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University Education:

PhD, MPhil in Economics
University of Cambridge, King's College

Industrial Civil Engineer, BA in Philosophy and MA in Political Science,
Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile

Academic and professional activities:

Since 2018 President *Centro de Estudios Públicos* (CEP)

Since 2017 Adam Smith Professor, Universidad Adolfo Ibáñez

Since 2017 Member of the Board *Teatro del Lago*, Frutillar, Chile

Since 2017 Member Advisory Board *History of Political Economy*

2014-2015 Senior Research Fellow, *Center for the History of Political Economy*, Department of Economics, Duke University

Since 2010 Member of the Board *International Adam Smith Society* (IASS)

2010-2012 Chairman of the Board of *Televisión Nacional de Chile* (TVN)

2008-2014 Dean School of Government, Universidad Adolfo Ibáñez

2008-2014 Member of the Board of the Good Practices Committee, *Bolsa de Comercio de Santiago*

2006-2010 Member of the Board *Sociedad de Instrucción Primaria* (SIP)

2005-2017 Full Professor, Universidad Adolfo Ibáñez

2002-2005 Associate Professor, School of Business, Universidad Adolfo Ibáñez

2005-2017 Member of the Board and Executive Committee, *Centro de Estudios Públicos*

2006-2009 Member of the Board History of Economics Society (HES)

2008-2014 Regular columnist newspaper *La Segunda*

2007-2008 Regular columnist newspaper *Diario Financiero*

2004-2007 Regular columnist newspaper *El Mercurio*

2007-2017 Regular columnist newspaper *La Tercera*

Teaching courses at Universidad Adolfo Ibáñez:

- Economics
- Microeconomics
- Instituciones
- Political Economics
- Political Theory
- Business Ethics
- Adam Smith and the Scottish Enlightenment

Has given talks and seminars at Cambridge University, George Mason University, Michigan University, Duke University, University of North Carolina, Chicago University, University of British Columbia, University of Wake Forest, Mont Pelerin Society, Universidad de Chile, Universidad Católica, ILADES-Georgetown, Universidad Diego Portales, Universidad Torcuato di Tella, Centro de Estudios Públicos, Instituto Libertad y Desarrollo, Fundación para el Progreso. Adicionally has participated in *Liberty Fund Colloquiums*.

1.- Publications:

1.1.- Papers

Montes, L. (2003a) 'Das Adam Smith Problem: its origins, the stages of the current debate, and one implication for our understanding of sympathy', *Journal of the History of Economic Thought*, vol. 25, no. 1, pp. 64-90.

Montes, L. (2003b) 'Smith and Newton: some methodological issues concerning general economic equilibrium theory', *Cambridge Journal of Economics*, vol. 27, no. 5, pp. 723-47.

Montes, L. (2004a) 'Adam Smith: ¿Liberal o Cristiano?', *Revista de Estudios Públicos*, no. 93, pp. 103-129.

- Montes, L. (2004b) 'Adam Smith: ¿Liberal o Cristiano?', reimpresso en *Libertas*, no. 41, pp. 99-136.
- Montes, L. (2004c) 'De la tolerancia, su contexto y una posible relación con el "nombre general" de propiedad en John Locke', *Revista de Ciencia Política*, vol. 24, no. 2, pp. 142-158.
- Montes, L. (2006a) 'Review essay of *Knowledge, Social Institutions and the Division of Labour*', edited by Pier Luigi Porta, Roberto Scazzieri and Andrew Skinner, in *Research in the History of Economic Thought and Methodology*, vol. 24A, pp. 99-112.
- Montes, L. (2006b) 'Reply to Neil Hargraves's Review essay of Montes's *Adam Smith in Context*', *Adam Smith Review* Vol. 2, pp. 290-3.
- Montes, L. (2006c) 'Tras la Huella de Adam Smith: Su Relevancia Hoy', *Revista de Estudios Públicos*, no. 104, pp. 5-24.
- Montes, L. (2006d) 'Sobre el Newtonianismo y la Teoría del Equilibrio Económico General de Adam Smith', *Centro de Estudios Públicos*, no. 104, pp.247-78
- Montes, L. (2008) 'Newton's Real Influence on Adam Smith, and Its Context', *Cambridge Journal of Economics*, vol. 32, N°4, pp. 555-76.
- Montes, L. (2008) 'Adam Smith as an *eclectic Stoic*', *Adam Smith Review*, vol. 4, pp. 30-56.
- Montes, L. (2009) 'La Influencia de Newton en Adam Smith', *Anuario Filosófico*, vol. XLII, pp. 137-158.
- Montes, L. (2010) 'Sentido y Comprensión de la Historia del Pensamiento Político, Entrevista a Quentin Skinner', *Revista de Estudios Públicos*, no. 118, pp. 57-67.
- Caldwell, Bruce and Montes, Leonidas (2015) 'Friedrich Hayek and His Visits to Chile', *Review of Austrian Economics*, volume 28, number 3, pp. 261-309 (premiado como *best 2015 article in Austrian Economics*, y como *best 2015 article in the History of Economics* por el *History of Economics Society*).
- Caldwell, Bruce and Montes, Leonidas (2015) 'Friedrich Hayek y sus dos visitas a Chile', *Revista de Estudios Públicos*, no. 137, pp. 87-132.
- Montes, L. (2016) 'Milton Friedman y sus visitas a Chile', *Revista de Estudios Públicos*, no. 141, pp. 121-171.
- Montes, L. (forthcoming) 'Adam Smith's foundational idea of sympathetic persuasion', *Cambridge Journal of Economics*.
- 'Friedman's Two Visits to Chile in Context' has been submitted and is presently being given full consideration for publication in the *Journal of the History of Economic Thought*.

