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- PROFESSIONAL POSITIONS
- Associate Professor (with tenure) of Political Science. NYU Abu Dhabi. 2022 –
  - Affiliated Professor. Department of Politics, NYU. 2014 –
  - Affiliated Professor. Department of Economics, Wageningen University. 2014 –
  - Research Director. FieldlabDRC. Web: [www.fieldlabdrc.com](http://www.fieldlabdrc.com). 2016 –
  - Consultant. World Bank. 2014 –
  - Research Affiliate. Global TIES, NYU. 2015 –
  - Affiliated Faculty. DevLab, NYU. 2020 –
  - Affiliated Faculty. CBID, NYU Abu Dhabi. 2022 –
  - Affiliated Faculty. Social Science Experimental Laboratory, NYU Abu Dhabi. 2014 –
  - Assistant Professor (tenure track) of Political Science. NYU Abu Dhabi. 2014 – 2022
- EDUCATION
- Ph.D. Political Science. Columbia University. 2015  
Title: “The Political Economy of Heterogeneous Communities: Local Governance and Cooperation in the Congo and Sierra Leone”  
Committee: M. Humphreys (chair), M. Morelli, C. Adida, C. Blattman, E. Bulte
  - M.A. and M.Phil. Political Science, Columbia University, 2010, 2011
  - B.Sc., M.Sc. and M.Phil. (*cum laude*) Economics. Tilburg University. 2005, 2006, 2007
  - Exchange student. University of Pretoria. 2004
- PUBLICATIONS
15. “Cash-Like Vouchers Improve Psychological Well-Being of Vulnerable and Displaced Persons Fleeing Armed Conflict”. Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences Nexus, 2022, 1(3), 1-7. With J. Quattrochi, G. Bisimwa, Maarten Voors
  14. “Electoral Administration in Fledgling Democracies: Experimental Evidence from Kenya”. Journal of Politics, 2021, 83(3), 947-960. With J.A. Harris, C. Kamindo
  13. “Traditional Leaders and the 2014-2015 Ebola Epidemic”. Journal of Politics, 2020, 82(4), 1607-1611. With M. Voors
  12. “Field Experiments and Humanitarian Assistance”. World Development, 2020, 127, 1-3. With J. Aker, J. Quattrochi, M. Voors
  11. “Citizen Attitudes towards Traditional and State Authorities: Substitutes or Complements?”. Comparative Political Studies, 2019, 52(12), 1810-1840. With M. Humphreys, L. Medina, J. Timmons, M. Voors

10. "Exporting Democratic Practices: Evidence from a Village Governance Intervention in Eastern Congo". Journal of Development Economics, 2019, 40, 279-301. With M. Humphreys, R. Sanchez
9. "Artisanal or Industrial Conflict Minerals? Evidence from Eastern Congo". World Development, 2019, 122, 660-674. With N. Stoop, M. Verpoorten.
8. "More Legislation, More Violence? The Impact of Dodd-Frank in the DRC". PLOS One. 2018, 13(8), 1-19. With N. Stoop, M. Verpoorten
7. "Gender Quotas in Development Programming: Null Results from a Field Experiment in Congo". Journal of Development Economics. 2018, 133, 326-345. With M. Humphreys, R. Sanchez
6. "Can Development Aid Empower Women? Evidence from a Field Experiment in the Congo". Journal of Politics, 2018, 80(3), 1039-1044
5. "Know Your Neighbor: The Impact of Social Context on Fairness Behavior". PLOS One. 2018, 13(4), 1-11. With N. Sircar, T. Turley, M. Voors
4. "Democracy and Health: Evidence from Within-Country Heterogeneity in the Congo". Social Science and Medicine, 2017, 194, 10-16. With S. Vanders
3. "Resources and Governance in Sierra Leone's Civil War". Journal of Development Studies, 2017, 53(2), 278-294. With M. Voors, K. Papaioannou, E. Bulte
2. "Crowdseeding in Eastern Congo: Using Cell Phones to Collect Conflict Events Data in Real Time". Journal of Conflict Resolution, 2016, 60(4), 748-781. With M. Humphreys
1. "Fishing, Commitment, and Communication: A Proposal for Comprehensive Nonbinding Research Registration". Political Analysis, 2013, 21(1), 1-20. With M. Humphreys, R. Sanchez

