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Contact Information

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Research Interests

Macroeconomics, Monetary Policy, Fiscal Policy, Public Debt, Environmental Policy

Current Positions

- Associate Professor, Université Lumière Lyon 2 (since 2012)
 - Research Fellow, GATE-Lyon Saint-Etienne (UMR CNRS 5824), Université de Lyon (since 2012)
 - Head of MSc Program "Money, Banking, Finance and Insurance (MBFA-CAP-CP)", Université Lumière Lyon 2 (since 2016)
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Previous Academic Positions

- Lecturer, ILERI Lyon (2021–2023)
 - Lecturer, EM Lyon Business School (2016–2018)
 - Lecturer, HEC Montréal, Department of Applied Economics (2011–2012)
 - Postdoctoral Fellow, HEC Montréal, Department of Applied Economics (2011–2012)
 - Temporary Lecturer and Researcher, Université d'Evry Val d'Essonne (2010–2011)
 - Temporary Teaching and Research Assistant (ATER), Université d'Evry Val d'Essonne (2008–2010)
 - Research and Teaching Assistant, Université d'Evry Val d'Essonne (2005–2008)
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Education

- Ph.D. in Economics, Université d'Evry Val d'Essonne, 2010
Thesis: "Monetary and Fiscal Policy Interactions in a Non-Ricardian Economy"
Graduated with highest honors, unanimously commended by the jury
- M.Sc. in Macroeconomics, Econometrics and Quantitative Methods, Université d'Evry Val d'Essonne, 2005
- B.Sc. in Money and Finance, Université d'Evry Val d'Essonne, 2004
- B.Sc. and Master 1 in International Trade, ESSECT (Tunisia), 2002

Research Summary

My research explores the complex interactions between monetary, fiscal, and environmental policies and their macroeconomic implications. My recent projects investigate how climate policies intersect with public debt sustainability, the macroeconomic effects of carbon taxation, and the role of education in fostering environmentally responsible behavior. My ongoing interdisciplinary project "Education for Sustainable Development, Preferences, and Social Change" examines how education can reshape social preferences and catalyze societal shifts toward ecological transition.

Publications

- Aloui, R. (2024). Habit Formation and the Government Spending Multiplier. *Economic Modelling*.
 - Aloui, R., & Clain-Chamosset-Yvrard, L. (2020). The Welfare Gains of Cooperative Public Infrastructure Policies: A Trade and Supply-Side View. *Annals of Economics and Statistics*, (140), 27-44.
 - Aloui, R., & Guillard, M. (2020). The Fiscal Theory of the Price Level in a Non-Ricardian Economy. *Annals of Economics and Statistics*, (137), 65-82.
 - Aloui, R., & Eyquem, A. (2019). Spending Multipliers with Distortionary Taxes: Does the Level of Public Debt Matter? *Journal of Macroeconomics*, 60, 275-293.
 - Aloui, R. (2013). Deep Habits and the Macroeconomic Effects of Government Debt. *Macroeconomic Dynamics*, 17(8), 1659-1686.
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Work in Progress

- Aloui, R., & Bouakez, H. (2025). Optimal Climate Policy, Distortionary Taxation, and Public Debt.
 - Aloui, R., & Clain-Chamosset-Yvrard, L. (2025). How Does Environmental Policy Affect Economies with Slower Population Growth?
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Research Grants and Fellowships

- Principal Investigator, EDDPCS Project "Education for Sustainable Development, Preferences and Social Change", APPI, 20,000 euros (2024–2026)
 - Visiting Scholar, University of Delaware (July-August 2019)
 - Junior Visiting Researcher, Deutsche Bundesbank (July-October 2009)
 - PhD Fellowship, French Ministry of Education (2005–2008)
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Administrative Responsibilities

- Functional Committee Member, Sustainable Development Strategy, Université Lyon 2 (since 2023)
 - Member, University Sports Council, Université Lyon 2 (since 2023)
 - Member, Working Group on Ecological Transition Education, Université Lyon 2 (since 2022)
 - CNRS Equality Correspondent, Rhône-Auvergne delegation (2020–2024)
 - Coordinator, GATE-LSE Working Papers (2018–2024)
 - Coordinator, Partnership between ESSEC Tunis and Université Lyon 2 (2017–2024)
 - Director, MSc MBFA-CAP-CP, Université Lyon 2 (since 2016)
 - Supervisor of approximately 20 professional master's theses annually, MSc MBFA (since 2016)
 - Supervisor of one research master's thesis annually, MSc MBFA Economics and Finance (since 2016)
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Teaching Experience

- *Université Lumière Lyon 2*: Dynamic Macroeconomics, Monetary Policy, Open Macroeconomics, Contemporary Economic Issues, MOOC Climate and Ecological Transition (since 2017)
 - *ILERI Lyon*: Macroeconomics (2021–2022)
 - *University of Delaware*: Economic Growth (2019)
 - *EM Lyon*: Financial Macroeconomics (2016–2018)
 - *HEC Montréal*: Macroeconomic Analysis (2011–2012)
 - *Université d'Evry*: Introduction to Macroeconomics, Microeconomics, Intermediate Macroeconomics, Principles of Modern Economics (2005–2011)
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Conferences and Seminars

- 2025: LORDE Workshop, Aix Marseille School of Economics; ASSET Annual Meeting, University of Venice
 - 2024: LORDE Workshop, Université de Grenoble
 - 2023: FIRE Conference (Local Organizer), Université Lyon 2 & GATE-LSE; Macrofi, Université de Poitiers
 - 2022: GATE Macroeconomics Workshop
 - 2019: Macrofi, Lyon
 - 2018: T2M Conference, Paris
 - 2017: T2M Conference; Macrofi, Orléans
 - Earlier: Extensive participation in international conferences and seminars, including European Economic Association, Dynare Conference (Boston), Royal Economic Society Annual Conference, and others
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Refereeing Activities

- *Journal of Public Economic Theory*
- *Review of International Economics*

- *Economic Bulletin*
 - *Economic Theory*
 - *Revue Économique*
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