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Fields of Interest

Experimental/Behavioral Economics, Public Economics/Finance

Current Positions

Assistant professor School of Finance Renmin University of China
Since Sept. 2016

Deputy director of inspection division Beijing local taxation bureau
Since Nov. 2016

Associate Member of GATE, CNRS, Lyon, France Since Sept. 2016

Past Positions

Lecturer	Burgundy School of Business	2015 Nov. – 2016 July
Lecturer	University of Lyon 1	2014 Sept. – 2015 Sept.
Instructor	University of Lyon 2	2012 Sept. – 2013 Sept.

Education

Ph.D. in Economics University of Lyon 2016 March
Three essays on audit policies Supervisor: Prof. Marie Claire Villeval
M.Sc. in Economics University of Lyon 2 2011 Sept.
B.A. in Economics ZhongNan University of Finance and Economics 2008 July

Other Education

International Max Planck Research School on Adapting Behavior in a
Fundamental Uncertain World, IMPRS Summer School, *University of JENA,*
Germany. 2013 July- 2013 Aug

Visiting Position

Visiting scholar of CIRANO (*Center for Inter-University Research and Analysis
of Organizations*), *University of Montreal, Invited by Prof. Claude
MONTMARQUETTE, President and Chief Executive Officer and Vice-
President Public Policies of CIRANO, Montreal, Canada.* 2013 Nov – 2014 May

Academic Publications

- Ambiguity on audits and cooperation in a public goods game with sanctions, with Hogarth, R.M., Villeval, M.C. ***European Economic Review***, 74 (2015)146-162
- The Efficiency of Crackdowns: A-Lab-in-the-Field Experiment in Public Transportations, with *Galeotti, F., Villeval, M.C.* Winner of the best paper award of AFSEE 2015, forthcoming in ***Theory and Decision***
- Cheating in the Lab Predicts Cheating in the Field! An Experiment in Public Transportations, with *Galeotti, F., Villeval, M.C.* forthcoming in ***Management science***

Other Publications

- "The best fund manager in France: Christian Cambier" ***Modern financiers***, in *Chinese*, 08/2010
- "Banque de Savoie: the service of approximation" ***Modern financiers***, in *Chinese*, 07/2010

Working papers

- Endogenous Crackdowns, Theory and Experimental Evidence
- A Portrait of the Individual Investor, Survey Evidence from 17 Provinces in China, with *Meng, Y, Odin, N.* Media coverage: Featured in ***Les Echos*** 02/02/2016 : « *Bourse : portrait-robot du spéculateur chinois* ».

Working in progress

- Testing fare evasion in the lab: the moral cost of dishonesty, with *Galeotti, F., Villeval, M.C.*
- Do bad examples lead to more fraud? Theory and experimental evidence

Honors, Awards & Fellowships

- 2017-2019 Fundamental Research Funds for the Central Universities and the Research Funds of Renmin University of China (17XNB002), PI
- 2017-2019 Initial Research Funds of Renmin University of China, PI
- 2015 AFSEE best paper award
- 2015 Chinese Government Award for Outstanding Self-Financed Students Abroad, *China Scholarship Council*

- 2014-2017 Member of Project FELIS (Fraud and Economics Lies: Information and Strategies, ANR), *PI: Prof. Marie Claire Villeval*
- 2014-2015 Member of Project Fraud in Public Transport of Group Keolis, *PI: Prof. Marie Claire Villeval*
- 2012-2019 Member of Project Cortex (Construction, Cognitive Function, Rehabilitation and Repair of the Cortex), *PI: Prof. Marie Claire Villeval*
- 2011-2014 Doctoral Grant, French Research Ministry, *France*
- 2013-2014 Explora'doc, Rhone-Alpes Regional Council, *Lyon, France*
- 2012-2013 Aires Culturelles, French Research ministry, *France*
- 2005-2006 Third grade of the 1st Paper Contest of "BOWEN" (For the top 1%), ZhongNan University of Economics and Law, *China*
- 2005-2006 Award of special contribution to the university, ZhongNan University of Economics and Law, *China*
- 2005-2006 "Excellent organizer", Department of Economics and Management, ZhongNan University of Economics and Law, *China*

Presentations and workshops

2016

- AFSEE, 7th Annual meeting of the French Experimental Economic Association, 09-10 June, 2016, Cergy, Paris, *France*
- 65th AFSE (French Economic Association) Annual meeting, 27-29 June, 2016, Nancy, *France*
- BNU Experimental Economics Workshop, 24-25 Dec, 2016, Beijing, *China*
- SJTU Experimental Economics Workshop, 29-30 Oct, 2016, Shanghai, *China*
- Public Finance Forum, Renmin university of China, 28 Sept, 2016, Beijing, *China*
- Advanced public finance forum, Renmin university of China, 19 Nov, 2016, Beijing, *China*

