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## RESEARCH INTERESTS

Development economics; Microeconomics; Household surveys; Political Economy; Political Violence; Criminal Violence; Governance; Labour market; Social capital.

## POSITIONS

12/2022– **Researcher**, *French National Research Institute for Sustainable Development (IRD)*, DIAL-LEDa, Université Paris-Dauphine, Université PSL, CNRS, IRD, Paris.

2020– **Lecturer**, *Paris School of International Affairs (PSIA)*, Sciences Po Paris, Paris.

04/2022– **Researcher**, *Institute for Strategic Research (IRSEM)*, Paris.

11/2022 Economics of conflicts and defence economics.

2021–2022 **Associate researcher**, *DIAL (LEDa, Université Paris-Dauphine & PSL)*, Paris.

09/2021– **Consultant**, *International Migration Division, Organisation for Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD)*, Paris.

*Talent abroad* reviews on four West African diaspora and Georgian and Indonesian diaspora.

2019–2021 **Temporary Lecturer and Research Assistant**, *Université Paris-Dauphine*, Paris.

2018–2019 **Statistical advisor**, *Folke Bernadotte Academy*, Bamako (Mali).

Training of Mali's National Statistics officers and production of a report.

## EDUCATION

2016–2020 **PhD in economics**, *DIAL, LEDa, Université Paris-Dauphine, IRD, CNRS, Université PSL*, Paris.

Title: *Governance, Peace and Security in Sub-Saharan Africa: Microeconomic interactions and impacts*. Supervisors: Emmanuelle Lavallée, Mireille Razafindrakoto and François Roubaud.

2013–2015 **Master's degree**, *Université Paris-Dauphine*, Paris,  
International Economics and Development, research program.

2010–2013 **Bachelor's degree**, *Université Paris Dauphine*, Paris,  
International Economics and Development.

One-year exchange at the Faculty of Economics, Management and Accounting, University of São Paulo (FEA-USP) during 2012-2013 academic year.

## FELLOWSHIP & AWARDS

2021 **Young Scholar award**, *Fondation Dauphine*.

2019-2023 **International Research Group “Measure and Observe Violence” (GDRI-Sud MOV)**, *IRD*, Principal investigator: Olivia Bertelli.

11/2019 **Visiting Fellowship at INSTAT-Madagascar**, *Université Paris-Dauphine*.

2016-2019 **PhD Scholarship**, *Université Paris-Dauphine, Université PSL*.

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## TEACHING

- 2022–2023 **Economics of Conflicts**, *PSIA, Sciences Po Paris*, Paris.  
Master’s level. Fall semester.
- 2021–2022 **Interventions**, *Université Paris-Dauphine & Universidade Federal do Rio de Janeiro (UFRJ)*, Paris & Rio de Janeiro.  
One course intervention in “*Survey techniques: theory and applications*” & “*Development economics and policy*” at Master’s level.
- 2019–2021 **Applied Econometrics - Advanced**, *PSIA, Sciences Po Paris*, Paris.  
Master’s level. Fall and spring semesters.
- 2016–2021 **Macroeconomics**, *Université Paris-Dauphine*, Paris.  
Second year undergraduates. Spring semester.
- 2018–2020 **Introduction to methods of public policy impact evaluation**, *Université PSL, Université Paris-Dauphine, Paris School of Economics*.  
MOOC on FUN-MOOC platform. Production and editing of video case studies and online tutor.  
First semester.
- Nov. 2018 **Governance, Peace and Security School**, *Various institutions*, Bamako (Mali).  
Training to GPS-SHaSA survey modules, data analyses and production of publications.

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## ADMINISTRATIVE RESPONSIBILITIES

- 2022–2023 Co-organiser of the 2021 International Conference in Development Economics.  
2022 Organiser of Conflict and Defence Economics Seminar at IRSEM.
- 2020–2021 Co-organiser of the 2021 International Conference in Development Economics.
- 2018–2019 Doctoral and post-doctoral students’ representative at DIAL board.  
2018 Organiser of “After the PhD” intergenerational LEDa meeting.  
2015 Organiser of the International economics Msc annual conference.

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## PUBLICATIONS

### *Peer-reviewed journals*

- 2022 Expériences et opinions liées à l’insécurité : une analyse des biais déclaratifs au Mali. With O. Bertelli, E. Lavallée, M. Mercier and S. Mesplé-Somps. *Revue d’Economie du Développement*, forthcoming.
- 2022 Causes économiques des guerres civiles : une revue de la littérature. Avec M. Mercier. *Statéco* (116)
- 2020 Fear Not For Man? Armed conflict and social capital in Mali. With E. Lavallée, M. Razafindrakoto and F. Roubaud. *Journal of Comparative Economics*, 48(2), 251-276.
- 2019 ‘Fear of the State’ in governance surveys? Empirical evidence from African countries. With M. Razafindrakoto and F. Roubaud. *World Development*, 123, 104609.

