked B (in a scale from A to E, “the world’s semi-top of publishers”) in the SENSE academic book publishers ranking*

“The Influence of International Organisations on the European Union: A Political Science Perspective”, R. Wessel and S. Blockmans (eds), *Between Autonomy and Dependence. The EU Legal Order Under the Influence of International Organisations*, The Hague: Springer, 2013, 69-84. With Knud Erik Jørgensen.

*Springer is ranked B (in a scale from A to E, “the world’s semi-top of publishers”) in the SENSE academic book publishers ranking*

“When multilateralism hits Brussels. Generalizations and an agenda for further research”, O. Costa and K.E. Jørgensen (eds), *The influence of international institutions on the EU. When multilateralism hits Brussels*, Houndmills Basingstoke Hampshire: Palgrave Macmillan, 2012. With Knud Erik Jørgensen.

*Same as above*

“The influence of international institutions on the EU. A framework for analysis”, O. Costa and K.E. Jørgensen (eds), *The influence of international institutions on the EU. When*

*multilateralism hits Brussels*, Houndmills Basingstoke Hampshire: Palgrave Macmillan, 2012.  
With Knud Erik Jørgensen. *Same as above*

“Puestos a liderar. Unidad e influencia de la UE en la política internacional del clima”, E. Barbé, (ed), *Cambio Mundial y Gobernanza Global*, Madrid: Tecnos, 2012, 124-141.

“El medio ambiente en la política de vecindad de la UE: a la búsqueda de estrategias alternativas”, E. Barbé (ed), *La Unión Europea más allá de sus fronteras. ¿Hacia la transformación del Mediterráneo y Europa oriental?*, Madrid: Tecnos, 2010, 85-108. With Alfonso González Bondia.

“Spanish, EU and International Climate Change Policies. Download, Catch Up, and Curb Down”, W. Rüdiger, and D. Connelly (eds), *The European Union as a Leader in International Climate Change Politics*, London: Routledge, 2010, 179-194. *Same as above*

“Which rules shape the EU's external governance? Patterns of rule selection in foreign and security policies”, S. Lavenex and F. Schimmelfennig (eds), *EU External Governance: Projecting EU Rules beyond Membership*, Routledge: London, 2010. With Esther Barbé, Anna Herranz Surrallés and Michal Naturski. *Same as above*

“Who Decides EU Foreign Policy on Climate Change?: Actors, Alliances, and Institutions”, P. Harris (ed), *Climate Change and Foreign Policy: Case Studies from East to West*, London: Routledge, 2009, 134-147. *Same as above*

“Is Climate Change Changing the EU? The Second Image Reversed in Climate Politics”, P. Harris (ed), *The Politics of Climate Change. Environmental Dynamics in International Affairs*, London: Routledge, 2009, 72-89. *Same as above*

“Medio Ambiente”, E. Barbé, *Relaciones Internacionales*, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> editions, Madrid: Tecnos, 2003 and 2007, 317-329.

### **Other professional activities**

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| Since 2018 | Co-ordinator of the undergraduate degree in International Relations, UAB. |
| Since 2015 | Research Associate, IBEI (Institut Barcelona d'Estudis Internacionals)    |
| Since 2012 | Member of the Editorial Committee of the <i>Revista CIDOB</i>             |

*d'Afers Internacionals.*

Since 2009

Guest lecturer at IBEI, *International Environmental Politics, Interests, Ideas and Institutions* (in English). I have also done teaching on International Relations Theory (general and advanced courses, in English).

Other responsibilities: Member of the editorial committee at *Papers de Sociologia*, since January 2017, Member of the Commission for the organization of a new undergraduate programme on International Relations at the Faculty of Political Sciences and Sociology (UAB, since 19 April 2017, Member of the Teaching Quality Committee at IBEI, from May 2016; Coordinator of the Unit International Public Law and International Relations at the Department of Public Law, February 2011-November 2014.

**Assessments and fellowships.**

July 2017

Favourable report (merit in research) by AQU (Agència per la Qualitat del Sistema Universitat de Catalunya) on my research for the period 2011-2016.

