

# MARC CASTELLÓN DURÁN

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## EDUCATION

- 2024-2028 PhD in Sustainable Forest Management and Public Policy (Dual Major), **Oregon State University**, Corvallis, Oregon, US
- 2017-2019 M.Sc. International Sustainability Management, **ESCP Business School**, Paris, France (4<sup>th</sup> ranked business school in Europe, Financial Times, 2023), *Average grade: A*
- 2014-2017 B.A. Sociology, **The University of Warwick**, Coventry, UK (8<sup>th</sup> ranked university in the UK, The Guardian University Rankings, 2023), *Average grade: B+*

## EXPERIENCE

- 2024 Research Assistant, The Paradoxes of Climate-Smart Coffee (PACSMAC), **Esade Business School** (in partnership with Copenhagen Business School, Lafayette College, Jimma University, and University of Dar Es Salaam), Barcelona, Spain
- 2018-2024 Sustainability Consultant, **Comprehensive Advanced Sustainability Solutions (COMPASS)**, Barcelona, Spain (strategy consulting, sustainability plans, codes of conduct, STEM projects, non-financial reporting, GhG emissions calculations)
- 2023 Teaching Assistant, MSc in Sustainability Management, **Esade Business School**, Barcelona, Spain
- 2020-2022 Research Assistant, Center for Leadership and Sustainability, **Esade Business School**, Barcelona, Spain

## APPOINTMENTS, GRANTS AND AWARDS

- 2025-2026 College of Forestry Dean's Distinguished Graduate Fellowship (*fellow*), **Oregon State University**, Corvallis, Oregon, US
- 2024-2025 Provost's Distinguished Graduate Fellowship (*fellow*), **Oregon State University**, Corvallis, Oregon, US
- 2023-Present Max Thabiso Edkins Climate Ambassador (*appointee and trainee*), **Global Youth Climate Network (World Bank Group)**, Washington DC, US (remote)
- 2023-Present Youth Council Member (*appointee*), **EUROPARC Federation**, Regensburg, Germany (remote)

- 2024 Future Leader, NEXT conference (*accreditee and grantee*), **ISPI, OECD, Bocconi University**, Milan, Italy
- 2023 Youth Delegate, Bonn Climate Change Conference (*accreditee and grantee*), **Children and Youth Constituency of UNFCCC (YOUNGO)**, Bonn, Germany
- 2023 Youth with a Mission Delegate, Europarc's 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Conference (*accreditee and grantee*), **EUROPARC Federation<sup>1</sup> and Alfred Toepfer Foundation**, Leeuwarden, Netherlands
- 2023 Global Youth Climate Training (*student*), **Oxford Net Zero and Global Youth Coalition**, Oxford, UK (remote)
- 2021-2023 Vice President (*appointee*), **Cerdanya for Climate Action**, Prullans, Spain
- 2015 Three Peaks Challenger (*fundraiser*), **Meningitis Research Foundation**, London, UK
- 2013 Climate Ambassador, First World Youth Sustainability Summit (*accreditee and grantee*), **Youthinkgreen, Volkswagen, and Stiftung Mercator**, Berlin, Germany

## PUBLICATIONS

### *Academic Reports*

- 2023 Castiñeira, A., Curtó, F., González, A.M., Montserrat, F., Guinjoan, M., Mouliau, M., and **Castellón Durán, M.** "Advancing Sustainability in the Global Polycrisis" *Esade and Caixabank SDGs Observatory*  
<https://www.esade.edu/faculty-research/en/center-leaderships-sustainability/publications> (*English version forthcoming*)
- 2022 Castiñeira, A., Curtó, F., González, A.M., Guinjoan, M., **Castellón Durán, M.**, Solís, B., and Mouliau, M. "Tensions in the Transition Towards Sustainability" *Esade and Caixabank SDGs Observatory*  
<https://www.esade.edu/faculty-research/en/center-leaderships-sustainability/publications>
- 2021 Castiñeira, A., Curtó, F., González, A.M., **Castellón Durán, M.**, Rovira, A., and Mouliau, M. "The Relevance of the 2030 Agenda in the post-COVID World" *Esade and Caixabank SDGs Observatory*  
<https://www.esade.edu/faculty-research/en/center-leaderships-sustainability/publications>
- 2020 Castiñeira, A., Curtó, F., González, A.M., Ortega, E., Rovira, A., Nadal, I., **Castellón Durán, M.**, and Mouliau, M. "The Transformational Power of the SDGs" *Esade and Caixabank SDGs Observatory*

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<sup>1</sup> EUROPARC Federation is Europe's nonprofit sector equivalent of the National Park Service.

### **Journal Articles**

- 2023 Cano, J-Ll., Marín, A., and **Castellón-Durán, M.** "Business simulators as a tool to improve the inclusion of the SDGs into the private sector's decision-making processes" (translated) *Company Games & Business Simulation* 3(1): 7-21
- 2021 Curtó-Pagès, F., Ortega-Rivera, E., **Castellón-Durán, M.**, and Jané-Llopis, E. "Coming in from the Cold: A Longitudinal Analysis of SDG Reporting Practices by Spanish Listed Companies Since the Approval of the 2030 Agenda" *Sustainability* 13(3): 1178-1206.  
<https://doi.org/10.3390/su13031178>

### **Practitioner articles**

- 2022 Castiñeira, A. and **Castellón-Durán, M.** "Biodiversity and Business: Context and Management" *Do Better*, February 16<sup>th</sup>

### **Newspaper articles**

- 2023 **Castellón-Durán, M.** "El Parc Natural del Cadí-Moixerò: pagesia i ecologisme" ["The Cadí-Moixerò Natural Park: farming and conservation"] *Pirineus Digital*, July 19<sup>th</sup>
- 2023 **Castellón-Durán, M.** "D'eleccions i brúixoles morals" ["Elections and our moral compass"] *Pirineus Digital*, April 18<sup>th</sup>
- 2022 **Castellón-Durán, M.** "Regular l'accés al medi natural és sostenible i necessari" ["Managing our access to nature is both sustainable and necessary"] *Actualitat Cerdanya*, September 29<sup>th</sup>
- 2021 **Castellón-Durán, M.** "L'oxímoron dels jocs sostenibles" ["The sustainable Winter Olympics as an oxymoron"] *Actualitat Cerdanya*, December 28<sup>th</sup>

### **TEACHING**

- 2023 *Instructor*, Company Game, Innova Netgrup  
Course: Sustainability Fundamentals for Business School Instructors
- 2022 *Moderator*, Executive Education Department, Esade Business School  
Course: Cross-generations session on sustainability management
- 2021 *Mentor*, Executive Education Department, Esade Business School  
Course: Gestión Sostenible y Agenda 2030

## **PRESENTATIONS**

- 2023        *Interviewee*, Debate on the 2023 municipal elections in the Pyrenees, TV Pirineus, May 28<sup>th</sup>
- 2022        *Interviewee*, Five nonprofit organisations oppose the construction of a new cable car between the Molina train station and ski slopes, TV Pirineus, May 5<sup>th</sup>
- 2022        *Speaker on rural mobility*, Third Meeting of the Confluence for a Sustainable Cerdanya, October 8<sup>th</sup>

## **LANGUAGES**

- Native*        Catalan
- Native*        Spanish
- Fluent*        English
- High Level*    French
- Basic Level*    Italian