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## Research Fellow

Veronica Benet-Martinez is an ICREA Professor in the Department of Political and Social Sciences at UPF (Universitat Pompeu Fabra).

Using correlational and experimental research designs, she examines the following issues:

**MULTI/BICULTURAL IDENTITY:** Dynamics and socio-cognitive correlates of managing two or more cultural orientations and identities; individual differences in bicultural identity structure; biculturalism and social-networks; consequences of biculturalism (social, cognitive, and adjustment-related).

**CULTURE AND SELF-CONCEPT:** Identification and measurement of culture-specific and -general personality constructs; interplay of cultural values and personality in predicting well-being; bilingualism and self-schemas.

**CROSS-CULTURAL RESEARCH METHODS:** Cultural/linguistic issues in instrument development and adaptation; combined emic-etic methodology; psychometrics of multi-group cultural comparisons.

Before joining ICREA in 2010, Dr. Benet-Martinez held professorships at the University of California Riverside and the University of Michigan. At UCR, she founded and directed the Multicultural Identity Research Laboratory.

She holds a PhD in Psychology from the University of California Davis (UCD) and was a postdoctoral research fellow at UC Berkeley.

Dr. Benet-Martinez is an associate editor for the *Journal of Personality and Social Psychology* (ranked #1 in social-personality psychology) and an editorial board member for several psychology journals. She is also a fellow of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology (7000+ members).

More information about her publications and academic record can be found at: <http://scholar.google.com/citations?user=tl2CqJsAAAAJ&hl=en>



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