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### EDUCATION

- 2010- **Spanish National Research Council & Autonomous University of Madrid (Spain)**, PhD in Law and Political Science. Supervisor: Dr. Carlos Closa Montero. Title: “The European citizenship and the electoral rights of non-national EU citizens in the Member States”.
- 2012 **European University Institute (Italy)**, Research visit at the Department of Political and Social Sciences, March 1<sup>st</sup> – June 30<sup>th</sup> (under the supervision of Dr. Rainer Baubock).
- 2011 **University of Edinburgh (UK)**, Research visit at the School of Law, September 1<sup>st</sup> - November 30<sup>th</sup> (under the supervision of Dr. Jo Shaw).
- 2008-2009 **Autonomous University of Madrid (Spain)**, M.A. in Democracy and Government.
- 2006-2010 **Spiru Haret University (Romania)**, B.A. in Law.
- 2004- 2008 **National School of Political and Administrative Studies (Romania)**, B.A. in International Relations and European Studies.

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### PUBLICATIONS

#### Articles in peer-reviewed journals

Pérez-Nievas, Santiago and Cristina Daniela Vintila. 2013. “La transición a un nuevo ciclo migratorio: evaluando el diseño y los resultados de las políticas de reagrupación familiar en España y en Europa” (The transition towards a new migration cycle: evaluating the outputs and outcomes of family reunification policies in Spain and Europe). In *Revista de Estudios Políticos*, no 161, pp. 171-206.

#### Books

Pérez-Nievas, Santiago, Cristina Daniela Vintila, Laura Morales and Marta Paradés. 2014. *La representación política de los inmigrantes en elecciones municipales. Un análisis empírico (The political representation of immigrants in local elections. An empirical analysis)* Madrid: Spanish Centre for Sociological Research (CIS).

### **Book chapters**

Closa, Carlos and Cristina Daniela Vintila. “La ciudadanía europea en tiempos de crisis” (EU citizenship in times of crisis). In López Garrido, D. *El estado de la Unión Europea: La ciudadanía europea en tiempo de crisis*. Madrid: Fundación Alternativas & Friedrich-Ebert-Stiftung, pp. 19-31.

Pérez-Nievas, Santiago and Cristina Daniela Vintila. 2011. “La reagrupación familiar en España y en Europa” (Family reunification in Spain and Europe). In Díaz-Maroto, J. and Villarejo, A. *El menor ante el derecho en el siglo XIX*. ISSN 1575-8427, Madrid: AFDUAM, pp. 143-169.

### **Other publications**

Vintila, Cristina Daniela. 2010. *Moldavia: ¿Hacia un nuevo giro político? (Moldova. Towards a new political challenge?)*. ARI 67/2010. Madrid: Real Instituto Elcano. Available at: [http://www.realinstitutoelcano.org/wps/portal/rielcano/contenido?WCM\\_GLOBAL\\_CONTEXT=/elcano/elcano\\_es/zonas\\_es/europa/ari67-2010](http://www.realinstitutoelcano.org/wps/portal/rielcano/contenido?WCM_GLOBAL_CONTEXT=/elcano/elcano_es/zonas_es/europa/ari67-2010)

### **Work in progress**

Closa, Carlos and Cristina Daniela Vintila. “Rights-based citizenship in international organizations: mapping citizens’ rights at the supranational level”.

Echazarra, Alfonso, Cristina Daniela Vintila and Juan Antonio Mayoral. “How many electorates for the EU? The political participation of immigrant-origin voters in EP elections”.

Morales, Laura, Santiago Pérez-Nievas and Cristina Daniela Vintila. “Residential concentration, ethnicity, political opportunities and the representation of immigrant-origin minorities in Spain”.

Vintila, Cristina Daniela. “Citizenship, migration and political participation in Southern Europe: empirical perspectives on the electoral rights of non-national EU citizens in Spain, Italy and Portugal”.

Vintila, Cristina Daniela, Santiago Pérez-Nievas, Laura Morales and Maarja Luhiste. “Residential concentration, ethnicity and party-competition effects on the representation of immigrant-origin minorities in Madrid region”.