WORKING  
PAPERS  
(SELECTION)

7. "Assessing the Impact of a One Health Community Program on Animal and Human Health Behaviors: A Cluster Randomized Trial in Sierra Leone". With M. Voors, K. Grieco, M. Humphreys, S. Jaiteh, N. Meriggi
6. "Community and/or Government Participation to Improve Accountability and Public Services? Experimental Evidence from Congo". With J. A. Harris, A. Laudati, E. Mvukiyehe
5. "From Workfare to Social and Political Stability? Evidence from a Trial with the Urban Poor in Eastern DRC". With P. Brandily-Snyers, E. Mvukiyehe, L. Smets, M. Verpoorten *Under Review*
4. "Who Hosts? The Determinants of Hosting the Internally Displaced". N. Stoop, L. Peisakhin
3. "Distributional Consequences of Technology Seeding: Evidence from a Field Experiment in the Congo". With P. Hofman, J. Larson, M. Voors. *Under Review*
2. "Gender Response Bias and Women's Empowerment: Evidence from Two Field Experiments in Congo". With J. A. Harris. *Under Review*
1. "Assessing the Longer Term Impact of CDD Programs: Evidence from a Field Experiment in the Congo". With E. Mvukiyehe. *Under Review*

- POLICY REPORTS
- “The Effects of Vouchers for Essential Household Items on Child Health, Mental Health, Resilience, and Social Cohesion among Internally Displaced Persons in the Democratic Republic of Congo”. 2019. With J. Quattrochi, G. Bisimwa, T. Thompson, M. Voors
  - “Participatory Development in Fragile and Conflict-Affected Contexts: An Impact Evaluation of the Tuungane 1 Program in the Democratic Republic of the Congo” 2017. With A. Laudati, E. Mvukiyehe
  - “Participatory Development in Fragile and Conflict-Affected Contexts: An Impact Evaluation of the Tuungane 2 Program in the Democratic Republic of the Congo” 2017. With A. Laudati, E. Mvukiyehe
  - “Big City Life in Eastern DRC: Results from a Representative Survey”. 2016. With L. Smets, E. Mvukiyehe, M. Verpoorten
  - “Voix des Kivus: Reflections on a Crowdfunding Approach to Conflict Event Data Gathering”. 2012. With M. Humphreys
  - “Social and Economic Impacts of Tuungane”. 2012. With M. Humphreys, R. Sanchez
- BOOK CHAPTERS & REVIEWS
- “From Crowdsourcing to Crowdfunding: The Cutting Edge of Empowerment?”. 2013. In “ICT in Areas of Limited Statehood” by S. Livingston and G. Walter-Drop. New York: Oxford University Press
  - “Bargaining in International Relations”. 2011. In “Encyclopedia of Power” by K. Dowding. New York: SAGE Publications
  - Review of “When Things Fell Apart” by R. H. Bates. 2008. New York: Cambridge University Press. Journal of International Affairs, 2009, 62(2), 228-230.
- REGISTERED PRE-ANALYSIS PLANS
- “Violent Displacement and Empathy: The Determinants of Hosting in Eastern Congo”. 2019. EGAP Registry: [20190924AD](#). With N. Stoop
  - “Morality, Authority, and Empathy: How to Elicit Altruism toward the Internally Displaced”. 2019. EGAP Registry: [20190828AA](#). With H. Chang, L. Peisakhin
  - “Recruitment Strategies for Community Animal Health Workers in Sierra Leone”. 2019. EGAP Registry: [20190125AA](#). With M. Voors, K. Grieco, M. Humphreys, S. Jaiteh, N. Meriggi, C. Prato
  - “Long-run Effects of Non-Food Item Vouchers in a Humanitarian Context The Case of the Rapid Response to Movements of Population Program in Congo”. 2018. EGAP Registry: [20180920AA](#). With J. Quattrochi, G. Bisimwa, M. Voors
  - “The Effects of Non-Food Item Vouchers in a Humanitarian Context The Case of the Rapid Response to Movements of Population Program in Congo”. 2017. EGAP Registry: [20170919AA](#). With J. Quattrochi, G. Bisimwa, M. Voors
  - “Improving Local Service Provision Delivery in Eastern Congo: An Impact Evaluation of the Tuungane 2+ Interventions”. 2017. EGAP Registry: [20171022AA](#). With A. Laudati, E. Mvukiyehe
  - “Voter Registration in Kenya: A Field Experiment to Overcome Information and/or Operational Barriers to Registration”. 2017. EGAP Registry: [20170307AA](#). With A. Harris
  - “Participatory Development in Fragile and Conflict-affected Contexts: An Impact Evaluation of the Tuungane Program”. 2016. EGAP Registry: [20160315AA](#). With A. Laudati, E. Mvukiyehe

