Cyril Estier

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Swiss–British citizenship
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EDUCATION

LSE / Data Science for Public Policy (DSPP)
SEP 2024–JUL 2026
Result: Enrolled
Relevant coursework: Algorithm & Computation, Data science, Distributed cloud computing, Automated Data visualisation, Quantitative Approaches

University of California, Berkeley / Dual BA in Political Economy
SEP 2021–DEC 2022
Result: GPA of 3.906, Phi Beta Kappa (top 10% of graduating class)
Relevant coursework: Political Economy of Finance, Microeconomics

Sciences Po Paris / Dual BA in Political Science
AUG 2019–JUL 2021
Result: GPA of 3.7
Relevant coursework: Statistics applied to Social Sciences, Core economics, Macroeconomics, International Finance and Trade

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Institute of International Finance / Research Analyst (EM)
AUG 2023–DEC 2023, WASHINGTON DC (US)
- **Macroeconomic forecasting and analysis:** Produce and maintain key forecasts (e.g. inflation, rates, GDP and BoP) across MENA countries. Methods used relied on causal inference run through EViews. Data is macroeconomic indicators found in Haver Analytics and Bloomberg. Experimental research done through Python NumPY and NLTK libraries.
- **Coverage of MENA region:** Lead coverage of Morocco during September 2023 earthquake and of GCC economies' resilience to Israël-Palestine conflicts. Co-authored two published articles to our clients.
- **Data and political instability monitoring:** Track news and data to enhance Main Economist's models on shifts in government balance sheet. emerging macroeconomic trends and shifts in price.

Crisis 24 / Risk Analyst
JAN 2023–JULY 2023, WASHINGTON DC (US)
- Underwent training as an intelligence analyst filtering and transforming data into **brief** and **analytical security** memos.

Clocktower / Research Analyst
SUMMER 2022, LOS ANGELES (US)
- **Data manipulation:** Data and geopolitics driven macro-perspective using R and Excel to flag any actionable trade opportunities.
- **Market research:** Preliminary market research for its growing fintech fund and newly created Sustainable venture fund.
- **Building and leveraging professional network:** Maintained relationships with both buy-side and sell-side research to shape high-quality, market-leading and relevant analysis.

PROJECTS

Lead researcher @ Projet Finistere 2024
President @ Student Union of Sciences Po Paris Leadership 2019/21
Crew @ Atlantic Crossing 2024

Community Security Officer @ UC Berkeley 2021/22
Lead Volunteer @ Red Cross Geneva 2019

SKILLS

IT Skills
Working **Python, Eviews**, **R** & **SQL** – Intermediate **HTML** and **CSS** – Working **Microsoft Office** package with proficiency in **Excel** – Familiar with **Macrobond, Bloomberg** & **Morningstar** – **High proficiency in making high-quality charts**

Languages
French – Native, **English** – Native, **German** – Intermediate