**BEATRICE GIBERTINI**

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**SUMMARY**

Impact-driven researcher with expertise in quantitative and qualitative methods, specializing in gender, extractivism, and development economics more broadly. Experienced in data analysis, field research, and stakeholder engagement.

**SKILLS**

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| **Languages** | Italian (Native), English (Fluent), French (Very Good) |
| **IT** | Stata, QGIS, Python, Rstudio |
| **Other** | Survey CTO, NVivo, Microsoft Office |

**EDUCATION**

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| **Joint Ph.D. in Economics and Anthropology**  University of Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne, France  Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam, Netherlands  Thesis: “Gendering Extractivism: Three Essays on Mining, Poverty and Women in Africa”. Advisors: Rémi Bazillier (UP1), and Marjo de Theije (VU). | Sept 2021 – 2025 (Expected) |
| **Research Visit** | March 2023 – May 2023 |
| University of Cape Town, South Africa |  |
| **Research Visit** | October 2022 |
| Barnard College, NYC |  |
| **MSc in Global Development**  University of Copenhagen, Denmark | Sept 2018 – Nov 2020 |
| **BSc in International Economics and Finance**  Bocconi University | Sept 2015 – July 2018 |
| **Erasmus Program**  Erasmus University Rotterdam, Netherlands | Sept 2017 – Dec 2017 |

**WORK EXPERIENCE**

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| **United Nations Capital Development Fund**  *Data Analysis and Research Intern*  Developed and implemented lean data surveys and customer journey mapping for financial inclusion initiatives in the Middle East and Southeast Asia, improving outreach strategies for migrant-focused financial products. | Remote  *April 2021 – July 2021* |
| **Development Economics Research Group at the University of Copenhagen**  *Research Assistant*  Supported the design and implementation of an RCT on business practices. Tasks included:   * Design, organization and delivery of in-person survey training to some 98 enumerators. * Survey writing, coding and piloting. * Cleaning and analyzing data in collaboration with local partners. | Copenhagen, Denmark  *Jan 2020 – Nov 2020* |
| **Development Economics Research Group at the University of Copenhagen**  *Intern*  Supported the implementation of a national survey of MSMEs. Managed the data collection, validation and cleaning process. Contributed to data analysis and drafting of the official report. Tasks included:   * Coordination of data collection, validation and cleaning processes performed by local partner (Central Statistics Organization). * Design and implementation of semi-structured interviews. * Data analysis and report writing. * Organization of Steering Committee Meeting involving donors and other stakeholders. * Presentation at 2019 Myanmar Statistics Forum. | Nay Pyi Taw, Myanmar  *Aug 2019 – Dec 2019* |
| **RESEARCH PROJECTS** |  |
| **Women and Mining in South Africa**  *PhD Project*  This project aimed to understand the consequences of extractivism for women living in mining-affected communities, with focus on small-scale economic activities. Involved:   * Qualitative data collection (interviews, focus group discussions, etc.) across several mining-affected communities. * Collaboration with South African organization MACUA / WAMUA. * Presenting results to interested organizations, including ActionAid Netherlands and SOMO Netherlands. | 2023 |
| **WESTAFRIMINES Liberia**  *PI: Rémi Bazillier*  The [WESTAFRIMINES](https://www.theigc.org/collections/artisanal-small-scale-gold-mining-and-sustainable-development-liberia) Project aimed to collect information on mining locations in Liberia and analyze the impacts of artisanal and small-scale mining on local mining communities. Involved:   * Survey data collection in several mining hotspots in Gbarpolu County. * Qualitative data collection * Report writing * Presenting in front of Liberian authorities and stakeholders. | 2019-2023 |
| **Myanmar Business Practices Intervention**  *Development Economics Research Group at UCPH*  In collaboration with UNU-WIDER and Myanmar’s Central Statistics Organization, the [BPI](https://www.wider.unu.edu/database/myanmar-business-practices-intervention-bpi-dataset) Project consisted of an RCTwhich successfully involved *1400 micro, small and medium enterprises* from all the 14 States and Regions of Myanmar. | 2019-2020 |
| **Myanmar Enterprise Monitoring System**  *Development Economics Research Group at UCPH*  Funded by Danida, the [MEMS](https://www.wider.unu.edu/project/towards-inclusive-development-myanmar) Project was a collaboration between UNU-WIDER, the University of Copenhagen and Myanmar’s Central Statistics Organization. The project included the implementation of a national panel survey of the manufacturing sector. | 2017-2020 |

**PUBLICATIONS & CURRENT WORKS**

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| The Local Effects of Mining Activity on Migration Patterns in Africa. Job Market Paper. |
| Gibertini, B. (2025). The hustle lifeways of Black women in mining-affected communities of South Africa. *The Extractive Industries and Society*, *22*, 101629.. |
| Benshaul-Tolonen, A., Gibertini, B., & Konte, M. (2024). African Mining Economies and the Gender Gap in Political Participation. Working Paper. *Available at SSRN*. |
| Bazillier, R., Gibertini, B., & Jackson, S. (2023). Gold and diamond artisanal mining in Liberia: Under the umbrella of (in) formality? *Resources Policy*, 86, 104287. |
| Hansen, H. et al. (2020). Myanmar Micro, Small and Medium Enterprise Survey 2019: Descriptive Report. Helsinki: UNUWIDER, University of Copenhagen, Central Statistical Organization. |

**GRANTS & FELLOWSHIPS**

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| International Mobility Grant, 3500 EUR, University of Paris 1, 2023 |
| Doctoral Mobility Grant, 2000 USD, Columbia Alliance, 2022 |
| Paris Graduate School of Economics Grant, 4000 EUR, University of Paris 1, 2022 |
| Marie Skłodowska-Curie Fellowship, European Union, 2021 |