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### EDUCATION

<b>Ph.D. in Economics</b>	<b>University of Chicago (USA)</b>	2000-2005
<i>Dissertation: "Joining the EU: Capital Flows, Migration and Wages"</i>		
<i>Advisers: Robert Lucas; Casey Mulligan; Nancy Stokey (chair).</i>		
<i>Fields of Specialization: Economic Growth, Public Finance.</i>		
<b>M.A. in Economics</b>	<b>University of Chicago (USA)</b>	2000-2001
<b>M.Sc. in Economics</b>	<b>Katholieke Universiteit Leuven (Belgium)</b>	1997-1998
<b>Licenciatura in Economics</b>	<b>Universidade Católica Portuguesa (Portugal)</b>	1993-1997
<i>Visiting Student</i>	<b>University of Warwick (UK)</b>	1996-1997

### CURRENT POSITIONS AND PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

<b>Universidade Nova de Lisboa, Nova School of Business and Economics (Portugal)</b>	
<i>Associate Professor with Habilitation in International Economics</i>	2015 –
<b>NOVAFRICA Research Center, Nova School of Business and Economics (Portugal)</b>	
<i>Founder and Scientific Director</i>	2015 –
<b>JPAL Europe (France)</b>	
<i>Invited Researcher</i>	2020 –
<b>Center for Research and Analysis of Migration (CREAM) (UK)</b>	
<i>Research Fellow</i>	2011 –
<b>Institute for the Study of Labor (IZA) (Germany)</b>	
<i>Research Fellow</i>	2005 –

### PAST POSITIONS

<b>University of Notre Dame, Keough School of Global Affairs and Department of Economics (USA)</b>	
<i>Kellogg Institute Visiting Fellow</i>	2017-2018
<b>Universidade Nova de Lisboa, Nova School of Business and Economics (Portugal)</b>	
<i>Assistant Professor with Habilitation in International Economics</i>	2014 – 2015
<i>Assistant Professor</i>	2011 – 2014
<b>NOVAFRICA Research Center, Nova School of Business and Economics (Portugal)</b>	
<i>Founding Executive Director</i>	2011 – 2015

<b>Trinity College Dublin</b> , Department of Economics (Ireland)	
<i>Assistant Professor</i>	2008 – 2011
<b>University of Oxford</b> , Department of Economics (UK)	
<i>Postdoctoral Research Fellow</i>	2005 – 2008
<b>University of Chicago</b> , Department of Economics (USA)	
<i>Lecturer</i>	2003 – 2005
<b>World Bank</b> (USA)	
<i>Consultant</i>	2011 – 2013
<b>International Growth Centre</b> (UK)	
<i>Consultant</i>	2011 – 2012
<b>International Monetary Fund</b> (USA)	
<i>Economist</i>	2003 – 2003
<b>Universidade Católica Portuguesa</b> , FCEE and CEA (Portugal)	
<i>Teaching and Research Assistant</i>	1998 – 2000

## MAIN FIELDS OF INTEREST

International Migration, Financial Inclusion, Technology Adoption, Entrepreneurship, Education, Policy Impact Evaluation.

## PUBLICATIONS

“Adopting Mobile Money: Evidence from an Experiment in Rural Africa” (joint with Pedro C. Vicente), *American Economic Association P&P*, volume 110: pp. 594–598, May 2020.

“Improving Access to Savings through Mobile Money: Experimental Evidence from African Smallholder Farmers” (joint with Pedro C. Vicente), *World Development*, volume 129: 104905, May 2020.

“Do Migrant Social Networks Shape Political Attitudes and Behavior at Home?” (joint with Julia Seither and Pedro C. Vicente), *World Development*, volume 117: pp. 328-343, May 2019.

“Migrant Remittances and Information Flows: Evidence from a Field Experiment” (joint with Gaia Narciso), *World Bank Economic Review*, volume 32 (1): pp. 203–219, February 2018.