'The relevance of propriety and self-command in Adam Smith's TMS' has been submitted and is presently being given full consideration for publication in *Social Philosophy and Policy*.

1.2.- Books

Montes, L. (2004) *Adam Smith in Context. A Critical Reassessment of some Central Components of His Thought*, London: Palgrave-Macmillan.

Montes, L. and Schliesser, E. (2006) *New Voices on Adam Smith*, editors, London: Routledge.

Montes, L. and Schliesser, E. (2009, paperback) *New Voices on Adam Smith*, editors, London: Routledge.

Montes, L. (2017) *Adam Smith en Contexto. Una revaluación crítica de algunos aspectos centrales de su pensamiento*, Madrid: Tecnos.

1.3.- Book chapters

Montes, L. (2001) Introducción a *Cartas acerca de la Tolerancia, John Locke*, Madrid: Editorial Mestros.

Montes, L. (2006a) 'Adam Smith: Real Newtonian', in *A History of Scottish Economic Thought*, edited by Dow, A. and Dow, S., London: Routledge, pp. 102-121.

Montes, L. (2006b) 'Smith and Newton: Closer than We Thought', in *New Voices on Adam Smith*, edited by Montes, L. and Schliesser, E., London: Routledge, pp. 247-270.

Montes, L. (2008) 'The origins of Das Adam Smith Problem and Our Understanding of Sympathy', in *The Street Porter and the Philosopher: Conversations on Analytical Egalitarianism*, edited by Sandra Peart and David Levy, Ann Arbor: University of Michigan Press, pp. 158-178.

Montes, L. (2009) 'Adam Smith on the Standing Army versus Militia Issue: Wealth over Virtue?', in *The Elgar Companion to Adam Smith*, edited by Jeffrey Young, London: Edward Elgar, pp. 315-335.

Montes, L. (2011) 'Is Hayek rowing Adam Smith's Boat?', in *Hayek, Mill, and the Liberal Tradition*, edited by Andrew Farrant, London: Routledge.

Montes, L. (2013) 'Newtonianism and Adam Smith', in *The Oxford Handbook of Adam Smith*, edited by Berry, C. J., Paganelli, M. P. and Smith, C., Oxford University Press.

Montes, L. (2013) 'Newtonianism in Adam Smith's Social Science', in *Encyclopedia of Philosophy and the Social Sciences*, edited by Kaldis, B., SAGE Publications.

Montes, L. (2016) 'Adam Smith and the Virtues', in *Adam Smith: His Life, Thought, and Legacy*, edited by Hanley, R., Princeton: Princeton University Press, pp. 138-156.

Montes, L. (2017) 'La persuasión y el ideal de la persuasion simpatética en el legado de Adam Smith, en *A Companion to Adam Smith*, edited by Cole, J. H., Guatemala: UFM, pp. 139-164.

1.4.- Book reviews

Montes, L. (2002) Review of *Adam Smith and Economic Science: A Methodological Interpretation*, by Jan Peil, Edward Elgar, in *European Association for Evolutionary Political Economy Newsletter*, no. 27, pp. 15-16.

