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## Professional Appointments

- from 2015 *Lecturer in Science and Technology Studies* (permanent post)  
Department of Science and Technology Studies, University College London, UK.
- 2012-2015 *Senior Research Associate*  
*Principal Investigator* "Economics in the Public Sphere" (more details below)  
Department of History and Philosophy of Science, University of Cambridge, UK.  
*Fellow*  
Darwin College, Cambridge, UK.
- 2010-2011 *Senior Research Fellow*  
Center for the History of Political Economy, Duke University, USA.  
*Co-director*  
Summer Institute on the History of Economics, USA.
- 2008-2010 *Assistant Professor in the History of Economics*  
Amsterdam School of Economics, Universiteit van Amsterdam, Netherlands.
- 2006-2008 *Postdoctoral Fellow*  
Faculty of Economics, Duke University, USA.  
Department of Economics, Technical University of Lisbon, Portugal.
- 2005-2006 *Postdoctoral Fellow*  
Department of Science and Technology Studies, University College London, UK.

## Education

- 2001-2005 *PhD in Economic History*  
London School of Economics and Political Science, UK.  
“Dissent in Economics - Making Radical Political Economics and Post Keynesian Economics, 1960-80.”
- 2000-2001 *MPhil in Economics*  
University of Cambridge, UK.
- 1996-2000 *Licenciatura in Economics*  
Technical University of Lisbon, Portugal.

## Grants

- 2012-2016 European Research Council (ERC), Starting Grant, EU.  
Project: “Economics in the Public Sphere: USA, UK, France, Argentina and Brazil since 1945.” Principal Investigator (award: c. 1.450.000 EUR).  
Collaborators: Dr. Tomas Undurraga, Dr. Scott Anthony, Dr. Andrea Salter, Dr. John Morris, Dr. Victoria Habermehl, Dr. Asa Cusack, Ms. Magali Krasny.  
<http://www.ucl.ac.uk/sts/econpublic>
- 2006-2008 Foundation for Science and Technology (FCT), Portugal.  
Postdoctoral project: “Communicating Economic Knowledge to the Public, USA and UK in the 1970s.” Single Investigator. (award: c. 45.000 EUR).
- 2005-2006 Economic and Social Research Council (ESRC), UK.  
Postdoctoral project: “Dissent in Modern Economics and Dissent in Natural Science.” Single Investigator. (award: c. 26.000 GBP).

## Prizes

- 2016 Clarence Ayres Scholar, Association for Evolutionary Economics, USA.
- 2010 Van der Schroeff Award for Best Teacher at the Faculty of Economics and Business, Universiteit van Amsterdam, Netherlands.
- 2009 Long List for Teacher of the Year, Universiteit van Amsterdam, Netherlands.
- 2007 Joseph Dorfman Best Dissertation Award, History of Economics Society, USA.
- 2000 Graduation prize, Technical University of Lisbon, Portugal.

## Visiting Positions

- 2013 Department of History, Columbia University, USA.
- 2008 Institut National Etudes Demographiques, Paris, France.

## Publications

### Books

- in prep. *Radical Expectations: How the New Left Tried to Change Economics*. Cambridge University Press (under contract, forthcoming early 2019).
- 2018 *The Economist in History: The Political Economy of Liberal Journalism* (editor of collection of essays). Cambridge University Press.
- 2013 *The Economist as Public Intellectual* (edited with Steven G. Medema) special issue of *History of Political Economy*. Duke University Press.

