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About

Doctoral Researcher at the University of Luxembourg, Faculty of Humanities, Education and Social Sciences. Background in International Cooperation and Development and International Relations. Particularly interested in development finance and the crosscutting themes of climate resilience and gender equality.

Education


2019

 **Master Coopération Internationale et Développement**
Distinction
Institut d'Etudes Politiques de Bordeaux (Sciences Po Bordeaux)
Bordeaux, France

2018

 **MSc. Politics and International Cooperation**
Distinction
University of the West Indies
Mona, Jamaica.

2016

 **BSc. International Relations**
First Class Honours
University of the West Indies
Mona, Jamaica

2016

 **BSc. Political Science**
Distinction
Université des Antilles
Martinique, France.

Core Courses: Development Economics, Small States' Development Challenges and Opportunities, Project Cycle Management, Gender Analysis for Development Policy and Planning, International Economic Law, International Relations, French, Spanish

Professional Experience

University of Luxembourg- Esch-sur-Alzette, Luxembourg

Doctoral Researcher, Faculty of Humanities, Education and Social Sciences (FHSE) February 2022- Present

- PhD candidate pursuing research at the cross-section between climate, gender and finance

UNDP, Archipelagic and Island States Forum Secretariat - Jakarta, Indonesia

Programme Development Support Officer- Caribbean Region. August 2021- February 2022

- Supporting the implementation of the UNDP's Archipelagic and Island States Forum Programme in the Caribbean Region.

Rethink Social Development Ltd. - Kingston, Jamaica

Qualitative Research Assistant (consultant) May 2021- November 2021

- Research support for the Qualitative Analysis and Research component of the UN Women Spotlight initiative- Technical and Coordination Assistance on Violence Against Women and Girls (VAWG) Data in Jamaica.

European Investment Bank (EIB)- Luxembourg city, Luxembourg

Operations Directorate-Global Partners Department, Institutional and Implementation Unit. Africa, Caribbean and Pacific (ACP) policy and planning trainee- September 2020- August 2021

- ACP policy and planning- general support for the implementation of the Bank's mandate in the ACP region to foster local private sector development, climate resilient infrastructure and inclusive societies.
- Supporting the Bank's gender and climate finance initiatives in Africa, Caribbean and Pacific regions

CEDAW UN Treaty Body Research Assistant

Research Assistant to CEDAW Committee member- Latin America and Caribbean region March 2020-February 2022

- Research assistance preparing country briefs on the implementation of the 1979 Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women (CEDAW).

Institute for Gender and Development Studies of Jamaica- Kingston, Jamaica

Research Assistant (consultant) June 2019 - November 2019

- Research assignment for UNESCO funded project: 'Positive Fathering: A Bridge to Enhancing Family Unity and Community Cohesion in Jamaica'. Qualitative coding and data analysis of focus group discussions. Desk review of the legislative, institutional and policy framework surrounding parenting and fatherhood in Jamaica to be included in the final report.

Caribbean Export Development Agency- St. Michael, Barbados

Intern- Monitoring & Evaluation assistant September 2019

- Monitoring and evaluation for the 4th CARIFORUM-EU Business forum held in Frankfurt, Germany.

University of the West Indies (UWI) Department of Government - Kingston, Jamaica

Adjunct Tutor in International Relations September 2017- May 2018

- Conducting tutorials and evaluating course work requirements for Third-year courses: 'Contemporary International Relations of the Caribbean', 'Contemporary Issues of International Relations' and for First-year courses: 'Introduction to Political Analysis' and 'Law, Governance, Economy and Society in the Caribbean'.

Summary of skills

Language skills

Mother tongue: English Other languages: French (C2), Spanish (B2)

Project Management methods and tools

EU Grant Proposal Development and Project Management certified training- Vocal Europe (2020)

Project Management for Development Certified MOOC- Inter-American Development Bank (2019).

Relevant Academic experiences

May 2018 Gender Review of the National Youth Policy of Jamaica

Gender Analysis for Development Policy and Planning capstone project presented to Jamaica's Minister of State with Responsibility for Youth, the Hon. Floyd Green.

December 2017- Short essay 'Small States Development Challenges and Opportunities'-'How have the Small Island Developing States of Jamaica and Grenada been disproportionately affected by migration, climate change and natural disasters, and to what extent have they been successful in formulating coherent policy frameworks to offset the adverse effects of these developmental challenges?'