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Econometrics and Applied Statistics Unit
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Past Positions

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| 2003-2008 | Post-doctoral Researcher. Instituto de Estudios Sociales Avanzados, Spanish Council for Scientific Research (IESA-CSIC), Spain. |
| 2002-2003 | Assistant Professor. Department of Economics, University of Valladolid, Spain. |
| 2000-2002 | Postdoctoral Researcher. Department of Agricultural and Resource Economics, University of California Davis, United States of America. |
| 1999-2000 | Visiting Professor. Departamento de Fundamentos del Análisis Económico, University of Alicante, Spain. |
| 1999 | Research Fellow. Business and Labour Market Analysis Division of <u>Statistics Canada</u> (Canada) |
| 1997-1999 | Research Assistant. Department of Economics and Arkleton Centre for Rural Development Research (University of Aberdeen) |

Other Management Positions

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| Position and Date: | Vice-director from 2009-2011 |
| Body: | Consortium for Quality Assurance of the University System of Andalusia (UCUA)
Regional Ministry of Innovation and Science, (Spain) |
| Position and date: | Secretary General from 2010-2011 |
| Body: | Andalusian Agency for Research Evaluation (AGAE)
Regional Ministry of Innovation and Science, (Spain) |

1.- Academic Qualifications

1997/00 PhD from the University of Aberdeen –United Kingdom-. January 2000

PhD Title: Modelling the Labour Market Behaviour of Women in Rural Canada.

PhD Supervisor: Dr. Euan Phimister. Department of Economics, University of Aberdeen.

1994/95 Masters in Agricultural Economics and Rural Development. MSc(Agr). University College Dublin (UCD). Ireland.

Title of Thesis component: "Small and Medium-sized Enterprises in rural areas of Ireland. Clare and Duhallow case-studies"

Supervisor: Dr. Jim Kinsella. Department of Agribusiness, Extension and Rural Development. Faculty of Agriculture, University College Dublin.

1989/94 Bachelor in Economics. University of Córdoba. Spain.

2.- University Teaching Experience

2009/10 **Associate Professor** in the course "European Union" (taught in English to accomodate the European Higher Education Area -EHEA), Departamento de Economía, **Universidad de Córdoba**, Córdoba, Spain

2007/08 **Associate Professor** in the course "European Union" (taught in English to accomodate the EHEA), Departamento de Economía, **Universidad de Córdoba**, Córdoba, Spain

2002/03 **Assistant Professor** in the course "Organización y Gestión de Empresas", Departamento de Ingeniería Agrícola y Forestal (Área departamental de Economía Agraria), **Universidad de Valladolid**, Valladolid, Spain

2002/03 **Assistant Professor** in the course "Valoración Agraria", Departamento de Ingeniería Agrícola y Forestal (Área departamental de Economía Agraria), **Universidad de Valladolid**, Valladolid, Spain

1999/00 **Visiting Professor** in the course "Econometría I (Licenciatura en ADE y Licenciatura en Economía)", Departamento de Fundamentos del Análisis Económico, **Universidad de Alicante**, Alicante, Spain

1999/00 **Visiting Professor** in the course "Métodos Económicos II (Licenciatura en Economía)", Departamento de Fundamentos del Análisis Económico, **Universidad de Alicante**, Alicante, Spain

3.- University Research Experience

2005 **Visiting Fellow** at the Department of Agricultural and Resource Economics, University of California Davis (USA) for 3 months.

2003/05 **Associate Researcher** del Scottish centre for Research on Social Justice (University of Glasgow).

- 1998 **Core research assistant** at the Department of Agricultural Economics and Business at the University of Guelph (Canada) on the project funded under the “Rural Partnerships Initiative” by the Rural Secretariat between University of Guelph, and Statistics Canada titled “Income and employment dynamics in rural areas: the risk of social exclusion (Based on the analysis of the Survey on Labour and Income Dynamics)”
- 1997 **Research assistant** at the Arkleton Centre for Rural Development Research (University of Aberdeen) on a project funded by the Joseph Rowntree Foundation titled “ Action in Rural Areas: A preliminary study of rural households using the British Household Panel Survey” (Jan-Sep).
- 1997 **Visiting researcher.** The European Centre for Analysis in the Social Sciences at the University of Essex, United Kingdom
- 1995-96 **Research assistant** at the Department of Agricultural Economics, University of Córdoba, Spain on a project funded by the regional ministry of agriculture to measure the impact of the Common Agricultural Policy among Andalusian farmers.
- 1994-96 **Master’s student and research assistant.** Department of Agribusiness, Extension and Rural Development – University College Dublin (Ireland)

