



CODE Center for the study of Organizations and Decisions in Economics

ACTIVITY REPORT 2013

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1. INTRODUCTION

The Center for the Study of Organizations and Decisions in Economics (CODE) is a research center at the Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona, created in 1995 to promote high quality research in the theory of economic decisions and organizations. Since the beginning of its activities, CODE's main goal is to provide an environment spurring for excellence in research as measured by the highest international standards of scientific quality.

CODE's permanent members belong to the Department of Economics at the UAB, which has lead Research in Economics in Spain for the last twenty seven years. The Department is still the natural meeting point for those activities, like undergraduate and doctoral education, for which diversity of interests and abilities are most important.

The activity report strives to be a regular publication that is useful in getting our colleagues acquainted with our research interest. The present edition covers the activities performed during 2013.

Research activities can be grouped in five areas: Financial Economics/Macroeconomics, Industrial Organization, Mathematical Economics, Public Economics and Social Choice/Game Theory. All this research is developed through 9 research projects financed by the Spanish Ministry of Education, the Catalan Government (Generalitat de Catalunya) and the European Union. This activity has been materialized in 15 papers published in leading economic journals, 14 working papers and a book chapter. Also CODE members are officers in scientific associations, and have participated in major academic meetings, both as organizers and as presenters.

We hope that this report reflects the commitment of CODE to build an increasingly consistent research center that can be taken as a reference point by top quality research within Europe and beyond.

2. MEMBERS

2.1. RESEARCHERS

• BARBERÀ SÁNDEZ, Salvador Ph.D.: Northwestern University (1975) Fields of Specialization: Public Economics, Social Choice, Coalition Formation.

• BEVIÁ BAEZA, Carmen Ph.D.: Universidad de Alicante (1994) Fields of Specialization: Social Choice, Public Economics.

• CABALLÉ VILELLA, Jordi Ph.D.: University of Pennsylvania (1989) Fields of Specialization: Finance, Macroeconomics.

• CONESA ROCA, Juan Carlos Ph.D.: University of Minnesota (1999) Fields of Specialization: Macroeconomics, Public Economics.

MACHO-STADLER, Inés
 Ph.D.: École des Hautes Études en Sciences Sociales, Paris (1989)
 Fields of Specialization: Economics of Information, Industrial Organization, Public Economics.

MARTÍNEZ-GIRALT, Xavier
 Ph.D.: CORE, Université Catholique de Louvain (1988)
 Fields of Specialization: Industrial Organization, Health Economics.

• MASSÓ CARRERAS, Jordi Ph.D.: State University of New York at Stony Brook (1988) Fields of Specialization: Game Theory, Social Choice.

OLIVELLA CUNILL, Pau
 Ph.D.: Northwestern University (1989)
 Fields of Specialization: Economics of Information, Public Economics, Health Economics.

OBIOLS HOMS, Francesc
 Ph. D.: Universitat Pompeu Fabra, (1996)
 Fields of Specialization: Macroeconomics. Aggregate Fluctuations.

PÉREZ-CASTRILLO, David
 Ph.D.: École des Hautes Études en Sciences Sociales, Paris (1991)
 Fields of Specialization: Economics of Information, Game Theory, Industrial Organization.

2.2. ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF

IGLESIAS HERNÁNDEZ, Conxa

MARTÍ PLADEMUNT, Blai

MORALES VERGEL, Daniel

ORTEGA LORENZO, Marta

3. AREAS OF RESEARCH

Financial Economics

Game Theory

Health Economics

Industrial Organization

Macroeconomics

Public Economics

Social Choice Theory

4. RESEARCH PROJECTS

A brief description is given of the research projects in which the members of CODE are involved. These projects are financed by the Ministry of Education and Science through the Inter-Ministerial Commission of Science and Technology, by the Government of Catalonia and by the European Community, as well as from other non-public sources.

