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PAST POSITIONS

Teaching Assistant, Department of Economics Copenhagen Business School, Copenhagen	2017–02/2022
Research Assistant, Sahel and West Africa Program Stockholm International Peace Research Institute SIPRI, Stockholm	06/2018–10/2019
Intern, Research Coordination Swiss National Bank, Zurich	08/2014–09/2015
Intern, Economic Research Unit Swiss Re, Hong Kong	06–08/2013

EDUCATION

Ph.D. in Economics, Copenhagen Business School Thesis: “Essays on development challenges in low income countries: Evidence from conflict, pest and credit” Advisors: Battista Severgnini, Mauricio Prado Committee: Konrad B. Burchardi, Fane Groes, Dominic Rohner	2016–2022
Recognised Student, Centre for the Study of African Economies, University of Oxford Host: Anke Hoeffler	2018–2019
M.A. in Economics, University of St.Gallen Advisor: Monika Büttler	2013–2015
International Asian Studies Program, Chinese University of Hong Kong	2012–2013
B.A. in International Relations, Université de Genève	2010–2013

WORKING PAPERS

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- [1] **War and Peace: Measuring conflict dynamics in the presence of peace accords in Africa**
– [Latest draft](#)
 - [2] **Gone with the wind: the welfare effect of desert locust outbreaks,**
with Stefano Tripodi – [Latest draft](#)

WORK IN PROGRESS

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- [1] **The Effect of Peace on Economic Development**, with Alex Armand and Galina Vysotskaya
 - [2] **Financial deepening and the informal economy: Evidence from local credit cycles in India**,
with Gabriel Züllig
 - [3] **Air pollution and development in Africa**, with Chenyan Lyu and Stefano Tripodi
 - [4] **Resource management and civil conflict**

AWARDS, GRANTS AND SCHOLARSHIPS

UNU-WIDER - *Measuring the effect of ceasefire agreements* – US\$10000 - with Armand, Vysotskaya - (2021)
Otto Mønsted's Foundation Grant (2018)
GTN Foundation Grant, Oticon Foundation Grant, Christian og Ottilia (2017)
Brorson's Travel Grant for Younger Scientists (2017)
Full PhD scholarship Copenhagen Business School (2016-2020)

POLICY REPORTS

- [1] *The Challenges of Governance, Development and Security in the Central Regions of Mali* (with M. Bodian and A. Tobie), [SIPRI Insights on Peace and Security](#), Stockholm International Peace Research Institute, Stockholm: March 2020
- [2] *Mali holds presidential elections: Polls to the people, power to the incumbents* (with G. Chauzal and Z. Gorman), [SIPRI Commentary](#), Online: 24 July 2018

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Quantitative Methods II, Copenhagen Business School (TA)	Spring 2021
International Economics, Copenhagen Business School (TA)	Summer 2018
Macroeconomics, Copenhagen Business School (TA)	Spring 2017/21

CONFERENCES AND SEMINAR PRESENTATIONS

2021: Applied Micro Seminars, Lund University; Jan Tinbergen Peace Science Conference, King's College London; DSE and Econometric Society Winter School

2016-20: Jan Tinbergen Peace Science Conference, The Hague*; Warwick PhD Conference*; Copenhagen Business School (3x); Swiss Economists Abroad Annual Workshop (2x); Danish Graduate Program in Economics Workshop (3x) *Poster

COMPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

Data analysis and programming skills: R, Python, Stata, QGIS, Latex
Databases and questionnaire design: Google Earth Engine, AWS Open Data, CSPro, SurveyCTO
Languages: English and French (professional), German (native), Italian and Danish (conversational)

Update: May 8, 2022