“Return Migration, Self-Selection and Entrepreneurship” (joint with Tara McIndoe-Calder and Pedro C. Vicente), *Oxford Bulletin of Economics and Statistics*, volume 79: pp. 797–821, October 2017.

“Do Migrants Send Remittances as a way of Self-Insurance?” (joint with Janis Umblijs), *Oxford Economic Papers*, volume 68 (1): pp. 108-130, January 2016.

“Directed Giving: Evidence from an Inter-Household Transfer Experiment” (joint with Dan Silverman and Dean Yang), *Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization*, volume 118: pp. 2-21, October 2015. (Lead Article.)

- “International Specialization and the Return to Capital” (joint with Jacques Potin), *B.E. Journal of Macroeconomics (Advances)*, volume 15 (2): pp. 467–508, January 2015.
- “Migration, Risk Attitudes, and Entrepreneurship: Evidence from a Representative Immigrant Survey” (joint with Janis Umblijs), *IZA Journal of Migration*, volume 17 – 3, September 2014.
- “Stages of Diversification in a Neoclassical World” (joint with Jacques Potin), *Economics Letters*, volume 122 (2): pp. 276–284, February 2014.
- “Testing the ‘Brain Gain’ Hypothesis: Micro Evidence from Cape Verde” (joint with Aitor Lacuesta and Pedro C. Vicente), *Journal of Development Economics*, volume 97(1): pp. 32–45, January 2012.
- “Do Migrants Improve Governance at Home? Evidence from a Voting Experiment”, (joint with Pedro C. Vicente), *World Bank Economic Review*, volume 25(1), pp. 77-104, May 2011.

## **WORKING PAPERS**

- “Testing Classic Theories of Migration in the Lab” (joint with David McKenzie), *NOVAFRICA Working Paper*.
- “Closing the Gender Gap in Financial Management and Performance: Experimental Evidence” (joint with Sandra Sequeira and Pedro C. Vicente), *NOVAFRICA Working Paper*.
- “Reference Points and Entrepreneurship: Evidence from a Field Experiment on Aspirations, Goal Setting, and Business Skills” (joint with Julia Seither), *NOVAFRICA Working Paper No. 1906*.
- “Is Mobile Money Changing Rural Africa? Evidence from a Field Experiment” (joint with Pedro C. Vicente), *NOVAFRICA Working Paper No. 1805*.
- “Why do People Migrate Irregularly? Evidence from a Lab in the Field Experiment in West Africa” (joint with Tijan Bah), *NOVAFRICA Working Paper No. 1803*.
- “Keep It Simple: A field experiment on information sharing in social networks” (joint with Marcel Fafchamps and Pedro C. Vicente), *NOVAFRICA Working Paper No. 1801*.
- “Migrant networks and migrant intentions to return” (joint with Francesco Cestari), *NOVAFRICA Working Paper No. 1602*.
- “Assessing the role of social networks on migrant labor market outcomes” (joint with Ana Isabel Costa), *NOVAFRICA Working Paper No. 1601*.
- “Introducing Mobile Money in Rural Mozambique: Evidence from a Field Experiment” (joint with Pedro C. Vicente), *NOVAFRICA Working Paper No. 1301*.

## WORK IN PROGRESS

- “Can Information and Alternatives to Irregular Migration Reduce “Backway” Migration from the Gambia?” (joint with Tijan Bah, Flore Gubert and David McKenzie) Registered Report accepted at *Journal of Development Economics*
- “Integrating Immigrants as a Tool for Broad Development” (joint with Sonia Dias and Julia Seither)
- “Raising Educational Aspirations” (joint with Jose Tavares and Wayne Sandholtz)
- “Grade Shaming or Healthy Competition? How Public Relative Performance Feedback Affects Students’ Achievements” (joint with Alex Coutts and Julia Seither)
- “Promoting Migrant Remittances using Mobile Money: Evidence from a Field Experiment” (joint with Pedro C. Vicente)
- “How Effective is Unemployment Training in Recession Times? Evidence from a Randomized Impact Evaluation”