Title: "Institutional Design and Good Governmental Practice: Theory, Applications and Simulations"

Source: Ministry of Economy and Competitiveness (Spain) - Plan Nacional I+D+i Team Coordinator: Barberà, Salvador

Description: Institutional design plays an important role in economic analysis, evidence of which is the recent award of the Nobel Prize to Hurwicz, Maskin and Myerson. The purpose is to analyze mechanisms, existing or theoretically motivated, that will lead agents to behave efficiently. Among these mechanisms we find auctions, voting procedures, matching mechanisms, rationing rules, negotiation schemes, and any market or arbitrage situation. We propose to further study issues in this general area, which has been the unifying topic in our previous projects, although incorporating new lines of research. On the theoretical aspects, we wish to emphasize the problems of information and networks, and to revise basic concepts, like the notion of rationality, in light of the new behavioural theories. On the applied side, we focus mainly on the mechanisms used by public authorities like schools, universities or hospitals to assign students or interns. Methodologically, we incorporate simulations as a method to analyze models that given their high complexity are not tractable through theoretical analysis only. In terms of the topics we address, we widen our studies to issues previously unexplored by our team, such as the decisions concerning science and innovation and aspect of international bargaining. In any case we remain committed to issues of efficiency and justice in order to guide institutional design.

Title: "The Fluctuations in the Labor Market and the Effects of Macroeconomic Policy"

Source: Ministry of Economy and Competitiveness (Spain) - Plan Nacional I+D+i Team Coordinator: Caballé, Jordi

Description: This research project is aimed studying different aspects of fiscal policy in dynamic equilibrium environments. The specific topics within this field that this projects would like to analize are generational tax incidence, fiscal policy under non-competitive and incomplete markets and the relationship between macroeconomic policy and financial markets.

Title: "Grup d'Analisi Macroeconòmica"

Source: Generalitat de Catalunya - Grups de Recerca Reconeguts

Team Coordinator: Caballé, Jordi

Description: The main subject of research of this group is the study of different aspects of the macroeconomic politics, either fiscal or monetary, in dynamic economies of general equilibrium. Next are the different contexts in which these analyses are carried out: open economies, with incomplete markets, with fiscal evasion, with heterogeneous agents and with habits in the preferences. The goals of this project of research are to carry out three contributions to the analysis of the fiscal politics in economies of dynamic general equilibrium. The first analyzes the measurement of the intergenerational fiscal incidence. The second analyzes the optimum fiscal treatment of the policy of inversion and distribution of dividends of the companies. The third studies the effects of the fiscal policy under incomplete markets and idiosyncratic crashes.

Title: "ICREA Academia Award, 2010"

Source: Generalitat de Catalunya - ICREA

Team Coordinator: Caballé, Jordi

Description: ICREA Acadèmia Program aims to encourage excellence and reward excellence researchers permanent in public universities.

Title: "Instituciones, incentivos y comportamiento en salud, innovación y formación"

Source: Ministry of Economy and Competitiveness (Spain) - Plan Nacional I+D+i

Team Coordinator: Macho-Stadler, Inés

Description: The main goal of our project is to understand why and how different organizations emerge, which conditions stimulate their emergence, and which contracts or sharing rules maintain cooperation and allow the sharing of its associated benefits. We are also interested in the interaction between market institutions and their optimal regulation.

A major part of this project lies in the broad area of Public Economics, specifically in Economics of Innovation and Health Economics. We are also interested in the areas of Industrial Economics of Economics of the Firm. Some methodological contributions on Mechanism Design and Contract Design, which are orthogonal to all the previous fields, will also be addressed.

Title: "Coalicions, incentius i disseny institucional en la presa de decisions col.lectives"

Source: Generalitat de Catalunya - Grups de Recerca Reconeguts

Team Coordinator: Massó, Jordi

Description: We study collective decision making and mechanism design in contexts where groups, networks, and coalitions play an important role in shaping the individual incentives, and in general, in determining the outcome of the social choice. Our main contribution to the collective decision making is that we want to put emphasis on the structures of relationships that connect agents (exogenous or endogenous) as well as on the individual incentives that such structures generate.

Title: ICREA Academia Award, 2009

Source: Generalitat de Catalunya – ICREA

Team Coordinator: Massó, Jordi

Description: ICREA Acadèmia Program aims to encourage excellence and reward excellence researchers permanent in public universities.

Title: "Centre de Recerca en Economia de les Organitzacions (CREO)"

Source: Generalitat de Catalunya - Grups de Recerca Reconeguts Team Coordinator: Pérez-Castrillo, David

Description: The main objective of our work is to understand why and how several organizations emerge, what environments promote their formation and which contracts or allocation mechanisms allow for the stabilization of the cooperation and the sharing of the related profits. We will deal with these questions on the basis of the tools used by game theory (cooperative and non-cooperative) and the models of industrial organization. A fairly important part of our effort will be framed in the areas about Environmental Economy and Innovation Economy. Another part is framed in the wider notion of Public Economy, as it deals with problems of Health Economy and Design of mechanisms and Public Policy. Lastly, we will also deal with studies of Business Economy.

