

# CURRICULUM VITAE

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## Personal Information

Birth : February 10, 1985  
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## EDUCATION

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- 2010- **PhD student in economics**, HEC-University of Liège (Belgium)  
*Supervisor:* Bernard Lejeune, HEC-University of Liège (Belgium)  
*Dissertation title:* 'Labor Market Policies and Their Impact on Job Finding Rates'
- 2007-2009 **Master in Economics** – Economic Analysis and Public Governance, HEC-University of Liège (Belgium), with High Honours
- 2004-2007 **Bachelor in Economics**, HEC-University of Liège (Belgium)

## FURTHER EDUCATION

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- 2010-2012 **Doctoral courses:** *Ghent University (Belgium)* - Causal Inference in Microeconometrics with Application to Program Evaluation (B. Cockx)  
*Catholic University of Louvain (Belgium)* - Advanced Labour Economics (B. Van der Linden)  
*Maastricht University (Netherlands)* - Stochastic Processes (M. Eichler), Time Series Methods and Dynamic Econometrics (J.-P. Urbain), Topics in Computational Econometrics (S. Smeekes), Econometric Methods for Cross-Sectional and Panel Data (D. De Crombrughe)

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCES

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- 2010- **Teaching assistant**, HEC-University of Liège
- 2009- **Research assistant**, CREPP (Research Center on Public and Population Economics), HEC-University of Liège
- Sept.-Dec. 2008 **Internship**, Analyst at Head Office of Le Forem, Charleroi (Belgium)  
*Department:* Analyse du Marché de l'Emploi et de la Formation

## TEACHING EXPERIENCES

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- 2011- **Skills Training**, HEC-University of Liège: Economic Software - Octave and LaTeX (with M. Lefebvre)

2010-                   **Tutorials**, HEC-University of Liège: Econometrics (B. Lejeune), Econometric Methods (J.-P. Urbain), Industrial Economy (A. Gautier), Games and Information Economics (A. Gautier)

2008-2010           **Private lessons** of Russian language

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#### **PRESENTATIONS**

2012                   The 19<sup>th</sup> FISS International Research Seminar on ‘Challenges for Social Protection’, Sigtuna (Sweden)

2011                   CREPP Seminar, HEC-University of Liège

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#### **WORKING PAPERS**

‘Accrued Pension Rights in Belgium: Microsimulation of Reforms’ (with A. Jousten, S. Perelman and F. Sigismondi), CREPP Working Paper 2012/07. Under revision for *The International Journal of Microsimulation*

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#### **RESEARCH REPORTS**

‘Social Family Allowances in Belgium. The Impact of Potential Reforms on Child Poverty’ (with C. Maréchal, S. Perelman and G. Van Camp), ONAFTS, FPS Social Security, 2010  
<http://www.socialsecurity.fgov.be/docs/nl/publicaties/mimosis/SocFamBelgium.pdf>

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#### **LANGUAGE SKILLS**

Russian (native), French (fluent), English (fluent), Spanish (basic notions)

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#### **COMPUTER SKILLS**

Microsoft Office, LaTeX, Eviews, Gretl, Statistica, Stata, SAS, Gauss, Matlab/Octave, Fortran

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#### **RESEARCH FIELDS**

Econometric Methods of Program Evaluation, Labour Economics, Economics of Aging, Microsimulation