

Curriculum Vitae

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Citizenship:

Belgium and Canada.

Fields of Concentration:

Political Economics, Public Economics and Microeconomics.

Education:

Ph. D. Economics, Cornell University (USA), 2004.
M. A. Economics, DELTA (currently Paris School of Economics) (France), 1996.
B. A. Economics, Université de Liège (Belgium), 1995.

Professional Positions:

Université du Québec à Montréal (Canada), Department of Economics, Associate Professor, 2015 – present.
Université Laval (Canada), Department of Economics, Associate Professor, 2010 – 2016.
Université Laval (Canada), Undergraduate chair (Economics and Politics), 2014 – 2015.
Toulouse School of Economics (France), Visiting Fellow, 2013-2014.
Université Laval (Canada), Department of Economics, Assistant Professor, 2007 – 2010.
University of Hawai'i – Mānoa (USA), Public Policy Center, Associate Faculty, 2006 – 2007.
University of Hawai'i – Mānoa (USA), Population Studies, Associate Faculty, 2004 – 2007.
University of Hawai'i – Mānoa (USA), Department of Economics, Assistant Professor, 2004 – 2007.
University of Liège (Belgium), CREPP, Researcher, 1996 – 1999.

Research:

1. Working Papers:

“Rank Voting and Polarization: An Experiment” (with Christoph Vanberg)
“How Do People Vote under Preferential Voting? An Experiment on Voting Behavior and Computational Complexity” (with Sabine Kröger)
“Social Security and Retirement around the World: Lessons from a Long-Term Collaboration” (with Courtney Coile et al.)

2. Academic Publications:

“Legislative Informational Lobbying”, **Journal of Economic Theory**, forthcoming.
“Does Party Polarization Affect the Electoral Prospects of a New Centrist Candidate?”, **Games** 13, 53, 2022.
“Objectifs, défis et réalité des engagements du gouvernement Legault dans une économie tourmentée” (with Alain Paquet), in: “**Bilan du gouvernement de la CAQ**”, Lisa Birch, Yannick Dufresne, Dominic Duval and Camille Tremblay-Antoine (eds), 2022, Presses de l'Université Laval, 25-47.
“Subpoena Power and Informational Lobbying” (with Mandar Oak), **Journal of Theoretical Politics** 32(2), 2020, 188-234.

