

Stijn van Weezel | CV

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Employment

Academic appointments

Research fellow, Nijmegen School of Management, Radboud University (2019 -)

Teaching fellow, School of Economics, University College Dublin (2016-18)

Teaching fellow, Department of Economics, Royal Holloway College, University of London (2014-15)

Teaching associate, Department of Economics, Royal Holloway College, University of London (2011-14)

Other appointments

Consultant, World Bank Independent Evaluation Group (2017-18)

Consultant, International Security and Development Center (2016-17)

Research assistant, Civil-Military Cooperation Centre of Excellence (2010-11)

Policy analyst/Research assistant (*internship*), The Hague Centre for Strategic Studies (2008-09)

Education

Ph.D., Economics, University of London (2011-15)

M.Sc., International Development Studies, Wageningen University (2007-09)

B.Sc., International Development Studies, Wageningen University (2003-07)

Research

Fields of interest

Political economy · development economics

Academic publications

1. van Weezel, S. (2019) “On climate and conflict: Precipitation decline and communal conflict in Ethiopia and Kenya”. *Journal of Peace Research*
2. Spagat, M., Johnson, N. & van Weezel, S. (2018). “Fundamental patterns and predictions of event size distributions in modern wars and terrorist campaigns”. *PLOS One* 13 (10): e0204639.
3. Spagat, M. & van Weezel, S. (2017). “Half a million excess deaths in the Iraq war: Terms and conditions may apply”. *Research and Politics* 4(4)

- Follow up: Spagat, M. & van Weezel, S. (2018). “Terms and conditions still apply: A rejoinder to Hagopian et al.”. *Research and Politics* 5(1)
- 4. van Weezel, S. (2016). “Food imports, international prices, and violence in Africa”. *Oxford Economic Papers* 68(3): 758-781
- 5. van Weezel, S. (2015). “Economic shocks and civil conflict onset in Sub-Saharan Africa, 1981-2010”. *Defence and Peace Economics* 26(2): 153-177

Book chapters

1. Spagat, M. & van Weezel S. (2019) “On the decline of war”, in Lewis F Richardson - His Intellectual Legacy and Influence in the Social Sciences, ed. Nils Petter Gleditsch, Springer Pioneer Series.

Working papers & papers under review

1. van Weezel, S. (2018). “Economic dependence and civil conflict”
2. van Weezel, S. (2018). “Apocalypse now? - Climate change and war in Africa” UCD Centre for Economics Research Working Paper Series 2018/16. *Under review*
3. van Weezel, S. (2018). “Food security and armed conflict: a cross-country analysis.”. FAO Agricultural Development Economics Working Paper 18-03.
4. van Weezel, S. (2017). “Mostly Harmless? A subnational analysis of the aid-conflict nexus.”. UCD Centre for Economic Research Working Paper Series 2017/28
5. van Weezel, S. (2016). “Drought severity and communal conflict in Nigeria.” Households in Conflict Network WP240

Work in progress

1. Dagnelie, O., Mayda, A-M., Maystadt, J-F. & van Weezel, S. “Revisiting the health impact of refugees on host communities”
2. Maystadt, J-F., Mueller, V., Van Der Hoek, J. & van Weezel, S. “Refugees and enviromental degradation in Africa”

Teaching

University College Dublin (2016-18)

- Advanced macroeconomics (MSc) · international trade economics · European economy · statistics for economics · data analysis for economists · statistics for economists

Royal Holloway, University of London (2011-15)

- Economics of warfare · international trade · quantitative methods in economics I & II · economics of European integration · industrial economics · international economic history

Reviewing

Journals

Geographical Analysis · Defence and Peace Economics · The Journal of Politics · Journal of Peace Research (5x) · Political Geography (2x) · Journal of Economic Policy Reform · Research and Politics (2x) · Current Climate Change Reports · Economic Modelling · Oxford Economic Papers · Physica A · The Economic and Social Review

Research proposals

Czech Science Foundation

Conferences

Spring Meeting of Young Economists (2015-17, 2019)

Grants, awards, and fellowships

- Teaching fellow prize (award of recognition) Department of Economics, Royal Holloway University of London (2015)
- Conference grant, Fundación Ramón Areces (2014)
- Travel award Department of Economics, Royal Holloway University of London (2014)
- Ph.D. student prize Department of Economics, Royal Holloway University of London (2013)
- Associate fellow, the Higher Education Academy (2013)
- College Research Scholarship, Royal Holloway University of London (2011-14)
- Departmental bursary, Royal Holloway University of London (2011-14)