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GENERAL INFORMATION

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Fields: Environmental economics, Public Economics

EMPLOYMENT

Assistant Professor of Economics at Southern Methodist University (<i>current</i>)	Dallas, 2023-
Postdoctoral Fellow at J-PAL King Climate Action Initiative	Rio de Janeiro, 2022-2023
Consultant at Trinomics Environmental Consulting	Rotterdam, 2015-2016
Junior economic assistant at São Paulo State Ministry of Finance	São Paulo, 2013-2014
Intern at Brazilian Institute of Economics IBRE	São Paulo, 2012

EDUCATION

MRes and PhD, Toulouse School of Economics, France	2016 - 2022
Supervisors: Mathias Reynaert, Stefan Ambec, Helmuth Cremer Research visit, Institute for Fiscal Studies, London, UK	April-August 2021
MSc in Economics, Tilburg University, the Netherlands	2014-2015
BSc in Economics, São Paulo School of Economics, FGV, Brazil Exchange Semester, Mannheim University, Germany	2008-2012 September-December 2010

WORKING PAPERS

Historical Occupation and Modern Deforestation: Evidence from Indigenous Extinctions in the Amazon (2023) (*with Bruno Barsanetti*)

Amazon Deforestation: a Survey of Drivers, Externalities, and Policies (2022)

Satellites and Fines: Using Monitoring to Target Inspections of Deforestation (2021)

How to Target Enforcement at Scale? Evidence from Tax Audits in Senegal (2021) (*with Pierre Bachas, Anne Brockmeyer and Bassirou Sarr*)

Optimal (double) Taxation With Tax Evasion and Firm Growth (2021)

WORK IN PROGRESS

Forest Conservation Behaviour Improved by Immersive Virtual Experiences: Evidence From a Field Experiment with Virtual Reality in Brazil (*with Sanchayan Banerjee*)

Measuring the Impact of Restoration Incentives on Forest Cover and Water Quality: Evidence from a Large-Scale PES in Brazil (*with Jennifer Alix-Garcia and Katharine Sims*)

Using Satellite Data to Improve the Enforcement of Waste Dump Regulation in Peru (*with Manuel Barron and Cesar Huaroto*)

Reducing Discretion in the Assignment of Enforcement Cases: Evidence from Environmental Inspections in Peru (*with Cesar Huaroto*)

REFEREEING SERVICE

Journal of the European Economic Association, The Economic Journal, Journal of Environmental Economics and Management

TALKS AT SEMINARS, CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS

RIDGE Workshop on Environmental Economics (Medellín) *2023*
LACEA LAMES, CAF Invited Session on Climate Change (Bogotá)
Universidade Federal de Pernambuco
Universidade Federal do Rio de Janeiro (virtual)
Universidad del Pacifico
Seminar MAP - Microeconomía Aplicada al Perú (virtual)
University of New Mexico
IIPF (Logan)

RIDGE Workshop on Environmental Economics (Montevideo) *2022*
LACEA LAMES, CAF Invited Session on Climate Change (Lima)
Ninth UDEP Workshop for Young Economists (Lima)
Workshop on Environmental Policy, CAF Development Bank (Buenos Aires)

Econometric Society Winter Meeting (Barcelona, virtual) *2021*
17th EUDN PhD Workshop on Development Economics (Wageningen)
Climate Policy Initiative Seminar (Rio de Janeiro, virtual)
Institute for Fiscal Studies, Development seminar (London)

SHADOW Conference (Trento) *2019*
Doctoral Meeting Montpellier (Montpellier) *2018*

TEACHING

Environmental Economics, Undergraduate, Southern Methodist University *2024*
T.A. Public Economics, MSc, Helmut Cremer, Toulouse School of Economics *2020-2021*
T.A. Econometrics of Program Evaluation, MSc, Thierry Magnac, Toulouse School of Economics *2020-2021*
T.A. Introductory Econometrics, Bachelors 3rd year, Thierry Magnac, Toulouse School of Economics *2019*
T.A. Macroeconomics, Bachelors 3rd year, Roberta Dessi, Toulouse School of Economics *2018*
T.A. Macroeconomics, Bachelors 1st year, Sumudu Kankanamge, Toulouse School of Economics *2016*

RESEARCH ASSISTANT

Law enforcement in the Brazilian Amazon forest, C. Leme and J. Chiavari, Climate Policy Initiative *2020*
Environmental impact of Mercosur-EU trade agreement, prof. Stefan Ambec, TSE *2019*
Econometrics, prof. Shruti Sinha, TSE *2019*
Econometrics, prof. Pascal Lavergne, TSE *2017*
Development, Anne Brockmeyer and Pierre Bachas, World Bank *2017*

GRANTS AND PRIZES

Bush Institute Research Grant *2023*
University Research Council, Research Grant - Southern Methodist University *2023*
J-PAL King Climate Action Initiative, Proposal Development Grant *2022*
TSE Job Market Fellowship *2021*
Best Teaching Assistant Award, Masters level (BDI Students Association, Toulouse) *2020*
Jean-Jacques Laffont Doctoral Grant (Toulouse) *2016-2017*
FAPESP Research grant (São Paulo) *2012*

POLICY WORK

The impact of COVID-19 on formal companies in Senegal (2020). World Bank Practice Notes, 2020 (*with Pierre Bachas, Anne Brockmeyer, Bassirou Sarr and Camille Semelet*)

Green infrastructure and flood management (2017). EEA (*with Gorm Dige, Lisa Eichler, Jurgen Vermeulen, Koen Rademaekers, Veronique Adreanssens, Dagna Kolaszewka*)

Selecting indicators to measure energy poverty (2016). European Commission (*with Koen Rademaekers, Jessica Yearwood, Steve Pye, Ian Hamilton, Paolo Agnolucci, Nataliya Anisimova*)

Study in support of the mid-term evaluation of the functioning and the implementation of Council Directive 2009/119/EC on Oil Stocks (2016). European Commission (*with Nick van der Lijn, Rob Williams, Jurgen Vermeulen*)

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SKILLS

Programming skills: Stata, R, Matlab, LaTeX

Languages: English, French, Portuguese (native), Spanish, German, Dutch (intermediate).