## PERMANENT WORKING PAPERS

- “Why Doesn’t Labor Flow from Poor to Rich Countries? Micro Evidence from the European Integration Experience”, *Oxford Working Paper No. 402*, August 2008.
- “Joining the EU: Capital Flows, Migration and Wages”, *Oxford Working Paper No. 342*, August 2007.
- “Brain Drain or Brain Gain? Micro Evidence from an African Success Story” (joint with Aitor Lacuesta and Pedro C. Vicente), *IZA Discussion Paper No. 3035*, August 2007.
- “Can the Fund's Medium-Term Growth Projections Be Improved?” (joint with Juan Zalduendo), *IMF Working Paper No. 04/203*, October 2004.

## OTHER PUBLICATIONS

- “International Migration and the Transfer of Political Norms: Examples from Cape Verde and Mozambique” (joint with Julia Seither, and Pedro Vicente). In L. Chauvet; F. Gubert; T. Jaulin; S. Mesplé-Soms (eds.), *Migrants: Agents of Political Change in Africa?*, DeBoeck, January 2018.
- “Lessons from a pilot randomised impact evaluation of farmer participatory innovative agricultural practices” (joint with Gharad Bryan and Dean Karlan), *International Growth Center Policy Note*, August 2017.
- “The diffusion of mobile money: Evidence from a lab experiment in the field” (joint with Marcel Fafchamps and Pedro C. Vicente), *International Growth Center Policy Note*, January 2016.
- “Remittance flows to developing countries: trends, importance and impact” (joint with Gaia Narciso and Carol Newman), in Louis Brennan (ed.), *Enacting Globalization:*

*Multidisciplinary Perspectives on International Integration*, Palgrave Macmillan, December 2013.

“Primary Sector in Sao Tome and Principe - Challenges and Opportunities for International Trade Integration”, in Olivier Cadot (ed.), *Diagnostic Trade Integration Study*, World Bank, September 2013.

“Migrant Remittances and Information Flows: Evidence from a Randomized Field Experiment” (joint with Gaia Narciso), *Migration: New Developments*, 19, Spring 2013.

“Migrant Remittances and Risk Preferences: Evidence from a Representative Immigrant Survey” (joint with Janis Umblis), *Migration: New Developments*, 20, Spring 2013.

“A Randomized Impact Evaluation of the Introduction of Mobile Banking in Mozambique” (joint with Pedro Vicente and Ana Ines Vilela), *International Growth Center Policy Note*, September 2012.

“Mobilizing Migrant Remittances for Agricultural Modernization in Mozambique” (joint with Dean Yang), *International Growth Center Policy Note*, February 2012.

“International Experiences of Mobile Banking Regulation” (joint with Félix Simione and Pedro C. Vicente), *International Growth Center Policy Note*, January 2012.

“Empirical Considerations about the Brain Drain”, (joint with Aitor Lacuesta and Pedro C. Vicente), *Moneda y Credito*, volume 226, pp. 33-98, December 2008.

“Will the East Follow Portugal?”, *Portuguese Economic Development in the European Space Conference Proceedings*, pp. 165-219, Bank of Portugal, February 2006.

## MAIN RESEARCH GRANTS

**European Commission AMIF:** “*Information Gaps and Irregular Migration*” (joint with Tijan Bah, Flore Gubert and David McKenzie): 999,218 EUR.

**Portuguese National Science Foundation (Fundação para a Ciência e Tecnologia, FCT)** – Project: “*Integrating Immigrants as a Tool for Broad Development: Experimental Evidence for Portugal and Cape Verde*” (joint with Sónia Dias): 239,936 EUR.

**International Growth Centre (IGC)** – Project: “*Farmer Participatory Experimentation in Mozambique*” (joint with Gharad Bryan and Dean Karlan): 30,000 GBP.

**International Growth Centre (IGC)** – Project: “*Entrepreneurship Training in Mozambique: The Role of Business Skills vs. Aspirations – Pilot Stage*” (joint with Julia Seither): 20,000 GBP.

