LIONEL CHAMBON

Graduate Student in Economics — Incoming Trainee at the ECB

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EDUCATION

M.Res. in Economics

2023 - 2025

Sciences Po School of Research (PhD-Track) Overall GPA: 3.8 (French scale: 15,7/20)

- In my master's thesis, I examine the effect of rearmament on unemployment in Nazi Germany using a shift-share instrument in a TWFE model. Analyzing novel archival data, I find strong and significant effects on the labor market. My paper was awarded the Sciences Po best thesis prize.
- Completed full sequences of graduate microeconomic, macroeconomics, and econometrics.
- Sample coursework and coding samples are available on my website.

B.A. in Political Science and Economics

2020 - 2023

Sciences Po Undergraduate College

Cum laude distinction. GPA: 4.0 (French scale: 16,45/20)

- Major in Economics. Minor in Middle Eastern studies included courses in Arabic and politics focused on the MENA region.
- Academic exchange year at the University of St. Andrews, Scotland (2022-2023), placed on Dean's List.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

European Central Bank

Sep 2025 - ongoing

Frankfurt-am-Main, Germany

Incoming trainee, Directorate General Economics, Business Cycle Analysis Division

- Main task: Support economic analysis and policy briefings by processing microdata, developing visualizations, and maintaining datasets to monitor macroeconomic developments in the Euro area.
- Assist the Data Support team in preparing charts and presentations for senior management and conducting empirical analyses.

Sciences Po Department of Economics

Jun - Aug 2025

Paris. France

Research assistant to Paul Bouscasse, Assistant Professor of Economics at Sciences Po

- Main task: Archival research in the National Archives of Paris and Pierrefitte-sur-Seine, France.
- The research project will investigate monetary developments in France in the aftermath of the Revolution.

Deutsche Bundesbank

Jun - Aug 2024

Frankfurt-am-Main, Germany

Summer intern, General Directorate Economics

- Tasked with an empirical project to investigate private consumption dynamics in the Euro area. I estimate an error-correction model to compare consumption trends before and after the COVID-19 pandemic and find stronger effects of income and financial wealth variables since 2020.
- A detailed project report is available here.

German-Tunisian Chamber of Commerce (AHK Tunesien)

Jun - Aug 2023

Tunis, Tunisia

Summer intern, DEinternational services department

• Tasked with researching and editing two market analysis reports for the German Ministry of Economics Affairs and Climate Action. Frequently translated between German, French, and English.

QUANTITATIVE SKILLS

Programming: R, Julia, EViews, Stata, Git (version control)

Data experience: Macroeconomic time-series, big data (> one million observations) Time-series econometrics: Error-correction models, factor models, local projections Mico-econometrics: Linear regression, instrumental variables, Monte-Carlo simulations

Dynamic Programming: Aiyagari Model

OTHER SKILLS & PERSONAL INTERESTS

Languages: German, French (both native), English (C2), Arabic (B2), Tunisian Arabic dialect (A2)

Software: Microsoft Office, LATEX

 $\bf Personal\ Interests:$ Historical and crime novels, running, German literature

 $Last\ updated \hbox{:}\ July\ 2025.$