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CURRENT AND PAST POSITIONS

2019 –	LISA, university of Corsica Chargé de Recherche CNRS
2013 – 2019	ECOPA – Economic Consulting Senior Economist
2000 – 2013	GREMAQ, Toulouse School of Economics Chargé de Recherche CNRS

OTHER AFFILIATIONS

2020 –	Toulouse School of Economics, Associate member
2003 – 2013	Center for Economic Policy Research, Research affiliate

EDUCATION

2008	Habilitation à Diriger des Recherches, Toulouse School of Economics
1999	PhD in Economics, University of Toulouse <i>The political economy of social protection and redistribution</i>
1995	Master in Mathematical Economics and Econometrics, university of Toulouse

GRANTS AND FELLOWSHIPS

Apr. 2004 – Oct. 2004	CNRS research grant Institute of Industrial Relations, UC Berkeley
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Oct. 1996 – March 1999 European TMR grant
CREPP, University of Liège

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Political Economy (graduate and undergraduate)
Public Economics (graduate and undergraduate)
Statistical Learning (graduate)

FIELDS OF INTEREST

Public Economics, Political Economy, Quantitative Marketing, Econometrics and Statistics

RESEARCH WORK

Journal articles

1. « Optimal income taxation with tax avoidance and endogenous labor supply », 2023, Canadian Journal of Economics, vol. 56, n°3, p. 913-939.
2. « On the desirability of taxing bequests », 2023, Journal of Economics, vol. 138, n°3, p. 195-219.
3. « Host type and pricing on Airbnb: Seasonality and perceived market power » (with Daniel Brunstein, Sauveur Giannoni and Johan Jouve), 2022, Tourism Management, vol. 88.
4. « Optimal income taxation with tax avoidance », 2021, Journal of Public Economic Theory, vol. 23, n°3, p. 534-550.
5. « Charities and the political support for estate taxation » (with Helmuth Cremer and Pierre Pestieau), Economics Letters, 2012, vol. 115, n°3, p. 423-426.
6. « Choosing the legal retirement age in presence of unemployment » (with Caroline De Paoli), Louvain Economic Review, 2012, vol. 78, n°1, p. 5-25.
7. « Reforming the Pay-As-You-Go pension system: Who votes for it? When? » (with João Luis Brasil Gondim), FinanzArchiv, 2011, vol. 67, n°3, p. 225-460.
8. « Optimal taxation with joint production of agriculture and rural amenities » (with Gordon Rausser and Leo Simon), Resource and Energy Economics, 2011, vol. 33, n°3, p. 544-553.
9. « Repeated electoral competition over nonlinear income tax schedules » (with Helmuth Cremer and Philippe De Donder), Social Choice and Welfare, 2010, vol. 35, n°4, p. 535-574.

10. « Clientelism and aid » (with Charles Vellutini), Journal of Development Economics, 2008, vol. 87, n°2, p. 322-332.
11. « Inefficient public provision in a repeated elections model » (with Caroline de Paoli), Journal of Public Economic Theory, 2007, vol. 9, n°6, p. 1103-1126.
12. « Is there a political support for the double burden on prolonged activity? » (with Helmuth Cremer and Pierre Pestieau), Economics of Governance, 2006, vol. 7, n°2, p. 143-154.
13. « Citizen candidacy with asymmetric information » (with Wilfried Sand-Zantman), Topics in Theoretical Economics, 2005, vol. 5, n°1.
14. « On the influence of extreme parties in electoral competition with policy-motivated candidates » (with Philippe De Donder), Social Choice and Welfare, 2005, vol. 25, n°1, p. 1-29.
15. « Voting on pensions with endogenous retirement age » (with Helmuth Cremer and Pierre Pestieau), International Tax and Public Finance, 2005, vol. 12, n°1, p. 7-28.
16. « The political power of the retirees in a two-dimensional voting model », Journal of Public Economic Theory, 2003, vol. 5, n°4, p. 571-591.
17. « Un modèle de citoyens-candidats en information asymétrique » (with Wilfried Sand-Zantman), Revue Economique, 2002, vol. 53, n°3, p. 537-544.
18. « Demographic shock and social security : a political economy perspective » (with Helmuth Cremer and Pierre Pestieau), International Tax and Public Finance, 2001, vol. 8, n°4, p. 417-432.
19. « The political economy of social security » (with Helmuth Cremer and Pierre Pestieau), Scandinavian Journal of Economics, 2000, vol. 102, n°3, p. 503-522.
20. « Retraites par répartition et pouvoir électoral des retraités », Revue Economique, 2000, vol. 51, n° spécial, p. 133-142.
21. « Political sustainability and the design of social insurance » (with Helmuth Cremer and Pierre Pestieau), Journal of Public Economics, 2000, vol. 75, n°3, p. 341-364.
22. « Retraites par répartition et droits acquis » (with Pierre Pestieau), Revue Economique, 1999, vol. 50, n°3, p. 479-487.

