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PROFILE

PhD Student (2021-2025)

University of Namur (Belgium)

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Research Fields: Development Economics and Economic History

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EDUCATION

University of Namur, Belgium

Ph.D. Economics

Advisor: Catherine Guirkingier

2021 - 2025 (*expected*)

Université Catholique de Louvain, Belgium

Research Master in Economics (Summa Cum Laude)

Economics School of Louvain - Economics School of Namur

2019 - 2021

University of Valladolid, Spain

Double Bachelor's Degree, Economics.

2015 - 2019

Université de Lille, France

Double Bachelor's Degree, Economics.

2016 - 2019

EXPERIENCE

Research Assistant

Institute of Economic and Social Research (IRES), UCLouvain

Main Researcher: Marcus Biermann (London School of Economics)

Funding Institution: UCLouvain

2021 - 2022

Research Assistant

University of Valladolid, Department of Applied Economics

Main Researchers: O. Carpintero and L.J. Miguel (University of Valladolid)

Funding Institution: Spanish Ministry of Economy and Competitiveness (MINECO)

2018 - 2019

TEACHING

Applied Econometrics, Graduate Level

2022-2023

RESEARCH WORK

1. **Colonial Education and its Intergenerational Transmission: Evidence from Colonial and post-independence Congo**, with Paola Villar and Catherine Guirkinger
2. **In-Group Individual Surveys vs Face-to-Face Interviews: Evidence from an RCT in Benin**, with Hugues Champeaux
3. **Unnamed project on family support and female entrepreneurship. RCT ID: AEARCTR-0008898**, with Catherine Guirkinger

TECHNICAL STRENGTHS AND LANGUAGES

Languages	Spanish (Native), English (Fluent), French (Intermediate)
Software & Tools	Stata, SurveyCTO, ArcGIS, Latex, MS Office

SCHOLARSHIPS

Ph.D. Scholarship Fonds National de la Recherche Scientifique (FNRS)	2023 - 2025
Ph.D. Scholarship Special Research Fund (FSR)	2022 - 2023
Ph.D. Scholarship H2020 / ERC - StG 759294	2021 - 2022
Collaboration Fellowship: MINECO, Spanish Government	2018 - 2019
Erasmus+ Mobility Scholarship	2017 - 2018

SEMINARS AND CONFERENCES (PRESENTATIONS)

Doctoral Workshop (UCLouvain, UNamur and U. Saint Louis)	2021-2022
CRED Workshop (UNamur)	2021-2022
Workshop in Gender and Family Economics (CY Cergy Paris Université)*	2021-2022
Jornadas de Economía Crítica (University of Castilla-La Mancha)	2021-2022
CRED Workshop (UNamur)	2022-2023
1st PASRC Conference (African School of Economics)	2022-2023
Doctoral Workshop (UCLouvain, UNamur and U. Saint Louis)	2022-2023
ASREC Conference (Harvard University)	2022-2023
Internal seminar (University of Valladolid)	2022-2023
Internal seminar (University of Bordeaux)*	2022-2023
International Conference on Development Economics (PSE)*	2022-2023

* Presented by a co-author

FIELDWORK AND DATA ENTRY

Benin	Nov 2021 - Dec 2021
RA supervision to digitize historical documents	Jul 2022 - Dec 2022
Benin	Apr 2023 - May 2023

OTHER ACTIVITIES

Organizer Doctoral Workshop in Economics - UNamur, UCLouvain and USaint-Louis 2022 - 2023

Dissemination:

Álvarez Aragón, P. (2021). Sobre los premios "Nobel" de Economía. Revista De Economía Crítica, (32), 29.

Book Reviews:

"Globalists. The end of the empire and the birth of neoliberalism", by Quinn Slobodian, Revista de Economía Crítica, 2019, ISSN 2013 - 5254.

"Unsustainable Inequalities: Social Justice and the Environment", by Lucas Chancel, Revista Papeles de Relaciones Ecosociales y Cambio Global, 2022.

Blog:

Editor of the Blog "[Puntos de Encuentro](#)", jointly with scholars and students from the University of Valladolid.

REFERENCES

Michel de Vroey: Emeritus Professor of Economics, Université Catholique de Louvain, Belgium.

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Catherine Guirkinge: Full Professor of Economics, University of Namur, Belgium.

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Óscar Carpintero: Associate Professor of Economics, University of Valladolid, Spain.

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