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Education

- 2025-present* **PhD in Economics, Université Paris 1: Panthéon Sorbonne.**
Supervisors: Léa Marchal & Jérôme Valette.
- 2024-2025* **MSc. - Development Economics, Université Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne**
Master 2 (M2) - Development Research. Results: With Highest Honors, Valedictorian
Selected coursework: Econometrics, Machine Learning & Development, Migration Economics.
Master 2 Thesis: *“Should Workers of the World Unite? Native-Migrant Wage Gap and Labor Market Power”*. Supervisor: Léa Marchal.
- 2022-2023* **MSc. - Development Economics, Université Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne**
Master 1 (M1). High Honors. Rank: 2nd/34
Selected coursework: Applied Econometrics, Development Microeconomics/ Macroeconomics.
Master 1 Thesis: *“Impacts of Human and Social Capital on Environmental Protection”*.
Supervisor: Stephen Jackson
- 2021-2022* **BS. Double degree Economics-Geography, Université Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne**
Selected Coursework: Economic Growth, Econometrics, GIS, Development Geography.
High Honors.
- 2019-2021* **Bachelor - CPGE B/L Literature and Social Sciences, Lycée Lakanal, Sceaux**

Research Interests

Migration, Political Economy, Economics of Institutions, Economics of Identities

Professional Experience

- March-June 2024* **CNRS - Research Assistant**
Supervisor: Pr. Clément Bosquet
Analysis of historical census data on 19th century local growth in France.
Applied advanced econometric methods (TWFE) using Stata.
- Sept. 2023 - Feb. 2024* **Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne, CES - Research Assistant**
Supervisor: Pr. Léa Marchal.
Intern in the DIMIG Project funded by the ICM (Institut Convergences Migration)
Use of quantitative tools (Stata) on migration and lobbying data in France.
Work on micro-level census data from France & MPs and ballots data since 2017.
- June - August 2023* **IRD, LeDA DIAL - Research Assistant**
Supervisors: Pr. Lisa Chauvet & Pr. Marin Ferry.
Use of quantitative tools for developing and analyzing a geocoded micro-level database on DHS data (R and Stata).

Conference Presentations

- Presenter in Workshop “Migration Economics & the Political Economy of Immigration” (CES, October 13th 2023)
- Organization and moderation of the CSDE (Conference Series in Development Economics) (Paris, November 2024 and April 2025).

Teaching Experience

- January-June 2024* **International Trade, Université Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne**
Teaching Assistant for 3rd year level Undergraduate Class.
- Sept.-Dec. 2025* **Applied Econometrics, Université Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne**
Taught tutorials applying Econometrics concepts in R for first-year Masters Students.

Refereeing Activities

Oxford Economic Papers

Skills

- **Languages:** French (native); English (fluent); German (limited professional capacity)
- **Statistical Software:** Stata, R, L^AT_EX(advanced); QGIS (intermediate); SAS (notions)
- **Programming Languages:** Python (intermediate).