جامعة عجمان
AJMAN UNIVERSITY

Faculty CV Template

[Hajer KRATOU]

Academic Rank

Associate -professor (economics)

Qualifications

- Ph.D. in Development Economics (with the highest honor), University of Auvergne, France and University of Carthage, Tunis, Tunisia

Research field(s)

- Development Economics, Migration; brain drain; External financial flows (FDI; Migrants Remittances; Aid; Dutch disease; Sustainable Development Goals; Income Inequality; poverty; financial development, financial inclusion, academic freedom and democracy

Publications *(Last five years)*

1. L Laakso, H Kratou - Academic Freedom in Africa, 2024, chapter Book,
2. Hajer Kratou and Thierry Yogo (2023) Do Remittances and Terrorism Impact Each Other?, Peace Economics, Peace Science and Public Policy, https://doi.org/10.1515/peps-2023-0036
3. Hajer Kratou & Najeh Khlass (2023) Does the cost of remitting matter? Evidence from low-income countries on the effect of remittances on income distribution, Development Studies Research, 10:1, 2241641, DOI: 10.1080/21665095.2023.2241641
4. F Facchini, L Jaeck, H Kratou. (2023). The growth-inequality debate revisited by rent-seeking theory: Some empirical evidence. European Journal of Political Economy.
5. Sisodia, G. S., Sah, H. K., Kratou, H., Mohnot, R., Ibanez, A., & Gupta, B. (2023). The Long-Run Effect of Carbon Emission and Economic Growth in European Countries: A Computational Analysis through Vector Error Correction Model. *International Journal of Energy Economics and Policy*, *13*(3), 271–278. https://doi.org/10.32479/ijeep.13942
6. Hajer KRATOU, Rekha Pillai & Taimur Sharif (2023) Do low-skilled migrant remittances help achieve SDG 10?, Journal of Chinese Economic and Business Studies, DOI: 10.1080/14765284.2023.2210481

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- Somlanare Romuald Kinda, Hajer Kratou (2023) "Climatic variability, remittances and household consumption volatility In developing countries." Accepted for Publication at Economics Bulletin.
- Kariuki, Esther, Hajer Kratou, and Liisa Laakso. "Attacks on scholars a threat to democracy in Africa: the link between decreased academic freedom and the stagnation of democracy." (2022).
- Hajer Kratou, Najeh Khlass (2022): Remittances, Income inequality and Brain Drain: An Empirical Investigation for the MENA Region. Book chapter published at Springer, Cham. Book title: Key Challenges and Policy Reforms in the MENA Region, p.85-101. e-book ISBN: 978-3-030-92133-0. DOI.org/10.1007/978-3-030-92133-0
- Hajer Kratou, Liisa Laakso (2021) : The Impact of Academic Freedom on Democracy in Africa, The Journal of Development Studies, Vol 58, N 4, pp 809-826. DOI: 10.1080/00220388.2021.1988080
- Hajer Kratou, Liisa Laakso, « Academic Freedom and the quality of democracy in Africa » Working Paper 2020 No. 33 Varieties of Democracy Institute, Gothenburg
- Hajer Kratou, Kaouthar Gazdar, « Do institutions and financial development determine the remittances-growth nexus in Africa ? », *Mondes en développement*, 2018/3 (n° 183), p. 91-112. DOI : 10.3917/med.183.0091. URL : https://www.cairn.info/revue-mondes-en-developpement-2018-3-page-91.htm

Courses Taught *(Last five years)*

- Microeconomics, Macroeconomics, Economic development of GCC, International Business, Money and Banking, financial institutions and quantitative research methods, Managerial economics.

Professional Experience

- Since September 2024: Associate professor
- Assistant -professor (economics), Ajman University, United Arab Emirates. Courses: Macroeconomics; Microeconomics, economic development of GCC; International Business (undergraduate and master levels)
- September 2017-August 2019: Assistant-professor (economics), Prince Mohammad Bin Fahd University, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia. Courses: Macroeconomics; Microeconomics; Money and Banking; Financial Market and Institutions, Assessment learning (undergraduate)
- April-September 2017: Consulting services with African Union: Youth organization study
- June 2016-July 2017: Researcher at Enda tamweel, Microfinance institution (project: money transfer)
- Since January 2016: Member and associate expert of the association and think tank Africa 21(Geneva, Swiss). www.africa21.org. Member of the scientific committee of the journal.

- 2015-2016: Teacher at Secondary school (Fénelon; Chamalières), Clermont Fd, France
- 2012-2015: Researcher at the Centre for Study and Research on International Development (CERDI) University of Auvergne (France)

Committees Work

-Student advising (under graduate)

-Course coordinator

-Member of AACSB committee (CBA strategic plan)

-Assessment and Continuous Improvement Committee (ACIC)

- Member of Plagiarism committee

- Member of Faculty' recruitment interview committee.

-External verifier (exam moderator)

Honors and Awards

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Other Contributions and Achievements

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