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## ● WORK EXPERIENCE

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05/2020 – CURRENT – Vienna, Austria

**ECONOMIST, REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT AND EU COHESION POLICY** – THE VIENNA INSTITUTE FOR INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC STUDIES (WIIW)

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- Regional economics and territorial development analysis
- EU Cohesion Policy and European Territorial Cooperation

07/2018 – 04/2020 – Vienna, Austria

**SCIENTIFIC ANALYST, EU REGIONAL AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT** – ÖIR GMBH

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- Impact Analysis and Evaluation of regional, cooperation, rural development and industrial policies

[www.oir.at](http://www.oir.at)

11/2016 – 06/2018 – London, United Kingdom

**SENIOR EVALUATION OFFICER** – SUSTRANS

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- Monitoring and Evaluation of sustainable mobility and urban regeneration schemes

[www.sustrans.org.uk](http://www.sustrans.org.uk)

08/2014 – 11/2016 – London, United Kingdom

**EUROPEAN POLICY CONSULTANT** – WA EUROPE

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- Impact Assessment and Evaluation of EU public policies, programmes and regulations

[www.vva.it/en/european-public-policy](http://www.vva.it/en/european-public-policy)

03/2014 – 07/2014 – Brussels, Belgium

**BLUE BOOK TRAINEE** – EUROPEAN COMMISSION, DIRECTORATE-GENERAL FOR MARITIME AFFAIRS AND FISHERIES, EVALUATION UNIT

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- Meta-evaluation of Fisheries Partnership Agreements with third countries
- Inter-institutional meetings with the European Council and European Parliament

10/2013 – 02/2014 – St Quentin en Yvelines, France

**RESEARCH INTERN** – FONDATERRA (EUROPEAN FOUNDATION FOR SUSTAINABLE TERRITORIES)

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- Optimisation model of small-scale smart grids in urban areas: load shifting within socio-economic and technical constraints

## ● EDUCATION AND TRAINING

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09/2010 – 03/2014 – Marne-la-Vallée, France

**DEGREE OF ENGINEERING (DIPL.-ING.) (MAJOR IN ECONOMICS)** – Ecole des Ponts ParisTech

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- Statistics and Data analysis, Econometrics, Economic Geography, Competition and Market Economics, Macroeconomics, International Political Economy

EQF level 7

09/2012 – 06/2013 – Bruges, Belgium

**MASTER OF ARTS IN EUROPEAN ECONOMICS (WITH DISTINCTION)** – College of Europe

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- Thesis written as part of the course on the EU Regional Policy
- Quantitative Methods, Advanced Quantitative Methods, Economics of European Integration, Regional Policy, EU Climate Change Strategy, European Neighbourhood Policy, EU Industrial Policy

Growth and Cohesion in the EU | EQF level 7

## ● MASTER THESIS AND ACADEMIC PROJECTS

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### Master thesis and Academic projects

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- Selected Research Assistant for UCL Centre for Law, Economics and Society, London, UK (2015)
- Promoting the use of urban public transport in the European Union: stakes, incentives and outlook for Community policies (in French), Master thesis under the supervision of Pr. Andrés Rodríguez-Pose, College of Europe, Belgium (2013)
- Is the eurozone an Optimal Currency Area? (in French), team project under the supervision of the French Ministry of Economic and Financial Affairs, Ecole des Ponts ParisTech, France (2012)

## ● CERTIFICATIONS

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### Certifications

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- Prince2® Foundation certificate in Project Management, May 2017

## ● LANGUAGE SKILLS

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**Mother tongue(s):** FRENCH

**Other language(s):**

	UNDERSTANDING		SPEAKING		WRITING
	Listening	Reading	Spoken production	Spoken interaction	
<b>ENGLISH</b>	C2	C2	C2	C2	C2
<b>GERMAN</b>	C1	C1	C1	C1	C1
<b>SPANISH</b>	A2	A2	A2	A2	A1

Levels: A1 and A2: Basic user; B1 and B2: Independent user; C1 and C2: Proficient user

## ● DIGITAL SKILLS

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MS Office | STATA | R | AIMMS

## ● **COMMUNICATION AND INTERPERSONAL SKILLS**

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### Communication and interpersonal skills

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- Excellent communication skills gained through my professional experience, presenting for various audiences such as European institutions, European industry associations and charities
- Very good interpersonal skills gained through my professional experience, engaging with partners from different research and technological backgrounds to establish successful cooperation opportunities

## ● **ORGANISATIONAL SKILLS**

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### Organisational / managerial skills