2015

- The 4th BEE workshop with Toulouse school of economics, 7-8 December, 2015, Lyon, *France*
- The 2015 SEBA-GATE Workshop, 5-6 Oct 2015, Lyon, *France*.
- European meeting of the Economic Science Association, 2-6 Sept, 2015, Heidelberg, *Germany*

- CBESS, CeDEx and CREED (CCC) Meeting, 22-23 *June, 2015, Norwich, UK*
- AFSEE, 6th Annual meeting of the French Experimental Economic Association, 15-16 *June, 2015, Paris, France*
- 1st Behavioral Ethics Seminar, 02 *April, 2015, Lyon, France*

2014

- 63th AFSE (French Economic Association) Annual meeting, 16-18 *June, 2014, Lyon, France*
- CIREQ Montreal Applied Economics Conference, 04-05 *April 2014, Montreal, Canada*
- CIREQ Montreal Matching Conference, 22-23 *March 2014, Montreal, Canada*
The social and environmental entrepreneurship workshop, 28 *February 2014, Montreal, Canada*

2013

- Best Practices in the Field of Tax Collection Workshop, World Customs Organization, *Brussels, 24-25 Sept 2013, Belgium*
- The 1st Lyon - Turin Economics and Management PhD Workshop, *July, 2013, Ecully, France*
- AFSEE, 4th Annual Meeting of the French Experimental Economic Association, *June 2013, Lyon, France*

2012

- ESA, Economic Science Association, World meeting, *June 2012, New York, USA*
- AFSEE, Annual meeting of the French Experimental Economic Association, *June 2012, Montpellier, France*
- 11th Journées Louis-Andre Gerard-Varet, *June 2013, Marseille, France*
- 3rd BEE Workshop with Toulouse school of economics, *November, 2012, Toulouse, France*

2011

- Experiments on Motivation, Incentives, and Rationality Workshop 25 and 26 *March 2011, Lyon, France.*
- The 2nd BEE Workshop with Toulouse school of economics, 9 and 10 *May 2011, Lyon, France.*
- The SEBA-GATE Workshop, 7 and 8 *June 2011, Lyon, France.*

Invited seminars

- Concordia University, *March 2014, Montreal, Canada.*
- Caishui forum, Renmin University, Sept, 2016, Beijing, China
- BNU, Dec, 2016
- Shanghai jiaotong University, Experimental Forum, Oct 2016
- Xi'an jiaotong University, March, 2017

Service (Referee)

- Journal of Public Economics
- Journal of economic behavior and organization
- Journal of Transport Policy
- Police Practice and Research- An International Journal

Teaching experience (*in English* * *in French*)

- **Macroeconomics**, Undergraduate level, *Burgundy school of Business, Lyon, France.* 2015-2016
- **International Economic Theory**, Undergraduate level, *University of Lyon 1, Lyon, France.* 2014-2015
- **Industrial Economics**, Undergraduate level, *University of Lyon 1, Lyon, France.* 2014-2015
- **International Risk Management**, Undergraduate level, *University of Lyon 1, Lyon, France.* 2014-2015
- **Quantitative Tools for Marketing**, Undergraduate level, *University of Lyon 1, Lyon, France.* 2014-2015
- ***Mathematics**, Undergraduate level (Bachelor of Economics), *University of Lyon 2, Lyon, France.* 2012-2013
- ***Mathematics**, Undergraduate level (Bachelor of Science), *University of Lyon 2, Lyon, France.* 2012-2013
- ***Mathematics**, Undergraduate level (Bachelor of Art), *University of Lyon 2, Lyon, France.* 2012-2013

Administrative Roles & Service

- 2014-2015 Member of the selection committee for the best enterprise creation project (Concours de l'essaimage), Departement of Business & Administration, *University of Lyon 1*
- 2012-2015 Elected as Ph.D. representative at the research center council of GATE-LSE, *CNRS*
- 2012-2015 Elected as Ph.D. representative for GATE Web, *CNRS*
- 2013-2015 Vice-president of the Association of Chinese researchers and Students in Lyon

Professional Affiliations

- AEA (American Economic Association)
- AFSE (French Economic Association)
- AFSEE (French Experimental Economics Association)
- ESA (Economics Science Association)

Language & Skills

- Language: Chinese (native), English (Fluent), French (Fluent)
- Skills: Stata, R, Latex, Z-tree (Experimental tool for economists)