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## **FELLOWSHIPS & SCHOLARSHIPS**

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| 2010- 2014 | <b>Spanish National Research Council</b> , JAE-Predoc scholarship (co-funded by the European Social Fund), PhD at the Institute for Public Goods and Policies (IPP-CSIC). |
| 2004-2008  | <b>Romanian Ministry of Education, Research and Youth</b> , B.A. scholarship, National School of Political and Administrative Studies.                                    |

## CONFERENCES AND SEMINARS

2014. **5<sup>th</sup> GIGAPP International Conference on Government, Administration and Public Policies** (Madrid, Spain). Chair of the Panel “Redefining citizenship in the era of international migration: new challenges for citizens and public administration”, September 29-October 1 (panel proposal accepted).

2014. **44<sup>th</sup> UACES Annual Conference** (Cork, Ireland). Paper “The effect of residential concentration and party competition on the representation of immigrant-origin minorities at the local level” (co-authored with Laura Morales, Santiago Pérez-Nievas and Maarja Luhiste). Panel: Political processes in the EU in times of crisis, chaired by Jo Shaw (University of Edinburgh), September 1-3 (paper proposal accepted).

2014. **23<sup>rd</sup> IPSA World Congress of Political Science** (Montreal, Canada). Co-chair of the Panel “Two decades after the Maastricht Treaty: towards an empirical evaluation of the outputs and outcomes of EU citizenship”, July 19-24 (panel proposal accepted).

2013. **4<sup>th</sup> GIGAPP International Conference on Government, Administration and Public Policies** (Madrid, Spain). Chair of the Panel “*Citizenship: rights, political participation and identity*”, September 23-24.

2013. **11<sup>th</sup> AECPA Congress** (Seville, Spain). Paper presented: “Evaluating the political implications of the EU citizenship in the electoral field: two decades after the Maastricht Treaty”. Panel: Political processes in the EU in times of crisis, chaired by Javier Arregui Moreno (Universitat Pompeu Fabra), discussant Andrea Noferini (Universitat Pompeu Fabra), September 18-20.

2013. **7<sup>th</sup> ECPR General Conference** (Bordeaux, France). Paper presented “The effect of immigrant residential concentration and party competition on the representation of immigrant-origin minorities at local level” (co-authored with Laura Morales, Santiago Pérez-Nievas and Maarja Luhiste). Panel: Atypical militants in political parties, chaired by Nicolas Azam (Université de Paris I, Panthéon-Sorbonne), September 4-6.

2013. **UAM Workshop for Young Researchers** (Madrid, Spain). Paper presented: “The political practice of the European citizenship: the electoral engagement of non-national EU citizens in EP and local elections”. Panel chaired by Carlos Alba (UAM), discussants José Ramón Montero (UAM) and Pablo Castillo (CSIC), March 18-19.

2012. **Research Seminar IPP-CSIC Citizens, institutions and policies from a comparative perspective** (Madrid, Spain). Paper presented “How many electorates for the EU? The political participation of immigrant-origin voters in the 2009 EP elections” (co-authored with Alfonso Echazarra and Juan Antonio Mayoral), December 5.

2012. **ESA RN32 Mid-term Conference Political participation and beyond** (Milan, Italy). Papers presented: “Citizenship and political participation in the EU: empirical perspectives on the electoral rights of non-national EU citizens in Spain and Belgium”, Panel: Electoral rights

and political participation, chaired by Rainer Baubock (EUI), discussant: Jean Thomas Arrighi (EUI); and “Residential concentration, ethnicity and party competition effects on the representation of immigrant-origin minorities in Madrid region” (co-authored with Santiago Pérez-Nievas), Panel: Migrant integration and patterns of social mobility II, chaired by Dimitry Kochenov (University of Groningen), discussant: Bryan Fanning (University College Dublin), November 30-December 1.

2012. **Research Seminar IPP-CSIC Citizens, institutions and policies from a comparative perspective** (Madrid, Spain). Paper presented “The political representation of immigrant-origin minorities in Madrid region” (co-authored with Santiago Pérez-Nievas), November 1.