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- Project management skills acquired through my professional experience and formally recognised with the Prince2® Foundation certificate in Project Management (achieved in 2017)
- People management skills (line-managing 3 evaluation officers and support officers)
- High level of flexibility and responsiveness to ensure projects are completed within deadlines and budget while meeting clients' expectations with regard to quality

## ● **JOB-RELATED SKILLS**

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### Job-related skills

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- Ability to carry out socio-economic research in a multilingual context developed while undertaking research and consultancy projects for and within European institutions
- Comprehensive knowledge and extensive experience of using a range of qualitative and quantitative research and evaluation methods at the local, national and European levels
- Very good command of quality assurance and review processes (training in critical appraisal)

## ● **NETWORKS AND MEMBERSHIPS**

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### Memberships

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- Reviewer for the 13th FIW Research Conference "International Economics", 2021
- Jury of the Innovation in Politics Awards ([www.innovationinpolitics.eu/](http://www.innovationinpolitics.eu/)), EU, 2017
- Jury of the "Literary Prize of the Grandes Ecoles", France, 2011

## ● **CONFERENCES AND SEMINARS**

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### Conferences

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- Presentation to Members of the European Parliament, AGRI committee, "EU farming employment: current challenges and future prospects", European Parliament, Brussels, December 2019
- Volunteer organiser of the 4th Global Conference on Economic Geography, Oxford, August 2015

## ● PUBLICATIONS

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### Publications (selection)

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- The European Green Deal and agriculture: are EU regional farming systems ready for the green transition?, *wiiw Monthly Report*, No. 12, Vienna, December 2020, pp. 18-25 (2020)
- The Effects of the EU Cohesion Policy on Regional Economic Growth: Using Structural Equation Modelling for Impact Assessment (with Stefan Jestl and Roman Römisch), *wiiw Working Paper* No. 185 (2020)
- Evaluation of the Common Agricultural Policy's impact on territorial development of rural areas: socio-economic aspects, contributing author, study for the European Commission (2020)
- The EU farming employment: current challenges and future prospects, lead author, study for the European Parliament (2019)

## ● PROJECTS (SELECTION)

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2020 – CURRENT

### **Impact Evaluation of the Interreg Central Europe Programme (2014-2020)**

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Project for the Interreg Central Europe Programme Managing Authority  
Role: Evaluation expert, Data analyst

2020 – CURRENT

### **Carbon Intensive Regions in Transition – Unravelling the Challenges of Structural Change (CINTRAN)**

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Project funded under the Horizon 2020 programme (European Commission)  
Role: Researcher, Data analyst

2020 – 2020

### **Effects, opportunity costs and spillovers of EU Cohesion Policy**

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Project for the Anniversary Fund of the Oesterreichische Nationalbank  
Role: Researcher, Data analyst, Author

2020 – 2020

### **Evaluation of the information policy on the Common Agricultural Policy**

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Project for the European Commission, DG Agriculture  
Role: Case study expert, deputy project manager

2020 – 2020

### **Impact Evaluation of the 2014-2020 Interreg Mediterranean Programme**

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Project for the Interreg Mediterranean Programme Managing Authority  
Role: Evaluation expert

2019 – 2020

### **Evaluation of the Common Agricultural Policy's impact on the territorial development of rural areas: socio-economic aspects**

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Project for the European Commission, DG Agriculture  
Role: Case study expert

2019 – 2019

### **The EU farming employment: Current challenges and future prospects**

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Study for the European Parliament  
Role: Project manager, lead author

2019 – 2019

**Mid-Term Evaluation of the project HERAS - Higher Education, Research and Applied Science (Kosovo)**

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Study for the Project Consortium World University Service Austria, Zentrum für Soziale Innovation and Österreichischer Austauschdienst

Role: Data analyst, literature reviewer

2019 – 2019

**Implementing a place-based approach to EU industrial strategy policy**

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Project for the Committee of the Regions (EU)

Role: Case study expert

2018 – 2019

**Territorial Evidence Support for European Territorial Cooperation Programmes**

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Project for ESPON EGTC

Role: Interreg programme analyst, reviewer

2018 – 2019

**Gender budgeting: Closing the gaps between gender equality commitments and resources in the EU**

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Project for the European Institute for Gender Equality

Role: Data analyst (European Structural and Investment Funds)

2018 – 2019

**Evaluation of the Impact of the CAP on generational renewal, local development and jobs in rural areas**

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Project for the European Commission, DG Agriculture

Role: Data analyst (clustering, correlation analysis), deputy project manager