### Journal Articles

- subm. “The imagined public in the media writings of Paul Samuelson and Milton Friedman.”
- forth. “The Managerial Ideal and Business Magazines during the Great Depression” *Enterprise and Society*.
- 2018 “Economics - and history - as communicative action.” *History of Political Economy*.
- 2017 “Capitalist Threads: Engels the Businessman and Marx’s Capital” (with R. Van Horn) *History of Political Economy* 49(2): 207-232.
- 2014 “Identifying the Science and Technology Dimensions of Emerging Public Policy Issues through Horizon Scanning.” (with M. Parker et al) *PLoS ONE* 9(5): e96480.
- 2013 “Cultures of Expertise and the Public Interventions of Economists” (with Steven G. Medema) *History of Political Economy* 45(5): 1-19.
- 2012 “National Science Foundation Patronage of Social Science, 1970s and 1980s: Congressional Scrutiny, Advocacy Network, and the Prestige of Economics” (with T. Scheiding) *Minerva* 50(4): 423-449.
- 2011 “Introduction: The History of Economics as a History of Practice” (with H. Maas and J. B. Davis) *European Journal of the History of Economic Thought* 18(5): 1-8.
- 2011 “Trust in Independence: The Identities of Economists in Business Magazines, 1945-1970.” *Journal of the History of the Behavioral Sciences* 47(4): 359-379.
- 2011 “Fractals in Economic Journalism.” *History of Political Economy* 43(2): 379-385.
- 2010 “The Enemy Within: Academic Freedom in 1960s and 1970s American Social Sciences.” *History of Political Economy* 42(5): 77-104.
- 2010 “Transgressing the boundaries: Towards a Transformative Hermeneutics of Behavioral Economics.” *KRISIS: Journal for Contemporary Philosophy*, n.3: 38-46.
- 2009 “Inside the Black Box: The Role of Shocking Errors in Growth Theory.” (with F. Louçã) *History of Political Economy*, 41(5): 334-355.
- 2009 “Migrations and Boundary Work: Harvard, Radical Economists and the Committee on Political Discrimination.” *Science in Context* 22(1): 115-143.
- 2007 “The Role of Life Histories in Writing the History of Heterodox Economics: Identity and Difference in Radical Economics.” (with F. S. Lee) *History of Political Economy* 39(5): 154-171.
- 2004 “Constructing Identity: The Post Keynesians and the Capital Controversies.” *Journal of the History of Economic Thought*, 26(2), June: 241-249.

## Book Chapters

- 2011 “Invasion of the Bloggers: a Preliminary Study on the Demography and Content of the Economic Blogosphere.” in *Companion to Recent Economic Methodology*, D. Wade Hands and John B. Davis (eds.) Edward Elgar, chapter 21, pp. 514-524.
- 2011 “Godley Moves in Mysterious Ways: Economic Judgment in Postwar Britain.” in *Contributions in Stock-Flow Modeling: Essays in Honor of Wynne Godley*, D. Papadimitrou and G. Zezza (eds.) Palgrave, chapter 2, pp. 12-35.
- 2010 “Os Instrumentos e Usos dos Economistas.” in *A Economia sem Muros*, Jose Maria Castro Caldas e Vitor Neves (eds.) Coimbra: Almedina. pp. 205-217.

## Book Reviews

- 2017 Review of Craufurd Goodwin. “Walter Lippman: Public Economist.” *Journal of the History of Economic Thought*, 39(2): 281-283 .
- 2017 Review of Alessandro Lanteri and Jack Vromen, eds., “The economics of economists.” *Journal of Economic Methodology*, 24(1): 104-108.
- 2016 Review of Floris Heukelom. “Behavioral Economics: A History.” *Journal of the History of the Behavioral Sciences*, 52(1): 80-81.
- 2016 Review of Michael Szenberg and Lall B. Ramrattan, eds., “Eminent Economists II ” *Journal of the History of Economic Thought*, 38(1): 119-121.
- 2013 Review of Mark Solovey and Hamilton Cravens “Cold War Social Science” *British Journal for the History of Science*, 46(3): 542-543.
- 2013 Review of Philip Mirowski’s “Science-Mart” *Journal of Economic Methodology*, 20(1): 75-81.
- 2012 Review of Andrew Yarrow’s “Measuring America: How Economic Growth Came to Define American Greatness in the Late Twentieth Century” *History of Political Economy*, 44(4): 715-717.
- 2011 Review of Roger E. Backhouse and Philippe Fontaine’s “The History of the Social Sciences since 1945.” *History of Economic Ideas* 19(2): 224-226.
- 2011 Review of Daniel Geary’s “Radical Ambition: C. Wright Mills, the Left and American Social Thought.” *Journal of the History of Economic Thought* 33(3): 408-409.
- 2008 Review of Gilles Dostaler’s “Keynes and His Battles” *History of Economic Ideas*, 16(3): 149-150.
- 2004 Review of Jack Birner’s “The Cambridge Controversies in Capital Theory” *History of Economic Ideas*, 12(1), September: 151-154.

