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CURRENT POSITIONS

Assistant Professor of Economics, TOBB-ETU, September 2010-Present
Assistant Manager at Center for Social Policy Research, TOBB-ETU

EDUCATION

Ph.D. in Economics, Universitat Pompeu Fabra, 2010
Thesis Supervisor: Prof. Thijs van Rens
M.S. in Economics, Universitat Pompeu Fabra, 2006
M.A. in Economics, Bogazici University, 2005
B.S. in Civil Engineering, METU, 1999

RESEARCH FIELDS

Macroeconomics, Monetary Economics, Applied Time Series

TEACHING

Instructor	Statistics, TOBB-ETU Macroeconomics, TOBB-ETU Advanced Macroeconomics, TOBB-ETU (Grad.) Macroeconomics II, TOBB-ETU
TA (Grad.)	Applied Time Series, UPF, Prof. Jesús Gonzalo Banking and Financial Institutions, UPF, Prof. Xavier Freixas Industrial Organization, UPF, Prof. Doh Shin Jeon Political Competition and Institutions, UPF, Prof. Humberto Llavador International Economics, Koc University, Prof. Cevdet Akcay
TA (U.Grad)	Applied Microeconomics, UPF, Prof. Doh Shin Jeon Economic Theory (Micro), UPF, Prof. Joan de Martí Beltran Mathematics II, UPF, Prof. Àngel Gil Microeconomics II, UPF, Prof. Karl Schlag

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE AND OTHER EMPLOYMENT

Centre de Recerca en Economia Internacional, Technical Research Assistant on the project:
Modeling Persistence in Hiring on a Frictional Labor Market
University of Navarra, Research Assistant on the project:

Transaction Costs and the Diffusion of Knowledge
Koc Investment and Financial Services, Research Assistant

WORKING PAPERS

'Lower Volatility, Higher Inequality: Are They Related?', 2011
'Trade and Inequality in the US and UK: Cohort Perspective', 2010
'Endogenous Markups in the New Keynesian Model:
Implications for Inflation-Output Trade-Off and Welfare', 2010
'Impulse Response Matching and GMM Estimations in Weakly Identified Models', 2007

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

XXXIV Simposio de la Asociación Española de Economía (SAEe), 2009
CREI Macroeconomics Workshop (2009, 2010)
University of Valencia (2009); City University London (2010);
Bahcesehir University (2010); Kadir Has University (2010),
TOBB-ETU (2010); Middle East Technical University(2010)
EconAnadolu Conference (2011)

ACADEMIC SERVICE

Member of the Academic Scientific Board of Journal of Economics, Management and Finance

COMPUTER SKILLS

Matlab, Stata, E-views, Gauss, WinRats, R, Mathematica

LANGUAGE SKILLS

Native: Turkish; Advanced: English; Upper-Intermediate: Spanish

REFERENCES

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