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Fields Research: International Macroeconomics, International Trade, Quantitative Spatial Economics

Education Ph.D., Economics, University of Lausanne since 2022

Supervisors: Pr. Mathias Thoenig, Pr. Aurélien Eyquem and Pr. Mathieu Couttenier

M.A., Economics, Ecole Normale Supérieure de Lyon 2019-2021

summa cum laude

Thesis: Heat and Hit: The Political Economy of Weather Shocks and Civil Conflicts.

Advisors: Pr. Mathieu Couttenier and Pr. Lavinia Piemontese

Working Papers "Geopolitical tensions, energy security and the green transition" (2025)

Job Market Paper

"The Gravity of Violence" (2024) with Mathieu Couttenier, Thierry Mayer and Mathias Thoenig

CEPR DP19527, R&R at the Journal of Political Economy

Work in progress "A Quantitative Spatial Model of Land-use and Conflicts in Africa" (2025)

Fellowships &Alumni of the Swiss Program for Beginning Doctoral Students in Economicssince 2023AwardsUniversity of Lausanne (HEC) Graduate Fellowship2022-2027

Predoctoral research fellow, University of Lausanne

2021-2022

Best Master's Thesis Award (Department of Economics, ENS de Lyon)

2020-2021

Teaching Macroeconomics (BA 2nd year), Econometrics (BA 2nd year) since 2023

Activities Co-organizer of the Lausanne PhD Macroeconomics Conference 2025

(keynotes: Prof. Elena Carletti and Prof. Matteo Maggiori)

Co-founder and co-organizer of the Lausanne Theory for Applied since 2024

Micro Reading group and Seminar

Co-organizer of the Micro Research Cluster (Geneva, Lausanne & IHEID) since 2023

Member of the Department Communication team (website part) since 2023

Econ PhD representative at the University of Lausanne 2023-2024

Presentations Micro Research Cluster (Geneva, Lausanne & IHEID); AMSE PhD Seminar 2024

Gerzensee Alumni Conference

IT Economics/Econometrics: Matlab, R, Stata

Spatial analysis: R (sf, sp, rgdal etc.), QGIS, Google Earth Engine

Machine learning: R, Python

Coding: Python, Java

Languages

French (native), English (fluent), Spanish (intermediate)

References

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