## Popular Writings

- 2017 ‘Automatic for the People’, *First 100 Days, narratives of normalization and disruption*, Harvard STS program, <http://first100days.stsprogram.org/2017/05/04/automatic-for-the-people/>.
- 2007-2014 *History of Economics Playground*, blog hosted by the Institute for New Economic

Thinking (INET) since 2011 - <http://ineteconomics.org/blog/playground> (previously <http://historyofeconomics.wordpress.com/>).

- 2011-2012 Six essays, *Fortnight* - <http://fortnightjournal.com/contributors/339>.
- 2011 “‘Não reduzam o déficit’ diz o fantasma de Keynes” *Jornal de Negócios*, 20 Abril: 44.
- 2011 “Juiz em causa própria” *Jornal de Negócios*, 18 Janeiro: 38.
- 2010 “O sangue que foi dádiva” *Público*, Economia, 20 Junho: 24.
- 2009 “Economistas em Alta em Tempo de Crise” *Público*, Economia, 9 Janeiro: 9.

## Talks

### Keynote addresses

- 2016 “The Epochs of the Economist Magazine”, LIII. Jahrestagung der Gesellschaft für Wissenschaftsgeschichte, Düsseldorf, Germany.
- 2016 “When schools of economics become social movements: lessons from the history of radical economics”, Australian Society for the History of Economic Thought Annual Meeting, Melbourne, Australia.
- 2015 “When economists lead social movements”, 6th CES International Seminar on the Foundations of Economics, Lisbon, Portugal.
- 2012 “The Economic Origins of the Documentary Genre”, History of Economics Society Annual Meeting, Brock University, Canada.
- 2010 “Narratives of Crisis”, SWR-Hendrik Muller-seminaar, “Een Crisis in Verhalen.” Internationale School voor de Wijsbegeerte, Leusden, Netherlands.
- 2007 “Dissenting Identities in Sixties Economics”, History of Economics Society Annual Meeting, George Mason University, USA.
- 2007 “Economic Drama: Leonard Silk at Business Week, 1954-1969”, Summer Institute for the Preservation of the History of Economics, George Mason University, USA.

### International Conferences

“More Roads from Mont Pelerin” WZB, Berlin (2016), “Economic Liberalism: Foundations and Rhetoric”, Graz (2016), World Wildlife Fund workshop on Green Economy, Stockholm (2016), “The translation of economic ideas in the Iberian Peninsula”, Kings College London (2015), “Spaces of Evidence”, Goldsmiths College (2014), International Congress on the History of Science Technology and Medicine (2013), Allied Social Science Associations Annual Meeting (2016, 2013, 2011, 2009), History of Economics Society Annual Meeting (2017, 2012, 2011, 2009, 2007, 2006, 2005, 2003, 2002), European Society for the History of Science (2012), European Conference in the History of Economic Thought (2015, 2012, 2006), History of Science Society meetings (2010), Science and Democracy Network (2016, 2010, 2008), History of Political Economy Conference (2009, 2008, 2006), Iberian Meeting on the History of Economic Thought (2009), Workshop on History of Economics as Culture (2009), History of Recent Economics Conference (2016, 2007), History of Heterodox Economics Conference (2002).

## Seminar Series

Faculty of Economics, Universidade of Sao Paulo (2016), Oxford STS seminar series (2015), Historical and Philosophical Perspectives on Economics, London (2014), University of Pompeu Fabra (2014), Waseda University (2014), Historical and Philosophical Perspectives on Economics (2014), DKplus, History of Science unit, University of Vienna (2014), Communications Colloquium, Columbia Journalism School (2013), Department of History and Philosophy of Science, University of Cambridge (2012), Public Understanding of Science, London (2012), TRIANGLE, ENS de Lyons (2012), Department of Science and Technology Studies, Virginia Institute of Technology (2010), Center for the History of Political Economy, Duke University (2010), Faculty of Economics, University of Antwerp (2009), Virtual Knowledge Studio, Rotterdam (2009), Radboud-Nijmegen Business School (2009), Department of Economics, University of Porto (2008), Department of Science Studies, University of California San Diego (2007), École Normale Supérieure de Cachan, Paris (2007), Department of Economics, ISCTE, Portugal (2007), Department of Science and Technology Studies, University College London (2006, 2014), Department of Philosophy, Logic and Scientific Method, London School of Economics (2006), ISEG, Technical University of Lisbon (2004).

