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RESEARCH INTERESTS

Macroeconomics, Fiscal Policy, Fiscal Transparency, Fiscal Credibility, Fiscal Discipline, European Policy

EDUCATION

- Ph.D. in Economics** 2021 — Ongoing
 University of Strasbourg, France
 Thesis title: Fiscal transparency, fiscal credibility and fiscal discipline
 Supervisors: Amélie Barbier-Gauchard and Thierry Betti
- Master in Macroeconomics and European Policy** with high honours 2019 — 2021
 University of Strasbourg, France
 Master's thesis: "Independent Fiscal Institutions and Fiscal Discipline in the European Union"
- International Exchange Program** with honours 2019 — 2020
 University of Porto, Portugal
- Bachelor in Economics and Management - Economic Analysis** with honours 2016-2019
 University of Strasbourg, France

TEACHING POSITION

- Faculty of Economics and Management (FSEG)** University of Strasbourg, France
Teaching assistant at the department of Economics 2021 — Ongoing
- Macroeconomics II, 2nd-year bachelor students, 48H (2022-2024)
 - Macroeconomics I, 1st-year bachelor students, 120H (2021-2024)
 - Microeconomics III, 2nd-year bachelor students, 30H (2021-2022)
- DHBW Karlsruhe** Karlsruhe, Germany
Teaching assistant May 2024 — July 2024
- Money and Currency, 2nd-year bachelor students, 10H
- Faculty of Economics and Management (FSEG)** University of Strasbourg, France
Tutoring for second-year students 2021
- Macroeconomics, Microeconomics, Statistics, Mathematics

PUBLICATIONS IN PEER REVIEWED INTERNATIONAL JOURNALS

Amélie Barbier-Gauchard, Thierry Betti, Theo Metz, **Fiscal multipliers, public debt anchor and government credibility in a behavioural macroeconomic model**, *European Journal of Political Economy*, 2023, 102457, ISSN 0176-2680, <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.ejpoleco.2023.102457>, *HCERS rank A*, *CNRS rank 2*.

WORK IN PROGRESS

Theo Metz, **New Fiscal Transparency Index and Public Debt Borrowing Costs**, 2024.

COMMUNICATIONS

Fiscal multipliers, public debt anchor and government credibility in a behavioural macroeconomic model

- 8th European Workshop on Political Macroeconomics Sofia, June 2024
- 6th Doctoral workshop on Quantitative Dynamic Economics Strasbourg, October 2023
- Workshop on Scarring, hysteresis, and investment in Europe College of Europe, Bruges, November 2022
- 1st International Workshop on Economic Growth and Macroeconomic Dynamics Online, September 2022
- Tinbergen Institute Summer School on Behavioural Macro and Complexity Online, August 2022
- 10th UECE Conference on Economic and Financial Adjustment Lisbon, July 2022
- 19th Augustin Cournot Doctoral Days, poster session Strasbourg, May 2022
- ERMEES seminar Strasbourg, April 2022

New Fiscal Transparency Index and Public Debt Borrowing Costs

- 23rd Journées LAGV Marseille, June 2024
- 26th INFER Annual Conference Chania, June 2024
- Journée des doctorants du BETA Nancy, May 2024
- 10^e Journée Doctorale d'Analyse des Politiques Publiques Le Havre, March 2024
- ERMEES seminar Strasbourg, December 2023

PARTICIPATION TO SCIENTIFIC ACTIVITIES

- Organization member of the **fifth ERMEES workshop** Strasbourg, December 2023
Information
- Member of the scientific committee of the 1st **BETA Workshop on DSGE Models** Strasbourg, May 2022
Information
- President of the 20th edition of the **Augustin Cournot Doctoral School (ACDD)** Strasbourg, May 2022
Program
- Organization member of the **38th International Symposium on Money, Banking and Finance**, annual meeting of the European Research Group (GdRE) on Money Banking and Finance Strasbourg, June 2022
Program
- Organization member of the **fourth ERMEES workshop** Strasbourg, December 2021
Information

ADMINISTRATIVE RESPONSIBILITIES

- Member of the Augustin Cournot Doctoral School Council 2021 — Ongoing
- Member of the Faculty of Economics and Management Council 2021 — 2023

DISSEMINATION PAPERS

Institutions budgétaires indépendantes dans l'UE : présentations et perspectives futures, Théo Metz, Bulletin de l'Observatoire des politiques économiques en Europe, Observatoire des Politiques Économiques en Europe (OPEE), 2022, vol. 46(1), pages 77-88, September, [Permanent link](#)

PARTICIPATION TO SUMMER SCHOOL

- Macroeconomics - Understanding macroeconomic fluctuations Paris School of Economics (PSE), June 2022
Topics:
 - Essential concepts and state-of-the art research in international finance, heterogeneous agents models (HANK model), the analysis of asset bubbles, financial crises, and employment fluctuations.
- Behavioural Macroeconomic and Complexity Tinbergen Institute, August 2022
Topics:
 - Animal spirits and boom and bust cycles
 - Bounded rationality and adaptive learning
 - Complex dynamics, tipping points, chaos and bifurcations

- Heterogeneous expectations in asset pricing and macroeconomic models
- Macro laboratory experiments
- Monetary policy and asset prices under bounded rationality

SKILLS

- **Programming software and typesetting:** Matlab, Dynare, R, Stata, Eviews, L^AT_EX, and MS Office
- **Languages:** French (mother's tongue), English (fluent)