Title: ICREA Academia Award, 2009

Source: Generalitat de Catalunya - ICREA

Team Coordinator: Pérez-Castrillo, David

Description: ICREA Acadèmia Program aims to encourage excellence and reward excellence researchers permanent in public universities.

5. PUBLICATIONS

5.1. ARTICLES

BEVIÀ BAEZA, Carmen

- Beviá, Carmen and Luis Corchón, "Endogenous Strength in Conflicts", International Journal of Industrial Organization, 31 (2013), 297-306.
- Beviá, Carmen and Luis Corchón, "Relative Difference Contest Success Function", Theory and Decision, forthcoming.

CABALLÉ VILELLA, Jordi

 Caballé, Jordi and Ana I. Moro-Egido, "The Effect of Aspirations and Habits on the Distribution of Wealth", Scandinavian Journal of Economics, forthcoming.

CONESA ROCA, Juan Carlos

- Conesa, Juan Carlos and Begoña Domínguez, "Intangible Investment and Ramsey Capital Taxation", Journal of Monetary Economics, 60 (2013), 983-995.
- Conesa, Juan Carlos and Carlos Garriga, "Intertemporal Discounting and Policy Selection", Federal Reserve Bank of St Louis Review, 95 (2013), 165-180.

MACHO-STADLER, Inés

- Banal-Estañol, Albert, Inés Macho-Stadler and David Pérez-Castrillo, "Research Output from University-Industry Collaborative Projects", Economic Development Quarterly, 27 (2013), 71-81.
- González, Paula and Inés Macho-Stadler, "A Theoretical Approach to Dual Practice Regulations in the Health Sector", Journal of Health Economics, 32 (2013), 66-87.
- Macho-Stadler, Inés, David Pérez-Castrillo and Nicolás Porteiro, "Coexistence of Long-term and Short-term Contracts", Games and Economic Behavior, forthcoming.

MARTÍNEZ-GIRALT, Xavier

- Martínez-Giralt, Xavier and Rosella Nicolini, "Technological Endowments in Entrepreneurial Partnerships", Computational and Mathematical Organization Theory, 19 (2013), 601-621.
- Martínez-Giralt, Xavier, "Colaboración público-privada en sanidad", Cuadernos de Información Económica, 235 (2013), 1-9.

MASSÓ CARRERAS, Jordi

 Pablo Arribillaga, Jordi Massó and Alejandro Neme, "On the Structure of Cooperative and Competitive Solutions for a Generalized Assignment Game", Journal of Applied Mathematics, forthcoming.

OLIVELLA CUNILL, Pau

- Olivella, Pau and Fred Schroyen, "Multidimensional Screening in a Monopolistic Insurance Market", Geneva Risk and Insurance Review, forthcoming.
- Olivella, Pau and Marcos Vera-Hernández, "Testing for Asymmetric Information in Private Health Insurance", The Economic Journal, 567, (2013), 96-130.

- Banal-Estañol, Albert, Inés Macho-Stadler and David Pérez-Castrillo, "Research Output from University-Industry Collaborative Projects", Economic Development Quarterly, 27 (2013), 71-81.
- Macho-Stadler, Inés, David Pérez-Castrillo and Nicolás Porteiro, "Coexistence of Long-term and Short-term Contracts", Games and Economic Behavior, forthcoming.

5.2. BOOKS OR BOOK CHAPTERS

BARBERÀ SANDEZ, Salvador

 Barberà, Salvador, Dolors Berga and Bernardo Moreno, "Some new Domain Restrictions in Social Choice, and their Consequences", in V. Torra, Y. Narukawa, G. Navarro-Arribas and D. Megías (eds.) Modeling Decisions for Artificial Intelligence. Proceedings of the 10th International Conference MDAI (Lecture Notes in Computer Science Series). Heidelberg: Springer, 8234, 11– 24, 2013. ISBN: 978-3-642-41549-4 (Print) 978-3-642-41550-0 (Online).

5.3. WORKING PAPERS

BARBERÀ SANDEZ, Salvador

- Barberà, Salvador, Carmen Beviá and Clara Ponsatí, "Meritocracy, Egalitarianism and the Stability of Majoritarian Organizations", Barcelona GSE Working Paper No. 737 and WP SSRN2275851.
- Barberà, Salvador and Danilo Coelho, "Balancing the Power to Appoint Officers", Barcelona GSE Working Paper No. 696 and WP SSRN2265798.

