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PERSONAL DATA

Citizenship: French
Date of Birth: 8th July, 1978
Language skills: French (native), English (Fluent), German (Intermediate)

ACADEMIC POSITIONS

- 2007-** Assistant Professor, University of Vienna, Department of Economics, Austria
- 2006-2007** Research and Teaching Assistant, University of Cergy-Pontoise, France
- 2004-2006** Research and Teaching Assistant, University Paris IX Dauphine, France
- 2001-2004** Teaching Assistant, University Paris I Panthéon-Sorbonne, France

EDUCATION

- 2006** **PhD in Economics**, University Paris I Panthéon-Sorbonne
Advisor: Pr Jean-Olivier Hairault
- Dissertation: Precautionary saving and wealth heterogeneity: a reassessment of redistributive and insurance policies
- Defended on December 05, 2006, summa cum laude
- Thesis committee: Antoine d'Autume (President), Fabrice Collard (Referee), Pierre Malgrange, Thomas Weitzenblum (Referee)
- 2001** **MPhil in Macroeconomics**, University Paris I Pantheon-Sorbonne, obtained with high honours

Master thesis (advisor: Pr. Jean-Olivier Hairault): «Effect of Income taxation in heterogeneous agent models»

2000 **MA in Econometrics**, University of Cergy-Pontoise, obtained with very high honours

1999 **BA in Econometrics**, University of Cergy-Pontoise, obtained with high honours

RESEARCH ACTIVITIES

Research interests:

Heterogeneous Agent Model, Taxation, Unemployment insurance, Public Debt, Business Cycles, Monetary policy

Articles in refereed journals:

- Inégalité de patrimoine et Progressivité de l'impôt, with Jean-Olivier Hairault, forthcoming in **Economie et Prévision**
- Allocation-chômage: entre efficacité et inégalité, 2008, **Annales d'Economie et de Statistique**, **90**, 181-214
- Fluctuations macroéconomiques et dette publique, with S. Kankanamge, 2008, **Revue Economique**, **59** (3), 583-594

Completed research:

- Why do governments end up with debt: short-run effects matter, joint with T. Weitzenblum
- Public debt and aggregate risk, joint with S. Kankanamge

Current research:

- Optimal public debt without commitment, joint with S. Kankanamge and T. Weitzenblum
- Unemployment insurance and money
- Precautionary saving and the unemployment-inflation tradeoff

Selected Seminars and Conferences:

Public Economic Theory Conference, Galway, June 2009

Journées Louis André Gérard-Varet, Marseille June 2008

Department of economics, University of Vienna, Vienna, June 2007

Seminar of Gains, University of Maine, Le Mans, March 2007

RES Second PhD Presentation Meeting, London, January 2007

Journées Doctorales de l'ADRES, Paris, January 2007,

European Association of Labour Economists meeting, Prague, September 2006,

Association Française de Science Economique, Paris, September 2006
European Economic Association meeting, Vienna, August 2006
Association Française de Science Economique, Paris, September 2005
European Economic Association meeting, Amsterdam, August 2005
Econometric Society World Congress, London, August 2005
Workshop of MSE, University Paris I Panthéon-Sorbonne, June 2005
Theories and methods in macroeconomics, Lyon, January 2005
Lunch Seminar of DELTA, Paris, October 2004
Association Française de Science Economique, Paris, September 2004
Macroeconomics seminar of EUREQua, University Paris I Panthéon-Sorbonne, June 2004

TEACHING

- **University of Vienna**

2007-2010 2nd-3rd undergraduate in Macroeconomics, University of Vienna

- **University of Cergy-Pontoise**

2006-2007 4th year undergraduate in sport management, Introduction to economics

1st year undergraduate in Economics, Topics in economy

2nd year undergraduate in Economics, Open macroeconomics

- **University Paris IX Dauphine**

2004-2006 2nd year undergraduate in Maths Applied in Social Sciences, Macroeconomics

2nd year undergraduate in Economics, Macroeconomics

- **University Paris I Panthéon-Sorbonne**

2001-2004 2nd year undergraduate in Economics, Macroeconomics

1st year undergraduate in Economics, Microeconomics

1st year undergraduate in Economics, Topics in economy

01/2000-03/2000 Tutoring in Macroeconomics, 2nd year undergraduate in Economics, University of Cergy-Pontoise

10/1999-12/1999 Tutoring in Microeconomics, 1st year undergraduate in Economics, University of Cergy-Pontoise

GRANT

Graf Hardegg grant, Vienna, 2009

European Economic Association travel grant, Vienna, 2006

PROGRAMMING

C, FORTRAN, Matlab, Office, Rats, Sas