- “Informational Lobbying and Pareto-improving Agenda Constraint” (with Mandar Oak), **Journal of Law, Economics, & Organization** 35(3), 2019, 579-618.
- “Endogenous Candidacy in Plurality Rule Elections: Some Explanations of the Number of Candidates and their Polarization” (with Damien Bol and Mandar Oak). Published version: “Candidatures endogènes dans les élections pluralitaires : Quelques explications du nombre de candidats et de leur polarisation”, **L’Actualité Economique** 93(1-2), 2017, 141-171.
- “Policy Polarization and Strategic Candidacy in Elections under the Alternative Vote Rule” (with Alexandre Gauthier-Belzile and Mandar Oak), **Journal of Institutional and Theoretical Economics** 173(4), 2017, 565-590.
- “Informational Lobbying and Agenda Distortion” (with Christopher Cotton), **Journal of Law, Economics, & Organization** 32, 2016, 762-793.
- “Comparison of Voting Procedures using Models of Electoral Competition with Endogenous Candidacy” (with Damien Bol and Mandar Oak), in: “**The Political Economy of Social Choices**”, Maria Gallego and Norman Schofield (eds), 2016, Springer, 21-54.
- “Multiple votes, multiple candidacies and polarization” (with Mandar Oak), **Social Choice and Welfare** 46, 2016, 1-38.
- “The two-party system under alternative voting procedures”, **Social Choice and Welfare** 40, 2013, 263-284.
- “Multiple votes, ballot truncation and the two-party system: An experiment” (with Sean D’Evelyn and Katarina Sherstyuk), **Social Choice and Welfare** 37, 2011, 171-200.
- “Weak undominance in scoring rule elections”, **Mathematical Social Sciences** 59, 2010, 110-119.
- “Policy moderation and endogenous candidacy in Approval Voting elections”, in: “**Handbook on Approval Voting**”, Jean-François Laslier and Remzi Sanver (eds), 2010, Springer, 431-451.
- “Would letting people vote for multiple candidates yield policy moderation?”, **Journal of Economic Theory** 144, 2009, 772-801.
- “The salient issue of issue salience”, **Journal of Public Economic Theory** 11, 2009, 203-231.
- “Policy convergence under Approval and Plurality Voting: the role of policy commitment” (with Mandar Oak), **Social Choice and Welfare** 29, 2007, 229-245.
- “Blame-game politics in a coalition government”, **Journal of Public Economics** 91, 2007, 77-96. (Awarded the **Peggy and Richard Musgrave award 2005**).
- “Approval voting with endogenous candidates” (with Mandar Oak), **Games and Economic Behavior** 54, 2006, 47-76.
- “Economic growth and population growth” (with Pierre Pestieau), in: “**Demography: Analysis and Synthesis III**”, Graziella Caselli, Jacques Vallin and Guillaume Wunsch (eds), 2006, Academic Press, 361-372.
- “Micro-modeling of retirement in Belgium” (with Raphaël Desmet, Alain Jousten and Sergio Perelman), in: “**Social Security Programs and Retirement around the World: Micro-estimation**”, Jonathan Gruber and David Wise (eds), 2004, NBER and University of Chicago Press, Chicago, 41-98.
- “Croissance économique et croissance démographique” (with Pierre Pestieau), in: “**Démographie: Analyse et Synthèse VI**”, Graziella Caselli, Jacques Vallin and Guillaume Wunsch (eds), 2004, INED, Paris, 179-200.
- “Family size and optimal income taxation” (with Helmuth Cremer and Pierre Pestieau), **Journal of Population Economics** 16, 2003, 37-54.
- “Analyse de la cessation d’activité en Belgique” (with Raphaël Desmet, Alain Jousten and Sergio Perelman), **Revue Française d’Economie** 18, 2003, 99-132.
- “Comptabilité générationnelle en Europe”, **Economie et Prévision** 154, 2002, 25-30.
- “Vieillesse démographique et dette publique : les générations futures seront-elles pénalisées?” (with Philippe Liégeois), in: “**Réflexions sur l’Avenir de nos Retraites**”, Pierre Pestieau, Louis Gevers, Victor Ginsburgh, Erik Schokkaert and Bea Cantillon (eds), 2000, Garant, Leuven, 107-124.
- “Can fiscal policy cope with debt and aging?” (with Erik Lueth), **European Economy** 6, 1999, 29-41.
- “Droits à la pension en Belgique” (with Sergio Perelman), **Reflets et Perspectives de la Vie Economique** 38, 1999, 59-72.
- “Prestations familiales et impositions des revenus” (with Helmuth Cremer and Pierre Pestieau), **Economie Publique** 1-2, 1999, 145-159.

“Différences de longévité et effet redistributif du système de retraite belge”, **Cahiers Economiques de Bruxelles** 155, 1997, 297-317.

3. Other Publications:

“Elections : Comportements, Mécanismes et Réformes” (with André Blais and Michel Le Breton), **L’Actualité Economique** 93(1-2), 2017, 5-21.

“An economist’s take on electoral reform”, **CIRPEE News** 5, 2009, 9-10.

“Taxing wages. Special feature: Taxing families 2001-2002”, **Journal of Income Distribution** 12(1-2), 2005.

“Elections, coalition governments, and delayed adoption of reforms”, **Cornell Political Forum** 18, 2004.

“La vraie crise de la sécurité sociale” (with Pierre Pestieau), **Trends Review** 4, 1998, 38-42.

“Différences de longévité et effet redistributif des systèmes de retraite”, in: “**Régimes de Retraite et Niveau de Vie des Personnes Agées**”, Pierre Pestieau (ed.), 1997, SSTC, Bruxelles, 111-123.

4. Media Interviews:

Le Soleil (Canada), *L’Écho* (Belgium), *Le Figaro* (France).