**Islamic Development Bank (IDB)** - Project: “*Farmer Participatory Experimentation in Mozambique*” (joint with Gharad Bryan and Dean Karlan): 793,945 USD.

**IZA/DFID Growth and Labour Markets in Low Income Countries Programme (GLM | LIC)** – Project: “*Promoting Migrant Remittances using Mobile Banking: Evidence from a Field Experiment*” (joint with Pedro C. Vicente): 269,640 EUR.

**International Growth Centre (IGC)** – Project: “*The Diffusion of Mobile Money: Evidence from a Lab Experiment in the Field*” (joint with Marcel Fafchamps and Pedro C. Vicente): 29,700 GBP.

**Portuguese National Science Foundation (Fundação para a Ciência e Tecnologia, FCT)** – Project: *“A Randomized Impact Evaluation of Mobile Banking in Mozambique”* (joint with Pedro C. Vicente): 138,624 EUR.

**USAID Development Innovation Ventures (DIV)** – Project: *“Mobile Banking, Business Training and Microenterprise Development in Mozambique”* (joint with Sandra Sequeira and Pedro C. Vicente): 293,146 USD.

**USAID Mozambique Mission** – Project: *“Promoting Correct Fertilizer Use through Information and Commitment Savings using Mobile Banking – Pilot Stage”* (joint with Dean Yang): 80,000 USD.

**MIT Agricultural Technology Adoption Initiative (ATAI)** – Project: *“Promoting Correct Fertilizer Use through Information and Commitment Savings using Mobile Banking – Pilot Stage”* (joint with Dean Yang): 53,474 USD.

**International Growth Centre (IGC)** – Project: *“Mobile Banking, Business Training and Microenterprise Development in Mozambique”* (joint with Sandra Sequeira and Pedro C. Vicente): 68,490 GBP.

**MIT Agricultural Technology Adoption Initiative (ATAI)** – Project: *“Mobilizing Migrant Remittances for Agricultural Modernization in Mozambique – Pilot Stage”* (joint with Dean Yang): 29,700 USD.

**International Growth Centre (IGC)** – Project: *“A Randomized Impact Evaluation of Mobile Banking in Mozambique”* (joint with Pedro C. Vicente): 95,794 GBP.

**International Growth Centre (IGC)** – Project: *“Mobilizing Migrant Remittances for Agricultural Modernization in Mozambique – Pilot Stage”* (joint with Dean Yang): 29,980 GBP.

**EU Norface Program for International Migration (NORFACE)** – Project: *“International Migration and Information Flows”* (joint with Gaia Narciso): 225,972 EUR.

## **OTHER RESEARCH GRANTS AND HONORS**

**Nova School of Business and Economics** – Nova Forum Research Grant (Portugal), 2011-2013;

**IRCHSS (Irish Research Council)** – Full Scholarship for PhD Student Janis Umblijs, 2009-2012;

**Trinity College Dublin (Ireland)** – Arts and Social Sciences Benefactions Fund, 2008-2011, 2009-2012, 2010-2012;

**Trinity College Dublin (Ireland)** – Start-up Fund, 2009-2011;

**University of Oxford (UK)** – George Webb Meddley Fund, Various Research Awards, 2005-2008;

**Fundação Calouste Gulbenkian (Portugal)** – PhD Fellowship, 2004-2005 (Declined);

**University of Chicago (USA)** – Esther & T. W. Schultz Endowment Fund Dissertation Fellowship, 2004-2005;

**University of Chicago (USA)** – Division of the Social Sciences Graduate Fellowship, 2003-2004;

**Fundação para a Ciência e a Tecnologia (Portugal)** – PhD Scholarship, 2000-2004;

**Fundação Calouste Gulbenkian (Portugal)** – Extraordinary PhD Fellowship, 2000-2001;

**Katholieke Universiteit Leuven** (Belgium) – Best M.Sc. Dissertation of the Year, *Summa cum Laude*, 1997-1998;

**European Union** (EU) Erasmus Scholarship, 1996-1997.

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

**Universidade Nova de Lisboa – Nova School of Business and Economics:** MSc Economics of International Migration; Development Economics; International Trade and Migration; Intermediate Macroeconomics;

