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## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

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2026-	<b>Economist - CEPPI (Paris)</b> International Trade Division
2024-2025	<b>Post doctoral researcher - Paris School of Economics</b> International Migration Economics Chair
2020-24	<b>Lecturer - University Paris Dauphine, PSL</b> BSc Economics - International Economics
2021-22	<b>Short Term Consultant - The World Bank</b> Deep Trade Agreements and Developing Economies
2021	<b>Short Term Consultant - The World Bank</b> Study on Georgian PTAs' Impact on Exports

## EDUCATION

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2020-2024	<b>PhD Economics - University Paris Dauphine, PSL</b> Title: <i>International Trade and Firm activity in an Insecure World</i>
2018-2020	<b>MRes Economics - University Paris Dauphine, PSL</b> Specialisation: international and development economics
2015-2018	<b>Double BSc - University Paris Sciences et Lettres (PSL)</b> Multidisciplinary cycle of higher education (CPES), specialisation: economics and sociology; BSc in applied economics

## ACADEMIC VISITS, HONORS AND AWARDS

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2025	<b>Award - Sorbonne Chancellery of Paris Universities</b> 3rd Solemn Thesis Prize
Oct.- Dec. 2025	<b>Visiting - Univ. Lausanne, Switzerland</b> Hosting professor: Mathias Thoenig
Sep.- Dec. 2022	<b>Visiting - ETH, Zurich Switzerland</b> Hosting professor: Peter Egger

# TEACHING

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**Economic Aspect of Globalization** - Undergraduate, University Paris Dauphine  
2026 - *Main course*

**Applied International Economics** - Undergraduate, University Paris Dauphine  
2020-2024 - *Head of course - Supervision of bachelor thesis*

# RESEARCH

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## Peer-reviewed publications

[1] *Firms Under Fire! How Insecurity Affects Formal Firms' Existence*, Journal of Development Economics (forthcoming)

## Published in working paper series

[1] *Deep Trade Agreements and Heterogeneous Firms Exports* (with Orefice Gianluca and Ruta Michele), CESifo Working Papers no. 10436, 2023 (R&R, EER)

[2] *The Impact of Regional Trade Agreements on Georgia's Exporters: A Firm-Level Analysis* (with Orefice Gianluca and Ruta Michele), World Bank policy research working paper no. WPS9768, 2021

## Policy briefs

[1] *How Deep Trade Agreement Impact Firms' Exports* (with Orefice Gianluca and Ruta Michele), Paris School of Economics, November 2023

[2] *Deep Trade Agreements and Firms' Exports* (with Orefice Gianluca and Ruta Michele), VoxEU column, 2 Aug 2023

[3] *The consequences of Trump's migration policies* (with Hillel Rapoport), Paris School of Economics, 17 Feb 2025

## Work in progress

[1] *Sovereign Gravity: The Military Alliance Effect on Trade*, 2025

[2] *Over-Distorted Gravity: Welfare Gains from Trade and Bilateral Elasticities*, 2025

[3] *Do brains like riots ? the Conflict's Effect on Innovation* (with Capucine Ferré), 2025

[4] *Productivity, Migration and Diversity* (with G. Orefice, H.Rapoport and G.Santoni), 2025

[5] *Geopolitical Risk and International Migrations* (with M.Thoenig and H.Rapoport), 2025

[6] *Skilled Demand and Sectoral Shocks in Gulf Countries: a New Instrumental Variable Approach* (with J.Gabers and H.Rapoport), 2025

## CONFERENCES AND SEMINARS (SELECTION)

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University of Lausanne, 2025, Lausanne. University of Geneva, 2025, Geneva. RIEF-CEPR, 2025, Aix. FIW, 2025 & 2024, Vienna. European Commission ARC, 2024, Ispra. WIEN, 2024, Vienna. World Trade Forum, 2023, Firenze. EEA congress, 2023, Barcelona. INSTED workshop, 2023, Lancaster. AFSE Congress, 2022 & 2023, Dijon-Paris. KOF-ETH seminar, 2022, Zurich. IAES conference, 2022, Washington. LAGV, 2022, Marseille. GSIE seminar, 2022, Paris. ITFA conference, 2022. RES conference, 2022. ETSG conference, 2021, Ghent.

## CONFERENCE ORGANIZATION (SELECTION)

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2025 - PSE-AFD-World Bank International Conference on Migration and Development  
*18th edition, Paris*

## REFEREE FOR (SELECTION)

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Journal of Political Economy, Oxford Economic Review, Review of Development Economics.

## ADDITIONAL SKILLS

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**Languages:** French (native speaker), English (fluent), German (intermediary)

**Soft-wares:** Stata, SAS, Gretl, Latex, Open Office, Word, Pages, Excel

## REFERENCES

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### **Gianluca Orefice** (PhD supervisor)

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