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PERSONAL DETAILS

Birthdate: 01/15/1982
Citizenship: French

CURRENT EMPLOYMENT AND AFFILIATIONS

Assistant professor (Maître de Conférences) in Economics, Le Mans University (since 2011)
Research Fellow, Institute for the Study of the Labor, IZA, Bonn (since 2014)

Research Affiliate

GAINS, University of Le Mans (since 2011)

TEPP

IRA

Institut des Politiques Publiques (IPP)

Cepremap

SCIENTIFIC FOCUS AREA

Microeconometrics Transitions and Durations Models, Evaluations Methods.

Labour Economics Microeconomics of Unemployment, Search and Matching Models, Working conditions.

Evaluation Take-up, Active Labour Market Policy, Training, Mental health, Peer effects, RCT.

ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

2016- **Assistant professor**, Department of Law, Economics and Management, Le Mans University

2011-2016 **Assistant professor**, IUT GEA, Le Mans University

2009-2011 **Post-doc**, Department of Economics, Aarhus School of Business, Aarhus University

2006-2009 **Research Affiliate**, Department of Microeconometrics, CREST

10-12/2009 Mission, Ministerial Statistical Office for Labour and Employment (DARES)

09-12/2008 **Guest Ph.D student** at the Free University, Amsterdam, invitation by G. van den Berg, with the EU Marie Curie Research Training Network "Microdata Methods and Practice"

02-04/2008 **Visiting pre-doc** at the University Carlos III, Madrid, with the EU Marie Curie Research Training Network "Economics of Education and Education Policy in Europe"

07-09/2005 **Research internship**, Department of Research, CREST

EDUCATION

- 2009 **Ph.D in Economics**, Paris School of Economics - EHESS and CREST, Summa Cum Laude
Title: “The Take-up of the Unemployment Insurance in France”
Supervisor: David N. Margolis (CNRS, Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne, CREST)
Committee : Bart Cockx (referee, Gand University), Thierry Kamionka (CNRS and CREST), Thomas Piketty (president, PSE), Michael Rosholm (referee, ASB and AU), Antoine Terracol (Lille 3 University).
Date of Defense: November 2009
- 2006 Graduated from the French **National School of Statistics and Economic Administration (ENSAE)**
Specialization: Social Sciences and Quantitative Methods
Member of the selective “Training for Research” program (OFPR, CREST)
- 2006 **M.Sc. in Economics**, Economic Analysis and Policy, Paris School of Economics - EHESS
Specializations: Public Economics, Economic Theory and Microeconomics
- 2004 **B.Sc. in Econometrics**, Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne
Magistère of Economics, Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne

PUBLICATIONS

Publications in peer-reviewed journals

- 2016 “Chômage et santé mentale en France”, with T. Brodaty, *Economie et Statistique*, 486-487, pp.17-44. (HCERES B / CNRS 3)
- 2015 “Améliorer l’efficacité du service public pour l’emploi”, with F. Fontaine and F. Malherbet, *Revue Française d’Economie*, No. XXX, pp. 67-97. (HCERES B / CNRS 3)
- 2013 “Employment Policies, Hiring Practices and Firm Performance”, with B. Pertold-Gebicka, *Labour Economics*, Vol 25, EALE special issue, pp. 12-24. (HCERES A / CNRS 2)
- 2010 “Le non recours à un système d’assurance chômage avec politiques actives d’emploi”, *Economie et Prévision*, No. 192, 2010/1, pp. 1-25. (HCERES B / CNRS 3)
“Etudier le non recours à l’assurance chômage”, with F. Fontaine, *Revue Economique*, Vol. 61, No. 5, pp. 933-943. (HCERES A / CNRS 2)
“Les trajectoires professionnelles en début de vie active: quel impact des contrats temporaires ?”, with P. Givord, *Economie et Statistique*, No. 431-432, pp. 73-93. (HCERES B / CNRS 3)

Other publications

- 2015 “Club jeunes chercheurs d’emploi - évaluation d’une action pilote”, with B. Crépon, D. Skandalis, A. Uhlendorff, G. Van den Berg, E. Alberola and F. Aventur, *Etudes et Recherches*, No. 5, Pôle Emploi.
- 2009 “Formation continue en entreprise et promotion sociale : mythe ou réalité?”, with J. Le and O. Monso, *INSEE Bilan Formations et Emploi - Edition 2009*.
- 2014 “Mort & économie : quel(s) “prix” de la mort?”, with P.-J. Messe and J. Tanguy in *Traité des nouveaux droits de la mort*, Collection L’Unité du Droit, Vol. XII, Editions L’Epitoge - Lextenso, pp.,353-382.