April 2017

Favourable report (merit in research) by AQU (Agència per la Qualitat del Sistema Universitari de Catalunya) on my research for the period 2005-2010.

March 2012

Favourable report by AQU (Agència per la Qualitat del Sistema Universitari de Catalunya) to run for tenured Associate Professor positions. (48% success rate in Social Sciences applications 2003-2012).

[http://www.aqu.cat/professorat/agregat/proces\\_agregat\\_en.html#.Vd4-bssViUk](http://www.aqu.cat/professorat/agregat/proces_agregat_en.html#.Vd4-bssViUk)

October 2011

Favourable report by ANECA (Agencia Nacional de Evaluación de la Calidad y Acreditación) to run for Senior Lecturer positions.

(Spanish) <http://www.aneca.es/Programas/ACADEMIA/ACADEMIA-instrucciones-para-la-solicitud/Documentos-del-Programa>

2011

Teaching merit awarded by AQU (Agència per la Qualitat del Sistema Universitari de Catalunya). (It can be applied for every five years when you have certain sorts of positions).

2010

Research merit awarded by AQU (Agència per la Qualitat del Sistema Universitari de Catalunya). (It can be applied for every

- five years when you have certain sorts of positions)
- 2006 Postdoctoral grant *Beatriu de Pinós* (Catalan regional government), 2006BP-A 100062.
- December 2006 Favourable report by AQU (Agència per la Qualitat del Sistema Universitari de Catalunya) to run for Tenure track lecturer positions (46% success rate in Social Sciences applications 2003-2012).  
[http://www.aqu.cat/professorat/lector/proces\\_lector\\_en.html#.Vd5Bm8sViUk](http://www.aqu.cat/professorat/lector/proces_lector_en.html#.Vd5Bm8sViUk)
- 2005 Special PhD award, Department of Public Law and Legal History Studies (the Department that hosts the IR professors and lecturers), UAB.

### Research projects

- 2014-2019 Observatorio de Política Exterior Europea, 2017SGR693 (Generalitat de Catalunya).
- 2017-2020. NORTIA, Network on Research and Teaching in EU Foreign Affairs, Network on Research and Teaching in EU Foreign Affairs, Erasmus+ Programme - Jean Monnet – Networks.
- 2017-2019 EU-NormCon, Normative Contestation in Europe: implications for the EU in a changing global order, CSO2016-79205-P (R+D National Plan, 2016, Ministry of Economy and Competitiveness).
- 2014-2016 Observatori de Política Exterior Europea, 2014 SGR 704 (Generalitat de Catalunya).
- 2012-2015 EU-IANUS, ‘The EU in an unsettled international system: crisis, polarity and multilateralism’, CSO 2012-33361 (National R&D National Plan, Ministry of Economy and Competitiveness)
- 2009-2012 *DYNAMUS, Dynamics of the Multilateral System. Analysis of the Interaction between the EU and the Global Institutions*, CSO2009-09010 (R+D National Plan, 2009, Education and Science Ministry).
- 2009-2013 *Observatori de Política Exterior Europea*, 2009SGR 990 (Generalitat de Catalunya).
- 2008-2011 *EU4SEAS - The EU and subregional multilateralism in*

- Euyrope's sea basins* (225382 EU4SEAS). 7th Framework Programme.
- 2006-2009 *EUPROX, Coordination, integration and Europeanization in the proximity of the European Union (Mediterranean and Eastern Europe)*, SEJ2006-03134/CPOL (R+D National Plan, 2006, Education and Science Ministry).
- 2007 Energy and environment in the EU neighbourhood relationships -Eastern Europe and Caucasus, EME2006-32 (UAB-Generalitat de Catalunya).
- 2006-2009 *Observatori de Política Exterior Europea*, 2005SGR 00671 (Generalitat de Catalunya) [Observatory of European Foreign Policy].

### **Education**

- 2001-2004 PhD in International Relations, Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona (Sobresaliente *Cum Laude* –highest qualification).  
Title: *El estudio de los regímenes internacionales: diagnosis y propuesta. El caso del cambio climático* [The Study of International Regimes: Diagnosis and Proposal. The Case of Climate Change].
- 1996-2000 BA in Environmental Sciences (8.24/10).