4.- Scholarships and Grants

- 1999 **Canadian Employment Research Forum (CERF)** research grant to prepare the paper to be presented at Laurentian University Sudbury at the conference on Rural/Urban Differences in Economic Development to be held September 8-9, 2000
- 1999 **Statistics Canada** Research Stipend to undertake analysis of the “Rural Labour Markets in Canada: Women Labour Market Participation” using the Survey of Labour and Income Dynamics (SLID). January 1999- September 1999.
- 1998 Statistics Canada grant to prepare the paper to be presented at the Canadian Employment Research Forum (CERF) Conference on Labour Market Transitions and Income Dynamics in May, 29th 1998 in Ottawa.
- 1997 ECASS (European Centre for Analysis in the Social Sciences) scholarship for the period 28 July to 15 August, to attend the Essex Summer School (University of Essex), and to spend an additional five working days as a visitor at ECASS carrying out research work on the British Household Panel Survey (BHPS).
- 1996/99 University of Aberdeen **Postgraduate PhD Studentship** to undertake research on the project: Rural Disadvantage and Exclusion: Preliminary Analysis Using the British Household Panel Survey (full fees and 2 year maintenance).
- 1994 **European Social Fund** grant to undertake the Masters in Rural Development (MSc (Agr)) at University College Dublin, Ireland.

5. PUBLICATIONS AND RESEARCH PROJECTS

5.1.- PUBLICATIONS

Peer-reviewed Publications

[32] Blasko, Z., Costa, P., **Vera-Toscano** (submitted) Promoting active citizenship, democracy and social cohesion in Europe through education. New evidence from the 2016 ICCS Study. *International Journal of Educational Research*.

[31] Flisi, S., Goglio, V., Meroni, E., **Vera-Toscano, E. (Forthcoming)** Cohort Patterns in adult literacy skills: How are new generations doing? *Journal of Policy Modeling*
(<https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jpolmod.2018.10.002>)

[30] Meroni, E., **Vera-Toscano, E.** (2017). The persistence of overeducation among recent graduates *Labour Economics* 48, 120-143

[29] **Vera-Toscano, E.**, Rodrigues, M. and Costa, P. (2017). Beyond educational attainment: the importance of skills and lifelong learning for social outcomes. Evidence for Europe from PIAAC. *European Journal of Education* 52 (2), 217-231

[28] Flisi, S., Goglio, V., Meroni, E., Rodrigues, M., **Vera-Toscano, E.** (2017) Measuring occupational mismatch: overeducation and overskill in Europe. Evidence from PIAAC. *Social Indicators Research* Volume 131, Issue 3, pp 1211–1249

[27] **Vera-Toscano, E.** Hardeman, S. (2016) Re-thinking the received wisdom on education: alternative policy lessons. *VOX CEPR's Policy Portal*. (<http://www.voxeu.org/article/re-thinking-education-alternative-policy-lessons>).

[26] Roberts D., **Vera-Toscano, E.** and Phimister, E. (2015) Fuel poverty in the UK: Is there a difference between rural and urban areas? *Energy Policy* 87, 216-223

[25] E. Phimister, E. **Vera-Toscano**, D. Roberts (2015). The Dynamics of Energy Poverty: Evidence from Spain *Economics of Energy & Environmental Policy* 4 (1)

[24] Meroni, E., **Vera-Toscano, E.**, Costa, P. (2015) "Can low skill teachers make good students? Empirical evidence from PIAAC and PISA". *Journal of Policy Modeling* 37 (2), 308-323.

[23] Gómez-Limón, JA., **Vera-Toscano, E.**, Garrido-Fernández, F., (2014) "Farmers' contribution to agricultural social capital: Evidence from Southern Spain", *Rural Sociology* 79 (3), 380-410

[22] **Vera-Toscano, E.**, Garrido-Fernández, F., Gómez-Limón, JA., Cañadas-Reche, J.L. (2012) "Are Theories About Social Capital Empirically Supported? Evidence from the Farming Sector", *Social Indicators Research* (DOI 10.1007/s11205-012-0205-7). Springer Netherlands. [ISSN nº 0303-8300].

