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MAIN DOMAINS OF RESEARCH

Economics of Law and Justice
Economics of Crime
Litigation, Product Liability, Tort Law
Regulation and Competition

EDUCATION

Habilitation to supervise PhD Thesis, obtained at University of Orléans (July 1993)
PhD in Economics, obtained at University Paris 1 Panthéon Sorbonne (April 1992)
Master in Macroeconomics, obtained at University Paris 1 Sorbonne (September 1987)

CURRENT POSITIONS (since September 2010)

Professor of Economics / Law & Economics at University Paris Nanterre
Fellow of EconomiX, UMR 7235 National Center for Scientific Research (CNRS) and University Paris Nanterre
Visiting Professor, Georges Mason University School of Law, USA (October 2024)

CURRENT ACADEMIC RESPONSABILITIES AND INVOLVMENTS

Degrees and agreements

Director of the Master Programme *Law & Economics*, University Paris Nanterre.

Main Partner of the general agreement between the Universities Paris Nanterre and Piémont Orientale (since 2020).

Main Partner of the specific agreement between the Master Programme in « Law and Economics » of UPN and the Master Programme « Economics, Management, and Institutions » of UPO (since 2020).

Research
Main Investigator of the research project "Tort law, regulation, and robots", funded by InSHS-CNRS (partnership UPN/University of Tel Aviv), 2020-2022.
Main Investigator of the research project "Ex ante regulation, ex post liability, for Artificial Intelligence", funded by InSHS-CNRS (partnership UPN/University of Barcelona), 2023-2024.

Lead organizer of the European *Webinar TELE* – Theoretical European Law & Economics (since 2023) https://economix.fr/fr/webinar-tele-theoretical-european-law-economics
Lead organizer of the annual international workshop *IML&E* – International Meeting in Law & Economics (since 2014) https://economix.fr/fr/colloques-et-workshops/12th-international-meeting-in-law-economics

Associate Editor of *International Review of Law and Economics*
Associate Editor of *The Review of Finance and Banking*

Administration
Member of the Advisory Committee of the Department of Economics, UPN (since 2011).
Expert Economics-Management for HCERES (High Committee for the Assessment of Research and Higher Education)
Expert for ANR (French National Agency for Research)

SUPERVISION OF PHD AND HDR CANDIDATES (recent)
Maxime CHARREIRE, PhD thesis defended on November 30, 2021: « Responsabilité, concurrence imparfaite et partage des dommages » (funded thanks to a doctoral contract, Doctoral School EOS-UPN).

Luca Alberto ESPOSITO, PhD thesis defended on December 06, 2022: « Essays in Law and Economics: The role of tax accountants and the supplier induced demand » (funded by Carabinieri, Italy), European agreement of co-supervision with Alessandro Melcarne (Assistant Professor, EconomiX and University Paris Nanterre) and Giovanni Ramello (Collegio Carlo Alberto, University of Torino).

Juan MORA-SANGUINETTI, HDR defended on February 2025: « The economic effects of institutions: the design of regulation and justice ».

Sahil CHOPRA, PhD thesis defended on November 14, 2025: « Damages assessment in Class Actions litigations » (funded thanks to a doctoral contract, Doctoral School of the University Paris Nord); supervised with Béatrice Dumont (Professor at University Paris Nord and Research Director at Collège d'Europe, Bruges).

Zoltan SZÜCS, PhD thesis started in February 2022 : « Le rôle de la police municipale dans la satisfaction des attentes de la population parisienne en termes de tranquillité publique » (funded thanks to a CIFRE agreement with Ville de Paris-Observatoire de la Police Municipale) ; co-supervision with Benjamin Monnery (Assistant Professor, EconomiX and University Paris Nanterre).

Nanxi LI, PhD thesis started in September 2023: « Combining tort law and product liability, in a world of Artificial Intelligence » (funded thanks to a doctoral contract, Doctoral School EOS-UPN); co-supervision with Andreea Cosnita (Assistant Professor HDR, EconomiX and University Paris Nanterre).

ACTIVITY OF REFEREE

Annals of Economics and Statistics, American Law and Economics Review, CESifo Economic Studies, Economie et Prévision, Economie et Statistiques, Economics of Governance, Environmental and Resource Economics, Geneva Risk and Insurance Review, International Review of Law and Economics, Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization, Journal of Institutional and Theoretical Economics, Journal of Law, Economics and Organization, Journal of Legal Studies, Journal of Public Economic Theory, Mathematical Social Sciences, Public Choice, Revue d'Economie Politique, Review of Law and Economics, Revue Economique, Theory and Decision, Editions De Bœck Université

WORK EXPERIENCE AND PAST RESPONSABILITIES

Past positions

Assistant Professor in Economics, University of Orléans (Oct1992-Sept 2002)
Fellow of Institut Orléanais de Finance, UMR CNRS and University of Orléans (Oct 1992-Sept 2002)
Professor of Economics, University Nancy 2 (Oct 2002-Sept 2010)
Visiting Professor at Laboratoire d'Economie Forestière (UMR 356 INRA-AgroParisTech), Nancy (Sept 2008-Aug 2010)

Research

General Secretary of the *European Association of Law & Economics* (2015-2018)
Member of the Executive Board of the *Association Française d'Economie du Droit* (2016-2019)
Scientific Coordinator of the project « Research on judicial security in the European space », pluri-disciplinary project labelled by the University *Paris Lumières*, consortium including the universities Paris 8-Vincennes-Saint Denis and Paris Nanterre (2014-2017)
Coordinator of the research programme « Law, Institutions, Regulation and Strategic Interactions » at EconomiX-Paris Nanterre (2013-2023)

Administration and Education

Member of the Steering Committee of the International Doctoral Programme « Institutions, Economics, and Law », Collegio Carlo Alberto of the University of Torino (2018-2024).

