

# PASCAL MICHAILLAT

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## EMPLOYMENT

- University of California–Santa Cruz • Professor of Economics • since 2025
  - University of California–Santa Cruz • Associate Professor of Economics (with tenure) • 2023–2025
  - Brown University • Associate Professor of Economics (with tenure) • 2019–2023
  - Brown University • Assistant Professor of Economics • 2016–2019
  - London School of Economics • Lecturer in Economics • 2010–2016
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## VISITS

- University of California–San Diego • Department of Economics • January–June 2023
  - Institute for Advanced Study • School of Social Science • 2019–2020
  - University of California–Berkeley • Department of Economics • 2014–2015
  - University of California–Berkeley • Center for Equitable Growth • 2011–2012
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## EDUCATION

- University of California–Berkeley • PhD in Economics • 2010
  - University of California–Berkeley • MS in Industrial Engineering & Operations Research • 2005
  - Ecole Centrale Paris • Ingénieur des Arts & Manufactures • 2005
  - Lycée Chateaubriand de Rennes • Classes Préparatoires MPSI & MP\* • 1999–2001
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## BOOK

- A Theory of Slack: How Economic Slack Shapes Markets, Business Cycles, and Policies  
Under contract • *Princeton University Press*
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## ARTICLES

14. Has the Recession Started? (with E. Saez)  
*Oxford Bulletin of Economics and Statistics* • 2025
13.  $u^* = \sqrt{uv}$  : The Full-Employment Rate of Unemployment in the United States (with E. Saez)  
*Brookings Papers on Economic Activity* • 2024
12. Critical Values Robust to P-hacking (with A. McCloskey)  
*Review of Economics and Statistics* • 2024

11. An Economical Business-Cycle Model (with E. Saez)  
*Oxford Economic Papers* • 2022
10. Beveridgean Unemployment Gap (with E. Saez)  
*Journal of Public Economics Plus* • 2021
9. Pricing under Fairness Concerns (with E. Eyster & K. Madarasz)  
*Journal of the European Economic Association* • 2021
8. Resolving New Keynesian Anomalies with Wealth in the Utility Function (with E. Saez)  
*Review of Economics and Statistics* • 2021
7. Optimal Public Expenditure with Inefficient Unemployment (with E. Saez)  
*Review of Economic Studies* • 2019
6. Persistence of False Paradigms in Low-Power Sciences (with G. Akerlof)  
*Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences* • 2018
5. A Macroeconomic Approach to Optimal Unemployment Insurance: Applications (with C. Landais & E. Saez)  
*American Economic Journal: Economic Policy* • 2018
4. A Macroeconomic Approach to Optimal Unemployment Insurance: Theory (with C. Landais & E. Saez)  
*American Economic Journal: Economic Policy* • 2018
3. Aggregate Demand, Idle Time, and Unemployment (with E. Saez)  
*Quarterly Journal of Economics* • 2015
2. A Theory of Countercyclical Government Multiplier  
*American Economic Journal: Macroeconomics* • 2014
1. Do Matching Frictions Explain Unemployment? Not in Bad Times  
*American Economic Review* • 2012

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#### PREPRINTS

- Recession Detection Using Classifiers on the Anticipation-Precision Frontier
- Beveridgean Phillips Curve (with E. Saez)
- Modeling Migration-Induced Unemployment

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#### MINICOURSES

- Business Cycles and How to Tame Them • Reserve Bank of India, Bank of Italy

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#### GRADUATE COURSES

- Economic Slack • Brown University, University of California–Santa Cruz
- Mathematics for Macroeconomics • London School of Economics

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## UNDERGRADUATE COURSES

- Unemployment • Brown University, University of California–Santa Cruz
- Intermediate Macroeconomics • Brown University

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## DESIGN TEMPLATES

- Minimalist LaTeX Template for Academic Papers
- Minimalist Hugo Template for Academic Websites
- Minimalist LaTeX Template for Academic Presentations
- Minimalist MATLAB Template for Scientific Figures
- Minimalist LaTeX Template for Academic CVs

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## SERVICE

- arXiv • Moderator & Editorial Committee Member for Economics • since 2019
- Brown University • Director of Graduate Studies for Economics • 2021

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## GRANTS

- Grant from the Institute of Economic Research, Hitotsubashi University  
\$5,684 • 2023–2024
- Institute for New Economic Thinking Research Grant (with E. Saez)  
\$200,000 • 2014–2017
- ESRC Future Research Leaders Grant  
\$370,728 • 2013–2016
- Fondation Banque de France Research Grant (with E. Saez)  
\$39,600 • 2013–2014
- British Academy/Leverhulme Small Research Grant  
\$15,789 • 2013–2015
- Upjohn Institute Early Career Research Award  
\$4,985 • 2012–2014
- Leonora Lindsley Memorial Fellowship  
\$10,000 • 2008
- EDF-EPRI IEOR PhD Fellowship  
\$50,000 • 2005–2006

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#### AWARDS

- Upjohn Institute Dissertation Award • 2010
- University of California–Berkeley Outstanding Graduate Student Instructor • 2010

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#### MEMBERSHIPS

- National Bureau of Economic Research • Public Economics & Monetary Economics • since 2017
  - Centre for Economic Policy Research • Labor Economics & Monetary Economics • since 2011
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