## Professional Service

- from 2017 Member of the Executive Committee of the History of Economics Society.
- from 2014 Member of Editorial Board of *Research in the History and Methodology of Economic Thought*.
- from 2010 Member of Editorial Board of the *Journal of Economic Methodology*.
- from 2008 Member of the Science and Democracy Network.
- 2012 Chairman of the Joseph Spengler Book Prize Committee of the History of Economics Society.
- 2007-2012 Member of the Organizing Committee of History of Recent Economics Conference.
- 2009-2011 Member of the Joseph Spengler Book Prize Committee of the History of Economics Society.

## Conference Organising

- 2012-2016 Co-organizer of “Economics in the Public Sphere” project conferences/workshops:
  - “Interrogating Economics in the Public Sphere” (2013)
  - “Economic Reason: Intellectuals and Think-Tanks in the Late 20th Century” (2013)
  - “175 Years of The Economist” (2015)
  - “Economics in Film” partnered with the British Film Institute (2015)
  - “Brazilian Media and the Journalistic Field” (2015)
  - “The text analysis of media text” (2015)
  - “Half a day on FAZ: the History of the Frankfurter Allgemeine Zeitung” (2015)
  - “The Regulation of Public Numbers” (2016)
  - “Social Reproduction and Everyday Economy” (2016)
  - “Social Studies of the Economy” (2016).
- 2012 Co-organiser of the *History of Political Economy* Conference, “The Economist as

Public Intellectual.”

- 2011, 2008 Organizer of History of Recent Economics Conference ([HISRECO](#)).
- 2010 Co-organiser of a one-day workshop on historiography “From the History of Economics towards Histories about Economics.”
- 2010 Co-organiser of the Annual Meeting of the European Society for the History of Economic Thought ([ESHET](#)).

## Teaching Experience

### Lecture Courses

- 2016-2017 *University College London*  
1<sup>st</sup> year undergraduates: Investigating Science and Society (10 wks, intro to social research and methods).  
3<sup>rd</sup> year undergraduates: History of the Social Sciences: inequality and social control (10 wks).  
MSc students: The Political Economy of Science (10 wks).
- 2012-2014 *University of Cambridge*  
3<sup>rd</sup> year undergraduates: Ethics and Politics of Science (4 lectures on Science Journalism), Mind and Society (4 lectures on Keynes).
- 2011-2012 *Duke University*  
1<sup>st</sup> year undergraduates: The History of Economic Thought - The Courtier, the advocate, the expert and engineer (trimester course).
- 2008-2010 *University of Amsterdam*  
3<sup>rd</sup> year undergraduates: History and Methodology of Economics - Economics as Engineering; History and Methodology of Economics - The politics of Economics (trimester courses).  
2<sup>nd</sup> year undergraduates: Economic Methodology; History of Economic Theory; Qualitative Methods of Research (trimester courses).
- 2009-2010 *Amsterdam University College*  
1<sup>st</sup> year undergraduates: Contemporary Economic Thought in a Historical Perspective (semester).
- 2002-2004 *London School of Economics*  
3<sup>rd</sup> year undergraduates: History of Economics: How Theories Change (as Teaching Assistant)

### Supervisions

- from 2015 MSc (UCL): science policy and science communication.
- from 2015 Undergraduate 3<sup>rd</sup> year (UCL): social policy, Social Studies of Finance.
- 2012-2015 MPhil (Cambridge): various topics in the history of Social Science.
- 2012-2015 Undergraduate 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> year (Cambridge): Social Studies of Finance, Public Engagement with Science.
- 2010-2011 MSc (Amsterdam): Environmental Policy, Health Policy.

Referee for publishers Oxford University Press and Duke University Press.

Referee for journals *Social Studies of Science*; *Public Understanding of Science*; *Journal of the History of Behavioral Economics*; *History of Economic Thought and Policy*; *Revista de Historia Economica*; *Cambridge Journal of Economics*; *Journal of Economic Methodology*; *History of Political Economy*; *Science in Context*; *European Journal of the History of Economic Thought*; *Journal of the History of Economic Thought*; *Nova Economia*; *Erasmus Journal for Philosophy and Economics*; *Technological Forecasting and Social Change*.

## Languages

English (fluent), Portuguese (native speaker); Spanish (advanced); German, French (intermediate); Dutch (beginner).

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