AWARDS &  
GRANTS

- “The Impact of Migration on Pro-social Behavior”. 2015. EGAP Registry: [20121107AA](#). With N. Sircar
- “Congo CDR Registration Design and Mock Report”. 2015. EGAP Registry: [20110307AA](#). With M. Humphreys, R. Sanchez
- \$363,300. “Socio-Economic Survey in the Grand Kasai, DRC: Focus on IDPs, Returnees and Host Communities”. Joint Datacenter on Forced Displacement. March 2021. With N. Stoop, UNHCR
- \$40,000. “Morality, Authority, and Empathy: How to Elicit Altruism Toward the Internally Displaced”. NYUAD Research Enhancement Fund. September 2019. With H. Chang, L. Peisakhin
- UNICEF. 2019. Best of UNICEF Research Award. UNICEF’s Office of Research–Innocenti.
- \$25,000. “Assessing the Effects of Humanitarian Assistance on Internally Displaced Households: Experimental Evidence from a Voucher Program in the Congo”. IPA. Peace and Recovery Program. June 2019. With J. Quattrochi, G. Biswima, M. Voors
- Bruce Russett Award. *Journal of Conflict Resolution*. Best article of 2016.
- \$80,000. “Disease Surveillance and Community Engagement in Sierra Leone”. J-PAL Africa Office. Government Partnership Initiative. June 2017. With M. Humphreys, N. Meriggi, G. Miller, M. Voors
- £50,000 (~\$65,500). “Can Increased Transparency and Collective Redress Improve Investor Accountability and Spur Local Development? Experimental Evidence from Sierra Leone”. International Growth Center (#39402). July 2016. With D. Christensen, P. Richards, B. Siddiqi and M. Voors
- £4,490 (~\$6,500). “Foreign Investment and Local Welfare in Sierra Leone”. UK Aid. Economic Development and Institutions (EDI). May 2016. Travel/Proposal Development Grant. With D. Christensen, B. Siddiqi, M. Voors
- \$373,860. “Impact Evaluation of the RRMP Program in the DRC: A Randomized Control Trial and Regression Discontinuity Design”. International Initiative for Impact Evaluation (#TW6.1043). September 2015. With J. Quattrochi, M. Voors
- \$150,000. “DRC Productive Opportunities”. i2i Fund, World Bank (#P152613). January 2016. With M. Verpoorten, E. Mvukiyehe
- €461,000 (~\$547,500). “Preparedness Against Ebola and Other Emerging Infectious Diseases in Sierra Leone and Guinea. Work Package 1: Community-Based Surveillance”. Royal Netherlands Embassy, Accra. June 2015. With M. Voors, P. Richards
- \$40,000. “Electoral Registration and Turnout for Women: Experimental Evidence from Kenya”. Research Enhancement Fund Pathway Award, NYU Abu Dhabi. May 2015. With A. Harris
- \$25,000. “Mining for Development: Improving Concessions Agreements in Sierra Leone”. Preparation Grant. Fragile and Conflict-Affected Situations, World Bank. July 2014. With B. Siddiqi, D. Christensen
- \$400,000. “Eastern Congo Recovery Program”. International Development Association, World Bank Group. 2014. With A. Laudati, E. Mvukiyehe