Fellowships and Awards:

Société Canadienne de Science Economique, President-elect, 2018-2019; President, 2019-2021; Past-president, 2021-2022.

Centre for the Study of Democratic Citizenship (CSDC), Fellow, 2015 – present.

Centre Interuniversitaire sur le Risque, les Politiques Économiques et l’Emploi (CIRPEE), Fellow, 2008 – 2017.

International Institute of Public Finance, Peggy and Richard Musgrave award, 2005.

General Mills Foundation, Award for exemplary graduate assistant teaching, 2004.

Cornell University, Sage fellowship, 1999-2004.

Belgian American Educational Foundation, Honorary fellowship, 1999-2000.

Research Grants:

Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council, Insight Grant (Principal Investigator), April 2020 – March 2024.

Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council, Partnership Grant (Principal Investigator: Laura Stephenson), April 2019 – March 2026.

Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council, Insight Grant (Principal Investigator: Sabine Kröger), April 2015 – March 2022.

Fonds Québécois de la Recherche sur la Société et la Culture, Soutien aux équipes de recherche, April 2014 – March 2019.

Fonds Québécois de la Recherche sur la Société et la Culture, Soutien aux équipes de recherche, April 2011 – March 2013.

Fonds Québécois de la Recherche sur la Société et la Culture, Etablissement de nouveaux professeurs-chercheurs, April 2008 – March 2011. (Principal Investigator)

University of Hawai‘i-Mānoa, CSS Research Support Grant, October 2006 – June 2007. (Principal Investigator)

Seminars and Conference Participations:

2022: Midwest Political Science Association meeting (Chicago, USA); Meeting of the Société Canadienne de Science Economique (Montréal, Canada); Meeting of the Canadian Economic Association (Ottawa, Canada); Copenhagen Business School workshop “Money in Politics” (Copenhagen, Denmark); Meeting of the Society for Institutional and Organizational Economics (Toronto, Canada); Mini-workshop “Experimental and Behavioral Research” (Montréal, Canada).

2021: Meeting of the European Political Science Association (online); Meeting of the Société Canadienne de Science Economique; “Political Economy: Theory Meets Empirics” Workshop – University of Bath, Universität Bremen and King’s College London (online); Keynote – Société Canadienne de Science Economique (online); Concordia University; Université Laval.

2020: Université du Québec à Montréal (online).

