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*Monetary Policy, Finance, Regulation
Technology, Financial Stability*

Education

2020–	Ph.D. in Finance, Frankfurt School of Finance & Management
Summer 2023	Visiting Ph.D. Student, The University of Virginia, Darden School of Business
Autumn 2022	Visiting Ph.D. Student, The University of Chicago, Booth School of Business
2013–2015	M.Sc. in Finance, Frankfurt School of Finance & Management
2007–2012	B.Sc. in Business Management/Economics, Universitat Rovira i Virgili

Professional Experience

Aug/2021–	European Central Bank. Supervision Analyst - On-Site & Internal Model Inspections - IT & Operational Risk <i>IT, cyber and digital risk and security - 2024 ECB Cyber Resilience Stress Test</i> <i>* Feb/2023–Aug/2023 (Temporary Placement) - Risk Analyst - Stress Test Experts - 2023 European Banking Authority Stress Test, Market Risk Specialist</i>
Oct/2018–Jul/2021	European Central Bank. Supervision Analyst - On-Site & Internal Model Inspections - Capital Markets & Treasury <i>Market Risk, IRRBB and Liquidity</i> <i>* Feb/2021–Aug/2021 (Temporary Placement) - Risk Analyst - Stress Test Experts - 2021 European Banking Authority Stress Test, Market Risk Specialist</i> <i>* Feb/2020–Aug/2020 (Temporary Placement) - Risk Analyst - Quantitative Risk Analysis - 2020 European Banking Authority Stress Test, Market Risk Specialist</i>
Jun/2017–May/2018	European Central Bank. Supervision Analyst - Crisis Management <i>Crisis Management, Recovery and Resolution planning assessment</i>
Jun/2016–May/2017	European Central Bank. Trainee - Economics, Monetary Policy - Capital Markets and Financial Structure

Research Affiliations

2021–	European Banking Institute. Member - EBI Young Researchers Group <i>Central Banking and Macroeconomic Policies</i>
2021–	Digital Euro Association. Research Fellow

Publications

2023	Quantitative Easing and Credit Rating Agencies With Nordine Abidi (International Monetary Fund) and Matteo Falagiarda (European Central Bank) <i>International Review of Financial Analysis, Volume 86, 2023.</i> - ECMI Best Paper 2018 - Unicredit Foundation Young Economist Best Academic Paper Award 2018
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Working/Submitted Papers

2024	The Demand for Inflation Hedging With Benoit Nguyen (Banque de France), Davide Tomio (University of Virginia) and Quentin Vandeweyer (University of Chicago)
2024	Reaching for Yield: Monetary Policy Effects on Asset Demand and Prices With Nordine Abidi (International Monetary Fund), Damon Petersen (Massachusetts Institute of Technology), Quentin Vandeweyer (University of Chicago) and Christoph Kaufmann (European Central Bank)

- 2024** **Greening the Economy: How Public-Guaranteed Loans Influence Firm-Level Resource Allocation** 
 With Bruno Buchetti (University of Padova), Salvatore Perdichizzi (University of Bologna) and Alessio Reghezza (European Central Bank)
European Central Bank Working Paper Series, No. 2916/March 2024
 Coverage: *SUERF Policy Brief No 904, Oxford University Business Law Blog*
- 2023** **Funding European Innovation**
 With Cristian-Mihail Condrea (Frankfurt School of Finance & Management) and Carola Theunisz (KU Leuven)
Working Paper
- 2021** **The Bright Side of Transparency: Evidence from Supervisory Capital Requirements** 
 With Nordine Abidi (International Monetary Fund), Quentin Vandeweyer (University of Chicago) and Livia Amato (University of Chicago)
SSRN Working Paper 3866364
 Coverage: *Oxford University Business Law Blog*
- 2018** **Who benefits from the corporate QE? A regression discontinuity design approach** 
 With Nordine Abidi (International Monetary Fund)
European Central Bank Working Paper Series, No. 2145/April 2018

Books, Chapters and Other Publications

- 2023** ***Why Do Banks Fail and What to Do About It*** 
 With Nordine Abidi (International Monetary Fund), Bruno Buchetti (University of Padova) and Samuele Crosetti (Single Resolution Board). *Springer International, 2024*
- 2022** **“Too Tech to Fail?”; In *Digitalisation, Sustainability and the Banking and Capital Markets Union. Book series: EBI Studies in Banking and Capital Markets Law*** 
 With Nordine Abidi (International Monetary Fund)
Edited by Lukas Böffel and Jonas Schürger. Palgrave Macmillan, 2022
 Coverage: *Financial Times, Les Echos, Quantpedia, Oxford University Business Law Blog*
- 2021** **“Remarks on the Evolution of Central Banking”; In *50 Years of Central Banking in Kenya: Regional and Global Perspectives*** 
 With Francesco Paolo Mongelli (European Central Bank) and Federica Branca
Edited by Patrick Njoroge and Victor Murinde. Oxford University Press, 2021

Academic Activities

- Referee** Journal of Money Credit and Banking, International Review of Financial Analysis, Economic Modelling, Journal of International Financial Markets, Institutions & Money
- Contributions** Oxford Business Law Blog - University of Oxford
- News and Media** Financial Times, Les Echos, Quantpedia
- Scientific Committee** “Yunus Social Business Centre Conference in Sustainable and Socially Responsible Finance”, Bologna (Italy)

Awards and Grants

- 2024** Senior Visiting Researcher Grant - University of Padova dSEA
Measurement and Evaluation of Actions and Strategies for Sustainability MIVASS
- 2018** Young Economist Best Academic Paper Award - Unicredit Foundation
6th Macro Banking and Finance Workshop
- 2018** Best Paper Award - European Capital Markets Institute. ECMI Annual Conference 2018
ECMI Annual Conference 2018

Computer Skills

SQL, MATLAB, R, Python, STATA, VBA

Languages

Spanish (*Native*), Catalan (*Native*), English (*Fluent*), French (*Intermediate*), German (*Intermediate*)

References

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