- \$77,770. “High Quality, Policy-Relevant Impact Evaluation of Humanitarian Assistance in D.R. Congo”. Global Development Network and International Initiative for Impact Evaluation (#TW6.1002). August 2014. With G. Bisimwa, J. Quattrochi, M. Voors
- \$25,000. “Productive Opportunities for Stabilization and Recovery”. Preparation grant. Fragile and Conflict-Affected Situations, World Bank. July 2014. With L. Smets, E. Mvukiyehe
- \$5,000. “Understanding Natural Resources, Migration and Conflict”. Cross-Cutting Initiative, Earth Institute. July 2012. With M. Morelli, R. Sanchez
- \$40,000. “Aid and Accountability: Governance Effects of a Community-Driven Reconstruction Program in Eastern Congo”. International Initiative for Impact Evaluation (#OW2.232). April 2012. With M. Humphreys, R. Sanchez
- \$4,900. “Latent Network Structures and Public Goods Games in the DR Congo”. Summer Research Grant Program. Center for the Study of Development Strategies & Applied Statistics Center, Columbia University. March 2010. With N. Sircar
- \$411,729. “Aid and Accountability: Governance Effects of a Community-Driven Reconstruction Program in Eastern Congo”. Initiative for Impact Evaluation (#OW2.232). January 2010. With M. Humphreys, R. Sanchez
- \$100,000. “Program Impact Assessment in Eastern Congo: New Instruments for the Direct Measurement of Local Violence”. May 2009. Strengthening Evaluation and Assessment of Poverty and Conflict / Fragility Interventions, USAID (#C433-101-50-CU). With M. Humphreys

PUBLISHED  
DATASETS

- “Household Survey for Workfare Program in Urban Eastern Congo (Goma, Bukavu, Beni, Butembo, Bunia)”. Collected: 2019. [Harvard Dataverse](#). Content: ~14,000 registered individuals, >3,000 household surveys.
- “Survey Data from Eastern Congo”. Collected: 2017. [Harvard Dataverse](#). Content: >300 villages, >300 village chiefs, >3,000 households, ~200 hospitals, ~300 schools, >450 user committees
- “Survey Data from Eastern Congo”. Collected: 2015. [Harvard Dataverse](#). Content: >1,000 villages, >1,000 village chiefs, >4,500 individuals, >700 hospitals, >800 schools
- “Migration Data from the Buhavu Chiefdom, Congo”. Collected: 2012. [Harvard Dataverse](#). Content: >8,000 individuals, >18,000 movements
- “Survey Data from Eastern Congo”. Collected: 2010 – 2012. [Harvard Dataverse](#). Content: >800 villages, >800 households, >7,500 individuals
- “Conflict Event Data from South Kivu, Congo”. Collected: 2009 – 2011. [Harvard Dataverse](#). Content: >5,000 events

TEACHING  
(\* INSTRUCTOR)

- Research Design and Causality\*. NYU Abu Dhabi. Fall 2017, 2019, 2020, 2021. Spring 2019, 2020
- African Politics\*. NYU Abu Dhabi. Spring 2016. Fall 2016, 2020, 2021
- Data Analysis\*. NYU Abu Dhabi. Spring 2018
- Survey Research\*. NYU Abu Dhabi. Fall 2014, 2015, 2016. Spring 2015, 2017
- Political Economy of Development\*. NYU Abu Dhabi. Fall 2015
- Behavioral Economics\*. NYU Abu Dhabi. Fall 2014

- Advanced Econometrics. Columbia University. Spring 2013
- Game Theory. Columbia University. Spring 2009
- War, Peace & Strategy. Columbia University. Fall 2008
- Finance and Growth. Tilburg University. Spring 2007

