

CONTACT INFORMATION

Department of Economics University of Zurich Zürichbergstrasse 14 CH-8032 Zürich

cedric.chambru@econ.uzh.ch https://cedricchambru.github.io/

Citizenship: French

EMPLOYMENT

2019–Present Post-doctoral researcher, Department of Economics, University of Zurich

PREVIOUS POSITIONS

Oct 2020	Visiting researcher, University of Caen-Normandie
Jan 2020	Visiting researcher, University Mohammed VI Polytechnique
March 2017	Visiting researcher, University of Montreal
2015-2016	Visiting student, University of Oxford
July 2015	Visiting researcher, Yeungnam University
2012-2013	Research Assistant, AFRISTORY project, Paris School of Economics
2011–2012	Research Assistant, D-FIH Project, Paris School of Economics
2011	Intern, National Institute for Agricultural Research (Avignon)

EDUCATION

2013–2019	Ph.D in Social and Economic History, University of Geneva
2011–2012	Master in Economics, Sciences Po Paris
2010-2012	Master in Economics and Public Policy, École Polytechnique, ENSAE, Sciences Po
	Paris
2010-2011	Degree in French as Second Language, University Grenoble Alpes
2006-2009	B.A. in Economics & Management, University Lumière Lyon 2

I. Research

Revue d'histoire moderne et contemporaine, 66(4), pp. 53-88 [doi]

PUBLICATIONS

2022	Attaining Autonomy in the Empire: French Governors between 1860 and 1960
	with Scott Viallet-Thévenin
	Social Science History, Forthcoming [link]
2020	Weather Shocks, Poverty and Crime in 18th-century Savoy
	Explorations in Economic History, 78, p. 101353 [doi]
2019	Mobilité sociale et empire colonial : les gouverneurs coloniaux français entre 1830 et 1960
	with Scott Viallet-Thévenin

Cédric Chambru 2

ONLINE DATABASE

2020 Historical Social Conflict Database (HiSCoD) [link]

Online platform listing nearly 10,000 episodes of social conflict between the late 16th century and the early 19th century

2020 French Historical GIS [link]

A set of digital vector data on French historical borders during the 18th century

2020 Savoy historical GIS [link]

A set of digital vector data on Savoyard historical borders during the 18th century

WORKING PAPERS

2021 The Dynamic Consequences of State-Building: Evidence from the French Revolution

with Benjamin Marx and Emeric Henry

CEPR working paper DP16815 [doi]

Submitted

2021 The Evolution of Wages in Early Modern Normandy (1600–1850)

with Paul Maneuvrier-Hervieu

Working paper series Department of Economics 398, University of Zurich [doi]

Under revision

2019 Do the Right Thing! Leaders, Weather Shocks and Social Conflicts in Pre-Industrial France EHES Working Paper 161, European Historical Economics Society [doi]

WORK IN PROGRESS

2023 An Empire on the Move: Mobility and Structuration of the Elites in the French Imperial Space, 1880–1950

with Scott Viallet-Thévenin

Book under contract with Palgrave Macmillan

The Legacy of Colonial Education: Evidence from Tunisia

with Mhamed Ben Salah and Maleke Fourati

Draft available upon request

The Political Determinants of Social Unrest: Theory and Evidence from Early Modern France

with Matteo Camboni and Michael Porcellacchia

Plagues, Wars and Wages in Late Medieval Normandy

with Paul Maneuvrier-Hervieu

The Historical Social Conflict Database (HiSCoD): An Overview

with Paul Maneuvrier-Hervieu

Protestantism, Human Capital and Religious Persecution: Evidence from Early Modern France

Data collection

Real Wages in the Northwestern Alps (17th–19th Centuries)

Data collection

Land Inequality in 19th-Century Switzerland

Data collection

Regional GDP estimates for Switzerland, 1750–1850

with Michael Baltensperger and Ulrich Woitek

Data collection [Summary]

Cédric Chambru 3

AWARDS AND GRANTS

GRC Peer Mentoring Grant
GRC Peer Mentoring Grant
GRC Travel Grant
Swiss National Science Foundation, Mobility grant (P1GEP1_161588)
University Lumière Lyon 2, Merit-based scholarship

