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Date and Place of Birth:

November 5, 1978; Alba-Iulia, Romania

Present Position:

Economist, European Relations Division, Banque de France.
Associate Researcher, ERUDITE (University of Paris Est).

Education:

- 2008 French national exam for assistant professor (Qualifications aux fonctions de maître des conférences en sciences économiques)
- 2003-2007 Ph.D. in Economics, *Summa Cum Laude*, University of Paris Est, France
Dissertation Topic: “Financial Development and Economic Convergence: the Case of Transition Economies”, defended on December 14, 2007.
Ph.D. supervisor Professor G. Duchêne. Ph.D. Committee: F. Coricelli (Referee), D. Gros, M. Maurel (Referee), B. Majnoni d’Intignano.
- 2002-2003 M.Sc. in Economic and Financial Integration, *Cum Laude*, University of Poitiers, France
M.Sc. Thesis Topic: “The Degree of Development of CEEC’s Banking Systems on the Eve of their Accession at the E.U.”, supervised by Professor D. Goyeau.
- 2001-2002 M.Sc., in Financial Business Strategies, *Magna Cum Laude*, University Babes-Bolyai, Romania, in collaboration with the University of Orléans, France.
M.Sc. Thesis topic: “The Reform of the Romanian Banking System”, supervised by Professor Th. Rosca.
- 1997-2001 B.A., in Finance and Banking, *Magna Cum Laude*, Banking and Financial Markets option, University Babes - Bolyai, Romania.

Previous Positions:

- Oct. 2008 - Oct. 2009 Economist, Monetary Policy Research Division, Banque de France
- April-September 2008 Trainee Economist, European and International Affairs Division, French Banking Federation
- 2006-2008 Temporary Lecturer, University of Paris XII Val de Marne

Language and Quantitative Skills:

- Romanian: native language
French: fluent
English: fluent
Italian: intermediary
German: basic

Proficient in panel data and cross-section econometrics:

Statistic/Econometric Software (STATA, Matlab, Eviews, SPAD, SAS, DEA-Solver)

Teaching Activity:

- University of Paris XII, Val-de-Marne, France
- Licence L2: International Economics, 2007- 2008
- Licence L2: Monetary Economics, 2006-2008
- Licence L1: Microeconomics, 2006-2008
- Master M1: Modelling and Economic Politics, 2006-2007
- Licence L3: Applied Econometrics, 2005-2006
- Licence L3: Economics of Firms, 2005-2006
- Master M1: Macroeconomic Modeling, 2005-2006

Other Activities:

In charge of the organization of the ERUDITE Seminar for Ph.D. students, University of Paris XII Val-de-Marne, 2006-2008.

In charge of the working papers series “Cahiers of GRATICE”, 2004-2005.

In charge of the revision of the book’s bibliography “Shadow Economies and Social Transformation in Romania”, editors: Philippe Adair and Rainer Neef (temporary research assistant), 2004.

14th Workshop of GRATICE: “Questioning foreign aid”, December 9, 2004 (Organizing Committee).

Research Activity:

Fields of interest:

Financial Development, Economic Growth, Monetary Policy Transmission, Exchange Rate Pass-Through, Transition Economics, Applied Econometrics.

Publications in Refereed Journals:

- 2011 “The exchange rate pass-through in the new EU member states”, Banque de France, **Working Paper**, 341.
- 2010 “Banks’ financial conditions and the transmission of monetary policy: a FAVAR approach”, with J.S. Mésonnier, **International Journal of Central Banking**, 6(4), p. 71-117, December 2010 issue.
- 2010 “Banks’ financial conditions and the transmission of monetary policy: a FAVAR approach”, with J.S. Mésonnier, Banque de France, **Working Paper**, 291.
- 2010 “The Cost Efficiency of French Banks” with E. Brack, **Bankers, Markets and Investors**, 105, p. 21-38, March-April 2010.
- 2009 “The Role of Banks in the Monetary Policy Transmission in the New EU Member States”, **Economic Systems**, 33(4), p. 360-375, December 2009.

Other Publications:

- 2008 “Middle East and North-Africa: capital flows move on”, with E. Brack, **Revue Banque Stratégie**, 260, pp. 5-8, June 2008.
- 2008 “International capital flows: towards a redistribution of the map?”, with E. Brack, **Revue Banque Stratégie**, 260, pp. 47-54, June 2008.

Publications in books:

- 2004 “Panel Data Analysis: Financial Development and Economic Growth in Transition Countries” (“Analyse en données de panel: le développement financier et la croissance économique dans les pays en transition”), in Scientific Annual Publication of the University Alexandru Ioan Cuza, Iasi, 2004/2005, University’ Edition, Iasi, Romania, pp. 364-371.
- 2004 “The Development of the CEEC’s Banking Systems on the Eve of their EU’ Accession” (“Le degré de développement des systèmes bancaires des PECO à la veille de leur adhésion à l’UE”), in Investissements. The Evolution of the Demoeconomical Indicators and the Globalisation Process, ed. by E. Jaba and A.P. Tacu, Current Statistical Problems. Statistics in the Service of Economical and Social Development, Al. I. Cuza University, Junimea, Romania, 2004, pp. 433-459.

