

# Séminaire de Recherche



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**Determinants of cross-border labor mobility:  
a comparison between Luxembourg and Switzerland**



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**Childbearing Postponement, its Option Value, and the  
Biological Clock**

This article analyses the determinants of cross-border labor mobility combining a theoretical model and empirical estimates. Individuals choose between a stayer and a mover state which depend on a trade-off between the cost and the benefice. Our theoretical model show that cross-bordering determinants are multiple. The decision to move depend on labor market conditions, houses prices and commuting. The prediction are clear for the first two. (...)

Having children is like investing in a risky project. Postponing birth is like delaying an irreversible investment. It has an option value, which depends on its costs and benefits, and in particular on the additional risks motherhood brings. We develop a parsimonious theory of childbearing postponement along these lines. We derive its implications for asset accumulation, income, optimal age at first birth, and childlessness. (...)

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Le mal-être des ATSEM et des référents périscolaires  
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