- 2019: Journées du CRREP/CDER (Québec, Canada); Meeting of the Société Canadienne de Science Economique (Quebec, Canada).
- 2018: Workshop “The theories of lobbying” (Montreal, Canada); Meeting of the Société Canadienne de Science Economique (Montreal, Canada); Meeting of the Canadian Public Economics Group (Toronto, Canada).
- 2017: Queen’s University (Kingston, Canada); Université du Québec à Montréal (Montréal, Canada); Meeting of the Canadian Public Economics Group (Kingston, Canada); Meeting of the Centre for the Study of Democratic Citizenship (Drumondville, Canada).
- 2016: Université du Québec à Montréal (Montréal, Canada); Carleton University (Ottawa, Canada).
- 2015: Meeting of the Société Canadienne de Science Economique (Montréal, Canada); University of Bologna (Bologna, Italy); Priorat Workshop in Theoretical Political Science (Barcelona, Spain); Summer school “New approaches to Political Economy” – Catholic University of Milan, University of Milan-Bicocca and University of Verona (Alba di Canazei, Italy); CMO-BIRS workshop “The political economy of social choices” (Oaxaca, Mexico).
- 2014: THEMA-University of Cergy-Pontoise (Cergy-Pontoise, France); University of Liège (Liège, Belgium); European Public Choice Society meeting (Cambridge, UK); Workshop “Elections and Electoral Institutions” at the Toulouse School of Economics (Toulouse, France); Political Economy Workshop at Catholic University in Milan (Milan, Italy); Meeting of the Social Choice and Welfare society (Boston, USA); Journées Louis-André Gérard-Varet (Aix-en-Provence, France); Meeting of the Association for Public Economic Theory – invited (Seattle, USA); Meeting of the Canadian Public Economics Group (Ottawa, Canada).
- 2013: Public Choice Society meeting (New Orleans, USA); Meeting of the Société Canadienne de Science Économique (Quebec, Canada); Journées Louis-André Gérard-Varet (Aix-en-Provence, France); Meeting of the association for Public Economic Theory (Lisbon, Portugal); University of Queensland (Brisbane, Australia); University of Adelaide (Adelaide, Australia); Toulouse School of Economics (Toulouse, France); Workshop “Mathematics of Electoral Systems” at Corvinus University (Budapest, Hungary); UECE Lisbon Meetings in Game Theory and Applications (Lisbon, Portugal); University of Heidelberg (Heidelberg, Germany).
- 2011: CUNY (New York, USA); Royal Economic Society Conference (London, UK); University of Namur (Namur, Belgium); Workshop on Political Economics at CORE (Louvain-la-Neuve, Belgium); University of Ottawa (Ottawa, Canada).
- 2010: Workshop “Advances on Approval Voting” at Ecole Polytechnique (Paris, France).
- 2009: Public Choice Society meeting (Las Vegas, USA); Meeting of the Canadian Economic Association (Toronto, Canada); Workshop “Challenges in Public Economics” at CORE (Louvain-la-Neuve, Belgium); North American summer meeting of the Econometric Society (Boston, USA); Meeting of the Association for Public Economic Theory (Galway, Ireland); University of Miami (Miami, USA); Concordia University (Montréal, Canada).
- 2008: Ninth Meeting of the Society for Social Choice and Welfare (Montréal, Canada).
- 2007: SUNY – Binghamton (Binghamton, USA); University of Hawai‘i – department of Mathematics (Honolulu, USA); Meeting of the Canadian Public Economic Group (Halifax, Canada); University of Hawai‘i – department of Economics (Honolulu, USA); Meeting of the Association for Public Economic Theory (Nashville, USA); International conference on Game Theory at SUNY – Stony Brook (Stony Brook, USA); Journées du CIRPEE (Bécancour, Canada); Université du Québec à Montréal (Montréal, Canada).
- 2006: Public Choice Society meeting (New Orleans, USA); North American summer meeting of the Econometric Society (Minneapolis, USA); Eighth Meeting of the Society for Social Choice and Welfare (Istanbul, Turkey).
- 2005: Public Choice Society meeting (New Orleans, USA); International Institute of Public Finance meeting (Jeju, South Korea); Université de Liège (Liège, Belgium).
- 2003: Cornell University (joint Applied Microeconomics and Public Economics seminars); Cornell University (Microeconomic Theory seminar).
- 2002: Cornell University (Public Economics seminar).

Research Stays:

December 2014: THEMA (Cergy-Pontoise, France).

September 2013 – June 2014: Toulouse School of Economics (Toulouse, France).
July – August 2013: University of Adelaide (Adelaide, Australia).
April – May 2011: CORE (Louvain-la-Neuve, Belgium).

Teaching:

1. Instructor at Université du Québec à Montréal:

Introductory Microeconomics (Undergraduate): Falls 2015 to 2022, Springs 2016 to 2023, Summers 2017 and 2018.
Intermediate Microeconomics II (Undergraduate): Falls 2019 to 2022, Springs 2020 and 2021.
Public Economics (Undergraduate): Falls 2015 to 2017.
Political Economics (Undergraduate): Springs 2022 and 2023.
Research Seminar (Undergraduate): Fall 2018 and 2021, Spring 2021, and Summer 2021.
Graduate Microeconomic Theory II (Graduate): Springs 2017 to 2023.

2. Instructor at Université Laval:

Intermediate Microeconomics I (Undergraduate): Springs 2009 to 2013 and spring 2015.
Public Economics (Undergraduate): Falls 2010 to 2012.
Graduate Microeconomic Theory II (Graduate): Springs 2010 to 2013.
Public Economics (Graduate): Spring 2008 and spring 2009.
Public Economics (M.A. in Policy Analysis): Fall 2014.
Political Economics (Graduate): Springs 2008 to 2010, fall 2010, springs 2012, 2013 and 2015.