**University of Notre Dame – Department of Economics:** Development Economics;

**Trinity College Dublin – Department of Economics:** Ph.D. Growth, Trade and Factor Flows; M.Sc. Macroeconomics; International Trade; Intermediate Macroeconomics; Money and Banking;

**University of Oxford – Department of Economics:** M.Sc. International Trade, M.Phil. Macroeconomics;

**University of Chicago – Department of Economics:** Lecturer Intermediate Macroeconomics; Teaching Assistant Introductory Macroeconomics and Introductory Microeconomics;

**University of Chicago – Graduate School of Business:** Teaching Assistant Executive MBA Macroeconomics and MBA Real Estate Finance and Economics;

**Universidade Católica Portuguesa – Department of Economics:** Assistant Lecturer Money and Banking; Mathematics I and II; Portuguese Economy; Economic History.

## GRADUATE STUDENT SUPERVISION

### PhD:

Tijan Bah (2020 – Assistant Professor, University of Navarra);

Julia Seither (2019 – Postdoc, University of Chicago/UCEMA);

Ruth Fortmann (2019 – Economist, UK Competition Authority, DaTa Digital Innovation Unit);

Christoph Deuster (2018 – Economist, United Nations - Population Division) (co-advised, main supervisor: Frederic Docquier);

Janis Umblijs (2013 – Postdoc, University of Oslo - Frisch Institute);

### MSc:

*Nova:* Vitor Cavalcanti, Clara Bento, Beatriz Gonçalves, Matilde Rodrigues, Simon Jacob, Rui Mascarenhas, Ana Isabel Costa, Francesco Cestari, Marta Caeiro, Guilherme Rodrigues, Teresa Pedro, Julia Seither;

*TCD:* Marcos Pareto, Kevin Sonneveld, Edward Gaffney;

*Oxford:* Ngoc Nguyen, Mauro Caselli, Tobias Riedl, Peifang Kuah, Annabel Watson, Thomas Albrecht, Yahan Wu.

## ACADEMIC SERVICE

### Keynote Speaker:

Workshop on the Economics of Migration (Frankfurt, Germany), April 2016.

### Conference Organizer:

NOVAFRICA *Conference on Economic Development in Africa*, Nova School of Business and Economics, June 2019.

NOVAFRICA/World Bank *Workshop on Globalization and Development*, Nova School of Business and Economics, June 2017.

NOVAFRICA *Conference on Economic Development in Africa*, Nova School of Business and Economics, July 2016.

Central Bank of Mozambique/International Growth Center/NOVAFRICA *Conference on Financial Development in Mozambique: Innovation and Challenges*, Maputo – Mozambique, July 2015.

NOVAFRICA/Nova Finance Center *Conference on Financial Development in Africa*, Nova School of Business and Economics, March 2014.

FECUAN/NOVAFRICA *Conference on Housing Markets and Urban Development in Sub-Saharan Africa*, Luanda - Angola, May 2013.

Launching NOVAFRICA *Conference on Economic Development in Africa*, Nova School of Business and Economics, September 2012.

First CEPR/TEMPO *Conference on International Migration*, TCD, October 2010.

### Seminar Organizer:

NOVAFRICA Seminar Series, Nova School of Business and Economics, 2012 - .

FECUAN/NOVAFRICA Seminar Series, FECUAN, Luanda - Angola, 2013-2014.

Economics Department/IIIS Research Seminars, Trinity College Dublin, 2009-2010.

### Scientific Committee:

1st EBRD & King's College London Workshop on the Economics and Politics of Migration, London, April 2020.

Portuguese Economic Journal Conference, Evora, July 2019.

NORFACE Conference "*Migration: Global Development, New Frontiers*", UCL, London, April 2013.