CABALLÉ VILELLA, Jordi

 Alonso-Carrera, Jaime, Jordi Caballé and Xavier Raurich, "Sectoral Composition and Macroeconomic Dynamics", Barcelona GSE Working Paper No. 545.

MACHO-STADLER, Inés

- Banal-Estañol, Albert, Inés Macho-Stadler and David Pérez-Castrillo, "Endogeneous Matching in University-Industry Collaboration", Barcelona GSE Working Paper No. 704.
- Diamantoudi, Efforsyni, Inés Macho-Stadler, David Pérez-Castrillo and Licun Xue, "Sharing the Surplus in Games with Externalities within and Across Issues", Barcelona GSE Working Paper No. 569.
- Freitas, Antonio and Inés Macho-Stadler, "On the joint Production of Research and Training", Barcelona GSE Working Paper No. 531.

MASSÓ CARRERAS, Jordi

- Arribillaga, Pablo, Jordi Massó and Alejandro Neme, "On the Structure of Cooperative and Competitive Solutions for a Generalized Assignment Game", UFAE and IAE WP 940.13 and Barcelona GSE Working Paper No. 740.
- Bergantiños, Gustavo, Jordi Massó and Alejandro Neme, "The Division Problem under Constraints", UFAE and IAE WP 942.13 and Barcelona GSE Working Paper No. 745.
- Bergantiños, Gustavo, Jordi Massó, Inés Moreno de Barreda and Alejandro Neme, "Stable Partitions in Many Division Problems: The Proportional and the Sequential Dictator Solutions", UFAE and IAE WP 941.13 and Barcelona GSE Working Paper No. 739.

- Banal-Estañol, Albert, Inés Macho-Stadler and David Pérez-Castrillo, "Endogeneous Matching in University-Industry Collaboration", Barcelona GSE Working Paper No. 704.
- Diamantoudi, Efforsyni, Inés Macho-Stadler, David Pérez-Castrillo and Licun Xue, "Sharing the Surplus in Games with Externalities within and Across Issues", Barcelona GSE Working Paper No. 569.
- Guo, Bing, Yun Lou and David Pérez-Castrillo, "Optimal Investment and Exiting Strategy for CVC and IVC Backed Spin-offs", Barcelona GSE Working Paper No. 602.
- Pérez-Castrillo, David and Marilda Sotomayor, "Two Folk Manipulability Theorems in the General one-to-one two-side two-sided Matching Markets with Money", Barcelona GSE Working Paper No. 681.
- Pérez-Castrillo, David and David Wettstein, "Innovation Contests", Barcelona GSE Working Paper No. 654.

6. EDITORIAL ACTIVITIES

BARBERÀ SÁNDEZ, Salvador

- ¬ Associate Editor of Games and Economic Behavior
- ¬ Associate Editor of Social Choice and Welfare
- Advisory Board of Theoria

BEVIÀ BAEZA, Carmen

- Editorial Board of Law, Ethics and Philosophy (LEAP)
- Editorial Board of Mathematical Social Science

CABALLÉ VILELLA, Jordi

- Editorial Board of Journal of Macroeconomics
- Associate Editor of Portuguese Economics Journal
- ─ Editorial Board of Revista Econòmica de Catalunya

MACHO-STADLER, Inés

- \neg Associate Editor of Games and Economic Behavior
- \neg Associate Editor of Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization
- Associate Editor of Journal of Economics & Management Strategy
- Associate Editor of Revue d'Economie Politique

MASSÓ CARRERAS, Jordi

- Associate Editor of Economics Bulletin
- Associate Editor of Economics Research International
- Associate Editor of Social Choice and Welfare

OLIVELLA CUNILL, Pau

- ¬ Co-Editor of Elsevier On-Line Encyclopedia of Health Economics
- Associate Editor of Journal of Health Economics

PÉREZ-CASTRILLO, David

- Associate Editor of International Game Theory Review
- Associate Editor of Economic Letters
- Associate Editor of Journal of Economics and Management Strategy
- Associate Editor of SERIEs Journal of the Spanish Economic Association

7. CONFERENCES AND MEETINGS

BARBERÀ SÁNDEZ, Salvador

- "Encuentro sobre criterios de evaluación de la transferencia a la sociedad de las ciencias sociales, jurídicas y humanas"
 San Sebastian, Spain January
- 18th Coalitions and Networks Workshop Warwick, United Kingdom February