3. Instructor at the University of Hawai'i-Mānoa:

Intermediate Microeconomics (Undergraduate): Springs and falls 2005 to 2006 and spring 2007.
Graduate Microeconomic Theory I (Graduate): Falls 2004 to 2006.
Public Finance (Graduate): Springs 2005 and 2007.

4. Teaching Assistant:

Intermediate Microeconomics (Undergraduate): Springs 1995 and 2002.
Economic History (Undergraduate): Falls 2001 and 2003.
General Equilibrium and Social Choice (Undergraduate): Spring 1998.
Seminar in Public Economics (Undergraduate): Spring 1999.
Graduate Microeconomic Theory I (Graduate): Fall 2000.
Graduate Microeconomic Theory II (Graduate): Springs 2001 and 2004.

5. Tutor (Athletic department at Cornell University):

Intermediate Microeconomics (Undergraduate): Fall 2001.
Public Economics (Undergraduate): Fall 2001.
Game Theory (Undergraduate): Spring 2002.

Professional Services:

1. Referee:

Articles: American Economic Review; American Journal of Political Science; American Political Science Review; B.E. Journal of Economic Analysis and Policy; B.E. Journal of Theoretical Economics; Canadian Journal of Economics; Canadian Journal of Political Science; Data and Knowledge Engineering; Discrete Applied Mathematics; Economic Inquiry; Economic Journal; Economic Theory; Economics Letters; Economie et Prévision; Electoral Studies; Empirical Economics; European Economic Review; Games and Economic Behavior; Japan and the World Economy; Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization; Journal of Economic Theory; Journal of Elections, Public Opinion and Parties; Journal of the European Economic Association; Journal of Law, Economics, and Organization; Journal of Law and Economics; Journal of Political Economy Microeconomics; Journal of Population Economics; Journal of Public Economic Theory; Journal of Public Economics; Journal of Theoretical Politics; L'Actualité Economique; Mathematical Social Sciences; Public Choice; Public Finance Review; Quarterly Journal of Political Science; Regional Science and Urban Economics; Resource and Energy Economics; Review of Economic Studies; Revue Economique; Scandinavian Journal of Economics; Social Choice and Welfare.

Books: De Boeck Université; M.I.T. Press; North-Holland; Palgrave.

Grant applications: Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada (SSHRC).

2. Editorial Activities:

Co-editor at L'Actualité Economique: 2013 – 2016.

3. Conference Organization and Program Committee:

APSA pre-conference on Money in Politics, Montréal (Canada), September 14th 2022, Co-organizer.

Columbia University-UQAM Workshop on Interest Groups, online, November 9-10 2021, Co-organizer.

Conference of the Canadian Economic Association, online, June 3-5 2021, Member of the program committee.

Meeting of the Canadian Public Economics Group, online, November 6 2020, Co-organizer.

Quebec Political Economics Webinar Series (QPEWS), Fall 2020 to Fall 2022, Co-organizer.

Junior Workshop of the Formal theory section of the American Political Science Association, July 22 2020, Co-animator with Monika Nalepa.

Conference of the Société Canadienne de Science Economique, Quebec City (Canada), May 8-10 2019, Organizer.

Workshop “The Theories of Lobbying”, Montreal (Canada), April 27th 2018, Co-organizer.

Conference of the Canadian Economic Association, Antigonish (Canada), June 2-4 2017, Member of the program committee.

Meeting of the Canadian Public Economics Group, Montréal (Canada), November 4-5 2016, Co-organizer.

Conference of the Société Canadienne de Science Economique, Quebec City (Canada), May 11-13 2016, Member of the program committee.

Workshop “Elections and Electoral Institutions” at the Toulouse School of Economics, Toulouse (France), April 10-12, 2014, Co-organizer.

Meeting of the Canadian Public Economics Group, Edmonton (Canada), November 9-10 2013, Member of the program committee.

Conference of the Société Canadienne de Science Economique, Quebec City (Canada), May 15-17 2013, Member of the program committee.

