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PERSONAL DATA

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RESEARCH INTERESTS

- Comparative Development
- Gender Economics
- Economic History

EDUCATION

CURRENTLY: Post-Doctoral researcher at AMSE.
Aix-Marseille Université, Marseille

SEPTEMBER 2018 PhD in ECONOMICS
Université Catholique de Louvain, Louvain-la-Neuve
Thesis: “Three Essays on Economic Development and Gender”
Supervisor: Prof. Fabio MARIANI
Co-Supervisor: Prof. Luca PENSIEROSO

JUNE 2014 Master in ECONOMICS, orientation econometrics
Université Catholique de Louvain, Louvain-la-Neuve
Grande Distinction
Thesis: “Effects of the Salic Law on economic development”
Advisor: Prof. David DE LA CROIX
Thesis: “Useful useless savings”
Advisor: Prof. Carmen CAMACHO
GPA: 16.93/20

JUNE 2010 Undergraduate Degree in BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION
Universitat Pompeu Fabra, Barcelona
GPA: 9.07/10
Final Position: 1st out of 185, academic year: 2009-2010

JUNE 2009 Undergraduate Degree in ECONOMICS
Universitat Pompeu Fabra, Barcelona
GPA: 8.99/10
Final Position: 3rd out of 163, academic year: 2008-2009

VISITING POSITIONS

FEB 2017 - MAY 2017 Visiting scholar at *Brown University*, Providence (Rhode Island), United States.

TEACHING

NOV 2013 - JAN 2014

Teaching assistant at *Université Catholique de Louvain*, Ottignies-Louvain-la-Neuve, Belgium

Practical workshop sessions for two groups of undergraduate students in economics. The main activities undertaken consisted in the preparation of the materials to be reviewed during the sessions using a list of problem sets as well as its correction. Professors in charge of the course: Prof. Belleflamme, Paul and Prof. Hindriks, Jean.

PUBLICATIONS

- Published papers in peer-reviewed journals:
 - Roca Fernández, Èric. “In the Name of the Father: Inheritance Systems and the Dynamics of State Capacity”, *Macroeconomic Dynamics*, 2019–June, 1–28 doi:10.1017/S1365100519000476.
- Working Papers:
 - Frigo, Annalisa and Roca Fernández, Èric. ‘“Now She Is Martha then She Is Mary”: the Influence of Beguinages on Attitudes Toward Women’, *Unicredit Working Papers*, 2017, 95, 1–67.
- Conference presentations:
 - 2014
 - * 8th Louvain Symposium on Economic Dynamics. *Louvain-la-Neuve, Belgium*.
 - 2016
 - * The Importance of Elites and their Demography for Knowledge and Development. *Louvain-la-Neuve, Belgium*.
 - * OLG Days, 2016. *Ville de Luxembourg, Luxembourg*.
 - * 12th Annual conference on economic growth and development. *New Delhi, India*.
 - 2017
 - * ASREC European Meeting. *Bologna, Italy*.
 - * Elite Human Capital and the Roads to Modernity: the East versus the West. *Marseille, France*.
 - * Bonn Job Market Workshop in Economic History. *Bonn, Germany*.
 - 2018
 - * 2018 ADRES Doctoral Conference. *Palaiseau, France*.
 - * 9th Annual Workshop on Growth, History and Development. *Odense, Denmark*.
 - * MILLS Workshop 2018. *Milan, Italy*.
 - * 30th EALE Congress. *Lyon, France*.
 - * 2018 EEA-ESEM Congress. *Köln, Germany*.
 - * CREA Workshop on Culture and Comparative Development. *Ville de Luxembourg, Luxembourg*.
 - 2019
 - * ASREC Europe 2019, *Lund, Sweden*.

AWARDS

- Unicredit & Universities, *7th Award in Gender Economics*, 2017.
Frigo, Annalisa and Roca Fernández, Èric. ‘ “Now She Is Martha, then She Is Mary”: the Influence of Beguinages on Attitudes Toward Women’

REFEREING ACTIVITY

Journal of Economic Growth.
Journal of Population Economics.
Macroeconomic Dynamics.