### Refereeing:

**Articles:** American Economic Journal: Economic Policy; Economic Development and Cultural Change; Journal of Development Economics; Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization; Journal of the European Economic Association; Journal of Human Resources; Journal of Population Economics; Journal of Public Economics; Labour Economics; Oxford Bulletin of Economics and Statistics; Oxford Economic Papers; Review of Economics and Statistics; World Bank Economic Review; World Development; BE Journal of Macroeconomics; *Economica*;



Economics Bulletin; Empirical Economics; International Migration Review; IZA World of Labor; Journal of African Economies; Journal of Development Studies; Oxford Development Studies; Review of Development Economics; Review of International Economics; Scandinavian Journal of Economics;

**Books:** Oxford University Press; Pearson Education;

**Grants:** 3ie; European Research Council; EU Horizon 2020; IZA GLM-LIC Program; National Science Foundation.

**Ph.D. Examiner:**

Ana Garcia (Nova SBE, Economics); Paulo Guilherme (Nova SBE, Economics); Claudia Alves (Nova SBE, Economics); Vladimir Otrachshenko (Nova SBE, Economics); Laura Cornelsen (London Institute of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine, Economics); Julie Byrne (NUI Maynooth, Economics).

**University Service:**

Academic Director of the MSc in Economics, Nova School of Business and Economics – since 2019;

Sophister Coordinator for the Department of Economics, Trinity College Dublin – 2010-2011;

Committee Member for MSc in Economics, Trinity College Dublin – 2008-2010.

**RESEARCH PRESENTATIONS (INCLUDING FORTHCOMING)**

**2020:**

American Economic Association Annual Meetings (San Diego, USA);

CSAE Webinar - University of Oxford (Oxford, UK);

Australian National University Webinar (Camberra, Australia);

Cape Town University Technology Webinar (Cape Town, South Africa);

University of Luxembourg Economics Seminar (Luxembourg);

Graduate Institute (Geneva, Switzerland);

Maastricht Development Economics Workshop (Netherlands);

WZB workshop "Migrant integration in Africa, Europe, and Beyond" (Berlin, Germany).

"Introducing Laboratory Experiments into Large Surveys: Theory and Practice" Conference (Luxembourg);

**2019:**

EU/IOM EMN Conference on "Migration and Communication – Information Campaigns in Countries of Origin and Transit" (Vienna, Austria);

NCID Workshop on International Migration (University of Navarra, Spain);

Paris School of Economics Development Seminar (Paris, France);

International Migration Economics – Barcelona GSE Summer Forum (Barcelona, Spain);

IPA Researcher Gathering on Financial Inclusion (Northwestern University, Chicago);

CSAE Conference (Oxford, UK);

Centre for European Policy Studies – MEDAM Seminar on Migration (Brussels, Belgium);  
UNU-WIDER/Maastricht University Joint Seminar (Maastricht, Netherlands);  
Instituto Gulbenkian da Ciência (Oeiras, Portugal);  
2019 NOVAFRICA Conference on Economic Development in Africa (Lisbon, Portugal);  
IZA Migration Conference (Dublin, Ireland).

**2018:**

11<sup>th</sup> AFD/World Bank Conference on International Migration and Development – Stanford University (San Francisco, USA);  
Georgetown University (Washington DC, USA);  
World Bank, Research Department (Washington DC, USA);  
IFPRI (Washington DC, USA);  
IZA GLM-LIC Conference on Labor Markets in Low-Income Countries – University of Michigan (Ann Arbor, USA);  
Notre Dame University, Kellogg Institute Seminar (Notre Dame, USA);  
Sustainability and Development Conference – University of Michigan (Ann Arbor, USA);  
Gottingen University, Globalization and Development Seminar (Gottingen, Germany);  
WZB workshop "Migrant integration in Africa, Europe, and Beyond" (Berlin, Germany).

