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ACADEMIC POSITIONS

Assistant Professor 2021 - present
Athens University of Economics and Business, Greece

Marie Skłodowska-Curie Fellow 2018 - 2020
Fundació MOVE, Barcelona

Lecturer with tenure (equivalent to Assistant Prof., on leave 2018-2020) 2015 - 2020
University of Sheffield, UK

Jean Monnet Fellow 2014 - 2015
European University Institute, Florence

Max Weber Fellow 2013 - 2014
European University Institute, Florence

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

Research Fellow 2020 - present
Greek and European Economy Observatory,
Hellenic Foundation for European and Foreign Policy (ELIAMEP)

Research Fellow 2020 - present
Fundació Markets, Organizations and Votes in Economics (MOVE)

EDUCATION

PhD in Economics 2013
Athens University of Economics and Business

Visiting PhD Student Spring 2011, Spring 2012
Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Business Cycles; Open Economy Macroeconomics; Migration; Technological Change; Fiscal Policy.

PUBLICATIONS IN PEER-REVIEW JOURNALS

1. Does migration grow the pie? Asymmetric evidence from Germany, [European Economic Review](#), 2021, 138, 103846 (with N. Maffei–Faccioli)
2. Automation and sectoral reallocation, [SERIEs—Journal of the Spanish Economic Association \(special issue: Juan J. Dolado\)](#), 2021, forthcoming (with D. Hutschenreiter and T. Santini)
3. Roads to prosperity without environmental poverty: The role of impatience, [Economics Letters](#), 2020, 186 (with E. Dioikitopoulos, S. Ghosh, and C. Karydas)
4. Fiscal consolidation in a low inflation environment: Pay cuts versus lost jobs, [International Journal of Central Banking](#), 2018, 14(3), 7-53 (with G. Bandeira, E. Pappa and R. Sajedi)
5. The government wage bill and private activity, [Journal of Economic Dynamics and Control](#), 2017, 79, 21-47 (with D. Bermpoglou and E. Pappa)

6. Fiscal consolidation with tax evasion and corruption, **Journal of International Economics**, 2015, 96, S56–S75 (with E. Pappa and R. Sajedi)
7. Productivity effects of public capital maintenance: Evidence from U.S. states, **Economic Inquiry**, 2015, 53(1), 72-90 (with S. Kalyvitis)
8. Green spending reforms, growth and welfare with endogenous subjective discounting, **Macroeconomic Dynamics**, 2015, 19(6), 1240-1260 (with E. Dioikitopoulos and S. Kalyvitis)
9. Public capital maintenance, decentralization, and U.S. productivity, **Public Finance Review**, 2011, 39(6), 784-809 (with S. Kalyvitis)

SUBMITTED PAPERS

1. Emigration and fiscal austerity in a depression (with G. Bandeira and J. Caballé), *submitted*

EDITED BOOK

Understanding Migration with Macroeconomics (with J. Caballé and J. Llull), **Palgrave Macmillan**, 2020. ISBN 978-3-030-40980-7

BOOK CHAPTERS

1. Productivity shocks, VAT hikes and emigration (with G. Bandeira and J. Caballé), in *Understanding Migration with Macroeconomics*, by Vella, E., Caballé, J., Llull, J. (eds.), **Palgrave Macmillan**, 2020. ISBN 978-3-030-40980-7
2. Introduction, in *Understanding Migration with Macroeconomics*, by Vella, E., Caballé, J., Llull, J. (eds.), **Palgrave Macmillan**, 2020. ISBN 978-3-030-40980-7
3. Fiscal consolidation policies and the underground economy: The case of Greece (with E. Pappa and R. Sajedi), in *Political Economy Perspectives on the Greek Crisis: Debt Austerity and Unemployment*, by Bournakis, I., Tsoukis, C., Christopoulos, D., Palivos, T. (eds.), **Palgrave Macmillan**, 2017. ISBN 978-3-319-63706-8
4. The economic impacts of climate change in Greece: The issue of biodiversity (with E. Kyriakopoulou and A. Xepapadeas), in *The Environmental, Economic and Social Impacts of Climate Change in Greece*, Bank of Greece, Ed., Athens, 2011. ISBN 978-960-7032-58-4

