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Research Interests

Household economics: Intra-household decision-making; Division of labour within couples; Time use; Domestic production; Divorce and child development; Intimate Partner Violence

Economics of education: Educational choices; Self-confidence; Gender

Micro-econometrics

Employment

- 2015- **Research Fellow**, Melbourne Institute: Applied Economic & Social Research, The University of Melbourne
- 2013-2015 **Teaching and Research assistant (ATER mi-temps)**, University Paris Descartes; Faculté de Droit, d'Economie et de Gestion
- 2011-2013 **Teaching assistant**, University Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne
- 2010-2011 **Teaching assistant**, University Paris Descartes

Education

- 2010-2014 **PhD in Economics**
University Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne (CES), Paris School of Economics, French National Institute for Demographic Studies (INED)
Dissertation: *Efficiency and gender stereotypes : applications to the allocation of resources within households and educational choices*
Advisor: Catherine Sofer (PSE, Paris 1); Committee: P.A. Chiappori (Columbia University), O. Donni (Université de Cergy-Pontoise), R. Gary-Bobo (CREST, ENSAE), A. Solaz (INED)
- Fall 2012 **Visiting student**, Columbia University, hosted by Prof. P.A. Chiappori
- 2009-2010 **M. Sc Theoretical and Empirical Economics (ETE)**
University Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne, Paris School of Economics
Master thesis: *Collective model extended to children*
- 2006-2010 **Ecole Normale Supérieure (ENS) de Cachan**, Economics & Management
 - B.A. in Economics (L3 & M1, ENS de Cachan & Paris 1)
 - B.A. in Management (L3 & M1, ENS de Cachan & Paris-Sud 11)
- 2004-2006 Preparation for the competitive entrance examinations to the ENS, L1 and L2 Economics & Management, University Toulouse 1 Sciences Sociales

Awards, Fellowships & Affiliations

- 2018- **Life Course Research Affiliate**, ARC Centre of Excellence for Children and Families over the Life Course

2015-2018	Life Course Centre Fellow , ARC Centre of Excellence for Children and Families over the Life Course
2015	PhD thesis prize , Richelieu Award of the Chancellery of the Universities of Paris
2013-2014	INED , Research fellowship
Fall 2012	Visiting student at Columbia University , Doctoral mobility grant from University Paris 1
2010-2014	PhD affiliation with INED . INED supervisor: Anne Solaz
2010-2013	French Ministry of Research , Doctoral fellowship (Allocation Spécifique Normalien)
2006-2010	Ecole Normale Supérieure de Cachan , Full fellowship (Normalienne)

Research Income

2017-2018	Co-Investigator (CI Lisa Cameron). Australian Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade (DFAT) . <i>Social Protection and Violence Against Women</i> (\$810,000 AU)
2017-2018	Chief Investigator, Early Career Researcher grant , Faculty of Business and Economics, University of Melbourne. <i>The importance of self-confidence and social relations perceptions in education</i> (\$24,899 AU)

Refereed Publications

[1] **Women's Investment in Career and the Household Division of Labour**
 (with Catherine Sofer). *Applied Economics*, 2019, Vol. 51(60), pp. 6535-6557
 [Accepted 13 May 2019] <https://doi.org/10.1080/00036846.2019.1644440>

[2] **Why Do Boys and Girls Make Different Educational Choices? The Influence of Expected Earnings and Test Scores**
 (with Benoît Rapoport). *Economics of Education Review*, 2018, Vol. 62, pp. 205-229
 [Accepted 18 September 2017] <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.econedurev.2017.09.006>

[3] **La division du travail selon le genre est-elle efficiente ? Une analyse à partir de deux enquêtes Emploi du temps**
 [Is labour division by gender efficient? An analysis from two Time Use surveys]
 (with Catherine Sofer). *Economie et Statistique*, 2015, 478-479-480, pp. 273-304
 Link: [in French](#). [in English](#)

Papers under Review

[4] **Dissolution, Conflict and Australian Children's Developmental Outcomes**
 (with David Ribar and Seth Sanders).
 [Revised and Resubmitted at *Journal of Marriage and Family*]

[5] **Cash Transfers, Women's Empowerment and Intimate Partner Violence in Low and Middle Income Countries: A Review of the Literature**
 (with Victoria Baranov, Lisa Cameron, Diana Contreras Suarez).
 [Revision requested at *Journal of Development Studies*]

Working Papers-Work in progress

[6] The importance of self-confidence in explaining subject choices in high school

(with Benoît Rapoport).

[7] Allocation of resources within couples: some new evidence about the sharing rule

[8] Stereotypes upon Abilities in Domestic Production and Household Behaviour

(with Catherine Sofer).

New projects

- **Welfare reform and household behaviour** (with Hayley Fisher and Anna Zhu)

- **Self-confidence and choice of competitive subjects** (with Benoît Rapoport)

Commissioned research

- 2017-2018 **Australian Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade (DFAT),**
Evaluation of the effects of cash transfers on violence against women
(with Lisa Cameron, Victoria Baranov, Diana Contreras Suarez, Firman Witoelar).
- 2015 **Victorian Department of Economic Development, Jobs, Transport and Resources (DEDJTR)**
- Broadway, B., Finighan, R., Kalb, G., Salamanca, N., **Thibout, C.**, Borland, J., Considine, M. and Ribar, D. (2015) An Employment Programs Mapping: the current situation in Victoria.
 - Borland, J., Considine, M., Ribar, D., Finighan, R., Broadway, B., Kalb, G., Salamanca, N. and **Thibout, C.** (2015) Best Practice in Employment Programs and Recommendations for Victoria.

