

# **CURRICULUM VITAE**



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Nationality: Spanish.  
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## EDUCATION

Primary and Secondary Education: Colegio Santa María de los Rosales. Aravaca, Madrid, Spain. (Ranked among the nation's two best Catholic private schools)

Baccalaureate: Fundación Universitaria San Pablo-CEU. Madrid. (Ranked among the nation's three best private Catholic universities)

University: Faculty of Economics and Business; Complutense University of Madrid, Spain. (Ranked best national Public University)

*M.A. in Economics.* Relevant Courses: Economic Theory, Economic Policy, Public Finance, International Economics.

Graduate School of Education; Complutense University of Madrid.

*Certificado de Aptitud Pedagógica (CAP)*

Doctoral Degree: Faculty of Economics and Business; Complutense University of Madrid. Department of Applied and Public Economics, and Political Economy.

*Ph. D. from the Complutense University of Madrid.*

Doctoral Dissertation: *Money Laundering; Stages Effects and Economic Policy Implications* (Magna cum laude)

Foreign Languages: Fluent in both English and French (Equivalent to Common European Framework of Reference for Languages, C1)

## **RESEARCH INTERESTS**

Money laundering and terrorist financing; Financial crises and the *Financial Possibility Frontier*; Law and Economics.

From Economism to Humanism; The Economics of Fairness, Reciprocity and Altruism.

Cultural Economics; Economics and the History of Art.

## **ACADEMIC CAREER**

1996 - Present: *Complutense University of Madrid*; Faculty of Economics and Business; Department of Applied and Public Economics, and Political Economy.

In 2007 I pioneered the teaching of economic subjects in English in my Department, specifically *Economic Policy*. The subject consists of an Intermediate Macroeconomic Theory and Policy course in English, for the bilingual Bachelor's Degree in Economics or Business Administration.

Courses taught: *Economic Policy, Política Económica, Política Económica de España y Comparada, Sistema Financiero Español, Seminario de Macroeconomía.*

1991 - 1996: *Complutense University of Madrid*; School of Business Administration; Department of Foundations of Economic Analysis.

Courses taught: *Introducción a la Economía; Teoría Económica* (Elementary and Intermediate Microeconomic and Macroeconomic Theory.)

## WORK IN PROGRESS

*Narcodollar Recycling and Financial Crises.*

*Back to the Golden Standards: The Golden Ratio and the Golden Rule.*

SEMINAR: *The Economic Analysis of Money Laundering and Policy Implications.*

SEMINAR: *Out of the Vicious Circle and back to the Golden Standards: The Golden Ratio and the Golden Rule.*

## PUBLICATIONS

PELÁEZ RUIZ-FORNELLS, A. F. (2022): *Jesucristo o lo Imposible Alfa y Omega*, Semanario Católico de Información, <https://alfayomega.es/jesucristo-o-lo-imposible/>

\_\_\_\_\_ (2021): *Blanqueo de Capitales y Financiación del Terrorismo, dos Delitos Relacionados LA LEY Penal (Vol, No.148 Enero-Febrero 2021) pp. -. ISSN: 2254-903X*

\_\_\_\_\_ (2020): *Some Ideas on Criminal Behaviour and Money Laundering*; Vidya, The Journal of the Triple Nine Society (#388-389, October 2020) pp. 54-55.

\_\_\_\_\_ (2016): *Reseña del Financial Action Task Force (FATF) Annual Report 2013-2014*, Revista Española de Control Externo (Vol. XVIII, No.52). pp. 258-262. ISSN: 1575-1333.

\_\_\_\_\_ (2014b): *Blanqueo de Capitales. Análisis Económico*. Delta Publicaciones. Madrid, Spain. ISBN 978-84-15581-96-3

\_\_\_\_\_ (2014a): *Blanqueo de Capitales. Fases, efectos e implicaciones de Política Económica*. Delta Publicaciones. Madrid, Spain. ISBN 978-84-15581-95-6

\_\_\_\_\_ (2009b): *Algunas Conjeturas*. In, *Thinking like an Economist. A tribute to Professor Andres Fernandez Diaz*. Delta Publicaciones. Madrid, Spain. pp. 161-171. ISBN: 978-84-92453-73-3.

\_\_\_\_\_ (2009a): *The Symmetry Underlying Real Interest Rate Behavior and the Link to Investment Flows: an Ex-ante Formal Treatment.* [UCM Working Paper (No. 2009-003) Working Paper or Technical Report]

\_\_\_\_\_ (2007): *Los milagros existen: se hacen perdonando.* Proceedings from the VIII ACDP Conference: "*Catholics and Public Life: The Challenge of Being Human*". Ed. Fundación Universitaria San Pablo-CEU, Madrid, Spain. pp. 475-477. ISBN: 978-84-96860-45-2 (Volume II).

\_\_\_\_\_ (2004): *La supremacía del bien a la luz de la lógica.* Proceedings from the V ACDP Conference: "*Catholics and Public Life: ¿What culture?*" Ed. Fundación Santa María, Madrid, Spain. pp. 1025-1027. ISBN: 84-675-0206-1 (Volume II).

\_\_\_\_\_ (2000): *La Lógica de la Redención.* Alfa y Omega Semanario de Información Religiosa Nacional, N° 209/20-IV-2000, pag. 8.

\_\_\_\_\_ (1995): *Una Nota Sobre la Posible Dinámica del Tipo de Interés Real Desde los Enfoques Neoclásico y Keynesiano.* Información Comercial Española: Revista de Economía (No.747). pp. 151-163. ISSN: 0019-977X.

\_\_\_\_\_ (1992): *Unión monetaria y equilibrio interno.* Cuadernos de Estudios Empresariales (No.2). pp. 161-170. ISSN: 1131-6985; 1988-2610.

## **CIVIL SERVICE**

2005-2006: General Secretariat of the Treasury and Financial Policy. Head of Section at: General Sub-Directorate of Strategic Analysis and for the International Financial System, Ministry of Economy and Business.

1989: Directorate General of Export Promotion: Head of Section (Agrifood Sector) at: Instituto Español de Comercio Exterior (ICEX) (Spanish Institute for Foreign Trade, Ministry of Industry Trade and Tourism).

## **OTHER**

Lifetime Member; *The Triple Nine Society* (TNS), USA.

Member of the Alumni Association, *Colegio San Pablo-CEU*.