PREVIOUS  
POSITIONS &  
SERVICE

- Member. Political Science Search Committee (Instructor). NYU Abu Dhabi. AY 2020/2021
- Member. IRB Board. International Rescue Committee. 2016-2020
- Co-organizer. Political Science Seminar Series. NYU Abu Dhabi. Fall 2019
- Member. Political Science Search Committee (Faculty). NYU Abu Dhabi. AY 2018/2019
- Member. Selection Committee Best Experimental Political Science Dissertation in 2018. APSA. 2019
- Member. Taskforce to Revise Syllabus for Statistics for the Social and Behavioral Sciences. Social Science Division, NYU Abu Dhabi. 2016
- Pre-doctoral Fellow. Department of Economics, Wageningen University. 2012-2014
- Graduate Fellow. Center for the Study of Development Strategies, Columbia University. 2009-2014
- Graduate Fellow. Advanced Consortium on Cooperation, Conflict, and Complexity (AC4), Earth Institute, Columbia University. 2011-2014
- NSF-IGERT Fellow. Initiative for Policy Dialogue, Columbia University. 2009-2010
- Member. Program Committee. CentER for Economic Research, Tilburg University. 2004-2007
- Visiting Scholar. Department of Economics, University of Johannesburg. 2006
- Research Associate. Center for International Political Studies, University of Pretoria. 2004
- Founder and Chairman. Student Association AWake International. Tilburg University. 2002-2003

OTHER  
ACADEMIC  
ACTIVITIES

- Co-initiator and Co-organizer. “Working Group in African Political Economy” (WGAPE). NYU Abu Dhabi. January 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019
- Co-organizer. Evidence in Governance and Politics (EGAP) Learning Days. NYU-Abu Dhabi. January 2017, 2018, 2019
- External Member. Ph.D. Committee of N. Stoop. Department of Economics, Leuven University. September 2017
- Co-organizer. Three-day conference “Mining, Conflict, and Post-Conflict Reconstruction” (>50 presentations, >300 participants). Université Officielle de Bukavu, Congo. December 2016
- External Member. Ph.D. Committee of M. Schaub. Department of Economics, European University Institute. November 2016
- Co-organizer. Workshop on “Mining, Conflict, and Post-Conflict Reconstruction”. Department of Economics, Antwerp University. December 2015
- Co-organizer. Field Experiments Workshop, Njala University. January 2014

- Consultancy: United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees (UNHCR), World Bank, UKaid, Dutch Government, International Rescue Committee, CARE International
- REVIEWER
- American Journal of Political Science (5), Journal of Politics (4), American Political Science Review, British Journal of Political Science (3), Quarterly Journal of Economics, Journal of Development Economics, Journal of Conflict Resolution (3), PLOS One, International Studies Quarterly (2), Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization (2), International Organization, Comparative Political Science (3), Social Science and Medicine, Quarterly Journal of Political Science (2), Journal of Modern African Studies, World Development, Acta Politica, Food Policy
- OTHER
- Field experience: Democratic Republic Congo (17x, 26 months), Sierra Leone (3x, 2 month)
  - Languages: Dutch, English, French, German
  - Software: ArcGIS, HTML, L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X, R, Stata
  - Membership: EGAP, APSA, MPSA, EPSA, CAPERS, APCG, HiCN, CrisisMappers, IPA
  - Media Coverage: World Bank Blog, Financial Times, Washington Post, World Disasters Report, and reports by: UN Secretary General, UNOCHA, UNDP, and USIP
- UNIVERSITY &  
POLICY  
PRESENTATIONS
- NYU Abu Dhabi. May 2022. “Who Hosts? The Determinants of Hosting the Internally Displaced”
  - World Bank. Research Group’s DIME Seminar. June 2021. “What Do We Know (And Don’t Know) about Community-Driven Development in Fragile States? Evidence and Insights from Ten Years of the Tuungane Programing and Research in Eastern DRC”
  - New York University. Global TIES seminar. February 2020. “Assessing the Effects of Humanitarian Assistance on Internally Displaced Households: Experimental Evidence from a Voucher Program in the Congo”
  - UNICEF. Goma. June 2019. “Assessing the Effects of Humanitarian Assistance on Internally Displaced Households: Experimental Evidence from a Voucher Program in the Congo”
  - Catholic University of Bukavu. Public Health Seminar. June 2019. “Assessing the Effects of Humanitarian Assistance on Internally Displaced Households: Experimental Evidence from a Voucher Program in the Congo”
  - NYU Abu Dhabi. Development Economics Seminar. May 2019. “Assessing the Effects of Humanitarian Assistance on Internally Displaced Households: Experimental Evidence from a Voucher Program in the Congo”
  - Wageningen University. Economics Seminar. June 2018. “Assessing the Effects of Humanitarian Assistance on Internally Displaced Households: Experimental Evidence from a Voucher Program in the Congo”
  - NYU Abu Dhabi. Political Science Seminar. October 2017. “Overcoming Barriers to Voter Registration: Evidence from a Field Experiment in Kenya”
  - Leuven University. Economics Seminar. September 2017. “Overcoming Barriers to Voter Registration: Evidence from a Field Experiment in Kenya”

