Hannes Tepper

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Education

PhD in Economics | Submitted — Sep. 2023 – May 2027
Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne University, CES and Paris School of Economics — Paris, France
- Thesis: "Industrial Policy, Structural Change and Growth".
- Research stays: PUC-Rio (8 months), Harvard University (5 months).

Master of Science in Analysis and Policy in Economics | High Honors — Sep. 2022 – June 2023
Paris School of Economics — Paris, France
- Thesis: "The Comeback of Industrial Policy".

Master of Science in Development Economics | Highest Honors, Valedictorian — Sep. 2021 – June 2022
Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne University — Paris, France
- Thesis: "Growth Diagnostics Revised".

Bachelor of Science in Socioeconomics | High Honors — Sep. 2017 – June 2020
Kiel University — Kiel, Germany
- Thesis: "Political Systems in Times of Growing Inequalities".
- Erasmus exchange: Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne University.

Work Experience

CID PhD Fellow — Feb. 2026 – July 2026
HKS - Harvard Kennedy School | financed by Fulbright Commission — Cambridge, United States
- Project: "Industrial Policy and Growth Diagnostics".
- Mission: Work with Dani Rodrik and the Reimagening the Economy Program.

Visiting Researcher — June 2025 – Dec. 2025
IBGE - Instituto Brasileiro de Geografia e Estatistica | financed by PSE & CEPREMAP — Rio de Janeiro, Brazil
- Project: "Targeting Industrial Policy".
- Mission: Analyze empirical evidence together with Brazilian Statistical Agency IBGE.

Doctoral research and teaching assistant — Sep. 2023 – April 2027
Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne University — Paris, France
- Professors: Ariell Reshef, Goulven Rubin, Ibrahim Ahamada and Maria Bas.
- Classes: Macroeconomics and Econometrics

Research assistant of Professor Carmen Camacho — June 2022 – Aug. 2022
Paris School of Economics — Paris, France
- Project: Growth Diagnostics Revised
- Mission: Economic Modelling

Research assistant at the research centre "International Development" — Jan. 2021 – April 2021
Kiel Institute for the World Economy — Kiel, Germany
- Project: Mercator Dialogue on Asylum and Migration survey on migration in Uganda and Senegal.
- Mission: Econometric analysis using STATA and R.

Research assistant at the department of economic analysis and history — Sep. 2020 – Dec. 2020
Universidad Autonoma de Madrid — Madrid, Spain
- Project: Preparation of a lecture "Economic divergence" and study on 19th century trade.
- Mission: Data preparation using STATA and R.

Client advisor June 2020 – Sep. 2020
Touring Club Switzerland Car Assistance Geneva, Switzerland

- Assistance in English, French, Spanish and Portuguese.

Internship Aug. 2019 – Sep. 2019
Grameen Bank of Bangladesh - Bank for the Poor & Muhammad Yunus Dhaka, Bangladesh

- Project: Grameen Green, a sustainable waste management system in Kaundiya, Dhaka.
- Mission: Learn about microcredit and social business.

Skills

STATA
R
MICROSOFT OFFICE
LATEX

Languages

German: Native
English: C1 Cambridge Certificate
French: C1 DALF Certificate
Spanish: C1/B2 SIELE Certificate
Portuguese: C1 CELPE-Bras Certificate

Grants and Awards

"Research grant" | Fulbright Commission Feb. 2026 – Jul. 2026
Grant of the Fulbright Germany Commission for outstanding PhD students. Cambridge, United States

"Stipendien für ein Masterstudium im Ausland" | DAAD Sep. 2022 – Sep. 2023
Yearly grant of the German government for outstanding students of 13,200 € (nb. 57595561). Bonn, Germany

"Research grant" | Agence Nationale de Recherche, PSE Appel 40 & 43 Dec. 2023 – Dec. 2025
To finance the main project of my PhD on industrial policy in Brazil (4,300 €). Paris, France

"Research grant" | CEPREMAP Jan. 2025 – Dec. 2025
To finance the main project of my PhD on industrial policy in Brazil (3,500 €). Paris, France

"Promotionsstipendium" | Studienstiftung [Non cumulative, thus declined] Sep. 2023 – Sep. 2026
Three-years doctoral grant awarded to outstanding students from Germany. Bonn, Germany

Working Papers

"Do this or do that? A model to prioritize reforms" with Carmen Camacho (PSE) Feb. 2023
PSE Working Paper N° 2023 – 10 Paris, France

"Firms Unchained: Human Capital, Modern Services and 21st Century Development" June 2025
with Alvaro Cox (UC3M) & Matthew Schwartzman (UMich) Paris, France

Policy Briefs

"Unintended Consequences of Trade Policies" commissioned by Sandra Poncet (PSE) Mar. 2025
PSE Globalization Chair Policy Brief N° 2025 - 2 Paris, France