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- **Education**

- Ph.D. in Economic and Business Sciences. University of Alcalá (Spain). December 2002.
- Master in Business Adminstration. University of Alcalá (Spain). September 1996.
- Bachelor of Arts in Psychology. University Autónoma of Madrid (Spain). June 1994.
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- **Professional Experience**

- Consultant: World Bank (WB). Finance & Private Sector (LCSPF) Latin America and the Caribbean Region. March 2007 to present.
- Researcher for Institute of Latin American Studies (IELAT), University of Alcalá (Spain), as part of Assistant Researcher position. September 2007 to present.
- Researcher for Department of Business Sciences, University of Alcalá (Spain), as part of Assistant Professor position. September 1997 to March 2007.
- Visiting Researcher. World Bank (WB). Finance & Private Sector (LCSPF) Latin America and the Caribbean Region. Summer 2007.
- Visiting Researcher. World Bank (WB). Poverty Reduction and Economic Management (PREM) Latin America and the Caribbean Region. September 2006-March 2007.
- Visiting Researcher. Inter-American Development Bank (IDB). Multilateral Investment Fund (MIF). Summer 2006
- Visiting Researcher. Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean (ECLAC). Division of Social Statistics and Economic Projections. September 2005-March 2006.
- Visiting Researcher. Department of Economics Sciences, University of St. Mary's in Texas (USA). September 2004-March 2005.
- Assistant Professor. Department of Business Sciences, University of Alcalá (Spain). September 1997 to August 2009.
- Visiting Professor. Department of Business Sciences, National University of Salta (Argentina). Summer 2002

- Visiting Professor. Department of Business Sciences, National University (Equatorial Guinea). September 2003

- **Publications and Research**

- Work in Progress
- On the effectiveness of R&D subsidies in Chile. Additionality or Crowding Out?
- Foreign direct investment and productivity spillovers: firm level evidence from Chilean industrial sector.
- Linking Entrepreneurship Capital and Economic Performance: The role of new business as a conduit of knowledge spillovers.
- Productivity analysis in the Latin American Manufacturing sector: An Empirical Application in SME using semi-parametric frontier methods.
- Technical Efficiency and Second Hand Machinery and Equipment: An empirical analysis using firm-level data in the South African manufacturing industry (in collaboration with D. Sotelsek).
- Investigating the second hand machinery and equipment Kuznets curve: An Empirical Analysis of Technical Efficiency Using Firm-Level Data in the South African Manufacturing Industry (in collaboration with D. Sotelsek).
- Entrepreneurship Capital, Research & Development and Technical efficiency (in collaboration with D. Sotelsek).
- Productive efficiency and technical change in Latin American Countries: incorporation of environmental factors (in collaboration with D. Sotelsek).
- Technical Efficiency and Value Chain of Eastern European Union Companies: An Empirical Application using Semi-Parametric Frontier Methods (in collaboration with D. Sotelsek).

- **Books**

- Laborda, L, and De Zuani, E. (2007): Introduction to Quality Management. MAKTUB Press: Salta, Argentina.
- Laborda, L, and De Zuani, E. (2007): Organization Models in the firms. MAKTUB Press: Salta, Argentina.
- Laborda, L, and De Zuani, E. (2005): Information Systems: Spreadsheet exercises. University of Alcalá Press: Alcalá de Henares.
- Laborda, L (2005): Technical Efficiency, Technological Progress, and Economic Growth: Empirical Evidence from the Spanish Industrial Sector, 1994-2000. MAKTUB Press: Salta, Argentina.
- Laborda, L, and De Zuani, E. (2005): Introduction to Business Management. University of Alcalá Press: Alcalá de Henares.
- Laborda, L, and De Zuani, E. (2004): Fundamentals of Business Management: Theory and Practice. Valleta Press: Buenos Aires.

- **Articles**

- De Jorge, J, De Zuani, E, and Laborda, L. (2007): Influence of Entrepreneurial

Type, Region and Sector Effects on Business Self-Confidence: Empirical Evidence from Argentine Firms. Entrepreneurship and Regional Development.

- Laborda, L. (2007): Estimation of Poverty Lines: Evaluation of the basic basket of clothing items, according to the needs for thermal protection, in Laborda, L, and De Zuani (2007): Lectures in Economics and Business Administration. MAKTUB Press: Salta, Argentina.
- Laborda, L. (2007): Indicators as tool for management value in programs, in Laborda, L, and De Zuani (2007): Lectures in Economics and Business Administration. MAKTUB Press: Salta, Argentina.
- Laborda, L. (2007): Evaluation of Management Competencies in University Students: Analysis of Sex Differentials. Revista de Estudios de Economía y Empresa.
- Laborda, L. (2005): "Business Flexibility, Technical Efficiency and Economic Growth: Empirical Evidence from the Spanish Industrial Sector, 1994-2000." Contribuciones a la economía.
- Laborda, L. (2004): "The Impact of Technological Investment on different levels of productivity: Empirical Evidence from the Spanish Industrial Sector, 1993-1998." Contribuciones a la Economía.
- Laborda, L. (2004): "Determinants of R&D and productivity: Empirical Evidence from the Spanish Industrial Sector, 1993-1998." Contribuciones a la Economía.

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