**2017:**

Notre Dame University, Kellogg Institute Seminar (Notre Dame, USA);  
IPA Researcher Gathering on Financial Inclusion, Northwestern University (Chicago, USA);  
IZA GLM-LIC Conference on Labor Markets in Low-Income Countries - World Bank (Washington DC, USA);  
Notre Dame University, Development Economics Workshop (Notre Dame, USA);  
Workshop on "Migration and Conflict", Université Catholique de Louvain (Louvain, Belgium);  
IFPRI Conference on "The Role of Information in Improving Rural Services and Governance" (Washington DC, USA);  
Economia Viva Conferences 2017 on "Immigration Policy: Walls or Bridges?", Universidade Nova de Lisboa (Lisboa, Portugal).

**2016:**

ASSA/Econometric Society North American Meetings (San Francisco, USA);  
CSAE Conference (Oxford, UK);  
2<sup>nd</sup> Workshop on the Economics of Migration (Frankfurt, Germany) – Keynote Speaker;  
IPA Researcher Gathering on Financial Inclusion, Yale University (New Haven, USA);  
Advances in Micro Development Economics – Barcelona GSE Summer Forum (Barcelona, Spain);  
2016 NOVAFRICA Conference on Economic Development in Africa (Lisbon, Portugal);  
IZA GLM-LIC Conference on Labor Markets in Low-Income Countries – Oxford University (Oxford, UK);  
Universidad Autónoma de Barcelona (Barcelona, Spain).

**2015:**

AEA (Boston, USA) (Presenter and Discussant).

8<sup>th</sup> World Bank Conference on International Migration and Development (Washington, DC);  
Central Bank of Mozambique/International Growth Center/NOVAFRICA Conference on "Financial Development in Mozambique: Innovation and Challenges" (Maputo, Mozambique);  
IZA GLM-LIC Conference on Labor Markets in Low-Income Countries - World Bank (Washington, DC).

**2014:**

CMD/CMH/DIAL Conference on "Following the Intangible Flows: Transnational Approaches to Immaterial Remittances" (Princeton University, USA);  
NOVAFRICA Conference on "Financial Development in Africa" (Nova SBE, Lisbon, Portugal) (Discussant).

**2013:**

SEEDC - Symposium on Economic Experiments in Developing Countries (Norwegian School of Economics, Bergen, Norway);  
NEUDC (Harvard University, Cambridge, USA) (Presenter and Discussant);  
International Growth Center Conference – "*Growth Week*" (LSE, London);  
IPA Conference on "Evidence on Innovations in Savings and Payments" (Kampala, Uganda);  
CSAE Conference (Oxford, UK) (Presenter and Discussant);  
CREAM/NORFACE Conference on "Migration: Global Development, New Frontiers" (UCL, London, UK).

**2012:**

Central Bank of Mozambique/International Growth Center Workshop on Mobile Money (Maputo, Mozambique);  
USAID – Mozambique Office (Maputo, Mozambique);  
Université Paris I Sorbonne (Paris, France);  
INOVA/NOVAFRICA Research Seminar (Nova SBE, Lisbon, Portugal);  
2012 NOVAFRICA Launching Conference on "Economic Development in Africa" (Nova SBE, Lisbon, Portugal) (Presenter and Discussant);  
Migrants' CHOICES Workshop - NIDI (The Hague, Netherlands);  
3<sup>rd</sup> NORFACE Migration Conference (Mannheim, Germany).

**2011:**

CSAE Conference (Oxford, UK) (Presenter and Discussant);  
CREAM/ NORFACE Conference on "Migration: Economic Change, Social Challenge" (UCL, London);  
IZA/World Bank Conference on Employment and Development (ITAM, Mexico);  
Universidade Nova de Lisboa (Lisbon, Portugal);  
International Growth Center Conference – "*Growth Week*" (LSE, London, UK);  
Universite Catholique de Louvain (Belgium).

**2010:**

CSAE Conference (Oxford, UK) (Presenter and Discussant);  
CEPR TOM Final Conference (Venice International University, Italy);  
CReAM/World Bank Conference on "Migration, Development, and Global Issues" (UCL, London, UK);  
University College Dublin (Department of Economics);  
CEPR TEMPO Conference on International Migration (TCD) (Presenter and Discussant);  
NEUDC (MIT) (Presenter and Discussant).