- Barcelona GSE Summer Forum. Egalitarianism and Public Economics: A Workshop to Celebrate Joaquim Silvestre's 70th Birthday Barcelona, Spain June
- Inaugural Lecture in the COST Action IC1205 on Computational Social Choice Bellaterra, Spain October
- Inaugural Lecture in the 10th International Conference Modeling Decisions for Artificial Intelligence (MDAI)
 Barcelona, Spain
 November
- Inaugural Lecture in the X Encuentro de la Red Española de Elección Social (REES) Málaga, Spain November
- ASSET Meeting Bilbao, Spain November
- Barcelona GSE Winter Workshop on Microeconomics.
 Bellaterra, Spain
 December

BEVIÁ BAEZA, Carmen

- Public Choice Meeting New Orleans, USA March
- Tournaments, Contest and Relative Performance Evaluation Fresno, USA March
- Barcelona GSE first summer forum: Dynamic Decisions.
 Barcelona, Spain
 June
- Public Economic Theory meeting.
 Lisbon, Portugal
 July
- SAET Meeting Paris, France July
- Priorat Workshop in Bargaining and Politics Falset, Tarragona, Spain October

CABALLÉ VILELLA, Jordi

 38 Simposium of the Spanish Economic Association Santander, Spain December

MACHO-STADLER, Inés

 Asian Meeting of the Econometric Society Singapore, Singapore August ASSET Annual Meeting Bilbao, Spain November

MARTÍNEZ-GIRALT, Xavier

 33 Jornadas de Economía de la Salud Santander, Spain June

MASSÓ CARRERAS, Jordi

Octubre CCC
 València, Spain
 February

PÉREZ-CASTRILLO, David

- Incentives and the Design of Mechanisms in Open Science Bordeaux, France January
- Sixth Annual Conference on Entrepreneurship and Innovation Chicago, USA June
- Workshop "Economics of Science and Innovation Collaboration", Summer Forum Barcelona GSE Barcelona, Spain June
- Economic Theory Conference Paris, France July
- Asian Meeting of the Econometric Society Singapore, Singapore August
- ASSET Annual Meeting Bilbao, Spain November
- Simposio de la Asociación Española de Economía-Spanish Economic Association (SAEe) Santander, Spain December

8. SEMINARS

BARBERÀ SÁNDEZ, Salvador

- Northwestern University-Kellogg Evanston, United States
- ¬ The University of Chicago Chicago, United States
- Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona Bellaterra, Spain
- Universitat d'Alacant Alacant, Spain

- University of Glasgow. Adam Smith Business School Scotland, United Kingdom
- University of St. Andrews Scotland, United Kingdom
- Universitat Rovira i Virgili Reus, Spain

BEVIÁ BAEZA, Carmen

- GRIPS
 Tokyo, Japan
- Osaka University
 Osaka, Japan

CABALLÉ VILELLA, Jordi

 Universitat Rovira i Virgili Reus, Spain

MACHO-STADLER, Inés

 Nanyang Technological University Singapore, Singapore

MASSÓ CARRERAS, Jordi

¬ Singapore Management University Singapore, Singapore

OLIVELLA CUNILL, Pau

- Institut d'Anàlisi Econòmica-CSIC, Cerdanyola del Vallès, Spain
- Universidad Complutense de Madrid Madrid, Spain

- Ben Gurion University
 Beer-Sheva , Israel
- Institute of Economics Academia Sinica Taipei, Taiwan
- Paris School of Economics Paris, France
- Universitat Rovira i Virgili Reus, España

9. ORGANIZATION OF CONFERENCES AND PARTICIPATION IN SCIENTIFIC COMMITTEES

BEVIÀ BAEZA, Carmen

- Co-organizer
 Barcelona GSE First Summer Forum: Dynamic Decisions
 Barcelona, Spain
- Member of the Scientific Committee Public Economic Theory meeting Lisbon, Portugal
- Organizer Young Researchers MOVE Workshop on Contests and Tournaments Barcelona, Spain

MACHO-STADLER, Inés

- Co-organizer
 "Economics of Science and Innovation Collaboration" within the Workshops Summer Forum of Barcelona GSE Barcelona, Spain
- Member of the Programm Committee
 14th EUROPEAN HEALTH ECONOMICS WORKSHOP
 Lyon, France
- Member of the Scientific Committee EARIE Meeting Roma, Italy
- Member of the Scientific Committee
 VII AEEE CONFERENCE (2013)
 Valencia, Spain

