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Born February 27, 1990

French

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Current position

Since Nov. 2015 Research Economist, Banque de France

Microeconomics Research Division

Directorate Microeconomics and Structural Studies

- Publication of academic research projects;
- Policy work about investment, financial conditions and firm dynamics in France and in the EA.;
- Participation in numerous seminars and conferences;

Since Jan. 2018 Associate Researcher, Collège de France

 $Economics\ of\ Innovation\ Lab$

2017 - June 2021 Ph.D in Economics, SciencesPo Paris

Department of Economics - Advisor : Pr. Thomas Chaney

Research interests

Corporate Finance, International Trade, Banking, Search and Matching

Academic Publications

- "Who Benefits from State Corporate Tax Cuts? A Local Labor Markets Approach with Heterogeneous Firms: Comment" with Clément Malgouyres and Thierry Mayer. **American Economic Review, forth-coming.**
- "Technology-Induced Trade Shocks? Evidence from Broadband Internet Expansion in France", with Clément Malgouyres and Thierry Mayer. **Journal of International Economics, Volume 133, 2021**

Work in progress

- "Aggregate Implications of Credit Relationship Flows : A Tale of Two Margins", with Yasser Boualam. Banque de France Working Paper. Submitted
- "Bank Local Specialization" with Anne Duquerroy, Daniel Paravisini and Jean-Stéphane Mésonnier. Banque de France Working Paper
- Technological Change and Domestic Outsourcing with Antonin Bergeaud, Clément Malgouyres and Sara Signorelli. Banque de France Working Paper. Submitted
- "Information Frictions in Credit Markets"
- "Innovate or Relocate? Evidence from French Manufacturing Firms" with Philippe Aghion, Antonin Bergeaud and David Hémous.

Policy Publications

"Private firms, corporate investment and the WACC : evidence from France", with Juan Carluccio and Jean-Stéphane Mésonnier. European Journal of Finance, 2021

"Political Uncertainty, Risk of Frexit and Sovereign European Spreads" (2017), with Clément Malgouyres, **Applied Economics Letters**, **2018**.

"Is there a leverage target? Evidence from french firms", with Adrien Boileau, Juan Carluccio and Christophe Cahn, Quarterly selection of articles - Banque de France, 2017, issue 213, pages 55-64...

"The cost of equity for large non-financial companies in the euro area: an estimation over the last decade", with Jean-Stéphane Mésonnier, Quarterly selection of articles - Banque de France, 2016, issue 44, 28-39.

Past Positions

Apr - Nov. 2015	Data Scientist, CybeleTech - Laboratoire Digiplant Ecole Centrale Paris Applied Mathematics Research Division
2014 - 2015	Research Intern, Commissariat à l'Energie Atomique (CEA) Numeric Analysis Department Applied Mathematics and Particle Physics Research Division

Education

2017 - June 2021	Ph.D in Economics – Advisor : Pr. Thomas Chaney SciencesPo Paris - France - Department of Economics
2014 - 2015	M.Sc. in Applied Mathematics Ecole Centrale Paris - France - Engineering program Main Courses : Stochastic calculus, Functional Analysis, PDE, Optimization.
2013 - 2014	M.Sc. in Mathematics University of Mathematics (UFR) - Lille - France Main Courses: Statistics, Probabilities, Stochastic, Data mining, Econometrics.
2013 - 2014	LL.M. in Legal & Tax Management EDHEC Business School - Lille - France Main Courses: Corporate & Contract law, Economic analysis of law, LBO, Merger & Acquisition
2010 - 2013	M.Sc. in Finance & Business Management EDHEC Business School - Lille - France Main Courses: Economics, Accounting, Corporate Finance, Risk analysis.
2008 - 2010	French scientific "Classes Préparatoires" Lycée Thiers - Marseille - France • Intensive courses in Mathematics and Physics.

• French Baccalaureate (A-Level equivalent) with European option, obtained with highest honors

Teaching

2019-2021	Numerical Methods Lecturer, Sciences Po Paris, Master in Economics (2nd year)
2019-2021	Introduction to Programming Lecturer, Sciences Po Paris, Master in Economics (1st year)
2019-2020	Growth Theory Teaching Assistant, Centrale-Supelec
2017-2018	Evaluation of Public Policies Teaching Assistant, Sciences Po Paris
2017-2018	Introduction to economic analysis Teaching Assistant, Centrale-Supelec

Additional academic skills and activities

Summer Schools	Causal Inference in Corporate Finance, Spain (2016) - D. Paravisini.
Computer Skills	C++, Python, Matlab, R, Julia, Stata, LaTeX.
Languages	French: native - $English:$ Fluent - $Spanish:$ Advanced.
Exam	GMAT : 690 - TOEIC : 930 - TOEFL : 105 Banque de France (Scientific National Exam) : $3^{rd}/336$

Extracuricular

2007-2013	Creation of a graffiti firm : Painting and frescoes for professional clients (Exhibition : Marseille 2014 & 2015 Gallery Luxury Lobster)
1995-2021	Athletics in competition (Cross-country French Championship), Triathlon with the Stade Français Team. Ultra-trail of Morbihan (87 km), SaintéLyon (75km)

References

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