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EDUCATION

Geneva Graduate Institute (IHEID) <i>PhD in International Economics – Advisor: Prof. Cédric Tille</i>	Sep. 2020 – Present Geneva, CH
London School of Economics, Centre For Macroeconomics <i>Visiting Scholar – Visiting Prof. Silvana Tenreyro</i>	Sep. 2023 – Mar. 2024 London, UK
University of Lausanne <i>MSc in Economics</i>	Sep. 2017 – Aug. 2019 Lausanne, CH
University of Lausanne <i>BSc in Economics</i>	Sep. 2014 – Aug. 2017 Lausanne, CH

RESEARCH

- The Impact of Natural Disasters on Capital Flows** | *Job Market Paper* 2024
- Natural disasters cause increasing economic damage worldwide, with weather events costing around \$143 billion annually. While research has examined various economic effects of disasters, their impact on international capital flows has received limited attention in the literature. Relying on a machine learning technique to classify countries by disaster risk and preparedness, this study finds that preparedness, rather than disaster risk alone, drives investment behaviour. In less prepared, low-risk countries, a 0.1 percentage point increase in the disaster-affected population reduces portfolio and other flows by 0.5-4.3 percentage points of GDP. The impact goes beyond the affected areas: external disasters increase portfolio equity inflows by 3.6 percentage points in unaffected low-risk, less prepared countries, suggesting a shift of capital to safer markets.
- Loan Dynamics in the Face of El Nino: Unveiling Patterns in Peru's Lending Channels**
- with Alvaro Alejandro Hinojosa Lamilla and Gerald Alex Cisneros Rojas
- Green FDI and Environmental Policy Uncertainty**
- with Prof. Joëlle Noailly
- Goeconomic Fragmentation and Trade: The Case of Small Open Economies**
- with Dr. Seyed Reza Yousefi
- Deleveraging and Foreign Currency Loan Conversion Programs in Europe** 2020
- with Dr. Pinar Yeşin, *Comparative Economic Studies*, 62, 215–241

REFERENCES

Professor Cédric Tille - advisor
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Professor Silvana Tenreyro
London School of Economics
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Dr. Ulf Söderström
Head of Research, Sveriges Riksbank
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Dr. Seyed Reza Yousefi - policy
Senior Economist, IMF
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EXPERIENCE

- PhD Intern** April 2024 – June 2024
Sveriges Riksbank, Research Division Stockholm, SE
- PhD internship focusing on own academic projects.
- Fund Intern** July 2023 – Sep. 2023
IMF, European Department, Nordic Division Washington DC, USA
- Analyzed the effects of geoeconomic fragmentation on trade in the Nordic countries.
 - Constructed dataset for all European countries to measure different types of trade reliance.
- Research Assistant – for Prof. Noailly** Oct. 2020 – Dec. 2020
IHEID, Centre for Int. Environment Studies Geneva, CH
- Conducted literature review on climate risks and financial flows.
- Research Assistant** June 2019 – July 2020
Swiss National Bank, International Policy Analysis Zurich, CH
- Supported policy-oriented empirical projects on international economic topics.
 - Collected and analyzed relevant data and drafted documents.
- Research Assistant – for Prof. Rohner** May 2018 – May 2019
University of Lausanne Lausanne, CH
- Constructed dataset about the Syrian Civil War.
- Research Assistant – for Prof. Maurer** July 2017 – August 2017
University of Lausanne Lausanne, CH
- Investigated statistical relations of diseases.
 - Explored health-affecting behavioral factors and economic indicators.
- Student Assistant – for Prof. Bruhin & Prof. Montez** July 2017 – July 2017
University of Lausanne Lausanne, CH
- Designed and wrote solutions to problem sets for 2nd year BSc Microeconomics course in English and in French for around 250 students.

PRESENTATIONS

- 2025:** 2CMF: New Environmental Challenges for Fiscal, Monetary, and Macroprudential Policy, Bayes Business School London (scheduled).
- 2024:** Young Swiss Economist Meeting, ETH.; Economics of Environment and Energy Programme (EEE) Workshop, LSE; Sveriges Riksbank Internal Seminar, IHEID Brown Bag Lunch.
- 2023:** IMF European Department; Conference on Climate and Energy Finance, Leibniz University; Economics of Environment and Energy Programme (EEE) Workshop, LSE; IHEID Brown Bag Lunch; Annual Congress of the Swiss Society of Economics and Statistics (declined due to scheduling conflict), University of Neuchâtel.
- 2022:** Workshop on Environmental Time Series Analysis, Maastricht University; 8th International Ioannina Meeting on Applied Economics and Finance, University of Ioannina, Kefalonia; 2nd Rare Voices in Economics Conference, (Poster), University of Geneva; IHEID Brown Bag Lunch; Research Assistants Networking Event, Swiss National Bank.

TEACHING ASSISTANTSHIPS

- Econometrics I – Master level** IHEID
Prof. Julia Cajal Grossi, Prof. Imelda Autumn 2021, 2022
- Econometrics II – Master level** IHEID
Prof. Ugo Panizza Spring 2022, 2023
- Advanced Macroeconomics – PhD level** IHEID
Dr. Paolo Cavallino Autumn 2021
- Introduction to Microeconomics – Bachelor level, in French** University of Geneva
Prof. Giovanni Ferro-Luzzi Autumn 2020

Introduction to Macroeconomics – Bachelor level, in French <i>Dr. Federica Sbergami</i>	University of Geneva <i>Autumn 2020</i>
International Economics – Bachelor level, in French <i>Dr. Nicolas Maystre</i>	University of Geneva <i>Spring 2021</i>
Statistics – Bachelor level <i>Prof. Aleksey Tetenov</i>	University of Geneva <i>Spring 2021</i>
Statistics – Bachelor level, in French <i>Prof. Camille Terrier, Dr. Justin Buffat</i>	University of Lausanne <i>Spring 2018, 2019</i>
Microeconomics – Master level <i>Prof. Bettina Klaus</i>	University of Lausanne <i>Autumn 2018</i>

ACADEMIC SERVICE

Rare Voices in Economics association <i>Co-president</i>	2022 – Present
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2024. Co-organizer of the 3rd Rare Voices in Economics Conference. Budget of 20'000 CHF. • 2024. Co-moderator of the Roundtable "Challenges of Rare Voices: From Households to Institutions" • 2023. Co-organizer of the Mentoring Program. Collaboration with the Royal Economic Society Consciously Inclusive Mentoring Program. • 2021-2022. Co-organizer of the Macro Research Cluster, Mentoring Program, and Communication team member. 	
Student Committee <i>For the position of Assistant Professor of Macroeconomics</i>	Nov. 2021

GRANTS AND AWARDS

Scientific Exchanges <i>Swiss National Science Foundation, 10'000 CHF</i>	Aug. 2024
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • For organizing the 3rd Rare Voices in Economics Conference. 	
Doc.Mobility Fellowship <i>Geneva Graduate Institute, 24'600 CHF</i>	Sep. 2023 – March 2024
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Project: The Impact of Climate Change on the Financial Markets • Semester at the Centre For Macroeconomics at LSE. 	
Excellence Scholarship <i>Geneva Graduate Institute</i>	Sep. 2021 – Aug. 2023
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Complement to teaching assistantship. 	

SKILLS

IT: R, Stata, Git

Languages: English (full working proficiency), French (full working proficiency), Hungarian (native)