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## Personal Information

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Date of Birth: December 19, 1979

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## Work experience

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09/2011–                    Economist (consultant), The World Bank.  
05/2008–                    Research associate at CEPII.  
05/2008–08/2011        Economist, INRA – Économie Publique.  
11/2006–04/2008        Economist, CEPII.  
08/2006–09/2006        Intern at the Center for Global Trade Analysis (Purdue University, Indiana).

## Education

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2008–2011                Ph.D. in economics, École Polytechnique, defended on April 8, 2011.  
TITLE: Agricultural price instability and optimal stabilisation policies.  
ADVISORS: Jean-Marc Bourgeon (INRA) and Sébastien Jean (INRA).  
COMMITTEE: Édouard Challe (École Polytechnique), Christopher L. Gilbert (University of Trento), Michel Juillard (Banque de France), Brian D. Wright (Berkeley).  
2004–2006                Executive master in environmental studies, AgroParisTech-ENGREF, Paris.  
2000–2004                École Normale Supérieure de Cachan – Social sciences department  
2003–2004                M.Sc. in environmental economics with highest honors, Paris West University.  
2001–2003                B.Sc. in econometrics with highest honors, Paris West University.

## Teaching

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2009–2010                Growth theory (Teaching assistant for Katheline Schubert), 3<sup>rd</sup> year, Université Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne (18 hours).  
April 2009                Applied general equilibrium modelling, training for WTO staff joint with Hugo Valin, Geneva (4 days).  
2008–2011                Commodity price dynamics, 5<sup>th</sup> year, AgroParisTech (3 hours).  
2008–2010                International trade (Teaching assistant for Lionel Fontagné), 3<sup>rd</sup> year, Université Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne (18 hours).

## Publications

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### Refereed journals

Gouel C. (forthcoming), *Comparing numerical methods for solving the competitive storage model*. Computational Economics.

Gouel C. (2012), *Agricultural Price Instability: A Survey of Competing Explanations and Remedies*. Journal of Economic Surveys, 26(1), 129–156.

Gouel C., Mitaritona C. and Ramos M. P. (2011), *Sensitive Products in the Doha Negotiations: The Case of European and Japanese Market Access*. Economic Modelling, 28(6), 2395–2403.

### Working papers

Gouel C. and Jean, S. (2012), *Optimal food price stabilisation in a small open developing country*. Policy Research Working Paper 5943, The World Bank.

Gouel C. (2011), *Rules versus discretion in food storage policies*.

Gouel C., (2011), *Optimal food price stabilisation policy*.

### Other publications

Gouel C. (2008), *Comment expliquer la flambée des prix agricoles*, in CEPII (ed.) *L'économie mondiale 2009*. (pp. 74–86). Paris: La Découverte.

Gouel C. and Ramos M. P. (2008), *American and European Agricultural Market Access: A Concern for The South?*, La Lettre du CEPII N°277.

Gouel C. and Hertel T. W. (2006), *Introducing Forest Access Cost Functions into a General Equilibrium Model*, GTAP Research Memoranda, 2215.

### Reports

Boumellassa H., Gouel C. and Laborde D. (2007). *Bilateral and Sectoral Investment Relations at a World Scale Impact on Trade*, Report for the Commission of the European Union, Directorate General for Trade.

Gouel C. and Laborde D. (2007). *Prospective agriculture 2013*, Report for INRA's project on Agriculture 2013 foresight.

Bénassy-Quéré A., Béreau S., Decreux Y., Gouel C. and Poncet S. (2007). *IMF Quotas at Year 2030*, Report for French finance ministry.

## Conferences, Workshops, Seminars

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- 2011, December 11–13, **IATRC**, annual meeting, St. Petersburg, Florida, USA.
- 2011, December 6, **World Bank**, internal workshop on public stocks, Washington DC, USA.
- 2011, November 17–18, **World Bank**, internal workshop on “Development Policy in a Riskier World”, Washington DC, USA.
- 2011, October 21, **Berkeley**, invited seminar, California, USA.
- 2011, June 16–18, **GTAP**, annual meeting, Venice, Italy.
- 2011, May 30–June 1, **ABCDE**, Annual Bank Conference on Development Economics, Paris, France.
- 2011, March 24, **CEPII**, internal seminar, Paris, France.
- 2011, February 7, **École Polytechnique**, internal seminar, Paris, France.
- 2011, January 10, **IFPRI**, invited seminar, Washington DC, USA.
- 2011, January 6–9, **ASSA**, annual meeting, The Econometric Society session, Denver, USA.
- 2010, December 9–10, **INRA-SFER-CIRAD**, annual meeting, Rennes, France.
- 2010, November 4–5, **AgFoodTrade** meeting (FP7 project), Seville, Spain.
- 2010, September 30, **CEPII**, internal seminar, Paris, France.
- 2010, September 9–10, **AFSE**, annual meeting, Paris, France.
- 2010, September 6–7, **INRA**, LEF, workshop “Natural risks, climate change, natural and renewables resources”, Nancy, France.
- 2010, May 21, **INRA**, internal seminar, Économie publique, Paris, France.
- 2009, May 14–15, **AgFoodTrade** meeting (FP7 project), Roma, Italy.

- 2008, March 10, **Bruegel**, Brussels, Belgium. Workshop on “Farm policies in the EU and the US”.

## **Referee reports for scientific journals**

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Computational Economics, Economic Modelling.

## **Other referee reports**

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European Commission – DG Research, French Ministry of Agriculture.

## **References**

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