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EDUCATION

- 2018 – present **PRINCETON UNIVERSITY** – Princeton, NJ, USA
Ph.D. Candidate in Economics.
- 2010 – 2015 **SCIENCES PO PARIS** – Paris, France
M.A., Economics, *Summa Cum Laude*.
B.A., Economics, *Cum Laude* in academic year 2011-2012.
- 2012 – 2013 **UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS AT AUSTIN** – Austin, TX, USA
Exchange Student, major in Economics, *Dean's Honor List*, *Cum Laude Ampla et Magna* in Spring 2013 & *University Honors* in Fall 2012 and Spring 2013.

RELEVANT WORK EXPERIENCE

- Jun. 2019 – Sep. 2019 **PRINCETON UNIVERSITY, DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS** – Princeton, NJ, USA
(3 months) Research Assistant (full time) for Prof. Leah P. BOUSTAN.
- Jun. 2016 – Jun. 2018 **UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO, BOOTH SCHOOL OF BUSINESS** – Chicago, IL, USA
(2 years) Research Assistant (full time) for Prof. Rebecca DIZON-ROSS.
- Aug. 2015 – May 2016 **SCIENCES PO PARIS, DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS** – Paris, France
(10 months) Research Assistant (full time) for Prof. Ruben DURANTE (Aug. 2015 – May 2016).
(2 months) Research Assistant for Prof. Quoc-Anh DO and Prof. Élise HUILLERY (Aug. – Sep. 2015).
- Jun. 2014 – Aug. 2014 **OECD, DIRECTORATE FOR EDUCATION AND SKILLS** – Paris, France
(3 months) Intern (full time), supervised by Yuri BELFALI and Marco KOOLS.
- May 2012 – Jun. 2012 **SCIENCES PO PARIS, DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS** – Paris, France
(2 months) Research Assistant (full time) for Prof. Ruben DURANTE.

RESEARCH IN PROGRESS

White Flight from Asian Immigration: Evidence from California Schools (with Leah P. BOUSTAN & Tammy TSENG)

SCHOLARSHIPS & AWARDS

- July 2015 Co-recipient of the “Best Master Thesis in Economics” award [[paper](#)] [[slides](#)], Sciences Po.
- 2010 – 2015 Merit-based scholarship awarded to need-based scholarship students, Sciences Po.
- 2009 – 2010 Higher-education merit-based grant, French Ministry of Higher Education.
- 2006 – 2009 High-school merit-based grant, French Ministry of National Education.

LANGUAGES & SOFTWARE

Languages: French (native), Chinese dialect of Wenzhou (native), English (fluent), Spanish (advanced), Mandarin Chinese (lower intermediate), Korean (notions).

Software/programming: Microsoft Office (proficient), LATEX (proficient), Stata (proficient), ArcGIS (beginner), Python (beginner), R (beginner), Matlab (beginner), Julia (beginner).

EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Article 1 (since Sep. 2009): mentee (2009-2015) then mentor (since 2015) in this French NGO devoted to accompanying deserving university students from lower socio-economic backgrounds.

Table tennis with university sports clubs: Princeton (since Fall 2018), UChicago (2016-2018), Sciences Po Paris (2010-2012, 2013-2015), UT Austin (2012-2013).