Working papers:

- 2011 “Real effects of liquidity and leverage shocks: the case of France”, with J.S.Mésonnier.
- 2011 “Structural monetary policy asymmetries in the EU”, with P. Diev.

- 2011 “Foreign direct investment drivers and growth in Central and Eastern Europe in the immediate aftermath of the global financial and economic crisis”, with A. Kelber.

Presentations

Invited Seminars:

Ceska Narodni Banka, Introduction to the functioning of the ESCB, Praga, May 2010.

Conferences, Workshops and Seminars:

- 2011 “The exchange rate pass-through in the new EU member states”, presented to:
- Bank de France Research Seminar, 27 April 2011;
 - the 28th Symposium on Money, Banking and Finance, University of Reading, UK, 23-24 June 2011.
 - the 60th AFSE Annual Congress, Nanterre, France, 8-9 September 2011.
- 2011 “Foreign direct investment drivers and growth in Central and Eastern Europe in the immediate aftermath of the global financial and economic crisis”, with A. Kelber, presented to:
- Paris June Multilateral Seminar on “Financing of the economy in European countries in the catching up phase” and/or “demographic projections and potential growth”, Bercy, 20-21 June 2011;
 - DERIE Research Seminar, Banque de France, 15 November 2011.
- 2010 “Banks’ financial conditions and the transmission of monetary policy: a FAVAR approach”, with J.S. Mésonnier, presented to:
- Bank de France Research Seminar, 24 March 2010;
 - 44th Annual Conference of the Canadian Economics Association, Quebec, 27-30 May 2010;
 - First Workshop of First Workstream of the Research Task Force Group on Transmission Channels “Banks, Business Cycles, and Monetary Policy Transmission”, Paris, 15-16 June 2010;
 - Second Financial Stability Conference of the International Journal of Central Banking on “The Theory and Practice of Macro-Prudential Regulation”, Madrid, 17-18 June 2010;
 - 59th AFSE Annual Congress, Nanterre, France, 9-10 September 2010.
- 2009 “The Cost Efficiency of French Banks”, with E. Brack, presented to:
- French Banking Federation, 25 September 2008.
 - 13th International Conference on “Macroeconomic Analysis and International Finance”, Rethymno, Greece, 28-30 May 2009;
 - 26th GDR International Symposium on “Money, Banking and Finance”, Orléans, 25-26 June 2009.

- 2008 “The Role of Banks in the Monetary Policy Transmission in the New EU Member States”, presented to the 25th GDR International Symposium on “Money, Banking and Finance”, Luxemburg, 18-20 June 2008.
- 2008 “The Structure of the Monetary Assets in Transition Economies”, with G. Duchêne and B. Najman, presented to the 12th International Conference on “Macroeconomic Analysis and International Finance”, Rethymno, Greece, 29-31 May 2008.
- 2007 “Monetary Policy Transmission in Transition Economies: the Bank Lending Channel”, presented to:
- 11th International Conference on “Macroeconomic Analysis and International Finance”, Rethymno, Greece, 24-26 May 2007.
 - 9th INFER (International Network for Economic Research) Annual Conference “Monetary and Economic Integration in Europe”, Loughborough, UK, 12-14 October 2007.
- 2006 “The Structure of Monetary Assets in Transition Economies: Financial Innovation and Structural Transformation”, with G. Duchêne and B. Najman, presented to:
- 55th Congress of AFSE, Paris, 14-15 September 2006.
 - AFSE Annual Conference, Strasbourg, 11-12 May 2006.
 - 2nd International Conference “Institutions and Policies for the New Europe”, Siena, Italy, 27-30 October 2005.
- 2005 “Cash and deposits in transition economies: financial innovation, shadow economy and differential in returns”, with Gérard Duchêne and Boris Najman, presented to the 15th Workshop SESAME (Séminaire d’études et de statistiques appliquées à la modélisation en économie), Rennes, 26-27 September 2005.
- 2005 “Trade-off between cash and deposits in transition economies: what are the leading mechanisms? ”, with B. Najman and G. Duchêne, presented to:
- 54th Congress of AFSE, Paris, 15-17 September 2005.
 - International Conference on Finance, University of Copenhagen, Denmark, 2-4 September 2005.
 - M.S.E. (Maison de Sciences Economiques) Workshop, University of Paris 1, 17 June 2005.
 - AFSE Annual Conference, CERDI, Clermont- Ferrand, 19-20 May 2005.
- 2004 “Financial Development and Economic Growth in Transition Economies” presented to GRATICE Seminar, University of Paris XII, November 2004.
- 2004 “Financial Development and Economic Growth; the case of CEECs”, presented to ROSES Seminar, University of Paris I-Sorbonne, September 2004.

Discussion:

ECB Workshop “The bank lending channel in the euro area: new models and empirical analysis”, Frankfurt, 24-25 June 2010.

Working groups:

December 2011 – ESCB International Relations Committee expert group on “Financial Stability Challenges in EU Candidate Countries”.

Affiliations:

2005 – Association Française de Science Economique (AFSE) (www.afse.fr).

Referee Reports:

Emerging Markets Finance and Trade, Journal of Financial Stability.