2012. **3<sup>rd</sup> GIGAPP International Conference on Government, Administration and Public Policies** (Madrid, Spain). Chair of the Panel “Sectoral policies (regulation, cultural, memory)”, September 27-28.

2012. **6<sup>th</sup> ECPR Pan-European Conference on EU Politics** (Tampere, Finland). Papers presented: “How many electorates for the EU? The political participation of immigrant-origin EU citizens in the 2004 and 2009 European elections” (co-authored with Juan Mayoral and Alfonso Echazarra), Panel: Identity, chaired by Rafael Vazquez (University of Granada); and “The puzzle of citizenship in the era of European migration: empirical insights on the electoral participation of EU foreigners in the Member States”, Panel: Mobilisations on immigration and asylum, chaired by Andrew Geddes (University of Sheffield), September 13-15.

2012. **2<sup>nd</sup> ISA Forum on Sociology** (Buenos Aires, Argentina). Papers presented: “Residential concentration, ethnicity and party competition effects on the representation of immigrant-origin minorities in the Madrid metropolitan area” (co-authored with Santiago Pérez-Nievas), Panel: Age of democracy, age of inequality, chaired by Joshua Dubrow (Polish Academy of Sciences); and “Residential concentration, ethnicity, political opportunities and the representation of immigrant-origin minorities in Spain” (co-authored with Laura Morales and Santiago Pérez-Nievas), Panel: In and out of place: participation of transnational migrants in civil society, chaired by Mónica Ibáñez (University of Burgos), August 1-4.

2012. **22<sup>nd</sup> IPSA World Congress of Political Science** (Madrid, Spain). Papers presented: “The political practice of the European citizenship: empirical insights on the electoral rights of non-national EU citizens”, Panel: Global governance and citizens political participation, chaired by Ramón Ruiz Ruiz (University of Jaen), discussant: Oscar Pérez de la Fuente (University Carlos III); and “Residential concentration, ethnicity, political opportunities and the representation of immigrant-origin minorities in Spain” (co-authored with Laura Morales and Santiago Pérez-Nievas), Panel: The experience of migration, chaired by Oleg Korneev (EUI), discussant Kumiko Haba (Harvard University), July 8-12.

2012. **4<sup>th</sup> ECPR Graduate Student Conference** (Bremen, Germany). Paper presented: “Redefining the political model of the European citizenship: empirical insights on the electoral rights of the EU foreigners in the Member States”. Panel: Immigration discourses in an age of globalisation, chaired by Clara Sandelind (University of Sheffield), July 4-6.

2011. **8<sup>th</sup> AECPA PhD Students Conference** (Barcelona, Spain). Paper presented: “The European citizenship and the political rights of the EU foreigners in the Member States”. Panel

chaired by Klaus Jurgen Nagel (Pompeu Fabra University), discussant: Álvaro Ramírez (Ortega y Gasset Institute), July 20-21.

2011. **Research Seminar IPP-CSIC Citizens, institutions and policies from a comparative perspective** (Madrid, Spain). Paper presented “The European citizenship and the electoral rights of EU foreigners in the Member States”, April 14.

2011. **UAM Workshop for Young Researchers** (Madrid, Spain). Paper presented: “The European citizenship and the electoral rights of non-national EU citizens”. Discussants: Michael Janoschka (UAM) and Andira Hernández (UAM), January 21-22.

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## PARTICIPATION IN RESEARCH PROJECTS

January 2011- **New citizens: immigrants’ political participation and representation in the Autonomous Community of Madrid.** Research collaborator. Project funded by the Autonomous Community of Madrid and the Autonomous University of Madrid. PI: Dr. Santiago Pérez-Nievas (Autonomous University of Madrid).

December 2010- **Reconstructing democracy in Europe (RECON).** Member of the Spanish research team. Project funded by the 6<sup>th</sup> Framework Program for Research of the European Commission ([www.reconproject.eu](http://www.reconproject.eu)). IP: Dr. Erik Eriksen (ARENA, Oslo).

