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Personal Information: Citizen of Russia

Employment:

Since 2023 Assistant Professor, University of California-Berkeley,
Agricultural and Resource Economics
2019-2023 Lecturer (Assistant Professor) in Economics, University College London
2018-2019 IES Postdoctoral Fellow, Princeton University

Affiliations & Professional Service:

Since 2023 Associate Editor at the Journal of European Economic Association
Since 2022 Research Affiliate at the [UCL Stone Centre for Inequality](#)
Since 2022 Research Associate at [CReAM](#)
Since 2021 Research Staff at [CeMMAP](#)
Since 2020 Research Associate at [IFS](#)
Since 2020 Trade Programme Associate at [CEP](#)
Since 2019 Research Affiliate at [CEPR](#)

Education:

Ph.D. in Economics, *Harvard University*, 2018 (main supervisor Pol Antrás)
M.A. in Economics, *New Economic School*, 2012, Summa Cum Laude
Diploma in Economics and Mathematics, *Financial University* (Moscow), 2009, Highest Honors

Publications:

[“Quasi-Experimental Shift-Share Research Designs”](#) (with Peter Hull and Xavier Jaravel)
Review of Economic Studies, 89(1), 2022, p. 181-213

[“The Role of Schools in Transmission of the SARS-CoV-2 Virus: Quasi-Experimental Evidence from Germany”](#) (with Clara von Bismarck-Osten and Uta Schönberg)
Economic Policy, 37(109), 2022, p.87-130. Covered by [FAZ](#).

Working Papers:

[“Non-Random Exposure to Exogenous Shocks”](#)
(with Peter Hull, December 2022, **conditionally accepted at Econometrica**)

[“Revisiting Event Study Designs: Robust and Efficient Estimation”](#)
(with Xavier Jaravel and Jann Spiess, April 2023, **resubmitted to Review of Economic Studies**)

[“The Distributional Effects of Trade: Theory and Evidence from the United States”](#)

(with Xavier Jaravel, June 2021, **revisions requested** from **Econometrica**)

Covered by The New York Times in [2018](#) and [2019](#)

[“Are Trade Wars Class Wars? The Importance of Trade-Induced Horizontal Inequality”](#)

(with Xavier Jaravel, April 2023, **resubmitted** to **Journal of**

International Economics)

[“Efficient Estimation with Non-Random Exposure to Exogenous Shocks”](#)

(with Peter Hull, December 2021)

[“Design-Based Identification with Formula Instruments: A Review”](#)

(with Peter Hull and Xavier Jaravel, June 2023, submitted)

Selected Work in progress:

“Design-Based Estimation of Structural Parameters, with an Application to Demand”

(with Peter Hull)

“Projections on Observables in Two-Way Fixed Effect Models with Limited Mobility”

(with Martin Weidner)

Resting Papers:

[“Intra-Firm Linkages in Multi-Segment Firms: Evidence from the Japanese Manufacturing Sector”](#)

(with Toshihiro Okubo, 2016)

[“Bounding the Population Shares Affected by Treatments”](#) (2016)

Teaching:

Since 2023	Applied Econometrics (PhD), UC Berkeley
2022-2023	Topics in International Economics (PhD), UCL
2021-2023	Quantitative Economics and Econometrics (BSc), UCL
2020-2023	Advanced Topics in International Economics (BSc), UCL
2020-2021	Advanced Microeconomic Theory (MSc), UCL

Conferences and Seminars: (*scheduled)

2024	ASSA*
2023	University of Toronto, Columbia University, UC Berkeley Agricultural and Resource Economics, Brown University, Boston University, UChicago Harris School of Public Policy, Paris Trade Seminar, UCL Econometrics Brownbag, National University of Singapore, IFS/UCL/LSE IO seminar, University of Birmingham, Norwegian School of Economics, Oxford University
2022	European Labor Symposium for Early Career Economists (Bergen), Erasmus University Rotterdam, Yale (Quantitative Research Methods Workshop), USITC Symposium, University of Technology Sydney, Urban Economics Association meeting (London), Encounters in Econometric Theory (Oxford), Gorman Conference (UCL), University of Surrey, Tilburg University, Barcelona Summer Forum (Geography, Trade, and Growth workshop), CEPR ERWIT, One World YoungStatS, Munich International Economics Seminar, Junior Spatial Economics Conference (BFI Chicago), IFAU Uppsala, CEPR-Bank of Italy Workshop “Labour market policies and institutions”, University of Strathclyde, University of St Andrews, University of Nottingham, Harvard/MIT joint trade seminar, University of Copenhagen, Hebrew University, Georgetown University, NBER