FELLOWSHIPS AND PERSONAL GRANTS

Research Grant by the Hellenic Foundation for Research and Innovation to lead a research group with a postdoc (T. Christou) a PhD student (K. Mavrigiannakis) (ranked 5th out of 158 projects in social sciences, €139,621.21)	2020 - 2022
Marie Skłodowska-Curie Individual Fellowship (success rate 12%) H2020-MSCA-IF-2017 Grant 798015-EuroCrisisMove, €170,121.6	2018 - 2020
Juan de la Cierva Fellowship FJCI-2014-23049 grant, Spanish State Agency for Research (Ministerio de Ciencia e Innovación)	2016 - 2017
Jean Monnet Fellowship European University Institute, Florence, €25,000	2014 - 2015
Max Weber Fellowship (acceptance rate 3%) European University Institute, Florence, €25,000	2013 - 2014
PhD Research Fellowship Research Funding Program: Heracleitus II (EU and Greek national funds), €45,000	2010 - 2013

Erasmus Fellowship

2011

held at Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona, €2,000

COLLABORATIVE GRANTS

Government of Catalonia Grant to support research groups

2017 - 2019

SGR 1765 grant, AGAUR (Generalitat de Catalunya), PI: J. Caballé, €36,800

European Commission (DG ECFIN) Grant

2016

for participation in the workshop 'Fiscal policy after the crisis', PI: E. Pappa, €4,092

John S. Latsis Public Benefit Foundation Research Grant

2014 - 2015

'Fiscal consolidation policies and the underground economy: The case of Greece'

PI: E. Pappa, €12,000

SEMINAR PRESENTATIONS

Paris School of Economics (scheduled)

8 June 2022

Bank of Greece (scheduled)

16 June 2022

Berlin School of Economics, Schumpeter seminar (cancelled due to Covid-19)

May 2020

University of York (unable to attend)

September 2019

Universitat de Barcelona

February 2019, 2014

Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona

April 2018

University of Glasgow

November 2017

University of Cyprus

February 2017

University of Manchester

February 2015

University of Sheffield

March 2017, February 2015

German Institute of Economic Research (DIW Berlin)

January 2015

IMT Lucca

January 2015

European University Institute

May 2015, December 2013

ORGANIZATION OF CONFERENCES

Sheffield Workshop in Macroeconomics: The Macroeconomics of Migration

11 June 2018

Sheffield Workshop in Macroeconomics

15 June 2017

PRESENTATIONS IN CONFERENCES

Association of Southern European Economic Theorists Annual Meeting

2019, 2018, 2011

MOVE-BGSE Macroeconomics Workshop in honor of Timothy J. Kehoe

2019

Conference on Research on Economic Theory and Econometrics

2018, 2017, 2014

Max Weber Fellows Conference

2018, 2016, 2014

International Conference on Applied Theory, Macro and Empirical Finance

2018

Annual Congress of the European Economic Association

2017, 2013

Simposio de la Asociación Española de Economía

2016, 2014

Sheffield Workshop in Macroeconomics

2015

International Conference in Macroeconomic Analysis and International Finance

2014, 2013

Dynamics, Economic Growth and International Trade Conference

2012

International Ioannina Meeting on Applied Economics and Finance

2012

International Conference of the Royal Economic Society

2012, 2011

DISCUSSIONS

- Conference on Preventing Global & Domestic Risks with Fiscal & Monetary Policies, EUI** 2018
Hanging off a Cliff: Fiscal Consolidations and Default Risk by F. Pappada
- Max Weber Fellows Conference, European University Institute** 2014
Inflation, Stock Market and Long-Term Investors: Real Effects of Changing Demographics by A. Morin
- International Conference in Macroeconomic Analysis and International Finance, U of Crete** 2014
Inflation, Stock Market and Long-Term Investors: Real Effects of Changing Demographics by J. Babecky
- 3rd-year PhD Student Forum, European University Institute** 2014
Austerity to Save the Banks? A DSGE Model of Endogenous Costs of Default with Banking by D. Thaler
- European University Institute Alumni Conference** 2013
Fiscal Policy in an Unemployment Crisis by P. Rendahl

AWARDS AND ACCREDITATIONS

- Professor Lector** 2019
AQU (Catalan University Quality Assurance Agency) Accreditation
- Fellow of the UK Higher Education Academy** 2017
UK Professional Standards Framework for teaching and learning support in higher education