WORK IN PROGRESS

- “Peer Effects of Job Search Assistance Group Treatments - Evidence of a Randomized Field Experiment among Disadvantaged Youths”, with G. van den Berg, B. Crépon, D. Skandalis, A. Uhlendorff, *mimeo*.
- “Unemployment Duration and the Take-up of the Unemployment Insurance - a structural approach”, with F. Fontaine, *mimeo*.
- “Social ties and the influence of public policies on individual opinions: the case of same-sex marriage”, with E. Moreno-Galbis and J. Tanguy *mimeo*.

- “The impact of terrorist attacks on mental health”, with E. Moreno-Galbis and J. Tanguy.
- “The impact of automation and automation risk on mental health”, with J. Rochut and B. Rouland.
- “The Effects of On-the-job and Out-of-the-job Training Programmes on Labor Market Histories”, with B. Crépon and T. Kamionka, Cepremap Working Paper No. 1210, 2012.
- “The Impact of Active Labour Market Policy on Post-Unemployment Outcomes: Evidence from a Social Experiment in Denmark”, with M. Rosholm, IZA Discussion Paper 5631, 2011.

RESEARCH CONTRACTS AND FELLOWSHIPS

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| 2018 | Research contract with Cepremap
Project/Report: the non take-up of the unemployment insurance
Joint with F. Fontaine |
| 2018-2023 | Research agreement with Constances for the use of the Constances Cohort
Project: Socio-Economic Determinants of Immigrants' Health Trajectories
Joint with E. Moreno-Galbis, J. Tanguy and A. Tritah |
| 2013- 2014 | Research contract with DREES/DARES for the use of the SIP dataset (coordinator)
Project/Report: interactions between health and labour market situations: the multiplier effect of working conditions
Joint with T. Brodaty |
| 2012- 2014 | Field experiment: Collective job search assistance provided to young unemployed in deprived areas (member)
PROGRESS programme - European commission, joint with Pole Emploi.
Joint with G. van den Berg, B. Crépon, D. Skandalis, A. Uhlendorff. |
| 2009-2011/ 2015 | Research agreement with the Ministerial Statistical Office for Labour and Employment (DARES) for the use of the FH-DADS data (coordinator)
Project: the take-up of the unemployment insurance in France
Joint with F. Fontaine and D. Margolis |
| 2008 | Marie Curie fellowship from the European Commission |
| 2006-2009 | CREST research fellowship |

PRESENTATIONS

International conferences

LAGV Conference (Aix-Marseille, 2019) ; IAAE (Tessaloniki, 2015) ; Conference of the Association for Public Economic Theory - APET (Seattle, 2014); IZA/SOLE transatlantic Meeting (Buch Ammersee, 2012) ; Meeting of the Society of Labor Economists - SOLE (Vancouver, 2011); European Economic Association congress - EEA (Glasgow, 2010 ; Milan, 2008 ; Oslo, 2007) ; European Meeting of the Econometric Society - ESEM (Milan, 2008) ; European Association of Labor Economists conference - EALE (Amsterdam, 2008; Bonn, 2012) ; EALE/SOLE conference (London, 2010) ; Economic Society of Population Economics conference - ESPE (accepted to the 2020 edition which was cancelled due to the Covid-19 ; Bern, 2012 ; Essen, 2010 ; Sevilla, 2009).

Workshop and thematic schools

Conference on Labour Market Policies hosted by the Swedish Public Employment Service (Stockholm, 2017); Workshop on Economic Policy Interventions and Behaviour (Bristol, 2017); Search and Matching Workshop (Rouen, 2013 ; Mainz, 2012); CAFE Workshop (Vejle, 2012 to 2014); TEPP-CNRS Thematic school Evaluation of Public Policy (Aussois, 2014 and 2013) ; Workshop IAB “Increasing Labor Market Flexibility - Boon or Bane?” (Nuremberg, 2011) ; IZA Summer School (Buch Ammersee, 2009) ; Final meeting of the RTN Microdata Methods and Practice (London, 2009).

National conferences

Journées de Microéconomie Appliquée - JMA (Accepted for the 2020 edition which was cancelled due to the Covid-19 ; Casablanca, 2019 ; Brest, 2012 ; Fribourg, 2007) ; Conference of the Association Française de Sciences Economiques - AFSE (Paris, 2008).

Seminars

University of Lille (2018) ; University of Cergy (2015) ; University of Rennes (2015) ; University of Evry (2015) ; Erudite seminar, University Paris 12 - Val de Marne (2011) ; Séminaire Jeunes, Economix, University Paris Ouest Nanterre La Défense (2011) ; CES séminaire, University Paris 1 Panthéon Sorbonne (2011).

Expertise and discussions

- 2018-2020 Member of the scientific committee of the Dares for the project “the use of short-term contracts - a qualitative approach”.
- 2019 Expertise report for a PIC (Plan d’investissement dans les compétences) call for project, Dares.
- 2019 Invited speaker to the Cnam conference “Les enjeux contemporains de l’indemnisation du chômage” (Paris, 2019).
- 2018 Invited speaker to a “table ronde” about the evaluation of urban policies, Workshop “Bien-être et ville” (Angers, 2019).
- 2018 Invited speaker to a “table ronde” about the institutional evolution of the public policy evaluation, TEPP Conference (Créteil, 2018).
- 2016 Presentation at the Conseil d’Orientation pour l’Emploi, work session “Bonnes pratiques d’accompagnement vers et dans l’emploi”.
- 2016 Invited discussant at the Regional and Urban Economics Seminar (RUES).