[21] Gómez-Limón, JA., **Vera-Toscano, E.** and M. Rico-González. (2012) "Measuring individual preferences for rural multifunctionality: The importance of demographic and residential heterogeneity", *Journal of Agricultural Economics*. Vol. 63(1). Agricultural Economics Society. United Kingdom. [ISSN nº 0021-857X]

[20] **Vera-Toscano, E.**, Moyano E. (2010) "Empleo femenino y su efecto sobre la distribución de la renta familiar en el medio rural", *Economía Agraria y Recursos Naturales*. Vol. 10, 1. (2010). pp. 5-16. [ISSN: 1578-0732]

- [19] **Vera-Toscano, E.**, Gómez-Limón, JA., Moyano E., Garrido, F. (2008) "Factors determining citizens' attitudes towards agri-environmental property rights", *Environmental and Resource Economics* [ISSN nº 0924-6460]
- [18] Gómez-Limón, J.A., Garrido, F., **Vera-Toscano, E.**, Moyano, E. (2008) "Percepción social de los derechos de propiedad agroambiental: el caso de Andalucía", *Revista Internacional de Sociología*. En prensa. [ISSN nº 0034-9712]
- [17] **Vera-Toscano, E.**, Gómez-Limón, JA., Garrido, F., Moyano, E. (2007) "Individuals' opinion on agricultural multifunctionality performance", *Spanish Journal of Agricultural Research* 5(3) [ISSN nº 1695-971-X]
- [16] **Vera-Toscano, E.**, Ateca-Amestoy, V. (2007) "The relevance of Social Interactions on Housing Satisfaction", *Social Indicators Research*. On line first: DOI 10.1007/s11205-007-9107-5. Springer Netherlands. [ISSN nº 0303-8300].
- [15] Ateca-Amestoy, V., Serrano del Rosal, R., **Vera-Toscano, E.** (2007) "The leisure experience", *Journal of Socio-Economics*. On line first from 1 February 2007: DOI 10.1016/j.socec.2006.12.025. [ISSN nº 1053-5357]
- [14] Gómez-Limón, J.A., Moyano, E., **Vera-Toscano, E.** y Garrido, F. (2006) "Actitudes y percepciones sociales sobre la multifuncionalidad agraria: el caso de Andalucía", *Revista de Estudios Regionales*, nº 78, pp. 13-46.
- [13] **Vera-Toscano, E.**, Ateca Amestoy, V., Serrano del Rosal, R. (2006) "Building Financial Satisfaction", *Social Indicators Research*. Vol. 77 pp. 211-243. Springer Netherlands. [ISSN nº 0303-8300]
- [12] **Vera-Toscano, E.**, Phimister, E., Weersink, A. (2004) "Panel Estimates of the Canadian Rural/Urban Women's Wage Gap", *American Journal of Agricultural Economics*. Vol. 86(4) pp. 1138-1151. Blackwell Publishing for the American Agricultural Economics Association. USA. [ISSN nº 0002-9092]
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- [10] Jarvis, L., **Vera-Toscano, E.** (2004). "Seasonal adjustment in a market for female agricultural workers" *American Journal of Agricultural Economics*. Vol 86(1) pp. 254-266. Blackwell Publishing for the American Agricultural Economics Association. USA. [ISSN nº 0002-9092]
- [9] Jarvis, L.S., **Vera-Toscano, E.** (2004) "The impact of Chilean fruit sector development on female employment and household income" *World Bank Policy Research Working Papers* Nº 3263 (April 2004). <http://econ.worldbank.org>. [ISSN Nº 0259-210X]
- [8] **Vera-Toscano, E.**, Phimister, E., Weersink, A. (2003) "Earnings mobility of Rural vs. Urban workers in Canada", *Canadian Journal of Agricultural Economics*. Vol. 51 (July) pp.241-258. Blackwell Publishing for the Canadian Agricultural Economics Association. Canada. [ISSN nº 0008-3976]
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Non-peer reviewed Publications and Policy Reports