**2009:**

ASSA/Econometric Society North American Meetings (San Francisco, USA);  
AEA Annual Meetings (San Francisco, USA) (Discussant);  
University College Dublin (Geary Institute);  
Trinity College Dublin (Department of Economics);  
Dublin Economics Workshop (International Economics);  
World Bank Conference on International Migration and Development (Washington, DC);  
European Trade Study Group Annual Meetings (Rome);  
NEUDC (Tufts University) (Presenter and Discussant);  
National University of Ireland, Galway (Department of Economics);  
ESRI.

**2008:**

ASSA/Econometric Society North American Meetings (New Orleans, USA);  
International Monetary Fund - Research Department (Washington, DC, USA);  
Katholieke Universiteit Leuven (Leuven, Belgium);  
Université Catholique de Louvain (Louvain, Belgium);  
Université de Namur (Namur, Belgium);  
Nottingham University (Nottingham, UK);  
University of Sussex (Brighton, UK);  
Cardiff Business School (Cardiff, UK);  
Trinity College Dublin (Dublin, Ireland);  
City University of London (London, UK);  
University of London – Royal Holloway (London, UK);  
Carleton University (Ottawa, Canada);  
Norface Seminar I: Europe and Financial Globalization (Germany) (Discussant);  
Gothenburg University (Gothenburg, Sweden);  
European Economic Association Annual Meetings (Milan, Italy);  
European Trade Study Group Annual Meetings (Warsaw, Poland);  
Norface Seminar II "FDI and the Globalisation of European Labour Markets" (Munich);  
European Commission DG ECFIN's Annual Research Conference 2008 "Boosting growth and productivity in an open Europe: The role of international flows of goods, services, capital and labour" (Brussels, Belgium);

**2007:**

University of Oxford (CSAE);  
World Bank/IZA Conference on Employment and Development (Bonn, Germany);  
ESPE Annual Meetings (Chicago, USA);

SOLE/IZA Transatlantic Meetings of Labor Economists (Buch/Ammersee, Germany);  
CSAE Conference (Oxford, UK) (Presenter and Discussant);  
University of Manchester (Manchester, UK);  
University of Oxford, Department of Economics (Oxford, UK);

**2006:**

Bank of Portugal Conference "Portuguese Economic Development in the European Area"  
(Lisbon, Portugal);  
Instituto Superior de Economia e Gestão (Lisbon, Portugal);  
University of Oxford - CSAE (Oxford, UK);  
European Trade Study Group Annual Meetings (Vienna, Austria);  
University of Oxford - Department of Economics (Oxford, UK);

**2005:**

International Monetary Fund;  
Rutgers University;  
University of Quebec at Montreal;  
North Carolina State University;  
University of Oxford - Department of Economics;  
Catholic University of Louvain;  
Bank of Portugal;  
University of Navarra;  
Aarhus University;  
European Economic Association Annual Meetings (Amsterdam, Netherlands);  
European Trade Study Group Annual Meetings (UCD, Dublin, Ireland);

**2003-2004:**

International Monetary Fund (Research and PDR Department Joint Workshop);  
University of Chicago (Department of Economics).

**MEDIA COVERAGE**

*English:* EuroNews; The Economist; Washington Post.

*Portuguese:* AIM (Agência de Informação de Moçambique); Antena 1; Diário Económico; Económico TV; Deutsche Welle; Diário de Notícias; Expresso; Jornal de Notícias; LUSA; Observador; Oje; Público; Rádio Renascença; RDP África; Revista Exame; RTP; Sábado; SIC; Sol; TSF; TV Moçambique.

**COMPLEMENTARY INFORMATION**

**Affiliations:** American Economic Association; Econometric Society; European Economic Association.

**Computer Skills:** Statistical Packages and Programming (Matlab, Stata, Eviews, SAS); Other Software (Scientific Work Place, Microsoft Office).

**Languages:** Portuguese (native); English (fluent); French and Spanish (working knowledge); German (basic).

## **PERSONAL INFORMATION**

**Citizenship:** Portugal.

**Family:** Married, three children.