2021	Fall International Trade Meeting, Pennsylvania State University, Wharton Business School (Applied Economics seminar) Hong Kong trade seminar, University of Bern, Online diff-in-diff reading group, NBER Summer Institute (Labor Studies methods section), Zalando, SITE Housing and Urban Economics conference (Stanford), RIDGE Labor Workshop, London Business School, Workshop “Labour market adjustments to new technologies and globalization” (University of Mannheim), LSE Economics, LSE Management, Paris School of Economics, University of Edinburgh, New York University, UCLA
2020	UCL Trade Workshop, ECARES, LSE, University of Oslo, FREIT ETOS, Online Spatial and Urban Seminar, Virtual BREAD/CEPR Conference on Development Economics, Boston College, Essex, IIES, Sciences Po, CREST, Conference on Urban and Regional Economics (CURE)
2019	Dartmouth College, Economic Consequences of Trade NBER conference, Federal Reserve Bank of New York, ES North American Meeting (Seattle), ES European Meeting (Manchester), SETC (Sardinia), UCL Research Day, Aarhus University, Yale, UCLA, Berkeley, UC Davis, LSE
2018	University of Southern California, University College London (x2), INSEAD, London School of Economics, CREI, Bocconi University, University of Stockholm IIES, New Faces, Penn State University, SOLE, Toronto; SED, (Mexico City), Princeton University (x2), Quantag Workshop, ifo Institute
2017 and before	Empirical Investigations in International Trade (EIIT), Washington DC; New Economic School, Higher School of Economics, Harvard University, MIT Organizational Economics Brownbag, Econometric Society European Meeting (Edinburgh), Leicester University PhD conference

Mini-Courses and Guest Lectures:

2022	University of Munich CES Lectures, IFS, What Works for Children’s Social Care, Bayes Business School, LBS, University of St Andrews, Harvard University, University of Copenhagen
2021	Harvard University, Duke University, Inter-American Development Bank
2020	University of Toronto

Discussions:

2022	<i>Floating Population: Consumption and Location Choices of Rural Migrants in China</i> (by Imbert et al., Urban Economics Association meeting)
2021	<i>Local Barriers to Housing Density and Reducing Costs</i> (by Chiumenti et al, CEPR Conference on Urban and Regional Economics)
2019	<i>Are Instruments Generated from Geographic Characteristics in Bilateral Relationships Valid</i> (by Deij et al., Sardinian Empirical Trade Conference)
2018	<i>Bartik Instruments: What, When, Why, and How</i> (by Goldsmith-Pinkham et al., NBER ITI)

Honors, Grants, Scholarships, and Fellowships:

2022-2023	UCL’s Stone Centre grant, £20,000
2020-2025	Co-investigator on ERC Starting Grant “ <i>Minimum Wages, (Mis)Allocation of Labour, and Inequality</i> ” (PI – Prof. Attila Lindner)
2020	Review of Economic Studies Excellence in Refereeing Award
2019/20	UCL Economics Education Award (nomination for Inspiring Teaching Delivery)
2017	Roger L. Martin Cornerstone Graduate Student Fellowship
2017	Pellegrini Summer International Economics Research Grant
2016	Harvard Distinction in Teaching Award

2015 Harvard Lab for Economic Applications and Policy Grant
2012-2014 UniCredit and Universities US PhD Scholarship
2012 Don Patinkin's Prize, New Economic School

Short-Term Research Visits:

Oct 2022 MIT
Aug 2022 Columbia University
Sep 2019 University of Berkeley
Jun 2019 Columbia Business School

Professional Activities:

Ad hoc referee for: AEJ: Applied, AEJ: Economic Policy, AEJ: Macro, AEJ: Micro, American Economic Review, AER: Insights, Econometrica, Economic Journal, Economics Letters, Journal of Applied Econometrics, Journal of Business and Economic Statistics, Journal of Comparative Economics, Journal of Development Economics, Journal of Economic Theory, Journal of International Economics, Journal of Financial Economics, Journal of Labor Economics, Journal of Public Economics, Journal of Political Economy, JPE: Microeconomics, Journal of Urban Economics, Labour Economics, Quarterly Journal of Economics, Review of Economic Dynamics, Review of Economic Studies, Review of Economics and Statistics, Scandinavian Journal of Economics

Grant referee for: Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada, Swiss National Science Foundation

UK Office for National Statistics accredited researcher, since 2021

Member of the Programme Committee for the European Winter Meetings of the Econometric Society, 2022

Member of the Programme Committee for the Royal Economic Society conference, 2021-2023

Co-organizer of the UCL Applied Seminar, since 2020

Member of the Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion Committee at UCL Economics, since 2022

US Census Special Sworn Status researcher, 2016-2019

Committee chair for the best Econ undergraduate thesis award, Moscow State University, 2019 (also member in 2018)

Member of the New Economic School Alumni Council, 2018-2020

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