Chapters in books

« Hétérogénéité de l'impact du développement d'Airbnb sur le marché immobilier en Corse » (with Daniel Brunstein and Sauveur Giannoni), in Prunetti, D. Jouve, J. (Eds.). *ESTATE – Etude de la SouTenAbilité des recompositions TERRitoriales de la Corse*. Università di Corsica Pasquale Paoli, CNRS, Laboratoire « Lieux, Identités, eSpaces, Activités » (UMR 6240 LISA), 2023, pp. 132-155.

« The Political Economy of Population Aging » (with Loïc Batté), in Handbook of the Economics of Population Aging, ed. by John Piggott and Alan Woodland, North-Holland, 2016, vol. 1, p. 381-444.

« The political economy of redistributive social security » (with Helmuth Cremer and Pierre Pestieau), in Institutional and financial incentives for social insurance, ed. by Claude d'Aspremont et al., Kluwer academic publishers, 2002, p. 221-240.

Other publications

« Estimating International Tax Evasion by Individuals » (with Léa Bousquet, Grzegorz Poniatowski and Charles Vellutini), October 2019, Taxation Papers n°76, European Commission.

Working papers

« Using Machine Learning to Estimate the Heterogeneous Impact of Airbnb on Housing Prices: Evidence from Corsica » (with Daniel Brunstein and Sauveur Giannoni), April 2023. SSRN: <https://ssrn.com/abstract=4407202>.

Work in progress

« Income tax avoidance and commodity tax differentiation with nonlinear Engel curves », with Helmuth Cremer.

« Second home taxation: Effects of the 2015 French reform », with Antoine Belgodere.

OTHER PROJECTS

Consulting

World Bank, *End of Program Assessment of SECO support for Regional Investment Climate Program*, Econometrician, 2019.

World Bank, *Ethiopia multi-donors initiative (MDI) impact monitoring and evaluation*, Senior econometrician, 2019.

European Commission DG TAXUD, *Measuring offshore tax evasion of individuals*, Lead economist, 2018.

World Bank, *Assessing the impact of the OHADA Investment Climate Advisory Program*, Senior econometrician, 2017.

Pricing analysis for several large European online retailers (Auchan, FNAC, Leroy Merlin, Oscaro, ...), 2014 – 2018.

Software development

Prezzu, solution for pricing in the retail sector, development of the statistical algorithm (python) and scientific supervision.

Revisor, solution for risk-based tax audits, development of the statistical algorithm (stata) and scientific supervision.

CONFERENCES AND SEMINARS

Conferences

ISPE-ITIC-IFS conference (Oxford, 1997), Workshop on social security at CEMFI (Madrid, 1997), Atelier Retraites Caisse des Dépôts et Consignations (Bordeaux, 1998), EEA and ESEM meetings (Berlin, 1998), SSTC conference (Liège, 1998), Atelier Retraites Caisse des Dépôts et Consignations (Bordeaux, 1999), EEA meeting (Santiago de Compostela, 1999), Social Choice and Welfare conference (Alicante, 2000), International Institute of Public Finance conference (Sevilla, 2000), ENTER Jamboree (Mannheim, 2001), CES-IFO workshop on pensions (Munich, 2001), Public economics workshop at GREQAM (Marseilles, 2001), IIPF conference (Linz, 2001), Workshop on Recent advances in political economy at DELTA (Paris, 2002), Association for Public Economic Theory conference (Paris, 2002), CEPR workshop on Dynamic aspects of policy reforms (Vienna, 2002), CEPR workshop on Financing retirement in Europe, discussant (Barcelona, 2002), Atelier Retraites Caisse des Dépôts et Consignations (Bordeaux, 2003), PET04 conference (Beijing, 2004), CORE-IDEI conference on public economics, discussant (Toulouse, 2005), 7th Toulouse Seminar on Macroeconomics, discussant (Toulouse, 2005), Vèmes Journées Louis-André Gérard-Varet (Marseille, 2006), Social Choice and Welfare conference (Istanbul, 2006), ESEM meeting (Budapest, 2007), ASSET conference (Padoa, 2007), ENTER Jamboree, universidad Carlos III (Madrid, 2008), Atelier Retraites Caisse des Dépôts et Consignations (Bordeaux, 2008), Fifth Conference on the Economics of the Software and Internet Industries, discussant (Toulouse, 2009), PET09 conference (Galway, 2009), 10st Journées Louis-André Gérard-Varet (Marseille, 2011), 21st Journées Louis-André Gérard-Varet (Marseille, 2022), ECHOPPE 2023 (Toulouse School of Economics), AFSE Annual Congress 2023 (SciencesPo Paris).