- Wageningen University. Economics Seminar. April 2017. “Improving Local Service Provision Delivery in Eastern Congo: An Impact Evaluation of the Tuungane 2+ Interventions. Pre-Analysis Plan”
- Goma, Congo. Department for International Development (DfID) & International Rescue Commission (IRC) & World Bank Coordination Meeting. December 2016. “Participatory Development in Fragile and Conflict-Affected Contexts: An Impact Evaluation of the Tuungane Program in the Democratic Republic of the Congo”
- London School of Economics. Conflict Research Group & African Political Economy Group. May 2016. “The Impact of Women in Leadership Positions: Evidence from a Field Experiment in Congo”
- European University Institute. Experimental Economics Workshop. April 2015. “How Development Interventions Make the Poor Poorer: Evidence from Two Experiments in the Congo”
- Bocconi University. Department of Policy Analysis and Public Management. April 2015. “How Development Interventions Make the Poor Poorer: Evidence from Two Experiments in the Congo”
- Goma, Congo. Department for International Development (DfID) & International Rescue Commission (IRC) & World Bank Coordination Meeting. March 2015. “Participatory Development in Fragile and Conflict-Affected Contexts: An Impact Evaluation of the Tuungane Program in the Democratic Republic of the Congo”
- NYU. GlobalTIES Seminar. March 2015. “Social Engineering in the Tropics: Case Study Evidence from East Congo”
- NYU Abu Dhabi. Winter Experimental Social Sciences Institute (WESSI). January 2015. “Partnerships in the Field & Ethics”
- Wageningen University. Economics Seminar. December 2014. “How Development Interventions Make the Poor ‘Poorer’: Evidence from Two Experiments in the Congo”
- Leuven University. November 2014. “How Development Interventions Make the Poor ‘Poorer’: Evidence from Two Experiments in the Congo”
- University of Cape Town. Department of Politics. November 2014. “Crowdseeding in Eastern Congo: Using Cell Phones to Collect Conflict Events Data in Real Time”
- Goma, Congo. Social Fund & World Bank. September 2014. “Productive Opportunities for Stabilization and Recovery”
- NYU Abu Dhabi. Political Science Seminar. August 2014. “Why Development Interventions Make the Poor ‘Poorer’: Evidence from Two Experiments in the Congo”
- University of Sussex. School of Global Studies. March 2014. “Local Institutions, Risk and Sharing in the Context of Migration”
- University of East Anglia. Center for Behavioral and Experimental Social Science (CBESS). March 2014. “Exporting Institutions: Evidence from a Field Experiment in Eastern Congo”
- Essex University. ESSEXLab. March 2014. “Local Institutions and Cooperation in the Presence of Migration: Evidence from the Democratic Republic of Congo”
- Bristol University. Geographies of Political Economy Research Group. March 2014. “Local Institutions, Risk and Sharing in the Context of Migration”