PÉREZ-CASTRILLO, David

 Co-organizer
 "Economics of Science and Innovation Collaboration" within the Workshops Summer Forum of Barcelona GSE Barcelona, Spain

10. RESEARCH VISITS

BEVIÀ BAEZA, Carmen

 Osaka University Institute of Social and Economic Research Osaka Less than a month

MACHO-STADLER, Inés

 Universidad Pablo de Olavide de Sevilla Economics, Universidad Pablo de Olavide Sevilla Less than a month

MASSÓ CARRERAS, Jordi

 Singapore Management University School of Economics Singapore Less than a month

OLIVELLA CUNILL, Pau

- CSIC
 Institut d'Anàlisi Econòmica
 Cerdanyola del Vallès
 Academic year
- University of York
 Department of Economics
 York, UK
 Less than a month

PÉREZ-CASTRILLO, David

- Ben Gurion University
 Department of Economics
 Israel
 Less than a month
- Universidad Pablo de Olavide Department of Economics Spain Less than a month

11. ADVISING Ph.D. THESIS

GJORGJIEV, Riste "On the Ranking of Social Alternatives" Universitat de Girona Spain Thesis advisor: Barberà, Salvador

NAVAL, Joaquim "Essays on Development Economics from a Macroeconomic Perspective" Universidad de Guanajuato Mexico Thesis advisor: Caballé, Jordi

GRUBER, Diego "Essays on International Macroeconomics and Trade" Kernel Analytics Spain Thesis advisor: Conesa, Juan Carlos

PUJOLÀS FONS, Pau Salvador "Essays on International Trade and Firm Dynamics" McMaster University Canada Thesis advisor: Conesa, Juan Carlos

12. COMMITTEES

BARBERÀ SÁNDEZ, Salvador

- ¬ Member of the Council of Urrutia Elejalde Foundation, since 1997
- ¬ Member of the Council of Social Choice and Welfare Society, since 1990
- ¬ Member of the Advisory Council of Ikerbasque, since 2009
- Member of the Advisory Council of Alto Consejo Consultivo en investigación, Desarrollo e Innovación de la Presidencia de la Generalitat Valenciana, since 2008
- \neg Jury of Urrutia Elejalde Diversity Prize, since 2010
- Jury of Calvó-Armengol International Prize, since 2008
- ¬ Member of Ethics Committee of the Toulouse School of Economics, since 2011
- External reviewer of the activity report of Institute of Social and Economic Research (ISER), since 2013
- Member of the Advisory Council of Serra Húnter Programme (SHP), since 2013

CABALLÉ VILELLA, Jordi

- National Expert of Agencia Nacional de Evaluación de la Calidad y Acreditación (ANECA), since 2008
- Member of Comissió d'Avaluació de la Recerca (Ciències Socials). Agència per a la Qualitat del Sistema Universitari Català (AQU), since 2011
- ¬ Vicepresident of Spanish Economic Association, since 2012

MACHO-STADLER, Inés

- Research Fellow of Center for Economic Studies and the Ifo Institute (CESIfo), since 2002
- Elected Member of the Comissió de Reclamacions UAB, since 2005
- ─ Council Member of the Academic Programs Committee, Barcelona GSE, since 2007
- Member of the Council of European Association for Research in Industrial Economics (EARIE), since 2008
- Member of the Council of Basque Centre for Climate Change ISAC, since 2009
- Member of the Council of Spanish-Portuguese Association of Resource and Environmental Economics (AERNA), since 2012
- Council Member of the OFCE Council, Observatoire Français des Conjuctures Économiques, since 2013
- Member of the External Advisory Committee of the UNICEE research unit, of the Universidade Catolica de Lisboa. Evaluation process run by the Portuguese National Science Foundation – FCT – for the period 2008-2012, since 2013

MASSÓ CARRERAS, Jordi

- Scientific Advisory of Agencia Nacional de Evaluación de la Calidad y Acreditación (ANECA), since 2009
- Scientific Advisory of Agencia per a la Qualitat del Sistema Universitari Català (AQU)
- Scientific Advisory of Agencia Nacional de Evaluación y Prospectiva (ANEP), 2010

- \neg Research Fellow of Center for Economic Studies and the Ifo Institute (CESIfo), since 2002
- ¬ Member of CNEAI, Comité 0, since 2011