

CURRICULUM VITAE

PERSONAL INFORMATION

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WORK EXPERIENCE

10/2009 – to date : Central Bank of Ireland (CBI) - Ireland

Since 09/2010 economist in the Irish Economic Analysis department. From 09/2009 to 08/2010 economist in the Monetary Policy department.

10/2002– 09/2009 : Université Libre de Bruxelles (ULB) – Belgium

- Teaching assistant for the course “Estimation économétrique” (Prof. L.Reichlin and D.Giannone). at the ULB;
- Teaching assistant for the course “Mathématique générale” (Prof. M.Gassner and N.Nizette) at the ULB.

01/2000– 08/2001: Dexia Asset Management (Dexiam) - Luxembourg

Quantitative Financial Analyst

11/1999– 12/1999 : Banque et Caisse d’Epargne de l’Etat - Luxembourg

Financial Analyst.

EDUCATION

09/2003– 09/2012: Université Libre de Bruxelles (ULB) – Belgium

Docteur en Sciences Economiques et de Gestion (Phd in Economics)
ECARES
Supervisor : Domenico Giannone
Members of the jury : Catherine Fuss, Alain Hecq, Lucrezia Reichlin, Vincenzo Verardi and Philippe Weil

09/2001– 10/2003 : Université Libre de Bruxelles (ULB) – Belgium

DEA en Statistique (MSc in Statistics), orientation économie et statistique (Cum Laude).
Thesis: “Explaining the Bond Market Reactions to the Releases of Macroeconomic News: timeliness, information content or quality of the indicators?”

01/2000– 11/2000: European Federation of Financial Analyst Societies - Luxembourg

Certified EFFAS Financial Analyst.

09/1998– 09/1999: University of Warwick – U.K.

MSc in Economics and Finance (chevening scholarship) (Cum Laude).
Thesis: “Risk-sharing in the European Union in light of the financial Integration”.

09/1997– 09/1999 : Université Libre de Bruxelles (ULB) – Belgium

DEA en Sciences Economiques (MSc in Economics), orientation analyse, études et économétrie (Cum Laude).

Thesis: “Channels of risk-sharing in the European Union”

09/1993– 09/1997 : Université Libre de Bruxelles (ULB) – Belgium

Licence en Sciences Economiques (Cum Laude).

Thesis: « Les investissements américains et japonais dans la Communauté Européenne ».

ADDITIONALS

TRAINING SCHOOLS:

EABCN: Training on “Monetary Policy in Open Economies”,
Banca d’Italia, Rome, November 2012.

EABCN: Training on “The Econometric Analysis of Mixed Frequency Data with Macro/Finance Applications”,
European University Institute, Florence, October 2011.

EABCN: Training on “Bayesian Inference in Macroeconomic Models ”,
National Bank of Belgium, December 2010.

CBFSAI: Course on “Macroeconometrics Tools and Techniques: Reduced Form and Structural Models“,
Central Bank of Ireland, November 2009.

EABCN: Training on “Topics in Econometric Models for Macroeconomics and Finance ”,
Oesterreichische Nationalbank, February 2007 .

EABCN: Training on “Dynamic Factor Models for large panels of time series”,
National Bank of Belgium, September 2004.

WORKING PAPERS AND PUBLICATIONS:

The value of hard and soft data for short-term forecasting of GDP.

Central Bank of Ireland Economic Letter Series, Vol 2012 No.11, joint with Mary Keeney and Bernard Kennedy

Real-Time Forecasting in a data-rich environment. MPRA Working Paper No. 239452, June 2012.

Forthcoming as a Central Bank of Ireland, Research Technical Paper and submitted to a journal.

Short-term Forecasting of quarterly gross domestic product growth.

Quarterly Bulletin Q1 2012, Central Bank of Ireland.

Real-Time Nowcasting of GDP: Factor Model versus Professional Forecasters,

Central Bank of Ireland, Research Technical Paper No 03/RT/11 and MPRA Working Paper No. 28819,
December 2010. Revised and resubmit (minor revisions) to the Oxford Bulletin of Economics and Statistics.

The Impact of Macroeconomic News on Bond Yields: (In)Stabilities over Time and Relative Importance.

Central Bank of Ireland, Research Technical Paper No 07/RT/11

Bonds Yields Reaction to News in their Fundamentals.

ECARES, mimeo 2006.

Explaining the Bond Market Reactions to the Releases of Macroeconomic News: timeliness, information content or quality of the indicators?
ECARES, mimeo 2004.

PRESENTATIONS AT CONFERENCE AND SEMINARS:

Internal seminar, January 2011- Central Bank of Ireland.

The 25th Annual Congress of the European Economic Association, August 2010- University of Glasgow.

The 24th Annual Conference of the Irish Economic Association, April 2010- Belfast.

The 20th (EC)2 Conference - Real Time Econometrics, December 2009 -CREATES, Aarhus University.

The 28th Annual International Symposium on Forecasting, June 2008-The International Institute of Forecasters, Nice.

The 22nd Annual Congress of the European Economic Association, August 2007-Central European University, Budapest.

The 27th Annual International Symposium on Forecasting, June 2007-The International Institute of Forecasters, New York.

Internal seminar, February 2004 – ECARES, Université Libre de Bruxelles.

REFEREE:

International Journal of Forecasting

SKILLS

Software	MS Word, Excel and Powerpoint, Matlab, Econometric Views, Tex.
Languages	French Mother tongue, English fluent written and spoken, German and Luxembourgish Basic.