

# Mélina LONDON

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## CURRENT POSITION

**Aix-Marseille University, France, 2018-2021 (expected)**

**PhD Student in Economics, Aix-Marseille School of Economics (AMSE) in partnership with Coface**

- ⇒ Title: *Assessing Firms' Vulnerabilities in Emerging Countries: Heterogeneity in Production Networks*  
PhD Supervisor: Patrick Pintus

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

**Coface, Economic Research Department, Oct 2017-Present**

Junior Economist:

- Published economic studies on trade and macroeconomics
  - ⇒ “*The New Mediterranean Trade Routes*,” co-author (April 2018)
  - ⇒ “*US Trade Protectionism: What Are the Knock-On Effects on Global Value Chains?*”, lead author (October 2018)
- Country-risk modeling
- Prepared country profiles for the 2018 and 2019 Country and Sector Risks Handbook
- Performed data analysis and forecasting, as well as business intelligence for Central American and Southeast Asian countries.

**Chilean Delegation to the OECD, May-Aug 2017**

Assistant Economist:

- As part of the economics team, supported work on ad-hoc Chile studies for the OECD Ministerial Council
- Drew reports on “inclusive growth”, gender equality, pensions and education reforms ahead of Chilean presidential elections

**Youth Zajel Program, Al-Najah University, Nablus, West Bank, Dec 2015-Jan 2016**

Workshop Leader at the department of Public Relations:

- Organized workshops, with strong emphasis on intercultural exchange and public speaking
- Organized conferences and seminars in partnership with the PR and English departments

## EDUCATION

**Paris-Dauphine University, France, 2017-2018**

**Master of Arts (MA) International Economics and Development (Work-Study)**

**Sciences-Po Paris, France, 2015-2017**

**Master of Science Economics (2-year program)**

- ⇒ **Master's Thesis:** “*Migrations and Trade, Beyond Correlations: Evidence from Easter-European Migrations to Western Europe After 2004*,” supervised by Professor Thomas Chaney

**Sciences-Po Paris, France, 2012-2015**

**Bachelor of Arts: Social Sciences (Economic Focus)**

**DePaul University, Chicago, US, 2014-2015**

**One-year academic exchange program**

## SKILLS

**Programming:** STATA, R, VBA

**Softwares:** LaTeX, Ms Office

## LANGUAGES

**French:** Native

**English:** Fluent

**Spanish:** Fluent

**Arabic:** Basic knowledge