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**1. License** in Psychology, University of Barcelona . 1972

**2. PhD** in Psychology (1985). University of Barcelona

**3. Position in the University:** Full Professor of “Psychometrics”, Department of Behaviour Sciences Methodology, Faculty of Psychology, University of Barcelona

### **4. Teaching experience:**

1974-1981 Creation of a School Guidance Service, Sciences of Education Institute, University of Barcelona

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1975-1982 Assistant Professor, Department of Behaviour Sciences Methodology, University of Barcelona

1982-1986 Associate Professor, Department of Behaviour Sciences Methodology, University of Barcelona

### **5. Research:**

#### *Past:*

1987-1992 Subjective well-being: dimensionality and correlates, Department of Behaviour Sciences Methodology, University of Barcelona

#### *Current:*

1973- Test construction, Test translation and adaptation, Department of Behaviour Sciences Methodology, University of Barcelona

1984- Structural equation models, Department of Behaviour Sciences Methodology, University of Barcelona

1986- Meta-analysis, Department of Behaviour Sciences Methodology, University of Barcelona

1990- Invariance of the measurement instruments, Department of Behaviour Sciences Methodology, University of Barcelona

1992- Differential Item Functioning, Department of Behaviour Sciences Methodology, University of Barcelona

#### **- Recent publications:**

- Tomás Sábado, J.; Gómez Benito, J. (2005). Construction and validation of the death Anxiety Inventory. *European Journal of Psychological Assessment*, 21 (2), 108-115.

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- Tomás-Sábado, J.; Gómez-Benito, J. (2003). The Spanish form of the Death Depression Scale. *Perceptual and Motor Skills*, 96, 49-53.
- Tomás-Sábado, J.; Gómez-Benito, J. (2003). Psychometric properties of the Spanish adaptation of the Death Obsession Scale (DOS). *Omega: Journal of Death and Dying*, 46 (3), 259-268.
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## 6. Profesional activities:

### Member of Publishing Committees and Scientific Societies:

- 1972-1989 Member of the Psychological Association of Catalonia.
- 1987-1989 Member of Spanish Society of Psychological Evaluation.
- 1987-1995 Member of the Biometric Society.
- 1987-1989 Member of the Spanish Society of Psychology.
- 1989-1990 Member of the American Psychological Association.
- 1990-1992 Member of the Publishing Committee of *Contemporary Educational Psychology*.
- 1990-1993 Member of the European Association of Psychological Assessment.
- 1993-1995 Regional editor of the West-Europe of *Contemporary Educational Psychology*.
- 1997-1998 Member of the Publishing Committee of *Psicológica*.
- 2000-2001 Member of the Publishing Committee of *Metodología de las Ciencias del Comportamiento*.
- 2000-2001 Member of the Spanish Association of Behavioural Sciences Methodology.
- 2001-2002 Member of the Publishing Committee of *Avances en Medición*.
- 2002-2003 Member of the International Test Commission.

### Coordination and Tutorial of Ph.D. programs:

- 1987-2000 "Behavioural Sciences Evaluation: Methodology and Applications".
- 2000-2004 "Design, Evaluation and Informatic Technology in Behavioural Sciences".
- 2004-2005 "Psychological Investigation Methods".

### Other contributions:

- 2000-2001 Member of the Group for Educational Innovation *Millora de la Docència en Disseny i Tècniques d'Investigació Psicològica*. Recognized by the University of Barcelona.
- 2002-2003 Director of the Group of quality research "Estudis d'invariància dels instruments de mesura i anàlisi del canvi".