Conference of the Canadian Economic Association, Quebec City (Canada), May 28-30 2010, Member of the program committee.

Meeting of the Canadian Public Economics Group, Quebec City (Canada), May 27-28 2010, Chair of the organizing committee.

CIRPEE Workshop on Political Economy, Quebec City (Canada), April 23-24 2010, Co-organizer.

4. Departmental Committees at the University of Hawai'i-Mānoa:

Graduate committee: 2004-07.

Ph.D. microeconomics qualifying exam committee: 2004-07.

Graduate admission committee: 2004-07.

Department recruitment committee: 2004-06.

Seminar committee: 2005-07.

Seiji Naya Award selection committee: 2005-07.

5. Departmental Committees at Université Laval:

Ph.D. microeconomics qualifying exam committee: 2007-13.

Graduate Public Economics field exam committee: 2007-09 and 2010-11.

Graduate committee: 2012-13.

Undergraduate committee: 2014-15.

Departmental seminars: 2011-12.

Department recruitment committee: 2011-12 and 2014-15.

Faculty Senate: 2009-13.

School of Social Sciences excellence award committee: 2011-13.

6. Departmental Committees at Université du Québec à Montréal:

Graduate committee: 2015-20.

Departmental seminars: 2015-19.

Internal seminars: 2020-21.

Recruitment committee: 2016-17 and 2019-20.

Ph.D. microeconomics qualifying exam committee: 2016-22.

Tenure and Promotion committee: 2018-20 and 2022-23.

College research committee: 2020-21.

Department working papers series: 2020-23.

Departmental Union Representative: 2022-23.

7. Dissertation Committees at the University of Hawai'i-Mānoa:

Mun Sim Lai (Ph.D., 2006); Rui Wang (Ph.D., 2007).

8. Student Supervision at Université Laval:

Gabriel Blouin Genest (M.A. in International Studies, 2008); Youcef Msaïd (M.A. in Economics, 2009); Thomas Bégin (M.A. in Economics, 2012); Alexandre Desmeules (M.A. in Economics, 2013); Alexandre Gauthier Belzile (M.A. in Economics, 2013); Jean-Pascal Dumont (M.A. in Economics, 2013); Amos Allodehou (M.A. in Economics, 2015); Maxime Barbeau (M.A. in Economics 2016).

9. Thesis Committees at Université Laval:

M.A. in Economics: Michael Champagne (2008); Soufiene Ben Mabrouk (2008); Antoine Corriveau la Grenade (2008); Emilie Comtois-Rousseau (2009); Nadia Desfossés (2010); Jean-François Mercier (2010); Pierre-Luc Gosselin (2011); Daouda Camara (2013); Momath Wilane (2013); Thibaud Pierrot (2013); Nathan Roger Lea Jombi (2020).

M.A. in Policy Analysis: David Lord (2008).

Ph.D. in Economics: Yélé Maweki Batana (2008); Francis Andrianarison (2011); Komi Agbemavi Mati (2012); Legrand Yémélé Kana (2012); Octavian Stimbu (2013).

10. Student Supervision at Université du Québec à Montréal:

Jacob Morrier (B.Sc. in Economics, 2019), Adelphine Kabedi (M.Sc. in Economics, 2020); Philippe Chabot (M.Sc. in Economics, 2021); Annabelle Fournier (M.Sc. in Economics, in progress); Jules Poirier-Ostiguy (M.Sc. in Economics, in progress).

11. Master's Thesis Committees at Université du Québec à Montréal:

David Lapierre (2016); Alexis Gagné-Lebrun (2017); Dérek Nolet Regaudie (2018); Marie-Josée Nadeau (2019); Yakouba Kourouma (2019); Marc-André Geraldo-Demers (2019); Belmondo Kinkpe (2020).

12. External Thesis Committees:

Francesco Salustri (M.A. in Economics, Toulouse School of Economics, 2014); Alberto Grillo (Ph.D. in Economics, Toulouse School of Economics, 2020).

13. Election Officer:

Elections Montréal; Elections Québec.