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Current Position

Aix-Marseille School Of Economics

Postdoctoral researcher

Fellowship awarded by **The Swiss National Science Foundation**

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Research Interests

Primary: Environmental economics, Political economy

Secondary: Culture & Religion, Resource economics, Applied stochastic processes

Education

Ph.D. International Economics, The Graduate Institute (IHEID)

Thesis title: Essays in Uncertain Economics

Committee: Ugo Panizza, Jérémy Laurent-Lucchetti and Rahul Mukherjee

Awarded *summa cum laude*

2015 - 2021

M.A. International Economics, The Graduate Institute (IHEID)

2012 - 2014

B.A.(Honours) Economics, University of Delhi

2009 - 2012

Job Market Paper

Sacred Ecology: The Environmental Impact of African Traditional Religions

Publications

Coronagraben in Switzerland: culture and social distancing in times of COVID-19, with Piergiuseppe Fortunato, **Journal of Population Economics**, 34 (2021)

Language and the cultural markers of COVID-19, with Piergiuseppe Fortunato, **Social Science & Medicine**, 301 (2022)

Working Papers

Scenes from a Monopoly: Quickest Detection of Ecological Regimes
with Daniele Rinaldo (under review)

Religiously-Inspired Baby Boom. A Case Study of Georgia
with Kritika Saxena, Lyman Stone and Seung-hun Chung

Firm Decisions under Jump-Diffusive Dynamics
with Daniele Rinaldo (under review)

Work in Progress

The Ecology of Transhumance: Conflicts and Deforestation
with Kritika Saxena

Lithium Gold Rush: Imperfect Competition and the Environment
with Daniele Rinaldo

The Ecological Legacy of Firestone: The Long-Run Impact of Plantations in Liberia

Teaching Experience

The Graduate Institute (IHEID):

Designed & led graduate Macroeconomics Boot Camp, Autumn, 2018 - 2019

Teaching Assistant for the graduate courses:

Macroeconomics, Autumn, 2018 - 2019

International Trade, Spring, 2017 - 19

Statistical Methods for Social Sciences, Autumn, 2017 - 2018

International Finance, Autumn, 2016 - 2017

International Development, Spring, 2016 - 2017

Grants & Awards

Early career grant “Postdoctoral mobility fellowship” awarded by
The Swiss National Science Foundation. Funds: CHF 67,500

Full merit-based scholarship for graduate studies (M.A.) by
The Graduate Institute (IHEID)

Policy Experience

United Nations Conference on Trade and Development, 2019 - 2022
Trade & Development Policy Consultant

World Intellectual Property Organization, 2014 - 2015
Researcher - Economics and Statistics Division

Skills & Languages

Programming: R, Stata, Mathematica

GIS Software: ArcGIS, QGIS, Geoda

Languages: English, Hindi, French (B1 and actively learning)

Conferences (scheduled +)

2022: Economics Research Cluster (IHEID); French-Japanese Webinar in Economics[†]; European Winter Meeting of the Econometric Society (EWMES)[†]; Centre for the Study of African Economies (CSAE) 2023[†]; EAERE-ETH European Winter School[†]

2021: Royal Economic Society (RES); European Association of Environmental and Resource Economists (EAERE); European Association for Research in Industrial Economics (EARIE); Association of Southern-European Economic Theorists (ASSET)

2020: European Winter Meeting of the Econometric Society (EWMES); Spanish Economic Association; Southern Economic Association (SAEe); French Association of Environmental and Resource Economists (FAERE)

References

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