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CURRICULUM VITAE

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EMPLOYMENT

Associate Professor (with tenure), Université de Montréal, 2019 - present
Research fellow, CIREQ, 2012 – present
Researcher, CIRANO, 2019 – present

Assistant Professor, Université de Montréal, 2012 - 2019

Post-doctoral fellow, Paris School of Economics, September 2009 – May 2012

EDUCATION

Ph.D. in Economics, Stanford University, USA, 2009

M.A. in Economics and Statistics, ENSAE, France, 2003

B.S. in Math and Physics, École Polytechnique, France, 2003

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Applied Economics, Public Economics, Development.

RESEARCH

Publications

(as first author or joint first author)

“National institutions and self-insurance” (with Joshua Lewis)
Economic Development and Cultural Change, 2025, vol. 73, no 2

“Distribution and predictors of F-18-FDG uptake values of non-malignant cervical lymph nodes in pediatric patients” (with Jeremy Godefroy et al.)
EJNMMI Research, 2024, DOI 10.1186/s13550-024-01110-9

“Estimating population infection rates from non-random testing data: Evidence from the COVID-19 pandemic” (with David Benatia and Joshua Lewis) *Plos one*, 2024, vol. 19, no 9 e0311001. DOI

“What Explains the Socioeconomic Status/Health Gradient? Evidence from Workplace COVID-19 Infections” (with Joshua Lewis) *Social Science and Medicine - Population Health*, 2022, Jun 1;18:101124

“Estimates of COVID-19 Cases Across Four Canadian Provinces” (with David Benatia and Joshua Lewis) *Canadian Public Policy*, 2020 Oct 1;46(S3):S203-16

How women’s rights affect fertility: Evidence from Nigeria”
Economic Journal, 2019, vol. 129, no 619, p. 1247-1280

“Does male education affect fertility: Evidence from Mali” (with Joshua Lewis)
Economics Letters, 2018, vol. 172, p. 118-122

“Parliament shapes and sizes” (with Nicolas Klein)
Economic Inquiry, 2018, 56: 2212-2233

“Voter turnout and fiscal policy” (with Emeric Henry)
European Economic Review, 2016, vol. 89, p. 389-406

“Choosing choices: Agenda selection with uncertain issues” (with Eduardo Perez-Richet)
Econometrica, 2013, vol. 81, no 1, p. 221-253

“Les taxes sur les cigarettes sont-elles régressives?” [Are cigarette taxes regressive?]
Économie publique/Public Economics, 2004, no 13

Working papers

“The Long-Run Effects of Childhood Fostering: Evidence from Benin” (with Irene Dohouin, Caleb Gbehola and Joshua Lewis)

“The impact of uncertainty on agriculture” (with Joshua Lewis)

“Effect of information acquisition on Research and Development in medicine” (with Samiratou Kora Chabi)

Policy report

“Principaux moyens de lutte contre la propagation du SARS-COVID-19.” In *La santé au cœur de la relance économique du Québec*. Report for the Quebec Ministry of Finance, released in August 2020.

CONFERENCES AND SEMINARS

2025 Congrès de la Société Canadienne de Sciences Économiques (scheduled), American Society of Health Economics Conference (scheduled)
2024 Centre for the Study of African Economies Conference, European Economic Association- Econometric Society European Meeting
2023 Congrès de la Société Canadienne de Sciences Économiques, Applied Microday Montreal
2021 Society for Economic Dynamics Annual Meeting
2020 Québec Network on Drug Research, American Gastroenterological Association Recommendations Committee
2019 Canadian Public Economic Group (CPEG), Applied Microday Montreal
2018 Society for Institutional & Organizational Economics (SIOE), Canadian Economic Association Annual Conference
2017 Québec Political Economy Conference
2016 Royal Economic Society Annual Conference, Calgary University, McGill University
2015 Canadian Economic Association Annual Conference, HEC Montreal, Québec Political Economy Conference
2014 Québec Political Economy Conference, McGill University, Canadian Economic Association Annual Conference
2013 Tel Aviv University, CAE Annual Conference, HEC Montréal
2012 Kellogg School of Management – MEDS, School of Public Health (Harvard University), HEC Montréal, Université de Montréal
2011 North American Winter Meeting of the Econometric Society
2010 European meeting of the Econometric Society

CONFERENCE AND SEMINAR ORGANIZATION

Member of the Scientific Committee, Canadian Public Economic Group Conference, November 2024

Department Seminar in Applied Economics 2017-18 and 2021-2022

CIREQ Montreal Applied Conference (Colloque CIREQ en Économie Appliquée), April 2017
(co-organizer with Joshua Lewis)

CIREQ Montreal Applied Conference (Colloque CIREQ en Économie Appliquée), April 2016
(co-organizer with Joshua Lewis)

CIREQ Workshop in Family Economics (Atelier CIREQ en Économie de la Famille), June
2016 (co-organizer with Joshua Lewis)

Member of the Scientific Committee, Congrès de la Société Canadienne de Science
Économique (2015)

Québec Political Economy Conference, March 2015 (co-organizer with Decio
Coviello and Nicolas Sahuguet)

RESEARCH GRANTS AND FELLOWSHIPS

Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council, Insight Development Grant
(PI: Joshua Lewis, Co-applicant: Raphael Godefroy), 2020-2023, C\$69,795

Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council, Insight Development Grant
(PI: Raphael Godefroy, Co-applicant: Joshua Lewis), 2017-2019, C\$63,329

Fonds de recherche du Québec–Société et Culture, 2013-2016, C\$39,600

Université de Montréal, Starting Research Grant, 2012-2015, C\$5,000

CEPREMAP Research Grant, 2010, 5,000€

Région Ile-de-France Domaine d'Intérêt Majeur Postdoctoral Fellowship, 2009-2011

Graduate Fellowship, Department of Economics, Stanford University, 2003-2005

TEACHING

University of Montreal

Applied Econometrics (B.A. Honor Students – ECN 4160)

Economics of Social Behavior (B.A. – ECN 3650)

Health Economics (M.A.– ECN 6983)

Applied microeconomics workshop (M.A.– ECN 6053)

Paris School of Economics

Health Economics, Graduate

Health Policy, Graduate
General Equilibrium Theory (Teaching Assistant), Graduate

Stanford University

Health Economics (Teaching Assistant), Undergraduate

SUPERVISION OF Ph.D. STUDENTS

Gaius Foba Kengne, co-supervisor (in progress)

Irène Dohouin (2023)

First position: research fellow at the CIDCM, University of Maryland

George Ngoundjou Nkwinkeum (2020)

First position: Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation

Lucienne Talba, co-supervisor (2020)

First position: postdoctoral fellow at the CPD, McGill University

Idrissa Ouili (2015)

First position: postdoctoral fellow at McGill University

Hector Galindo Silva, co-supervisor (2013)

First position: postdoctoral fellow at IPEG, Universitat Pompeu Fabra

REFEREING

American Economic Review, Theoretical Economics, Journal of African Economics, Journal of Public Economic Theory, Journal of Human Resources, Public Choice, Journal of Demographic Economy, Forum for Health Economics and Policy, Scandinavian Political Studies, Health Economics, Journal of Health Economics, Review of Economics of the Household, Canadian Journal of Economics

SERVICE TO THE DEPARTMENT AND THE UNIVERSITY

M.A. Program Director, 2021 - present

Comité d'évaluation BESC Maîtrise CRSH, 2023-2024

Recruiting committee, 2012-2013, 2020-2021

Teaching Load Committee, 2017

Committee of Undergraduate Studies, 2018-2019

Member of the Committee for the dual program Economics and Politics, 2017-2019