Mylène Feuillade

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Research interests: Urban Economics, Labour Economics, Gender Economics

Current Position

Post Doctoral Researcher, Paris School of Economics, Labour Chair

2024 - Present

EDUCATION

• Sciences Po - Ph.D. in Economics

2020 - Present

Supervisor: Pierre-Philippe Combes

Topic: Spatial wage disparities and household location choices

Expected Graduation: Fall 2025

• Sciences Po - Erasmus Mundus - Master in Economics

2015 - 2018

- First year: QEM Models and methods of Quantitative Economics (GPA: 3.92/4)
 - * First semester: Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona
 - * Second semester: University Paris 1 Panthéon Sorbonne
- Second year: **Sciences Po** *Master in Economics.* (with honors)

• Sciences Po 2012 - 2015

Bachelor in Social Sciences, Economics Track

- University of Auckland (New Zealand)

Year-Long Exchange Program, Mathematics and Economics (2014-2015)

• University Paris 1

2012 - 2015

Bachelor of Applied Mathematics and Social Sciences (with honors)

WORKING PAPERS

• Gender norms and household location choices

Abstract:

This paper examines how household location decisions differentially affect labor market outcomes across gender and partnership status using French administrative data. Implementing a staggered difference-in-difference design, I find that only partnered women experience income losses following moves, with earnings declining by approximately 7% in the two years post-relocation. Analysis of within-household dynamics reveals that moves typically reduce total household income and disproportionately benefit men's careers –even in couples where women were the primary earners pre-move. These findings are not consistent with income-maximizing models of household decision-making that predict prioritization of the higher earner's career. Instead, the results suggest that gender norms play a crucial role in household location choices, with men's career opportunities systematically prioritized over women's, regardless of their relative economic contributions.

• Gender and the city: decomposing the gender gap in the urban wage premium

The existence of an urban wage premium has been largely established by the urban economics literature. However, despite many potential mechanism, there is no consensus on its heterogeneity by gender. In this paper, I adapt the standard two-step approach to estimate the urban wage premium by gender and marital

status. I find that women benefit 50% more than men from city density in terms of income. I also document that women experience a higher "big city employment premium": their probability of being unemployed decreases 50% more with density than men's. Finally, I show that these elasticities are not significantly different for married women than for single ones. </h4>

• Within- and Between-City Real Income Disparities

With Pierre-Philippe Combes (Sciences Po and CEPR), Laurent Gobillon (Paris School of Economics), Aurélie Sotura (Banque de France) and Tanguy Van Ypersele (Aix-Marseille School of Economics)

• The rise of work from home and spousal labor supply

With Dominique Goux (INSEE) and Eric Maurin (PSE)

Grants & Awards

• 4th year PhD funding - Labour Chair, Paris School of Economics

2023-2024

• Sciences Po Doctoral Program Full Funding

2020-2023

• "Best Master's Thesis in Economics", Sciences Po

2018

Professional Experiences

• Economic Policy Journal

January 2023

Research assistance: Replication of three papers

• INSEAD - Economics and Political Science Department

2018 - 2020

Pre-Doctoral Research Associate

• OECD - PARIS21

Jan. 2017 - Jul. 2017

Intern with the Partnership in Statistics for Development in the 21st century

ADE

Jun. 2016 - Dec. 2016

Evaluation Intern

Conferences and Seminar Presentations

* scheduled

- 2025: Doctorisssimes*, CEPR*; Seminars: PSE Labor Chair
- 2024: EAYE, AFEPOP, ADRES Job Market Conference; RGS Doctoral Conference; Seminars: PSE Labor Chair, Sciences Po
- 2023: Naples School of Economics PhD and Post-doctoral workshop; Seminars: Sciences Po
- 2022: Sciences Po Seminar,
- 2021: Sciences Po Seminar

Organizer: Sciences Po PhD internal seminar (2022-2023, 2023-2024)

TEACHING EXPERIENCES

• Policy Analysis and Policy Evaluation, Sciences Po Teaching Assistant, Master Fall 2024

• Urban Economics, Sciences Po Grader, Bachelor Spring 2024

• Economics of Discrimination, Sciences Po Teaching Assistant, Master Spring 2023

Quantitative and mathematical methods for social sciences, Sciences Po Instructor, Bachelor
Introduction to Econometrics using R, Sciences Po Instructor, Bachelor
Rationality, Expectations and Macroeconomics, Sciences Po Teaching Assistant, Master
Prices and Markets, INSEAD Fall 2020 Teaching Assistant, MBA
Le prix de la démocratie, Sciences Po Grader, Master

LANGUAGES & IT SKILLS

- Languages: French (native), English (fluent), Spanish (conversational), Hungarian (beginner)
- Programming: R (advanced), Stata (advanced), SAS (basic)