

ALINE VANDENBROECK

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EDUCATION

- August 2022 – August 2027 (expected) **PhD in Health Policy & Administration, University of Illinois Chicago**
Health Economics track
- September 2020 – August 2021 **MSc in Economics, Ghent University**
Graduated **Summa Cum Laude**
Master thesis: "*Exploring associations between burnout, sleep, student work and academic performance in the context of the effort-recovery model. Cross-sectional findings from Belgium.*" (Prof. Stijn Baert)
- September 2015 – August 2019 **BSc in Economics, Université Libre de Bruxelles**
Graduated with **Distinction**
Completed additional 50 ECTS in Mathematics at the Faculty of Sciences
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RESEARCH & TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- August 2022 – present **Graduate Research Assistant, University of Illinois Chicago**
Evaluation of food policies implemented across the U.S. (PI - Dr. Lisa M. Powell)
- January 2022 – July 2022 **Research Intern, United Nations University – CRIS, Belgium**
Empirical study on female migrants' access to health care (PI - Dr. Ilse Ruysen)
- October 2021 – December 2021 **Research Intern, Itinera Institute, Belgium**
Report on determinants of healthy life expectancy in the EU (PI - Dr. Johan Albrecht)
- February 2019 – May 2019 **Teaching Assistant, Université Libre de Bruxelles, Belgium**
Analysis of Contemporary Issues - *undergraduate* (Prof. Jean-Pierre De Laet).
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PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

- Powell, L. M., **Vandenbroeck, A.**, Leider, J., Pipito, A. A., & Moran, A. (2024). Evaluation of Fast-Food Restaurant Kids' Meal Beverage Offerings One-Year Following a State-Level Healthy Beverage Default Policy. *AJPM focus*, 100226.
- Powell, L. M., Leider, J., Schermbeck, R. M., **Vandenbroeck, A.**, & Harris, J. L. (2024). Trends in Children's Exposure to Food and Beverage Advertising on Television. *JAMA Network Open*, *forthcoming*
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WORK IN PROGRESS

- Vandenbroeck, A.**, Bekaert, E., Bittner, J. M. P., Ceesay, I., Scheerens, C., & Ruysen, I. Exploring Barriers to Healthcare among Internal and International Female Migrants in The Gambia.
- Pipito, A. A., **Vandenbroeck, A.**, Moran, A., Cradock, A. L., & Powell L.M. Implementation Assessment of an Illinois Healthy Beverage Default Law with Restaurant Managers.
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CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

- Vandenbroeck, A.**, Bekaert, E., Bittner, J. M. P., Ceesay, I., Scheerens, C., & Ruysen, I. (2023, June). The influence of migration on women's access to and utilization of healthcare in The Gambia. VII Oxford Workshop on Immigration, Health and Wellbeing.
- Vandenbroeck, A.**, Bekaert, E., Bittner, J. M. P., Ceesay, I., Scheerens, C., & Ruysen, I. (2023, July). The influence of migration on women's access to and utilization of healthcare in The Gambia. IMISCOE Annual Conference.
- Powell, L. M., Leider, J., Schermbeck, R. M., **Vandenbroeck, A.**, & Harris, J. L. (2024, October). Changes in children's exposure to food and beverage advertising from 2013 to 2022. APHA 2024 Annual Meeting and Expo.
- Pipito, A. A., **Vandenbroeck, A.**, Moran, A., Cradock, A. L., & Powell L.M. (2024, October). Implementation Assessment of an Illinois Healthy Beverage Default Law with Restaurant Managers. APHA 2024 Annual Meeting and Expo.
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COURSES AND CERTIFICATES

- 2024 - Gender & Policy | Summer school on Socioeconomic Opportunity and Inequality, **University of Chicago**
- 2023 - Advanced Causal Inference Workshop, **Northwestern University**
- 2022 - Economic Aspects of Health Care | Economics of Migration | Sociology of Health and Illnesses | Specific Statistics and Research Methodology in Health Promotion, **Ghent University** | Healthcare Innovation, **Université Libre de Bruxelles**
- 2020 - Climate Change: Cross-disciplinary Challenges and Solutions, **Aarhus University**

SKILLS

R, Stata, Python, MATLAB, SPSS, SAS, LaTeX, Microsoft Office, ATLAS.ti
Dutch (fluent), English (fluent), French (native)

AWARDS AND AFFILIATIONS

Honorary Fellow 2022-2023 - **Belgian American Educational Foundation**
Best MSc student in Economics 2020-2021 - **Ernst & Young**
Affiliated Researcher - **Ghent University Department of Economics**
Affiliated Researcher - **International Thematic Network CliMigHealth**

REFERENCES

Professor Freddy Heylen - **Ghent University Department of Economics** - Freddy.Heylen@UGent.be
Professor Ilse Ruyssen - **Ghent University Department of Economics** - Ilse.Ruyssen@UGent.be
Professor Lisa M. Powell – **University of Illinois Chicago Health Policy & Administration** – Powell@uic.edu
Professor Yana Gallen – **University of Chicago Harris School of Public Policy** – Yana@uchicago.edu