- Bristol University. Spatial Modeling Research Groups. March 2014. “Exporting Institutions: Evidence from a Field Experiment in Eastern Congo”
- Antwerp University. Institute of Development Policy (IOB). December 2013. “Local Institutions, Risk and Sharing in the Context of Migration”
- Columbia University. Seminar for the Study of Development Strategies. September 2013. “Local Governance and Native-Migrant Cooperation”
- Columbia University. Political Economy Breakfast. December 2012. “The Impact of Migration on Pro-Social Behavior: Evidence from Rural Congo”
- Wageningen University. Economics Seminar. November 2012. “The Impact of Migration on Pro-social Behavior”
- Columbia University. Comparative Politics Seminar. October 2012. “Characterizing Migrant Integration: An Analysis of Pro-Social Behavior in the Congo”
- Search for Common Ground. Bukavu, Congo. August 2012. “Causality, RCTs and Impact Evaluations”
- International Rescue Committee (IRC). Kinshasa & Lubumbashi, Congo. May 2012. “Social and Economic Impacts of Tuungane”
- Department for International Development (DfID). Kinshasa, Congo. May 2012. “Social and Economic Impacts of Tuungane”
- Columbia University. NSF-IGERT Seminar. November 2011. “Program Impact Assessment in Eastern Congo: New Instruments for the Direct Measurement of Local Violence”
- USAID. Washington DC, USA. December 2010. “Program Impact Assessment in Eastern Congo: New Instruments for the Direct Measurement of Local Violence”
- University of Bukavu. Economics Seminar. September 2010. “Causality: How to Know if an NGO Program Has Impact?”
- International Rescue Committee (IRC). New York City, USA. June 2010. “Aid and Accountability: Governance Effects of a Community Driven Reconstruction Program in Eastern Congo”
- United Nation’s Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs (OCHA). Bukavu, Congo. January 2010. “Program Impact Assessment in Eastern Congo: New Instruments for the Direct Measurement of Local Violence”
- Dutch Ministry of Defence. January 2009. “How Can We Use Game Theory?”
- Tilburg University. CentER for Economic Research. April 2006. “Capital Controls and Foreign Investor: Subsidies Implicit in South Africa’s Dual Exchange Rate System”
- University of Johannesburg. Department of Economics. October 2005. “Capital Controls and Foreign Investor: Subsidies Implicit in South Africa’s Dual Exchange Rate System”
- Moscow State Institute of International Relations (MGIMO). March 2005. “Contemporary Africa”

CONFERENCE &  
WORKSHOP  
PRESENTATIONS

- MPSA. April 2021. “Gender Response Bias and Women’s Empowerment: Evidence from Two Field Experiments in Congo”
- EGAP. EGAP Seminar Series. July 2020. “Community and/or Government Participation to Improve Accountability and Public Services? Experimental Evidence from Congo”
- WZB Berlin. WGAPE Seminar. April 2019. “Assessing the Effects of Humanitarian Assistance on Internally Displaced Households: Experimental Evidence from a Voucher Program in the Congo”
- New York University. CESS Conference. February 2019. “The Importance of Initial Recipients for Technology Diffusion: Evidence from a Field Experiment in the Congo”
- Leuven University. LICOS & IOB Economics Workshop. September 2017. “Overcoming Barriers to Voter Registration: A Field Experiment in Kenya”
- Konstanz University. Workshop Traditional Governance and Indigenous Peoples. June 2016. “Women’s Empowerment in Traditional Societies Evidence from a Field Experiment in Congo”
- MPSA. April 2016. “The Impact of Women in Leadership Positions: Evidence from a Field Experiment in Congo”
- NYU Abu Dhabi. Conference “International Conference on Women’s Political Participation and Leadership in Developing Countries”. March 2016. “The Impact of Women in Leadership Positions Evidence from a Field Experiment in Congo”
- Antwerp University. Workshop on “Mining, Conflict, and Post-Conflict Reconstruction”. December 2015. “The Impact of Women in Leadership Positions: Evidence from a Field Experiment in Congo”
- EPSA. June 2015. “Who’s Watching? Effects of Monitoring on Strategies for Corruption: A Field Experiment in the Congo”
- NYU. PeaceLab Workshop. June 2015. “Displacement in the Democratic Republic of Congo”
- Evidence in Governance and Politics (EGAP). Berlin Meeting. May 2015. “Improving Local Service Provision Delivery in Eastern Congo: An Impact Evaluation of the Tuungane 2+ Interventions. Pre-Analysis Plan”
- MPSA. April 2015. “How Development Interventions Make the Poor ‘Poorer’: Evidence from Two Experiments in the Congo”
- NYU Abu Dhabi. Annual Research Conference. February 2015. “Who’s Watching? Effects of Monitoring on Strategies of Corruption: Lessons from an Experiment in the DR Congo”
- APSA. August 2014. “Who’s Watching? Effects of Monitoring on Strategies of Corruption: Lessons From an Experiment in Congo”
- Oxford University. 7th International Conference on Migration and Development. June 2014. “Local Governance and Native-Migrant Cooperation”
- APSA. May 2014. “Measuring Discrimination at the Local Level”
- MIT. Media Lab. Build Peace Conference. April 2014. “Crowdseeding Conflict Data”
- Oxford University. CSAE Conference. March 2014. “Local Institutions, Risk and Cooperation in the Context of Migration: Evidence from the Democratic Republic of Congo”