COLLECTIVE RESPONSIBILITIES

Editorial activities

- Member of the editorial committee of the review *Travail et Emploi*, (since January 2020).
- Co-editor of the special issue to the JMA conference issued in *Revue Economique*, 65(5), Sept. 2018.
- Co-editor of the special issue to the TEPP conference “Health and Labour” issued in *Annals of Economics and Statistics*, 119/120, December 2015.

Co-organization of conferences and seminar series

- 2017 34th Conference of the Journées de Microéconomie Appliquée, June 2017, Le Mans.
- 2013 10th international TEPP conference “Labour and Health Economics”, Sept. 2013, Le Mans.
- 2012 Search and Matching workshop, Dec.2012, Rouen, France.
- 2011 CAFE workshop on the Evaluation of Active Labour Market Policies, Dec. 2011, Denmark.
- 2011 Seminar series, Department of Economics, Aarhus School of Business, Spring 2011.

Participation to scientific and selection committees

- 2017- Member of the scientific committee of the Journées de Microéconomie Appliquée.
- 2015 Member of the scientific committee of the 2015 ADRES conference.

Refereeing activity

Journal of Applied Econometrics, Labour Economics, Oxford Bulletin of Econometrics and Statistics, Empirical Economics, Economic Modelling, International Journal of Manpower, Journal of Labor Research, *Revue Economique*, *Economie et Prévision*, *Economie et Statistique*, *Revue Travail Emploi*, *Revue Socio-économie du Travail*.

Academic responsibilities

- 2015- Elected deputy member for CNU 05.
- 2016- Member of the Conseil d’UFR, Le Mans University.
- 2015-2020 Head of the research axis Evaluation of Public Policy, GAINS, Le Mans University.
- 2014-2016 Member of the Department council, IUT GEA, Le Mans University.
- 2014-2016 Responsible of the Licence Professionnelle GRH, IUT GEA, Le Mans University.

TEACHING

University of Le Mans (since 2016)

- **Microeconomics**, Lectures, 20H, Master 2 Labour economics and human resources
- **Wages and contracts - theories**, Lectures, 20H, Master 1 Labour economics and human resources
- **Organisations and performances of firms**, Lectures, 20H, Master 2 Labour economics and human resources
- **Artificial Intelligence and big data: risks and opportunities for the labour market and firm**, Lectures, 18H, Master 2 Labour economics and human resources
- **Quantitative Methods for Evaluation of Public Policies**, Lectures, 20H, Master 1 Labour economics and human resources
- **Econometrics of limited-dependent variables**, Lectures and practicals, 30H, L3 Economics and Mathematics
- **Advanced econometrics**, Lectures and practicals, L3.
- **Quantitative analysis with SAS**, Lectures and practicals, 15H, M2 Bank Finance and Insurance
- **Introduction to econometrics**, 15H, Practical, L2 and L3
- **Microeconomics**, 40H, L1 Economics and Management (lectures and practicals)
- **Macroeconomics**, 30H, L1 Economics and Management (practicals)
- **Supervision of internships and apprenticeship**, L3, M1 and M2
- **Supervision of research Master thesis** (4 in 2020 and 1 in 2014)

Previous courses

- **Microeconomics**, Lectures and practicals, IUT GEA 1st year
- **Macroeconomics**, Lectures and practicals, IUT GEA 1st and 2nd year
- **Introduction to Economic Issues**, Lectures, IUT GEA 1st year (2011 and 2012)
- **Public Employment Policies and Training**, Lectures, LP GRH (since 2011)
- **Supervision of internships**, L3, M1 and M2 IUT GEA 2nd year and LP GRH
- **Advanced Methods in Microeconometrics**, Master 2 Travail et Emploi (2013)
- **Supervision of group projects** in IUT GEA 2nd year and LP GRH (since 2011)
- **Project management and learning methods** in IUT GEA 1st year (2014)
- **Brush-up course in Econometrics and Statistics** - in English, Aarhus School of Business (Fall 2010)
- **Lectures and practicals in Statistics**, University of Dauphine L2 (Fall 2008)
- **Teaching Assistant in Econometrics 3**, Paris School of Economics M1 APE (Spring 2007 to 2009)
- **Teaching Assistant in Econometrics**, ENSAE 2nd year (Spring 2009 and Fall 2006 and 2007)
- **Teaching Assistant in Microeconomics**, ENSAE 1st year (Spring 2009) and 2nd year (Fall 2008)
- **Lectures on Descriptive Economics** - in English, ASB (Fall 2010)