- [22] Blasko, Z., Costa, P., **Vera-Toscano** (2018) Civic attitudes and behavioural intentions in the 2016 International Civic and Citizenship Education Study (ICCS): New evidence for education and training policies in Europe. JRC Working Papers. JRC109480
- [21] Blasko, Z., Costa, P., **Vera-Toscano** (2018) Civic attitudes and behavioural intentions among 14 year olds. How can education make a difference toward a more democratic and cohesive Europe? JRC Working Papers. JRC109180
- [20] **Vera-Toscano, E** Meroni E (2016) A descriptive analysis of the evolution of occupational mismatch in Europe JRC Working Papers. JRC103228
- [19] Flisi, S., Meroni, E., **Vera-Toscano, E.** (2016) Educational outcomes and immigrant background JRC Technical Reports. JRC102629.
- [18] Flisi, S., Meroni, E., **Vera-Toscano, E.** (2016) Indicators for early childhood education and care JRC Technical Reports. JRC102774
- [17] Flisi, S., Goglio, V., **Vera-Toscano, E.**, Meroni, E., and M. Barattoni (2015). Joint Assessment Framework – Charts 2015. JRC Contributions to policy documents JRC98283
- [16] **Vera-Toscano, E.** (2015) An update on the forecast of Europe 2020 headline targets on education and training. JRC Technical Reports. JRC97601.
- [15] Flisi S., Goglio V., Meroni E. and **Vera-Toscano E.** (2015). School-to-work transition of young individuals: what can the ELET and NEET indicators tell us? Publications Office of the European Union. JRC95223.

- [14] Flisi S., Goglio V., Meroni E., **Vera-Toscano E.** and Dragomirescu Gaina C. (2015). Skills beyond education. An analysis of cognitive skill evolution and its implications for employment chances. Publications Office of the European Union. JRC95221.
- [13] **Vera-Toscano E.**, Meroni E. (2014). Formal qualifications and individuals' skills. Evidence from the Survey of Adult Skills (PIAAC). Publications Office of the European Union. JRC92997.
- [12] **Vera-Toscano E.**, Meroni E., Flisi S. and Goglio V. (2014). Towards a new benchmark on adult skills for sustainable growth: A revision of potential indicators and sub-indicators for monitoring. Publications Office of the European Union. JRC92448.
- [11] Flisi, S., Goglio, V., Meroni, E., Rodrigues, M., **Vera-Toscano, E.** "Occupational mismatch in Europe: Understanding overeducation and overskilling for policy making". JRC Science and Policy Report, EUR 26618. doi: 10.2788/61733.
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- [9] **Vera-Toscano, E.** "Public financing of education in EU countries: A cross-country systematic analysis". JRC Science and Policy Report, EUR 26226. doi: 10.2788/33594.
- [8] **Vera-Toscano, E.** (2009) "Empleo femenino y bienestar económico en el medio rural" Anuario UPA 2009 "Agricultura Familiar en España", pp. 134-141.
- [7] López Benítez, M., **Vera-Toscano, E.**, Fereres Castiel, E. (2009) "Transparency, accountability and stakeholders' protection in the Andalusian Agency for Quality Assurance in Higher Education and research: An analysis of our reporting/publication policy" **ENQA Workshop Report 13** [ISSN 1458-106X]
- [6] **Vera-Toscano, E.**, Gómez-Limón, JA., Garrido, F., Moyano, E. (2007) "Individuals' opinion on agricultural multifunctionality performance" **IESA Working Paper** 06-05. 2006
- [5] Jarvis, L.S., **Vera-Toscano, E.**, "The Impact of Chilean Fruit Sector Development on Female Employment and Household Income" **UCDavis Agricultural and Resources Economics Departamental Working Paper** Number 04-002. 2004
- [4] Jarvis, L.S., **Vera-Toscano, E.**, "Seasonal adjustment in a market for female agricultural workers in Chile" **UCDavis Agricultural and Resources Economics Departamental Working Paper** Number 01-013. 2001
- [3] Chapman, P., Phimister, E., Shucksmith, M., Upward, R., **Vera-Toscano. E.** , "Work, opportunity and low pay in rural household: Some descriptive dynamics using the British Household Panel Survey". **Arkleton Centre for Rural Development Research Working Paper** Number 98/01. 1998
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[1] Caldentey Albert, P., Díaz Pérez, E., Jiménez Luque, A., Zarco Tejada, P., **Vera-Toscano, E.**, "La política de calidad como estrategia para el mantenimiento de la agricultura en zonas marginales" **Agricultura: Revista agropecuaria**. Año nº 64, nº 756, 1995. pp. 592-594. [ISSN Nº 0002-1334]