### *Work in progress*

- Crime in Madagascar: Coping with fear and victimisation on the labour market.
- Measuring insecurity-related experiences and preferences in a fragile State. A list experiment in Mali. With O. Bertelli, E. Lavallée, M. Mercier and S. Mesplé-Somps
- No Army arrangement? Armed conflict and support for democracy in Mali. With E. Lavallée, M. Razafindrakoto, F. Roubaud and A. Sougané.
- Trust no more? Armed conflict and trust in institutions in Mali. With E. Lavallée, M. Razafindrakoto, F. Roubaud and A. Sougané.

### *Other selected publications*

- 2022 Introduction générale. Des données GPS à double titre. Avec M. Razafindrakoto, F. Roubaud et A. Sougané. *Statéco* (116)
- 2022 *Talent abroad: A review of Ghanaian emigrants*. OECD. Talent abroad, OECD Publishing: Paris.
- 2022 *Panorama de l'émigration sénégalaise*. Publication de l'OCDE, Séries Talents à l'étranger.
- 2022 *Panorama de l'émigration sénégalaise*. OECD. Talent abroad, OECD Publishing: Paris.
- 2022 *A Review of Ghanaian Emigrants*. OECD. Talent abroad, OECD Publishing: Paris.
- 2019 *Dynamiques des Violences, de la Paix et de la Sécurité au Mali entre 2014 et 2018*. With S. Cissé, A. Coulibaly, I. Diabaté, E. Ag Hamahady, A. Koné, S. Haidara, S. Traoré, M. F. Tounkara, M. Razafindrakoto, and F. Roubaud. Bamako: INSTAT-Mali.
- 2017 *Potential Avenues to Increase Government Investment In Health In Afghanistan: Fiscal Space Analysis*. Afghanistan Ministry of Public Health.
- 2016 *L'état de la gouvernance, de la paix et de la sécurité à Madagascar en 2015. Rapport d'analyse du module GPS-SHaSA*. With F. Rakotomanana, I. Rakotondradany, M. Razafindrakoto, N. Razakamanana and F. Roubaud. Institut National de la Statistique Madagascar, DIAL-IRD.

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### REFEREE WORK

*Journal of Development Studies* ; *Revue d'économie du développement*; *Democratization*; *Revue d'économie politique*.

Scientific coordinator of *Stateco* n. 116 special issue: "Governance, Peace and Security: what measures for what results?"

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### CONFERENCES

- 2022 Households in Conflict Network annual workshop (HiCN/University of Warwick, United Kingdom); The Association of Swedish Development Economists annual conference (ASWEDE, Sweden); 2022 International conference in development economics (AFEDEV, CERDI/Université Clermont Auvergne, France); BSE seminar (BSE/University of Bordeaux); European Public Choice Society annual conference (EPCS/Universidade do Minho, Portugal).
- 2021 CEMOTEV Seminar (CEMOTEV, Université de Versailles Saint-Quentin en Yvelines); Economics seminar (GREThA, University of Bordeaux); Household in Conflict Network annual workshop (HiCN, Georg-August-Universität Göttingen); International Conference in Development Economics (University of Bordeaux); Louis-André Gérard Varet Days (AMSE, Marseille); German Development Economics Conference (GIGA, Germany); Young talent Seminar (CES/Université Paris I, Paris).
- 2020 Household in Conflict Network annual workshop (HiCN, online), LEDa PhD Seminar (LEDa/UPD, Paris); DIAL-CREST joint workshop (CREST/Polytechnique, Paris).
- 2019 DIAL Development conference (DIAL/UPD, Paris); Methodological seminar on the measure of Governance, Peace and Security in Mali (INSTAT, IRD, Bamako); NOVAFRICA PhD Workshop (NOVAFRICA, Lisboa); ADRES doctoral conference (ADRES/AMSE, Marseille).
- 2018 DIAL-CREST joint workshop (DIAL/UPD, Paris); Sustainability and Development conference (University of Michigan, Ann Arbor); European Public Choice Society annual conference (EPCS/Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore, Rome); Centre for the Study of African Economies annual conference (CSAE, Oxford).

2017 Conflict and Defence Economics seminar (IRSEM, Paris); annual Development Doctoral Days (CERDI, Clermont-Ferrand); Household in Conflict Network annual workshop (HiCN/ULB, Brussels); DIAL-D&S joint workshop on social capital (IEDES, Paris); DIAL Development conference (DIAL/UPD, Paris); Defence economics workshop (IRSEM, Blois - France).

## LANGUAGES

French Native language.  
English Full professional proficiency.  
Portuguese Full professional proficiency.  
Italian Professional proficiency.  
Spanish Limited working proficiency.

## COMPUTER SKILLS

Word proc. Microsoft Office, LaTeX.  
Statistics Stata, Microsoft Excel, R, EVIEWS, SAS.  
Cartography QGIS, MapInfo.

## REFERENCES

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