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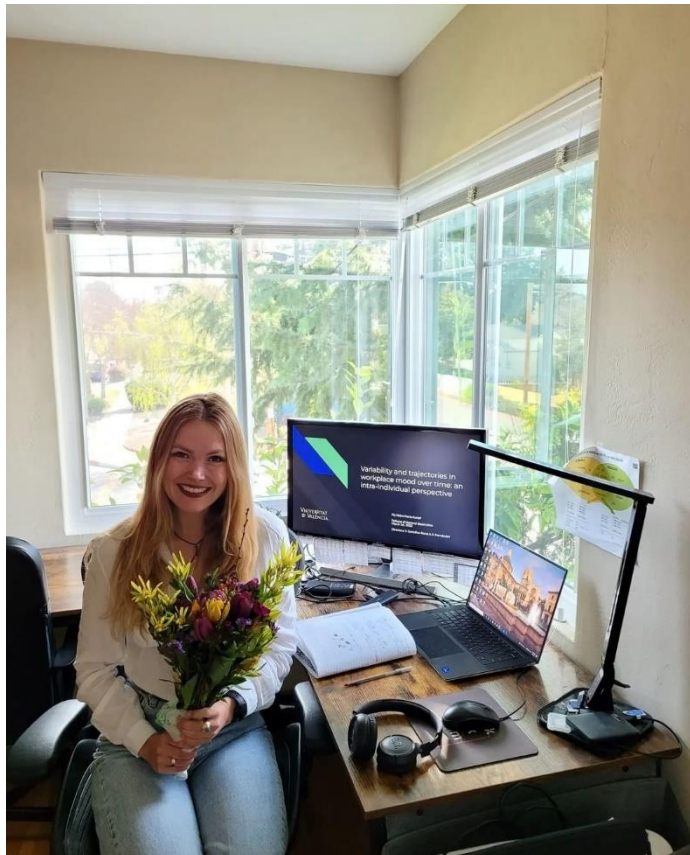
# Dissertation defense by Pia Helen Kampf: She goes by Dr. P. now!

Our PhD student Pia Helena Kampf successfully defended her doctoral thesis with the title “Variability and trajectories in workplace mood over time: an intra-individual perspective” on Tuesday, March 1.

This thesis was supervised by Prof. Ana Hernández Baeza and Prof. Vicente González-Romá in the University of Valencia. Members of the committee also included Prof. Eva Cifre in the University of Castellón, Prof. Pascale M. Le Blanc in the Eindhoven University of Technology, and Prof. Emeritus José M<sup>a</sup> Peiró in the University of Valencia.

She was praised for her impeccable and easy writing style as well as the relevance of her study and results. After an online presentation that lasted over two hours Pia was declared a doctor and given the highest grade.

Congratulations Pia! You have a bright future ahead!

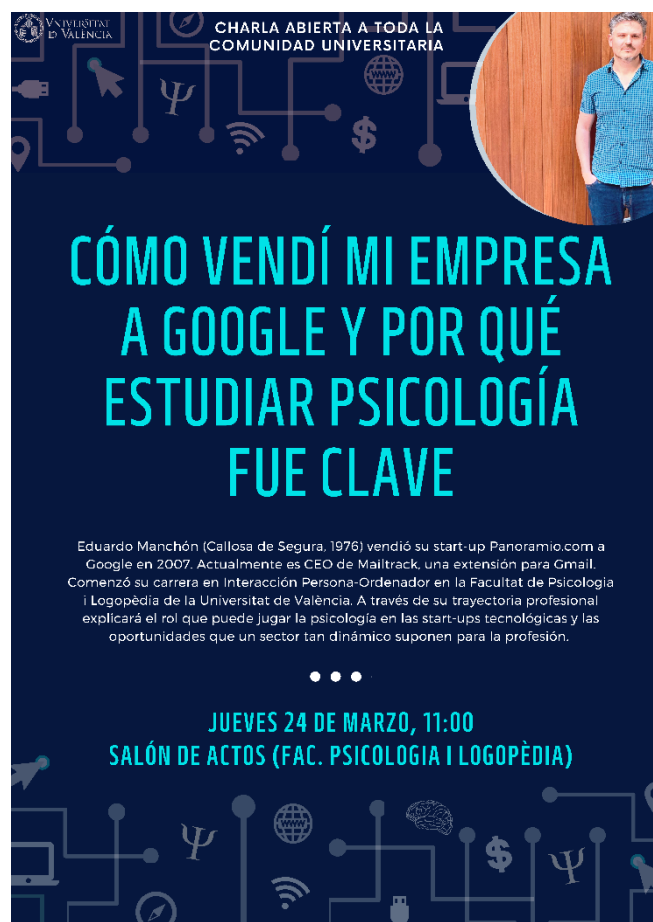


# Talk: How I sold my company to Google and why my degree in Psychology was key

On Thursday, March 24, at 11:00 in the Assembly Hall at the University of Valencia, there will be a talk on "How I sold my company on Google and why studying psychology was key" by Eduardo Manchón, a graduate in Psychology in the University of Valencia.

Eduardo Manchón (Callosa de Segura, 1976) sold his start-up Panoramio.com to Google in 2007 and he's currently the CEO of Mailtrack, an extension for Gmail. He began his career in Person-Computer Interaction at the Faculty of Psychology in Valencia.

He will explain the role that psychology can play in technology startups and the opportunities that such a dynamic sector represents for the profession. **The talk will be in Spanish and is open to anyone interested.**



# Awards: Prof. Martínez-Tur is awarded the medal of Psychology

Professor Vicente Martínez-Tur has been bestowed the medal of Psychology by his peers in recognition of his significant and lasting contribution to both scientific and teaching career.

Prof. Martínez-Tur is one of two professors awarded the faculty medal during a ceremony held last week to commemorate the patron of Spanish Psychology, Juan Huarte de San Juan.

Vicente Martínez-Tur (Tavernes de la Valldigna, 1970) is Professor of Social and Organizational Psychology at the University of Valencia, member of IDOCAL (Research Institute in the Psychology of Human Resources, Organizational Development and Quality of Life Labor of the University of Valencia) and director of the Department of Social Psychology. He coordinates an intense research and transfer activity in centers for people with intellectual disabilities, from the Psychology of Organizations.

He has been general secretary of the European Association of Work and Organizational Psychology and is currently president-elect of the International Association of Applied Psychology (IAAP-Division 1). He also coordinates the IAAP international report ("This works in my place!") on the contribution of Work and Organizational Psychology to the sustainable development goals considering the context of each region in the world.

Congratulations Prof. Vicente!



More information [here](#)

# Open call: The Editors of the Human Resource Management Journal are inviting submissions

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Authors are invited to submit methodology papers and registered reports to any issue via our regular submission process.

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