Conferences

June 2022	European Rural History Organisation Conference, Uppsala University
Feb 2022	XVII Congreso de Historia Agraria, Universidad de Cantabria
June 2021	Eighth CEPR Economic History Symposium (virtual)
June 2021	Annual Congress of the Swiss Society of Economics and Statistics (virtual)
June 2021	69th Annual Meeting of the French Economic Association (virtual)
June 2021	Economic History Society Annual Conference (virtual)
April 2021	Economic History Society Annual Conference (virtual)
March 2021	European Social Science History Conference (virtual)
Aug 2020	European Economic Association Conference (virtual)
Sept 2019	European Rural History Organisation Conference, EHESS Paris
Aug 2019	European Historical Economics Society Conference, Paris School of Economics
June 2019	CEPR Conference on The Economics of Religion, Venice
April 2019	European Public Choice Society Conference, Hebrew University
Sept 2018	2nd Conference of Development Economics Network Switzerland, Geneva
Aug 2018	World Economic History Conference, Boston
April 2018	European Social Science History Conference, Queen's University Belfast
Sept 2017	European Historical Economics Society Conference, University of Tuebingen
April 2017	Agricliometrics III Conference, University of Cambridge
Mars 2017	Economic History Society Annual Conference, Royal Holloway University of Lon-
	don
Sept 2016	Swiss Society for Economic and Social History Conference, Bern
July 2016	World Congress of Political Science, Poznań
Nov 2015	Conference 'Changing elites in Europe', London School of Economics
Nov 2015	Social Science History Association Conference, Baltimore
Sept 2015	European Historical Economics Society Conference, University of Pisa
Aug 2015	World Economic History Conference, University of Kyoto
March 2015	Economic History Society Annual Conference, University of Wolverhampton

SEMINARS AND WORKSHOPS

March 2022	Seminar LIRAES, University Paris Descartes
Dec 2021	Seminar Entreprises marchés régulation, University of Lyon
Sept 2021	Vilfredo Pareto Seminar, Graduate Institute Geneva
July 2021	UZH Workshop in Political Economy and Development, ETH Zurich
Sept 2020	Zurich Workshop in Empirical Political Economy, ETH Zurich
Nov 2019	Economic History Seminar, Paris School of Economics
Jan 2019	Séminaire Histoire économique et sociale des campagnes (XVIIe-XXe siècles),
	EHESS Paris

Cédric Chambru 4

Nov 2018	Séminaire pluridisciplinaire du Pôle Rural de la MRSH, University of Caen Nor-
	mandy
April 2018	Atelier SIG 2017–2018, EHESS Paris
Oct 2017	GSEM Workshop, University of Geneva
March 2017	Seminar CIREQ-UdeM, University of Montreal
Dec 2016	DEEP Micro Workshop, University of Lausanne
April 2016	Annual Workshop in Economic and Social History, University of Oxford
May 2015	Datini Advanced Seminar 'Shocks', International Institute of Economic History
	Prato
March 2015	Séminaire d'histoire économique et cliométrie, Sciences Po Lyon
Nov 2014	International Workshop 'The impact of disasters on pre-modern rural economies',
	Westfälische Wilhems-Universität Münster
Oct 2014	ESTER Research Design Course, Goethe-Universität Frankfürt am Main
April 2014	Workshop in Quantitative Methods in History, University of Geneva
Jan 2014	PhD students workshop, Global Studies Institute, University of Geneva

II. TEACHING AND SERVICE

TEACHING

2014–2018	Histoire économique internationale, 1850–2000
2016, 2018	Globalisation and Local Economic Development
2013-2014	Histoire économique et sociale de l'Europe, 1870–1970
2013	Dynamique de l'économie mondiale

GENERAL SERVICE

2021	Co-organiser of the 2021 UZH Workshop in Political Economy and Development
2021	Organiser of the Zurich Virtual Frontier Research in Economic and Social History
	(FRESH) meeting
2020–2022	Co-organiser of the weekly reading group in Economics and Politics, University of
	Zurich
2018-2019	PhD students representative, commission de promotions of the Social Sciences Fac-
	ulty, University of Geneva
2016-2019	In charge of managing the website of the Paul Bairoch Institute of Economic His-
	tory, University of Geneva
2016	Co-organiser of the Geneva Frontier Research in Economic and Social History
	(FRESH) meeting
2014-2015	Co-organiser of a monthly workshop in Quantitative Methods in History
2013-2015	PhD students representative, Global Study Institute, University of Geneva
	- · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·