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<b>Current Position</b>	<b>Postdoctoral researcher</b> University of Namur	Sep 2024 - present
<b>Education</b>	<b>Ph.D. in Economics</b> Maastricht University Supervisor: <a href="#">Kristof Bosmans</a> , <a href="#">Max Löffler</a> , <a href="#">Hannes Rusch</a>	2020 - Jan 2025
	<b>M.Sc. in Economics</b> Université Catholique de Louvain Double Degree Program	2019 – 2020
	<b>M.Sc. in Economics</b> Maastricht University Double Degree Program	2018 – 2019
	<b>B.Sc. in Economics and Management</b> University of Namur	2015 – 2018
<b>Research Interests</b>	<b>Primary:</b> Economics of Migration <b>Secondary:</b> Political Economy, Population Economics	
<b>Publications</b>	“Political regime and COVID 19 death rate: Efficient, biasing or simply different autocracies? An econometric analysis” with <a href="#">Guilhem Cassan</a> , <i>SSM - Population Health</i> (2022).	
<b>Working Papers</b>	“Gender-biased fertility preferences may decrease fertility: evidence from a counterfactual analysis” with <a href="#">Guilhem Cassan</a> <u>Status:</u> Submitted	
	“Support for refugees declines when helping groups are asymmetric” with <a href="#">Hannes Rusch</a> , <a href="#">Robert Böhm</a> , and <a href="#">Paul A.M. van Lange</a> <u>Status:</u> Submitted	
	“Where familiarity breeds less contempt: Political and economic effects of refugee reception show substantial local variation” with <a href="#">Tim Friehe</a> and <a href="#">Hannes Rusch</a> <u>Status:</u> Submitted	
<b>Presentations</b> * scheduled	2024: 8 <sup>th</sup> International Conference Understanding Voluntary and Forced Migration (Lille) 2023: 7 <sup>th</sup> International Conference Understanding Voluntary and Forced Migration (Lille), ESA (Lyon), MBEES (Maastricht), IAREP-SABE (Nice), 2 <sup>nd</sup> International Workshop on Migration and Family economics (Paris), Migration and Societal Change (Utrecht) 2022: CRED Workshop (Namur)  <i>Not listed: multiple internal presentations.</i>	
<b>Professional Service</b>	<b>Reviewer</b> Migration Studies, Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization, SSM - Population Health	

### Academic Community Contribution

Fišar, M., Greiner, B., Huber, C., Katok, E., Ozkes, A. I. & Management Science Reproducibility Collaboration. (2024). Reproducibility in Management Science. Management Science, 70(3), 1343-1356.

### Vocational Experience

**Centre of Research in the Economics of Development** Jan – May 2019  
University of Namur, Research Assistant

**Junior Entreprise de Namur** Jan 2017 – Jan 2018  
Namur, Junior Consultant

### Teaching Assistantships

Using Economic Tools to Solve Global Challenges	2024 – 2025
Economics of Information (B.Sc.)	2023 – 2024
Intermediate Microeconomics for Pre-master (B.Sc.)	2022 – 2023
Tax Policy in the International Context (M.Sc.)	2021 – 2022
Microeconomics (B.Sc.)	2021 – 2024
Economics and Business (B.Sc.)	2020 – 2024
Principles of Economics (B.Sc.)	2020 – 2021
Intermediate Microeconomics (B.Sc.)	2020 – 2021

### Skills

Stata, Python, oTree, LaTeX

### Languages

French (native), Dutch (native), English (fluent), Spanish (B1), German (basic)

### References

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