

Curriculum Vitae
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Nationality: French

Qualifications

1999-2003 MBA Ecole Supérieure en Sciences Economiques et Commerciales (ESSEC) – Major in International Affairs and Finance, France

2002-2003 MSc in Economic and Social Sciences - Universidad Autónoma de Madrid, Spain

Languages

French Mother Tongue

English Fluent

Spanish Intermediate

Areas of experience

- Project development in developing countries and fragile states: identification and design, funding, implementation and monitoring
- Development project financing in public and private sectors: structured finance, sovereign and non sovereign financing, legal formalization, co-funding with multilateral and bilateral donors including the EC and the EIB, as well as corporate finance analysis in various sectors including agricultural development and alternative livelihoods, small and medium enterprises, infrastructure (energy and telecom), finance and banking
- Economic and social research: design of qualitative (focus groups, in-depth interviews) and quantitative surveys, coordination, management of data, statistical and qualitative data/document analysis and dissemination of results to a wide range of audiences
- Aid effectiveness, coordination with private sector and civil society
- Experience in the micro-finance sector: identification of potential micro-finance institution investees for private equity participation, financial and marketing due diligence, funding implementation and management

Country experience Afghanistan, Cambodia, China, India, Indonesia, Lao PDR, Mali, Pakistan, Sri Lanka, Tanzania, Thailand, Vietnam

Career

2009- present **Research Fellow**, Centre for Aid and Public Expenditure, Overseas Development Institute

2009 **Lecturer, Sciences Po, Paris. Master in International Affairs**, Development Project Course

2007-2008 **Project Director and Key Expert**, Altai Consulting, Kabul, Afghanistan

2004-2006 **Investment Manager**, Agence Française de Développement (French bilateral cooperation) and Proparco (Development investment fund), Bangkok, Thailand

2003-2004 **Junior Investment Manager**, Proparco (Development investment fund) / Agence Française de Développement (French bilateral cooperation), Paris, France

Recent experience and assignments

Development financing

2009 Tanzania and Guinea – Case studies on financing and management of large infrastructure projects in Africa for the Collaborative Africa Budget reform Initiative (CABRI) dialogue on ensuring value for money in infrastructure projects (EC)

2009 United Kingdom - Assessing the comparative suitability of loans versus grants for climate finance in developing countries (DFID)

2009 Mali//Belgium/France - Study on factors influencing donors' decisions on funding of the education sector. Mali country case study, and European Commission and Agence Française de Développement donor case studies (Hewlett Foundation).

2004-2006 Thailand - Elaboration of Agence Française de Développement Thailand country strategy in relation with: energy and environment, trilateral cooperation between France, Thailand and neighbouring developing countries in agricultural development and education sectors and post-tsunami reconstruction program.

- 2004-2006** South East Asia - Project identification and implementation: financial intermediation to support the development of renewable energy and energy efficiency projects through local financial institutions.
- Prospection and evaluation of deal opportunities for private sector development funded by Proparco (AFD): on-field due diligence and conduct of negotiations for an equity investment (EUR 2 Mn) in a microfinance institution in Cambodia; due diligence and follow-up of Proparco's participation in a structured debt funding to the Nam Theun 2 1,000 MW hydro-power project in Lao PDR (EUR 60 Mn); follow-up of equity and debt participations portfolio in various sectors: insurance and banking, energy, health and manufacturing in Vietnam.
- Definition of post-tsunami private sector intervention. Project identification and due diligence: funding of the reconstruction of PT Semen Andalas, Lafarge Group cement manufactory in Aceh (EUR 30 Mn) and Lanka Orix Leasing to support the redevelopment of business activities in Sri Lanka (EUR 4 Mn)

Development in fragile situations

- 2009** United Kingdom - Lead researcher for a study to improve the design and implementation of monitoring and evaluation systems in fragile states to strengthen domestic accountability and service delivery (World Bank)
- 2009** United Kingdom - Review of international knowledge, concepts and experience with public finance management re-building and reforms in fragile states. The study involves development of a framework for analysing PFM reforms in fragile states and investigation of reform sequencing and World Bank engagement in three case study countries. Conduct of Afghanistan country case study (World Bank)
- 2009** United Kingdom – Researcher on a guidance note for donors on state-building in fragile states (OECD)
- 2009** United Kingdom – Researcher on an approach paper on capacity development activities in fragile states (World Bank Institute)
- 2009** Pakistan – Cotton and textile industry market study and assessment of market opportunities for Afghan cotton production (Agence Française de Développement)
- 2008** France - Methodology design for the evaluation of post disaster interventions of Agence Française de Développement (Egis BCEOM International)
- 2008** Afghanistan - Agricultural and market research on the development of the cotton sector in the northern provinces of Afghanistan: study on the dynamics of agricultural and industrial development of the cotton sector, review of the DAGRIS/Government of Afghanistan joint venture industrial strategy and market positioning. Analysis of market opportunities on Pakistan market (Agence Française de Développement)
- 2008** Afghanistan - Baseline socio-economical survey on energy use in 5 villages of Badakhshan province previous to the development of 3 micro hydropower projects: economic situation assessment, energy consumption, productive use of energy, health situation (GTZ-UNDP)
- 2008** Afghanistan - Study on energy use and willingness/ability to pay in 4 villages of Northern Afghanistan (Kunduz, Takhar and Badakhshan provinces) previous to the development and rehabilitation of small hydropower plants: economic and social situation assessment, domestic and productive energy consumption, price sensitivities, need assessment (KfW-GTZ)
- 2007-2008** Afghanistan - Market research for the development of small and medium enterprises in Afghanistan: market study, value chain mapping, detailed sector analysis, strategy formulation, identification of potential partners and investors (USAID)

Aid Effectiveness

- 2008** Afghanistan - Paris Conference for Afghanistan 2008: Writing of the conference background paper on Aid Effectiveness in Afghanistan, coordination of the design and production of communication support on key achievements of the Afghan reconstruction, 2002-2008 and support to the preparation of the Private Sector and Civil Society Forum (UNAMA, French Government)

Selected publications

- 2008** Aid effectiveness in Afghanistan: paper prepared for the Paris Conference – June 2008, Kabul: Altai Consulting, AREU, May 2008.