December 2009- **New spaces for the analysis of political leadership in Spain.** Research Assistant. Project funded by the Spanish Ministry of Science and Innovation and part of the international project MAELG (Municipal Assemblies in European Local Governance in Change). PI: Dr. Carlos Alba (Autonomous University of Madrid).

November 2006- **Prevention of human trafficking.** Research collaborator. Project funded by the International Organization for Migration (IOM Romania). Program director: Iris Alexe (IOM).

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## FURTHER EDUCATION

2014 **Discourse analysis**, Dr. Carmelo Moreno, Autonomous University of Madrid, January 13-14 (7 hours).

2013 **QCA analysis**, Pablo Castillo and Dr. Iván Medina, Autonomous University of Madrid, March 8<sup>th</sup> (3 hours).

2012 **Qualitative analysis with Atlas.ti**, Dr. Aleksandra Maatsch, Spanish National Research Council, February 2 (2 hours).

2011 **Qualitative analysis: QCA, fsQCA and mvQCA**, Dr. Anibal Pérez-Linan, 9<sup>th</sup> Summer School on Methods of Socio-Political Analysis, University of Salamanca, June 26-July 1 (20 hours).

2011 **Regression analysis**, Dr. Clara Riba, 9<sup>th</sup> Summer School on Methods of Socio-Political Analysis, University of Salamanca, June 26-July 1 (20 hours).

2011 **Multilevel analysis**, Dr. Elena Martínez Barahona and Dr. Mercedes García Montero, 9<sup>th</sup> Summer School on Methods of Socio-Political Analysis, University of Salamanca, July 4-7 (20 hours).

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## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- 2013 **Autonomous University of Madrid.** Guest Lecturer at the Department of Political Science and International Relations, MA in Democracy and Government. Lecture: “Immigrant integration policies in Spain and Europe”, February 7<sup>th</sup> (2 hours).
- 2012 **China-EU School of Law, Beijing.** Law Department, Double Master of LL.M. of Chinese Law and the LL.M. of European and International Law. Tutorials: “European political systems”, November 12- 13 (6 hours).
- 2012 **Autonomous University of Madrid.** Guest Lecturer at the Department of Political Science and International Relations, MA in Democracy and Government. Lecture: “Immigration policies in Western Europe”, February 16<sup>th</sup> (2 hours).
- 2011 **China-EU School of Law, Beijing.** Law Department, Double Master of LL.M. of Chinese Law and the LL.M. of European and International Law. Tutorials: “European political systems”, November 7- 8 (6 hours).
- 2010 **China-EU School of Law, Beijing.** Law Department, Double Master of LL.M. of Chinese Law and the LL.M. of European and International Law. Tutorials: “European political systems”, November 12- 13 (4 hours).

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## OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS

2013-2014. Organizer of the Seminar Series *Citizens, institutions and policies from a comparative perspective*, Institute for Public Goods and Policies, Spanish National Research Council.

Since 2013. Founder and co-editor of *Migration News*.

2009. MA thesis: *The social and political integration of immigrants in Madrid region: the case of Romanians in Arganda del Rey*- Department of Political Science and International Relations, Autonomous University of Madrid. Supervisor: Dr. Santiago Pérez-Nievas Montiel.

2008. BA thesis: *The security of the Eastern border of Romania and its implications for irregular migration flows* - National School for Political and Administrative Studies (Romania). Supervisor: Dr. Adrian Pop.

2007. Internship at *Duinea- Public Notary Office*. Supervisor: Dumitru Duinea, June 2007.

2005. Internship at the *Institute for Communication Studies*. Supervisor: Dr. Stefan Stanciugelu, July 2005.

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## PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIP

- International Political Science Association (IPSA), since 2012.
- Spanish Association of Political Science and Public Administration (AECPA), since 2011.
- Research Group on Government, Administration and Public Policies (GIGAPP), since 2012.

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**LANGUAGE SKILLS**

- Romanian- Native speaker
- Spanish- Fluent
- English- Fluent
- French- Fluent
- Italian- Good working level

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**SOFTWARE**

- SPSS, STATA, QCA, ATLAS.ti, Microsoft Office.