Other publication (Books and Chapters in books)

[6] Vera-Toscano, E. (2015) **Emprego Feminino e Bem-estar Económico no Meio Rural**, en Ortega, A. C.; Moyano, E. Desenvolvimento em territórios rurais. Estudos comparados de Brasil e Espanha. Campinas, Ed. Alínea, 2015, pp. 395-405.

[5] Garrido F. E.; Gómez J. A.; Vera-Toscano, E. (2015) **Indicadores de Capital Social e Desenvolvimento Territorial**, en Ortega, A. C.; Moyano, E. Desenvolvimento em territórios rurais. Estudos comparados de Brasil e Espanha. Campinas, Ed. Alínea, 2015, pp. 103-133.

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[3] Chapman, P., Phimister, E., Shucksmith, M., Upward, R., Vera-Toscano, E., **Poverty and exclusion in Rural Britain. The dynamics of low income and employment**. YPS Publishers for the Joseph Rowntree Foundation, Cork, Jan. 1998. ISBN: 1 899987 67 3 (54 páginas)

[2] Vera-Toscano, E., Chapman, P., **Global Changes and Individual Responses in rural areas: The dynamics of low income and household economic status**. pp. 153-178. en Papadopoulos, A., y Kasimis, C (editores) "Local responses to Global Integration", Ashgate Publishing. Great Britain. 1999. ISBN: 1 84014 844 6

[1] Ramos Real, E (coord.), **Programa de Innovación Rural de Los Pedroches. Un modelo de diagnóstico y formulación participativos**. Cajasur Publicaciones. 1997. ISBN: 84-7959-194-3.

5.2.- COMPETITIVE RESEARCH PROJECTS

[15] PROJECT TITLE: Indicadores de capital social y su aplicación en el análisis de los procesos de desarrollo (CSO2011-27465)

FUNDING: Ministerio de Ciencia e Innovación

DURATION: 2012-2015.

PI: Esperanza Vera-Toscano.

PARTICIPATION AS: PI

[14] PROJECT TITLE: Análisis cuantitativo de la situación socio-económica de la población agraria y rural: El empleo como factor de producción en una agricultura multifuncional.

FUNDING: Proyecto Intramural Especial, Consejo Superior de Investigaciones Científicas (CSIC).

DURATION: 2008-2009.

PI: Esperanza Vera-Toscano.

PARTICIPATION AS: PI

[13] PROJECT TITLE: Condiciones de vida, actitudes y comportamiento de las mujeres del medio rural de Andalucía respecto a su inserción en el mercado de trabajo y a las políticas de desarrollo rural

FUNDING: Instituto Andaluz de la Mujer de la Junta de Andalucía participando el IESA, Consejo Superior de Investigaciones Científicas (CSIC).

DURATION: 2007-2008. IP: Eduardo Moyano y Esperanza Vera-Toscano.

PARTICIPATION AS: Co-PI

[12] PROJECT TITLE: Percepción, Valores y Actitudes de la población andaluza respecto a la situación de la agricultura y el mundo rural en Andalucía.

FUNDING: Consejería de Agricultura y Pesca de la Junta de Andalucía participando el IESA, Consejo Superior de Investigaciones Científicas (CSIC).

DURATION: 2005-2008. PI: Eduardo Moyano y Fernando Garrido.

PARTICIPATION AS: Researcher.

[11] PROJECT TITLE: Satisfacción con la vivienda en Andalucía (SOCH2.05/009).

FUNDING: Centro de Estudios Andaluces – Junta de Andalucía participando el IESA, Consejo Superior de Investigaciones Científicas (CSIC).

DURATION: Feb 2006 - Diciembre 2006. IP: Esperanza Vera-Toscano.

PARTICIPATION AS: Principal Investigator

[10] PROJECT TITLE: La calidad de vida y bienestar individual: Un análisis cuantitativo con enfoque subjetivo (SEJ2005-06099).

