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## Current Position

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Lecturer in Economics, University of Massachusetts Amherst	2017 - present
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## Education

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PhD Economics, New School for Social Research, New York	2019
Dissertation: “Essays on Labor Mobility and Segmentation”	
Research fields: Political economy of labor, migration and inequality; Information theoretical methods in economics.	
MSc Economics, New School for Social Research, New York	2014
BA Socioeconomics, University of Geneva, Switzerland	2010

## Publications

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| 2019 | “By the Content of Their Character? Discrimination, Social Identity, and Observed Distributions of Income” (with Paulo L. dos Santos), <i>Journal of Mathematical Sociology</i>  |
| 2019 | “Indices of Informational Association and Analysis of Complex Socio-Economic Systems” (with Paulo L. dos Santos), <i>Entropy</i> (21:4)  |
| 2017 | “Designer Systems of Systems. A Rational Integrated Approach of System Engineering ...” (with Harry H. Hilton and Steven J. D’Urso), <i>Trans-Disciplinary Perspectives on System Complexity</i> , Flumerfelt, S. and Kahlen, F.-J. (eds.). Springer, New York, pp. 49-84. |
| 2014 | “Race, gender and the econophysics of income distribution in the USA” (with Anwar Shaikh and Nikolaos Papanikolaou), <i>Physica A: Statistical Mechanics and its Applications</i> (415), pp. 54-60.  |

### Working Papers

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| 2019 | “Diversity in Segmentation. Patterns of Immigrant Competition in US Labor Markets”, <i>New School for Social Research, Department of Economics</i> , 1901 |
| 2018 | “Measuring Labor Market Segmentation from Incomplete Data”, <i>University of Massachusetts Amherst, Department of Economics</i> , 2018-01                 |

## Fellowships and Awards

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**Flex Grant for Teaching/Faculty Development 2018, University of Massachusetts Amherst**

**Donnelley Fund Dissertation Fellowship 2015-16, New School for Social Research**

**Dean's Discretionary Stipend 2014-16, New School for Social Research**

**Dean's Fellowship 2012-2013, New School for Social Research**

**New School Tuition Scholarship, 2010-2012**

## Research Experience

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**Research Assistant, The New School for Social Research** *Fall 2013 - Fall 2014*

**Intern, International Labour Organization** *June 2012 - August 2012*

**External Collaborator, International Labour Organization** *September 2012 - September 2013*

**Intern, State Secretariat for Economic Affairs, Switzerland** *June 2011 - August 2011*

**Research Assistant, The New School for Public Engagement** *January 2011 to May 2013*

**Research Assistant, University of Geneva** *October 2008 - June 2009*

**Intern, Institute for Vocational Training, Labour Market and Social Policy, Germany** *March 2006 - August 2006*

## Teaching Experience

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**University of Massachusetts Amherst**

*Wellbeing, Inequality and Poverty.* Undergraduate class. *2019*

*Labor in the American Economy.* Undergraduate class. *2018-2019*

*Econometrics.* Undergraduate class. *2017-2019*

*Introduction to Microeconomics (Honors).* Undergraduate class. *2018*

**Eugene Lang College, The New School for Liberal Arts** *2016*

*Rational Fools? Debating Behavioral Economics.* Undergraduate seminar.

**The New School for Public Engagement** *2014-2015*

*Advanced Quantitative Methods.* Graduate class.

**Teaching Assistant, The New School**

*2012, 2013, 2014*

## Selected Conferences and Presentations

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- 2019 “By the Content of their Character? Discrimination, Social Identity and Observed Distributions of Income”, *International Association for Feminist Economics*, Glasgow, UK and *Eastern Economics Association Annual Conference*, New York, NY.
- 2019 “Information Theory & Complex Economic Systems: A Conceptual Framework and an Application” (in lieu of P. dos Santos), *Symposium on Inequality, Entropy and Econophysics*, New York
- 2019 “By the Content of their Character? Discrimination, Social Identity and Observed Distributions of Income”, Race, Immigration, Gender: Advances in Heterodox Methodology (panel co-organizer), *Annual Convention of the Allied Social Science Associations*, Atlanta
- 2016 “Statistical Equilibrium of Labor Migration in the U.S.”, Political Economy of Labor Relations (panel co-organizer), *Eastern Economics Association Annual Conference*, Washington D.C.
- 2015 *Hyman P. Minsky Summer Seminar 2015*, Levy Institute at Bard College, Annandale-on-Hudson
- 2013 *Governance for Sustainability: How to Transform the Bretton Woods Institutions?*, Workshop at the Institute for Advanced Sustainability Studies, Potsdam, Germany
- 2013 “The inductive strength of virtual worlds. Simulating stylized facts in Agent-based Modeling”, *XI. Conference of the International Network for Economic Method*, Erasmus University Rotterdam, and *Young Scholars Initiative Workshop*, Institute for New Economic Thinking, Hong Kong
- 2013 “Institutional Factors and Teacher Characteristics Affecting Classroom Technology Use: Evidence From a Nationally Representative Survey” (presented by Alec Gershberg), *Annual Meeting*, American Educational Research Association, San Francisco
- 2012 *Towards a Sustainable Global Financial System Workshop*, Workshop at the Institute for Advanced Sustainability Studies, Potsdam, Germany

## Professional Service

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**Ad-hoc Referee** The European Physical Journal Special Topics

**Student Representative to the Economics Department, The New School for Social Research**  
*Spring & Fall 2013*

**Associate Editor, New School Economic Review**

*2011*

## Software and Language Proficiency

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*R*, Stata and L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X

German (native speaker), English (fluent), French, Spanish

## References

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