Montes, L. (2004) Review of *Investigación sobre la mente humana según los principios del sentido común de Thomas Reid*, Editorial Trotta, in *Journal of Scottish Philosophy*, vol. 2, no. 2, pp. 200-203.

Montes, L. (2004) Review of *Adam Smith and the Classics*, by Gloria Vivenza, Oxford University Press, in www.eh.net, March, 2004.

Montes, L. (2006) Review of *Adam Smith's Moral Philosophy. A Historical and Contemporary Perspective on Markets, Law, Ethics, and Culture*, by Jerry Evensky, in *History of Economic Ideas*, vol. 14, no. 1, pp. 158-161.

Montes, L. (2006) Review of Porta, Scazzieri and Skinner's *Knowledge, Institutions and the Division of Labour*, in *Research in the History of Economic Thought and Methodology*, pp. 99-112.

Montes, L. (2008) Review of *On Adam Smith's Wealth of Nations: A Philosophical Companion*, by Samuel Fleischacker, in *Review of Political Economy*.

Montes, L. (2008) Review of *Adam Smith Radical and Egalitarian: An Interpretation for the 21st Century*, by Ian McLean, in *Adam Smith Review*, vol. 4, pp. 281-287.

Montes, L. (2010) Review of *Adam Smith and the Character of Virtue*, by Ryan Patrick Hanley, in *The Review of Metaphysics*, vol. 63, N° 4, pp. 924-926.

Montes, L. (2015) Review of *The Idea of Commercial Society in the Scottish Enlightenment*, by Christopher Berry, in *Journal of the History of Economic Thought*, pp. 489-492.

2.- Reviews on Adam Smith in Context and New Voices on Adam Smith

McNamara, P. (2004) Review of *Adam Smith in Context*, in www.eh.net, September, 2004.

- Brewer, A. (2004) Review of *Adam Smith in Context*, in *History of Economic Ideas*, vol. 12, N° 2, pp. 120-23
- Brown, V. (2004) Review of *Adam Smith in Context*, in *History of Economic Thought Newsletter*, vol. 73, pp. 21-24.
- Otteson, J. (2005) Review of *Adam Smith in Context*, in *Journal of Scottish Philosophy*, vol. 3, N° 1, pp. 98-102.
- Fleischacker, S. (2006), Review of *Adam Smith in Context*, in *Journal of History of Economic Thought*, vol. 28, no. 1, pp.127-30.
- Hargraves, N. (2006) Review of *Adam Smith in Context*, in the *Adam Smith Review*, vol. 2, pp. 285-293
- Young, J. (2006) Montes`s *Adam Smith in Context*, in *Research in the History of Economic Thought and Methodology*, pp. 201-208.
- Young, J. (2006) Montes`s *Adam Smith in Context*, in *History of Political Economy*, vol. 38 N° 3, pp. 565-567.
- Gerschlager, C. (2008) Montes and Schliesser`s *New Voices on Adam Smith*, in *Adam Smith Review*, vol. 4, pp. 272-280.
- Schliesser, E. (2008) Montes`s *Adam Smith in Context*, in *Ethics* April, pp. 569-575.
- Hueckel, G. (2009) Montes and Schliesser`s *New Voices on Adam Smith*, in *Journal of the History of Economic Thought*, vol. 31 N°2, pp. 251-55.

3.- Regular Referee for:

Journals:

Cambridge Journal of Economics
 Journal of the History of Economic Thought
 Political Theory
 American Political Review
 European Journal of the History of Economic Thought
 History of Political Economy
 History of Economic Ideas
 Revista de Estudios Públicos
 Revista de Ciencia Política

Publishers:

Cambridge University Press

Princeton University Press
Routledge
Palgrave-Macmillan

4.- Scholarships and awards:

The Best article in the *History of Economics* 2016 awarded by the *History of Economics Society* for paper 'Friedrich Hayek and His Visits to Chile' co-authored with Bruce Caldwell

Excellence in Research 2004, 2005 y 2006, Universidad Adolfo Ibáñez

Best researcher 2009, Universidad Adolfo Ibáñez

Best Fondecyt project 2003 on "Adam Smith and Newton"

2000-2002 Political Economy scholarship, Faculty of Economics, University of Cambridge

2000-2002 Research scholarship, King's College, University of Cambridge

1999-2002 Presidente de la República scholarship

First Prize "Concurso Cuentos Revista Paula", 1996 with short story "Viernes de Trabajo", published by Alfaguara as a book "Viernes de Trabajo y Otros Cuentos"