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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

CUNEF University, Spain 2021 – now
Assistant Professor of Finance

EDUCATION

Singapore Management University, LKC School of Business, Singapore 2021
Ph.D. in Business (Finance)

Bocconi University, Italy 2015
B.Sc. in International Economics, Management and Finance – Major in Finance

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Empirical Asset Pricing, Behavioral Finance, Retail Investors and Institutions, Market Microstructure, and Derivatives.

PUBLICATIONS

Who Profits from Trading Options? (2022), with Jianfeng Hu, Seongkyu Gilbert Park, and Doojin Ryu, *Management Science* (forthcoming)

WORKING PAPERS AND WORK IN PROGRESS

Retail Trading on Anomalies (with Ekkehart Boehmer)
Options Market Makers (with Jianfeng Hu and Dmitriy Muravyev)
Rational Regulation Meets Irrational Investors (with Jianfeng Hu)
Conflicts of Interest Between Retail Investors and Their Brokers

GRANTS AND AWARDS

Spanish Ministry of Science and Innovation, Project PID2021-128994NA-I00	2022 – 2025
Erasmus+ Teaching Mobility Scholarship	2022
American Finance Association Travel Grant	2020
FMA Annual Meeting, Semifinalist for Best Paper Award	2019
Singapore Management University, Doctoral Scholarship	2016 – 2020
Bocconi University, Merit Award for Academic Excellence	2012 – 2015

ACADEMIC CONFERENCES AND SEMINARS

(* indicates presentation by a co-author)

2022	University of Florence 4th International Week, FMA European Conference, 29th Finance Forum of the Spanish Finance Association (AEFIN)
2021	KAFE-SKKU International Conference on Finance
2020	AFA Annual Meeting - Ph.D. Student Poster Session, Virtual Derivatives Workshop
2019	FMA Annual Meeting Top 10 Session, Asian Finance Association Conference, Singapore Management University Summer Research Camp, National University of Singapore, The 2nd Sun Yat-Sen University Finance International Conference*, Korea Advanced Institute of Science and Technology*, Peking University*

TEACHING

Financial Markets and Institutions (Undergraduate), CUNEF	2022
Options Markets (Graduate seminars), University of Florence 4th International Week	Oct 2022
Stock Market and Banking Operations (Undergraduate), CUNEF, Teaching evaluation: 8.8/10	2022
Asset Pricing and Investment Analysis (Undergraduate), CUNEF, Teaching evaluation: 8.6/10	2021
Financial Markets and Investments (Undergraduate), SMU (TA & Tutorial Instructor)	2019, 2020
Financial Instruments, Institutions and Markets (Undergraduate), SMU (TA)	2019
Programming and Databases Camp (PhD), SMU	2018, 2019
Hedge Funds (MBA), SMU (TA)	2017, 2018

ACADEMIC SERVICE

Referee: Journal of Futures Markets, Investment Analysts Journal, The Quarterly Journal of Finance, The Financial Review, European Accounting Review

WORKING EXPERIENCE

Ferrero, Luxembourg – Financial Controlling	Jan – Jul 2016
Societe Generale Expressbank, Bulgaria – Loans Department	Jul – Sep 2014
Deutsche Börse (Frankfurt Stock Exchange) and European Central Bank, Germany – Short-term In-Company Training	May 2013

OTHER

Citizenship: Bulgaria / European Union

Languages: Bulgarian (Native), English (Fluent), Spanish (Intermediate), Italian (Basic), French (Basic)

Programming skills: SAS, Python, MATLAB, Stata, LATEX