- Oxford University. CSAE Conference. March 2014. “Measuring Discrimination at the Local Level: Evidence from a Lab-in-the-Field Experiment in Sierra Leone”
- Njala University. Field Experiments Workshop. January 2014. “The Local Average Treatment Effect”
- APSA. December 2013. “The Impact of Migration on Pro-social Behavior”
- NYU. Northeast Workshop in Empirical Political Science. September 2013. “Pro-social Behavior Among Natives and Migrants: Evidence from Rural Congo”
- APSA. August 2013. “Local Institutions, Resource Windfalls and Native-Migrant Cooperation”
- Catholic University of the Sacred Heart. 13th Jan Tinbergen European Peace Science Conference. June 2013. “Conflict-induced Migration and Pro-Social Behavior: Evidence from a Lab-in-the-Field Experiment in the Democratic Republic of Congo”
- EPSA. June 2013. “Migration and Cooperation in the Absence of Formal Institutions”
- EPSA. June 2013. “Exporting Institutions: Evidence from a Field Experiment in Eastern Congo”
- WZB, Berlin. May 2013. “Pro-social Behavior in the Context of Rural Migration: Evidence from a Lab-in-the-Field Experiment in the Congo”
- Columbia University. Earth Institute. April 2013. “Pro-social Behavior Among Natives and Migrants: Evidence from Rural Congo”
- MPSA. April 2013. “The Impact of Migration on Pro-social Behavior”
- MPSA. April 2013. “Crowdseeding in Eastern Congo: Using Mobile Phones to Collect Conflict Events Data in Real Time”
- International Studies Association. Crowdsourcing Workshop. April 2013. “Crowdseeding Conflict Data: An Application of an SMS-based Data System to Estimate the Conflict Effects of Development Aid”
- InterAction Forum. April 2013. “A Match Made in Heaven? Bringing Together Academics and Practitioners for Greater Impact”
- NYU. Contemporary African Political Economy Research Seminar (CAPERS). March 2013. “The Impact of Migration on Pro-social Behavior”
- Oxford University. Center for the Study of African Studies (CSAE) Conference. March 2013. “Exporting Institutions: Evidence from Rural Congo”
- WIPRO, India. Advanced Graduate Workshop on Development and Globalization. January 2013. “The Impact of Migration on Pro-Social Behavior: Evidence from Rural Congo”
- NYU. Center for Experimental Social Science (CESS). March 2013. “The Impact of Migration on Pro-Social Behavior: Evidence from Rural Congo”
- NYU Abu Dhabi. African Studies Seminar. December 2012. “Crowdseeding in Eastern Congo: Using Mobile Phones to Collect Conflict Events Data in Real Time”
- University of Oslo. Workshop “ICTs and the Global Governance of Peace and Security”. September 2012. “Crowdseeding: Using Cellphones to Collect and Distribute Information”

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