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CURRENT POSITION

National Bank of Belgium

Senior Economist

2026 - ongoing

Université Catholique de Louvain

Visiting Lecturer

Spring 2026

PAST POSITIONS

National Bank of Belgium

Economist

2023 - 2025

F.R.S. - FNRS

Research Fellow

2019 - 2023

EDUCATION

Université Catholique de Louvain, Belgium

Ph.D. Candidate - *European Doctoral Program in Economics*

2017 - 2023

Université Catholique de Louvain, Belgium

M.Res. in Economics

2014 - 2017

University of Trento, Italy

B.Sc. in Economics and Management

2011 - 2014

University of the West of Scotland, UK

Erasmus Exchange Programme

Spring 2014

RESEARCH

Working Papers

[1] “External Economies of Scale and Dynamic Comparative Advantage”

[2] “The Anticompetitive Effect of Trade Liberalization” (with C. Fuss and L. Trimarchi)

Best Paper Award - 15th FIW Research Conference

[3] “Globalization and the Urban-Rural Divide in France” (with F. Mayneris and G. Vannoorenberghe)

[4] “Common Ownership and Markups: Evidence from the EU” (with C. Bellucci and E. Zaurino)

In Progress

[1] “Factors’ Prices and Technology Adoption” (with A. Frigo and R. Turati)

[2] “Energy Cost Shocks Pass-Through in Production Networks” (with E. Dhyne, L. Laeven, and M. Weber)

[3] “Shock Transmission in a Monetary Policy Union” (with C. Osbat, E. Rubbo, and others)

Policy Work

[1] “The Competitiveness and Decarbonisation Challenges Facing Energy-intensive Industries”, *NBB Economic Review*, May 2025 (with C. Swartenbroekx)

Pre-Ph.D. Publications

[1] “Retrospective Analysis of Nosocomial Infections in an Italian Tertiary Care Hospital”, *The New Microbiologica*, 2016, vol. 39(3), pp. 718-729. (with A. Mancini, G. La Vigna, C. Recanatini, F.E. Lombardi and S. Barocci)

CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, AND SEMINAR PRESENTATIONS

2024: Economic Seminar (EU JRC Ispra), 6th International Conference on European Economics and Politics (ETH Zurich)

2023: GSIPE Boston (Brandaïs University), FIW Research Conference (Vienna University)

2022: GSIE (Paris I - Sorbonne), ITSG (University of Salerno), Conference “Economics of Global Interaction” (University of Bari), ETSG (Groningen University), IRES Seminar (UCLouvain)

2021: Doctoral Workshop (UCLouvain), IRES Seminar (UCLouvain), Workshop Globalization (University of Mainz), ITSG (Sapienza University of Rome), ETSG (University of Ghent)

2020: Trade Workshop (LSE), EOS Trade Seminar (KULeuven-UCLouvain)

2019: IRES Seminar (UCLouvain), Doctoral Workshop (UCLouvain), ETSG (University of Bern), EDP Jamboree (UCLouvain), EOS Trade Seminar (KULeuven), CRED Seminar (UNamur), Doctoral Workshop (University of St. Louis in Bruxelles)

2018: Doctoral Workshop (UCLouvain), EDP Jamboree (EUI)

HONORS, AWARDS, AND GRANTS

Bourse de Voyage 2019 - Fédération Wallonie-Bruxelles (€3.800)

Best PhD outward mobility project award

F.R.S.-FNRS Research Fellowship - Belgian National Scientific Research Fund

4-Year PhD fellowship

Merit Award 2016 - University of Trento (€3.500)

Best undergraduate student award

Erasmus Fellowship 2013

TEACHING ACTIVITY

Lecturer - Graduate: Advanced International Trade (UCLouvain, 2026)

Lecturer - Undergraduate: International Economics (UAntwerp, 2025)

Teaching Assistant - Graduate: Advanced Macroeconomics I, Trade Policy (UCLouvain, 2020-23)

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Seminar Organizer: ESL PhD seminar (2017-2021), Leuven-Louvain Trade Workshop (2022-2023)

Refereeing: Economics E-journal, Journal of Economic Geography, Journal of Economic Studies, Review of International Economics

COMPUTER LANGUAGES

Typewriting	L ^A T _E X, Microsoft Office
Data Analysis	ArcGIS, Dynare, MATLAB, Python, R, STATA

LANGUAGES

Italian	<i>Native</i>	Dutch	<i>Basic User</i>
English	<i>Proficient User</i>	Chinese	<i>Basic User</i> (\approx 600 characters)
French	<i>Proficient User</i>		