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EMPLOYMENT	<i>UNSW Sydney</i> Postdoctoral Fellow	2021
	<i>Monash University</i> Postdoctoral Fellow	2019 - 2021
EDUCATION	<i>Paris School of Economics & Université Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne</i> Ph.D. in Economics Supervisors: Francis Bloch, Margherita Comola	2019
	<i>University of California, Berkeley</i> Visiting Student Researcher, hosted by Joshua Blumenstock	2018
	<i>Paris School of Economics & Université Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne</i> M.Phil. in Empirical and Theoretical Economics	2016
	<i>Université Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne</i> M.Sc. in Economics Degree awarded with ‘Tres bien’, the highest distinction	2015
	<i>University of Cape Town</i> B.Comm. (Honours) in Economics Degree awarded in the First Class, research paper with Distinction	2012
	<i>University of Cape Town</i> B.Comm. in Economics and Finance	2010
FIELDS	Development Economics; Social Networks; Household Finance	
PUBLICATIONS	Friend-Based Ranking with Francis Bloch <i>AEJ: Microeconomics</i> , Forthcoming. arXiv:1807.05093	
	Four Levers of Redistribution: The Impact of Tax and Transfer Systems on Inequality Reduction with Elvire Guillaud and Michaël Zemmour <i>Review of Income and Wealth</i> , 2020, 66: 444-466. DOI:10.1111/roiw.12408	
CONFERENCE PROCEEDINGS	Friend-Based Ranking in Practice with Francis Bloch <i>AEA Papers and Proceedings</i> , Forthcoming. arXiv:2101.02857	
WORKING PAPERS	Gamblers Learn from Experience with Joshua Blumenstock arXiv:2011.00432	

On Track for Retirement?

arXiv:2005.01692

Revision requested at the *Journal of Economic Behavior & Organisation***Financial Literacy in South Africa**

with Elizabeth Nanziri

SALDRU Working Paper Number 242

SEMINARS	AEA Annual Meeting	2021
	Applied Young Economist Webinar	2020
	ANZWEE, CDES RCT Conference, Monash, UNSW	2019
	Berkeley, NEUDC, Northwestern, Aix-Marseille	2018
RESEARCH EXPERIENCE	<i>Short Term Consultant, World Bank</i>	2016
	– Bruno Crépon (CREST, JPAL) and Patrick Premand (World Bank)	
	<i>Research Assistant, Sciences Po</i>	2015 - 2016
	– Michaël Zemmour (Sciences Po) and Elvire Guillaud (Paris 1)	
TEACHING EXPERIENCE	<i>Teaching Assistant</i>	2016 - 2018
	Université Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne	
	– Mathematics for economists, Master 1 level	
	– Microeconomics, Master 1 level	
	<i>Head Tutor and Tutor</i>	2010 - 2012
	School of Economics, University of Cape Town	
	– International Trade and Finance, third year level	
	– Macroeconomics, first and second year level	
	– Microeconomics, first year level	
	– Game Theory, second year level	
AWARDS	Aldi Harenaars Memorial Award	2018
	PSE Grant for International Mobility	
	Université Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne Travel Grant	
	Île-de-France Aide à la mobilité internationale des doctorants	
	Université Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne Doctoral Scholarship	2016
	Embassy of France in South Africa - Masters Bursary	2014
	University of Cape Town Merit Scholarship	2012
	Sheila von der Hurst Bursary	
	Louis Weiner Scholarship	
PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES	Referee for: Data & Policy, Journal of Development Economics, Journal of Dynamics and Games, Journal of Economic Theory.	

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