TEACHING QUALIFICATIONS

- Postgraduate Certificate in Learning and Teaching** 2017
University of Sheffield
- Teaching Certificate** 2014
European University Institute
Workshops on course design, curriculum development, small-group microteaching, teaching in culturally and linguistically diverse classrooms; teaching exchange at Universitat Pompeu Fabra

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- Athens University of Economics and Business**
Topics in International Economics (UG, Year 3) 2021
Economics of EU Competition Policy (Erasmus program) 2021
- Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona (IDEA program)** 2019, 2020
Open Economy Macroeconomics (MPhil, Year 2)
- University of Sheffield**
Public Economics (PG) 2015 - 2018
Macroeconomic Principles (UG, Year 2) 2016 - 2018
Economic Analysis and Policy (UG, Year 1) 2017 - 2018
- European University Institute**
Economics for Non-Economists (PhD) 2015

SUPERVISION AND MENTORING

- Supervision of a postdoc and a PhD student, GREBRAD project (HFRI funded)** 2020 - 2022
- Supervision of undergrad interns, Lia Kapelli, Ioanna Sakai, ELIAMEP** July - September 2021

Supervision of RA, Tommaso Bighelli, U Autònoma de Barcelona	July - September 2019
External Member of PhD Committee, Guangyi Xin, U of Leicester	February 2017
Co-supervision of PhD Students, Emily Barker and Ioannis Karfakis, U of Sheffield	2016-2018
Member of Master Theses Committee, IDEA program, U Autònoma de Barcelona	July 2019
Member of PhD Confirmation Review Committee, Harry Pickard, U of Sheffield	2017
Sheffield Undergraduate Research Scheme Supervisor, Harvey Stafford, U of Sheffield	2018
Personal tutor for several undergraduate students, U of Sheffield	2015 - 2018

POLICY PAPERS AND BRIEFS

1. “Phase out of the crisis support measures: How successful are Member States in moving from broad support measures towards more targeted support?”, with Evi Pappa, Paper to be used as background material for economic dialogues in the Economic and Monetary Committee of the European Parliament, commissioned by DG Internal Policies of the Union Directorate A - Economic and Scientific Policies, Economic Governance Support Unit, in preparation.
2. Emigration and Fiscal Austerity in the Greek Depression, Greek and European Economy Observatory of the Hellenic Foundation for European and Foreign Policy (ELIAMEP), Policy Brief 148/2021, May 2021.
3. Does immigration grow the pie? Asymmetric evidence from Germany, Greek and European Economy Observatory of the Hellenic Foundation for European and Foreign Policy (ELIAMEP), Policy Brief 143/2020, January 2021.

PUBLIC OUTREACH

1. Μεταναστευτικές εκροές στην ελληνική οικονομική κρίση: Ποιες ήταν οι επιπτώσεις τους στη συνολική ζήτηση και προσφορά (with Myrto Oikonomou), financial newspaper Οικονομικός Ταχυδρομος, 30 July 2021, <https://bit.ly/3CnXz1t>.
2. Μεταναστευση και οικονομια: Ευρηματα απο την περιπτωση της Γερμανιας, financial newspaper Capital.gr, 21 January 2021, <https://bit.ly/2X2XIrd>.

REFeree SERVICE

Journal of Monetary Economics, Economic Journal, Journal of Applied Econometrics, Journal of Economic Dynamics and Control, European Economic Review, Economic Inquiry, Journal of Development Economics, Economica, Macroeconomic Dynamics, CESifo Economic Studies, B.E. Journal of Macroeconomics, FinanzArchiv/Public Finance Analysis, Bulletin of Economic Research, Empirical Economics

REVIEWER

Book Proposal Reviewer, Development Studies, Routledge, London	2019
Funding Schemes Sonata and Preludium, National Science Centre of Poland	2016, 2017

DEPARTMENTAL SERVICE

Member of the Committee for International Collaborations Department of International and European Economic Studies, AUEB	2021 -
Representative in the Equality and Diversity Committee Faculty of Social Sciences, University of Sheffield	2016 - 2018

FURTHER TRAINING

Solution and Estimation of DSGE Models, taught by Fabio Canova
C.R.E.I. Macroeconomics Summer School, Universitat Pompeu Fabra

2011

COMPUTER SKILLS

Matlab, Gauss, Maple, Stata, Latex, Lyx

LANGUAGE SKILLS

Greek (native), English (fluent), French (fluent), Spanish (conversational), Catalan (basic), Italian (basic)

PERSONAL

Date of Birth 18 April 1982