

# CENTER FOR ECONOMIC RESEARCH ON GOVERNANCE, INEQUALITY AND CONFLICT

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## RESEARCH OBJECTIVES

- Inequality and skills
- Peace and emancipation
- Digital revolution and citizenship

## CROSS-CUTTING THEMES

- Policy evaluation
- Trade
- Conflicts
- Development
- Education
- Environment
- Inequalities
- Institutions
- Media
- Public Policy
- Vote
- Violence

## RESEARCH RESOURCES AND TOOLS

- Development of data collection tools (textual, satellite ...) using the latest machine learning tools
- Use of up-to-date econometric analysis tools
- Strong links with international networks: research assignments in prestigious universities (Harvard, UC Berkeley, London School of Economics, New York University, Oxford, Universidad

de Los Andes Bogotá, Shanghai Jiaotong University, Hitotsubashi University, etc.) and hosting visiting professors.

- Master's in economics - ENS de Lyon: Master's in English with an international focus - Phd.program accredited.
- Weekly external seminars and Workshops: with speakers internationally recognized in their fields.

## CHIFFRES-CLÉS

**30**

staff including **7** teacher-researchers, **8** PhD students and post-docs, **3** study engineers, **2** research support people, **+ 10** trainees and research assistants per year.

**Over the last 5 years:**

**16**

**16** research funds obtained: **1** ERC Consolidator, **5** ANR, **1** IDEX Fellowship, **1** Swiss National Science Foundation, **1** CEPR Fund, **2** IMPULSION schemes, **4** forthcoming project schemes, **1** attractiveness scheme.



## FROM THE LABORATORY TO THE SOCIO-ECONOMIC WORLD

- Expertise and advice on an international level in applied economics in public economics, political economy, development economics, environmental and education economics (French Senate, European Union, World Bank)
- Transmission of knowledge: scientific co-leadership of the SES-ENS website for secondary school teachers, organization of an Open University cycle, transmission of knowledge in English: VoxEU, LSE Business Review

## SPOTLIGHT ON

**The DISRUPT (ANR JCJC) project**, due to recent public debates on the role of social media, is aiming to mobilize innovative data collection and automated content analysis techniques with state-of-the-art econometric methodologies to provide empirical analysis on the use of these platforms by politicians, non-profit organizations, businesses, workers and trade unions and examine their multifaceted effects on an extensive set of political and economic variables.

While wealth and income inequality have increased in many countries in recent decades, European welfare states have come under pressure amid persistent economic difficulties and increasing globalization. Through a Franco-German perspective, **EQUITAX (ANR)** intends to contribute to this issue by studying the most effective socio-fiscal instruments to fight against these inequalities. To this objective, **EQUITAX** will develop a pioneering and comprehensive analysis on the link between taxation and inequality, combining applied macroeconomic, theoretical and micro econometric approaches.

The ecological transition has important consequences on the demand for minerals. The objective of the **ArtiMinDev** project (ERC Consolidator), is to map the opening/closure of artisanal mines in sub-Saharan African countries over the 2000-2022 period with accurate location information to analyze the impacts of artisanal mining in these countries concerning income, violence, environmental degradation and health, as well as on internal migration.

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