Co-Director of the Master programme *Law and Economics* (two specialties: (Pro) Competition, Regulation, and Markets; (R) Economic Analysis of Law), co-accreditation UFR DSP/UFR SEGMI, University Paris Nanterre (2011-2024).

Member of the Board of the UFR « Sciences Economiques, Gestion, Mathématiques, Informatique », University Paris Nanterre (2014-2023)
Member of the Executive Board of EconomiX-Paris Nanterre (2013-2023)
Member of the Steering Committee of EconomiX-Paris Nanterre (2013-2023)

CONFERENCES (since 2010)
59th Annual Conference of the French Economic Association, Nanterre, September 9-10, 2010.

27th Annual Conference of the European Association of Law & Economics, Paris, September 23-24, 2010.

Southern Finance Association Meeting, Key West, Florida, November 16-19, 2011.

29th Annual Conference of the European Association of Law & Economics, Stockholm, September 20-21, 2012.

8th Annual Conference of the Italian Society of Law & Economics, Roma, December 13-15, 2012.

62th Annual Conference of the French Economic Association, Aix-en-Provence, June 24-26, 2013.

12th Meeting Louis-André Gérard-Varet, Aix-en-Provence, June 26-28, 2013.

8th Annual Conference of Association European Policy for Intellectual Property, Paris, September 5-6, 2013.

Annual Conference of the German Law & Economics Association (in partnership with the Free University of Bozen), Bolzano, September 13-14, 2013.

30th Annual Conference of the European Association of Law & Economics, Warsaw, September 26-28, 2013.

EMLE Midterm workshop in Law & Economics, Bologna, February 13-14, 2014.

24th Annual Conference of the American Law & Economics Association, Chicago, May 8-9, 2014.

63rd Annual Conference of the French Economics Association, Lyon, June 26-28, 2014.

2d Meeting in Uncertainty and Public Policies, University Paris Lumières, Saint-Denis, September 11, 2014.

31st Annual Conference of the European Association of Law & Economics, Aix-en-Provence, September 18-20, 2014.

6th Workshop on Institutions, Individual Behavior and Economic Outcomes, University of Sassari, Alghero (Sardinia), June 28-29, 2015.

32d Annual Conference of the European Association of Law & Economics, Vienna, September 17-19, 2015.

11th Annual Conference of the Italian Society of Law & Economics, Napoli, December 18-19, 2015.

26th Annual Conference of the American Law & Economics Association, Harvard Law School, Cambridge, May 19-21, 2016.

14th Annual Conference of the German Law & Economics Association, Budapest, July 21-22, 2016.

33rd Annual Conference of the European Association of Law & Economics, Bologna, September 15-17, 2016.

1ère Conférence Annuelle de l'Association Française d'Economie du Droit, Paris, 24-25 novembre 2016.

12th Annual Conference of the Italian Society of Law & Economics, Torino, December 16-17, 2016.

2017 Public Choice Society Meeting, New Orleans, 2-4 March, 2017.

CELS Asia Conference & the 4th International Conference on the Empirical Studies of Judicial System, Taipei, Taiwan, June, 13-15, 2017.

66th Annual Conference of the French Economics Association, Nice, June 19-21, 2017.

15th Annual Conference of the German Law & Economics Association, Marburg, July 21-22, 2017.

34th Annual Conference of the European Association of Law & Economics, London, September 14-16, 2017.

2d Annual Conference of the Association Française d'Economie du Droit, Aix-en-Provence, November, 9-10 2017.

37th Annual Conference of the European Association of Law & Economics, September 24-25, 2020, Paris.

5th Annual Conference of the Association Française d'Economie du Droit, October 15-16, 2020, Nanterre.

39th Annual Conference of the European Association of Law & Economics, September 15-16, 2022, Lisbonne.

7th Annual Conference of the Association Française d'Economie du Droit, October 13-14, 2022, Montpellier.

40th Annual Conference of the European Association of Law & Economics, September 21-22, 2023, Berlin.

8th Annual Conference of the Association Française d'Economie du Droit, October 19-20, 2023, Nice.

41th Annual Conference of the European Association of Law & Economics, September 11-12, 2024, Turin.

1st International Workshop in Law & Economics, Texas A&M University School of Law, October 10-11, 2024, Fort Worth, USA.

42th Annual Conference of the European Association of Law & Economics, September 18-19, 2025, Oslo.

10th Annual Conference of the Association Française d'Economie du Droit, October 9-10, 2025, Nancy.