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## **CURRICULUM VITAE**

### **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

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10/2016 - present Senior Economist, Bank of Canada, Canada

09/2014 - 09/2016 Economist, Banque de France, France

### **EDUCATION**

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01/2010 - 12/2014 PhD in Economics, Université de Montréal, Canada,

09/2008 - 01/2010 Master of Arts in Economics, Boston University, USA

10/2000 - 06/2005 Master of Science (Magister) in Computer Science and  
Business Administration, University of Vienna, Austria

### **PUBLICATION**

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“Estimating the effect of exchange rate changes on total exports” (2019)  
joint with Thierry Mayer – *accepted at Journal of International Money and  
Finance*

“Global Trade Flows: Revisiting the Exchange Rate Elasticities” (2019)  
joint with Matthieu Bussière and Guillaume Gaulier – *accepted at Open  
Economies Review*

“Entry barriers to international trade: product versus firm fixed costs” (2019)  
*Review of International Economics*, Vol. 27(5), p 1351-1370

“The causal effect of migration on US trade: Evidence from Political  
Refugees (2018), *Canadian Journal of Economics*, Vol. 51(4), p. 1312-1338

“Financial Constraints in China: firm-level evidence” (2010)  
*China Economic Review*, Vol. 21(3), p. 411–422  
joint with Sandra Poncet and Hylke Vandenbussche

### **WORKING PAPERS**

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“No Double Standards: Quantifying the Impact of Standard Harmonization on  
International Trade” (2019) - joint with Julia Schmidt

“The impact of immigration to the US on the Republican vote share” (2018)  
joint with Anna Maria Mayda and Giovanni Peri – *R&R*

“Specialization patterns in international trade” (2016)  
Banque de France Working Paper, Nr. 54

## **POLICY PAPERS**

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- "Product Sophistication and the Slowdown in Chinese Export Growth" (2017)  
Bank of Canada Discussion Paper, Nr. 2017-15 - joint with Mark Kruger and Sri Thanabalasingam
- "Understanding the weakness in global: What is the new normal?" (2016)  
*ECB Occasional Paper Series*, Nr. 178 - joint with IRC Task Force members
- "Does immigration affect election outcomes? Evidence from the United States"  
(2016) Chapter 15 in "Refugees and Economic Migrants: Facts, policies and challenges" - VoxEU eBook - edited by Francesco Fasani
- "The role of China in the trade slowdown" (2016) - Banque de France: Rue de la Banque Nr. 30 - joint with Guillaume Gaulier and Soledad Zignago
- "Specialisation in international trade: facts, vulnerabilities and remedies" (2016)  
Banque de France: Rue de la Banque Nr. 20)

## **AWARDS and HONORS**

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- Robert Mundell Prize, Canadian Journal of Economics, 2018  
Dean's Honor List, Université de Montreal, 2014  
Graduate School Fellowship, Université de Montreal, 2010-2014

## **PRESENTATIONS**

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- 2019 CAED 2019 Ann Arbor Michigan, CEA Banff, SCSE Quebec, Banque de France – PSE Macro Workshop, Standard Council of Canada, EIIT 2019 Boulder
- 2018 ASSA Annual Meeting, CEA Montreal, BIS Mexico, 5<sup>th</sup> InsTED Workshop Syracuse, BGSE Summer Forum, CEPII Paris, Midwest Trade Nashville,
- 2017 Michigan State University, University of Montreal, CIREQ PhD conference, 14<sup>th</sup> Annual Migration Meeting IZA, CEA Antigonish, EEA Lisbon, Banco de la Republica Bogota and Cali, Universidad Pontificia Javeriana Bogota, Banque de France
- 2016 Bank of Canada, Georgetown University, DC Trade Study Group, 15th GEP/CEPR conference, Austrian National Bank, CompNet Prague, Searle Center Northwestern University, 15th Journées LAGV, RIEF Florence, NBER SI political economy, SEA Washington, MINES ParisTech
- 2015 Banque de France, Paris School of Economics, 18th Australian Trade Workshop, Rocky Mountain Empirical Trade, RIEF Orleans, ETSG Paris, Lancaster University, CEA Toronto, OECD-CEPII Migration conference, Université de Rennes
- 2014 York University, University of Würzburg, Banque de France, SNF Sinergia-CEPR Conference, Georgetown University, OECD-CEPII Migration conference
- 2013 Université de Laval, JMP Conference Penn Sate University, CEA Montreal, European Econometric Society Meeting, Gothenburg, Université de Montreal, Boston University
- 2012 Boston University, Carleton University, Université de Montreal, HEC Montreal, Midwest Macroeconomics Conference in Boulder, Colorado

## **REFEREE SERVICE**

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Journal of European Economic Association, RAND Journal of Economics, The World Economy, Journal of Economics & Management Strategy, Regional Science and Urban Economics, Economic Inquiry, Review of International Economics, China Economic Review, Macroeconomic Dynamics, World Development, European Economic Review, Open Economies Review, International Economics

## **CONFERENCE ORGANIZATION**

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Workshop: Bank of Canada - HEC Montreal - UQAM, 2018 - 2020

4<sup>th</sup> Bank of Canada-Tsinghua PBCSF-University of Toronto Conference on the Chinese Economy, 2018

Workshop: Understanding the Weakness in Global Trade: what is the new normal?, Banque de France, 2016

Workshop: Trade Elasticities, Banque de France, 2014

## **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

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09/2014 – 04/2016 Université Paris 1 - Sorbonne - International Trade

07/2015 – 07/2015 Shanghai University of Economics and Finance (SUFE) – International Macroeconomics

09/2010 – 05/2014 Université de Montréal - Introduction to Macroeconomics, Labour Economics, Macroeconomics, Analysis of economic databases