Invited seminars

GREMARS (Lille, 1999), JEREM (Perpignan, 2000), University of Paris IX-Dauphine (Paris, 2000), University of Caen (2001), Theory seminar (Toulouse, 2001), University of Balearic Islands (Palma de Mallorca, 2002), Lunch seminar (Toulouse, 2003), University of Alicante (2003), PAI-UAP seminar (Leuven, 2003), GATE (Lyon, 2003), Positive political theory seminar (Berkeley, 2004), Political economy workshop at university of Pennsylvania (Philadelphia, 2004), IGIER, universita Bocconi (Milano, 2005), Development economics seminar (Toulouse, 2005), DEFAP, universita cattolica del sacro cuore (Milano, 2009), ECOPA (Bastia, 2010), Public Economics and Political Economy Workshop (Toulouse, 2011), LISA (university of Corsica, 2019), CRENOS (university of Sassari – online, 2022).

PhD SUPERVISION

2023 -

Yanogah Jules Koné

PARTICIPATION TO PhD COMMITTEES / HDR

João Luis Brasil Gondim, University of Toulouse, *Essays on pension reforms and tax evasion*, 2010.

Liping Xiao, University of Montpellier, *Biens publics, groupes d'intérêt, mobilité et système politique*, 2010.

Jean-Marie Lozachmeur, University of Toulouse, *Habilitation à Diriger des Recherches*, 2010.

Matteo Bassi, University of Toulouse, *Essays on behavioral public economics*, 2008.

Amedeo Piolatto, University of Toulouse, *Essays in public economics*, 2008.

Darwin Cortes, University of Toulouse, *Essays on education: organization of government and social interactions*, 2008.

Jenny de Freitas, University of Toulouse, *Essays on political economy and public economics*, 2007.

Ahmed Tritah, University of Toulouse, *Essays on education and labour market institutions*, 2006.

Juan Antonio Lacomba Arias, University of Alicante, *Analisis del impacto de las reformas de la seguridad social sobre la edad de jubilacion*, 2003.

Guadalupe Valera, University of Alicante, *Seguridad social y educacion*, 2002.

REFEREEING

American Political Science Review, Annales d'Economie et de Statistique, Annals of Public and Cooperative Economics, B.E. Journals in Economic Analysis and Policy, Economic Journal, Canadian Journal of Economics, Economics of Governance, European Economic Review, European Journal of Political Economy, German Economic Review, International Tax and Public Finance, Journal of Development Economics, Journal of Economic Dynamics and Control, Journal of Economics, Journal of Macroeconomics, Journal of Public Economics, Journal of Public Economic Theory, Mathematical Social Sciences, Recherches Economiques de Louvain, Regional Science and Urban Economics, Review of Economic Studies, Revue d'Economie Politique, Revue Economique, Scandinavian Journal of Economics, Social Choice and Welfare.

ORGANIZATION OF WORKSHOPS AND CONFERENCES

IBEO XII workshop on “Environmental Policy, Waste Management and the Circular Economy”, Corte, June 2023.

Public Economics and Political Economy Workshop, Toulouse School of Economics, 2005-2013.

Member of the scientific committee, International Institute of Public Finance conference, Maastricht, August 2008.

Organization of the 5th CEPR-RTN workshop on “Financing Retirement: Public sector reform and financial market development”, with Helmuth Cremer and Philippe De Donder, Toulouse, December 2004.