Media coverage & Dissemination

- 2018 Dinner discussion: 'Home economics' table host. [Supper Club: Hard Labour](#). Arts House (North Melbourne) for the Festival of Live Art.
- 2017 Paper [1] : *Brisbane Times* - [Domestic chores : Time-use survey shows why job equality starts at home.](#)
- 2016 Paper [2] : *The Australian Financial Review* - [Girls need to change perceptions of chances of success in science, maths careers.](#)

Teaching & Supervision

Teaching Assistant:

- 2014-2015 **University Paris Descartes**
- Introduction to Economics - Undergraduate 1st year (L1), Prof. M-H. Jeanneret. 100h.
- 2013-2014 **University Paris Descartes**
- Introduction to Economics - Undergraduate 1st year (L1), Prof. M-H. Jeanneret. 52h.
 - Microeconomics (*Economie des marchés*) - Undergraduate 1st year (L1),

Lecturer T. Rapp. 48h.

- 2012-2013 **University Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne**
- Microeconomics (*Micro: marché et coordination*) - Undergraduate 1st year (L1), Profs. A. Lapidus & C. Sofer. 72h.
- 2011-2012 **University Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne**
- Microeconomics - Undergraduate 3rd year (L3), Profs. J-P. Tropeano & C. Sofer. 36h.
 - Microeconomics (*Micro: marché et coordination*) - Undergraduate 1st year (L1), Profs. A. Lapidus & C. Sofer. 36h.
- 2010-2011 **University Paris Descartes**
- Dissertation supervisor - Undergraduate 1st year (L1), Lecturer O. Allain. 32h.
 - Microeconomics (*Economie des marchés*) - Undergraduate 1st year (L1), Lecturer T. Rapp. 32h.

Directing activities of Research Assistants:

- 2017-2018 Mael Guillou (Melbourne Institute)
- 2016 Sierra Smucker (Duke University)

Seminars

- 2018 Melbourne Institute Brown Bags
Economic Demography seminar (INED, Paris)
- 2017 Economic Demography seminar (INED, Paris)
- 2016 Economics Seminar Series (Deakin University, Australia)
National Institute of Labour Studies Seminar Series (Flinders University, Australia)
Melbourne Institute Brown Bags
- 2015 Economic Demography seminar (INED, Paris)
Melbourne Institute Brown Bags
- 2014 Melbourne Institute Seminar
- 2013 Applied Microeconomics Seminar (University Paris 1)

Invited lectures

- 2014 International Conference on “The Economics of Study Choices” (Lake Constance, Germany)

Conferences & workshops

- 2019 Australian Conference of Economists (ACE, Melbourne)
- 2018 Society of the Economics of the HOusehold (SEHO, Paris)
Australian Gender Economics Workshop (AGEW, Fremantle, Australia)
- 2017 International Life Course Conference (Sydney)
Asian and Australasian Society of Labour Economics (AASLE, Canberra)
Journées de Microéconomie Appliquée (JMA, Le Mans, France)
European Society for Population Economics (ESPE, Glasgow, Scotland)
- 2016 IZA/SOLE Transatlantic Meeting of Labor Economists (Buch/Ammersee, Germany)
- 2015 SOLE/EALE World Conference (Montréal)
Labour Econometrics Workshop (LEW, Sydney)
Australian Conference of Economists (ACE, Brisbane)

2014	European Economic Association (EEA, Toulouse, France)
2013	Econometric Society European Meeting (ESEM, Gothenburg, Sweden) International Workshop on Applied Economics of Education (IWAE, Catanzaro, Italy) Gender and Education Association Biennial Conference (London) Workshop “Measurement and effects of inequalities in Education” (INED, Paris)
2011	European Association of Labour Economists (EALE, Pafos, Cyprus) European Society for Population Economics (ESPE, Hangzhou, China) Journées de Microéconomie Appliquée (JMA, Sousse, Tunisia) Workshop “French ANR Ginhdila” - Gender Inequalities and Household Division of Labour (Växjö, Sweden) Thematic School CNRS Public policies evaluation (ETEPP, Aussois, France)

Journal reviewing

Demography (2), *Southern Economic Journal*, *Education Economics*, *Australian Journal of Labour Economics*, *Revue d'Economie Politique*, *Estudios de Economia*

Professional & University Service

2018-	Seminars, Professional Development and Social Committee member, Melbourne Institute.
2017	Website Oversight Committee member, Melbourne Institute.
2014	Organization of the Conference “ <i>The Economics of Gender and the Household</i> ” in honor of Prof. Catherine Sofer, Paris, 12 June. With E. Stancanelli, E. Cudeville, A. Greulich.
2013-2014	Material organization of the Gender/Labor monthly seminar at University Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne. With E. Stancanelli.
2011-2013	Representative of PhD students at INED (French National Institute for Demographic Studies).
2011	Organizing committee member of <i>Conference Becker on the Economics of the Family</i> , Paris, 6-8 October.

Other information

<i>Languages</i>	French (native), English (fluent), Spanish (basics)
<i>Computer skills</i>	Stata, Matlab, LaTeX, VBA language
<i>Internship</i>	2007 (3 months): DGTPE, French Ministry of Economics and Finance, Paris. In charge of the report “ <i>Positioning of French enterprises on south-east Asia (ASEAN) markets, and suggestions for the design of the public support for exportation in ASEAN markets</i> ”.