FUNDING: Ministerio de Educación y Ciencia (Proyecto I+D+I) participando el IESA, Consejo Superior de Investigaciones Científicas (CSIC).

DURATION: Diciembre 2005 - Diciembre 2007. PI: Rafael Serrano del Rosal.

PARTICIPATION AS: Researcher

[9] PROJECT TITLE: Cuantificación de la multifuncionalidad (externalidades ambientales y sociales) producida por los sistemas agrarios continentales (AGL 2003-07446-C03-01).

FUNDING: Ministerio de Ciencia y Tecnología participando la Universidad de Valladolid.

DURATION: Diciembre 2003 – Diciembre 2004. PI: José Antonio Gómez-Limón

PARTICIPATION AS: Researcher

[8] PROJECT TITLE: The Impact of the minimum wage in Scotland.

FUNDING: Scottish Center for Research on Social Justice participando la University of Aberdeen.

DURATION: Enero 2003 – Octubre 2003. PI: Euan Phimister y Bob Elliot.

PARTICIPATION AS: Researcher

[7] PROJECT TITLE: The Development of the fruit sector in Chile: Impact on the structure of employment and household composition.

FUNDING: Banco Mundial participando la University of California Davis (Department of Agriculture and Resource Economics).

DURATION: Junio 2001 – Diciembre 2001. PI: Lovell (Tu) Jarvis.

PARTICIPATION AS: Post-doctoral fellow

[6] PROJECT TITLE: Seasonal Adjustment in Labor Force Participation, Employment and Wages among Temporary Agricultural Workers in Chile.

FUNDING: Pacific Rim Program and Giannini Foundation participando la University of California Davis (Department of Agriculture and Resource Economics).

DURATION: Septiembre 2000 – Septiembre 2002. PI: Lovell (Tu) Jarvis.

PARTICIPATION AS: Post-doctoral fellow

[5] PROJECT TITLE: Rural Labor Markets in Canada: Women Labour Participation and the Importance of Self-Employment.

FUNDING: Agriculture and AgriFood Canada (Rural Secretariat) and Statistics Canada.

DURATION: Enero 1998 – Septiembre 1999. PI: Esperanza Vera-Toscano.

PARTICIPATION AS: PI

[4] PROJECT TITLE: Action in Rural Areas: A preliminary study of rural households using the British Household Panel Survey.

FUNDING: Joseph Rowntree Foundation participando University of Aberdeen and Arkleton Centre for Rural Development Research.

DURATION: Enero 1997 – Septiembre 1997. PI: Mark Shucksmith.

PARTICIPATION AS: Researcher

[3] PROJECT TITLE: Plan de Actuación en el Jerez Rural.

FUNDING: Ayuntamiento de Jerez participando Analistas Económicos de Andalucía y Universidad de Córdoba.

DURATION: Enero 1996 – Mayo 1996. PI: Francisco Villalba Cabello.

PARTICIPATION AS: Researcher

[2] PROJECT TITLE: Elaboración del Programa de Innovación Rural del Grupo de Acción Local “Proyecto Los Pedroches, S.A.”

FUNDING: Iniciativa Comunitaria Leader II a través del G.A.L.

DURATION: Noviembre 1995 – Diciembre 1995. PI: Eduardo Ramos Real.

PARTICIPATION AS: Researcher

[1] PROJECT TITLE: Diseño y construcción de un sistema de información para el apoyo a la toma de decisiones dentro del ámbito agrario de la Comunidad Autónoma de Andalucía.

FUNDING: Junta de Andalucía.

DURATION: Septiembre 1995 – Octubre 1995. PI: José Juan Romero y Eduardo Ramos Real.

PARTICIPATION AS: Researcher

6. CONFERENCES

[27] **Vera-Toscano, E.**, Rodrigues, M. and Costa, P. “Beyond educational attainment: the importance of skills and lifelong learning for social outcomes. Evidence for Europe from PIAAC”. Presented at the International Conference on PIAAC and PIAAC-Longitudinal. April 5 – 6, 2017 in Mannheim, Germany – oral presentation.

[26] Flisi, S., Goglio, V., Meroni, E., **Vera-Toscano, E.** “Changes in adult literacy skills across European countries. The role of age and cohort effects” presented at the Workshop on Education, Skills and Labour market to be held in Trondheim (NO) in May 2016 –oral presentation.

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