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From Sweden to France



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PRESENTATION

[Ulises Navarro Aguiar](#) is a lecturer at the design unit at the [University of Gothenburg](#). Previously, he worked as a Researcher at [Volvo Group](#) in the Product Design Department. He graduated 2017 with a PhD degree in Management and Organisation with a thesis entitled “Negotiating the value(s) of design(ing): An organisational inquiry” at [the School of Business, Economics and Law](#) at the University of Gothenburg. Moreover, he studied at [Kedge Business School](#) in France, at the [University of Salford](#) in the UK and at the Instituto Tecnológico y de Estudios Superiores de Monterrey ([ITESM](#)) in Mexico.

ACTIVITIES IN FRANCE

Ulises Navarro Aguiar met with [Fabian Muniesa](#), senior researcher at the [Centre de Sociologie de l’Innovation](#) (CSI) of [Mines ParisTech](#). They discussed some debates in the field of organization studies and Fabian Muniesa gave him some advice and feedback concerning his current work.

He also had the opportunity to participate in the “Atelier Doctoral” where participants discussed their work in relation to the “ontological turn” in Science and Technology Studies and anthropology.

Ulises Navarro participated moreover in a seminar that was part of the CSI Research Seminar Series on “Maintaining/Supporting fragility as a mode of existence. [Fernando Dominguez Rubio](#) from the [University of California San Diego](#) was the invited speaker and presented his new book on the labour of preservation of art objects at [MOMA](#) in New York.

A potential collaboration has also been discussed with [Alexandre Monnin](#), professor in digital strategy at [ESC in Clermont-Ferrand](#), and his group.