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PhD candidate in Economic History

EDUCATION

2015-2020 **Graduate Institute of International and Development Studies**

Geneva, Switzerland.

PhD in International Economics and History

Supervisors: Rui Esteves, Marc Flandreau, Cedric Tille.

Research interests: the Swiss franc, Foreign exchange reserves, Central Banking.

Completion of minor in International History.

2014-2015 **London School of Economics and Political Sciences**

London, United Kingdom.

MSc in Economic History (Research track).

Advisor: Olivier Accominotti. Graduated with Distinction.

2011-2014 **Ecole Normale Supérieure** de Cachan – Paris, France.

> Master in Economics and Social Sciences, cum laude courses: Economics, Economic History, Sociology.

B.A. in Economics jointly with University Paris I-Sorbonne, cum laude.

Swiss National Foundation, doc.mobility – 12 month visiting at ULB Brussels.

B.A. in Management jointly with Paris Dauphine University,

AWARDS & SCHOLARSHIPS

2019	Economic History Association Graduate Fellowship
2015 & 2107	Annual Research grant, from Mission historique of the Bank of France.
2015-2016	Marie Curie Initial Training Network - MACROHIST - full scholarship Early Stage
	Researcher and training.
2014	Laureate at the "Agrégation", competitive exam of the French Ministry of
	Education, in Economics and Social Sciences - ranked in the top 5%.

Normalien Full Funding - Ecole Normale Supérieure de Cachan - ranked 1st at the 2011-2015

national competitive exam.

ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

Research positions

2019-2020

2019-2020	Visiting Scholar, Solvay Brussels School of Economics and Management,
	Université Libre de Bruxelles.

2015-2018 Centre for Finance and Development, Graduate Institute - Geneva.

Research Assistantship on Geneva financial center.

Supervisor: Marc Flandreau

2013 & 2014 French Central Bank, Monetary Policy Studies and Research, - Paris, France

Summer Intern, Research project: Monetary policy, deposits and banking supervision in the 19th century in France. Supervisor: Vincent Bignon.

2012 French Economic Observatory, – Paris, France. Summer Intern, Research project: the ECB and the European Banking Union. Supervisor: Henri Sterdyniak.

Teaching experience

2018-2019	Teaching Assistant, Graduate Institute of International and Development Studies.
	Assistant of Rui Esteves for classes on economic history, financial history
	and history of corruption.
2018-2019	Mentor, Smith College, Geneva Center. Course: Practicum in International
	Organizations. Supervision of students' research project. 3 semesters.
2011-2012	Teaching Assistant in History of Economic Thought, Classes préparatoires HEC
	Intégrale, Clamart France. Preparation of courses materials

Publications

IHEID Working paper (2020) "Zombie International Currency: The Pound Sterling 1945-1973"

CEPR Discussion paper (2019): "At Your Service! Liquidity Provision and Risk Management in 19th Century France" with Vincent Bignon (Bank of France)

Peer-Reviewed publication: "Banking union: a solution to the Euro zone crisis?" with Henri Sterdyniak (OFCE), published in the *Revue de l'OFCE* n°132 – "Towards a better governance in the EU?" (2014).

Other academic works

Bibliographical Essay: "The international monetary system against the bitcoin." Etudes Internationales 48.3-4 (2017): 511-522.

Talks		
2020	-	12th BETA-Workshop in Historical Economics. Strasbourg (forthcoming);
	-	Research seminar – Utrecht University (forthcoming);
	-	Economic History Society annual conference – Oxford(forthcoming);;
	-	Research seminar – QUMS Belfast;
	-	LSE Economic History Graduate Seminar – London;
2019	-	Research seminar – Wirtschaftsuniversität Wien
	-	CEB Brown bag seminar – ULB, Brussels;
	-	Conférence Pierre du Bois – Graduate Institute, Geneva;
	-	Economic History Association annual meeting, poster session – Atlanta;
	-	EHES conference – Paris;
	-	French Economic Association conference – Orleans;
	-	PhD Day – University of Geneva & Graduate Institute;
2018	-	Historiales – Neuchâtel;
	-	CEPR Symposium- Bank of Italy;
	-	Doctoral Research Share (poster session) – Graduate Institute, Geneva;
	-	World Economic History Congress – MIT, Boston.
2017	-	Doctoral Research Share – Geneva;
	-	Economic History Society annual conference – London;
	-	MacroHist Meeting – Porto;
	-	World Congress of Cliometrics – Strasbourg.
2016	-	Swiss Clio seminar – Berne;
2015	-	MacroHist Meeting – Graduate Institute, Geneva;
	-	LSE economic history department seminar – London.
2013	-	10th EUROFRAME conference –Warsaw;
	-	French Economic Association annual conference (AFSE) – Orleans.
2012	-	6th International Conference of The Centre d'Etudes Monétaires et
		Financières and the International Economic Policy Institute – Dijon;
	-	Seminar of Observatoire Français de la Conjoncture Economique – Paris.

OTHERS

IT Skills Stata, LateX, Excel, Moodle, wikis

Languages English (fluent), French (mother-tongue), Spanish (reading, writing, speaking)

Activities and

Societies

2017- 2019: Economic History Society Ambassador

2016-2018: Board member (various positions) of the Graduate Institute Student

Association. (budget 30k €, 800 members)

2012: Treasurer of the student association (budget 20k €, 500 members)