

# EUGENIA VELLA

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## ACADEMIC POSITIONS

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<b>Assistant Professor</b> Athens University of Economics and Business, Greece	2021 - present
<b>Marie Skłodowska-Curie Fellow</b> Fundació MOVE, Barcelona	2018 - 2020
<b>Lecturer with tenure (equivalent to Assistant Prof., on leave 2018-2020)</b> University of Sheffield, UK	2015 - 2020
<b>Jean Monnet Fellow</b> European University Institute, Florence	2014 - 2015
<b>Max Weber Fellow</b> European University Institute, Florence	2013 - 2014

## PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

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<b>Research Fellow</b> Greek and European Economy Observatory, Hellenic Foundation for European and Foreign Policy (ELIAMEP)	2020 - present
<b>Research Fellow</b> Fundació Markets, Organizations and Votes in Economics (MOVE)	2020 - present

## EDUCATION

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<b>PhD in Economics</b> Athens University of Economics and Business	2013
<b>Visiting PhD Student</b> Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona	Spring 2011, Spring 2012

## RESEARCH INTERESTS

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

## PUBLICATIONS IN PEER-REVIEW JOURNALS

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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)

## WORKING PAPERS

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1. Emigration and fiscal austerity in a depression [Revise and Resubmit](#), [Journal of Economic Dynamics and Control](#), (with G. Bandeira and J. Caballé)
2. Crisis support measures: What have we learned so far? (with E. Pappa and A. Ramos)

## EDITED BOOK

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

## BOOK CHAPTERS

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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

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**Research Grant by the Hellenic Foundation for Research and Innovation** 2020 - 2022  
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)

**Marie Skłodowska-Curie Individual Fellowship (success rate 12%)** 2018 - 2020  
H2020-MSCA-IF-2017 Grant 798015-EuroCrisisMove, €170,121.6

**Juan de la Cierva Fellowship** 2016 - 2017  
FJCI-2014-23049 grant, Spanish State Agency for Research (Ministerio de Ciencia e Innovación)

**Jean Monnet Fellowship** 2014 - 2015  
European University Institute, Florence, €25,000

**Max Weber Fellowship (acceptance rate 3%)** 2013 - 2014  
European University Institute, Florence, €25,000

**PhD Research Fellowship** 2010 - 2013  
Research Funding Program: Heracleitus II (EU and Greek national funds), €45,000

**Erasmus Fellowship** 2011  
held at Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona, €2,000

## COLLABORATIVE GRANTS

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**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

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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

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Sheffield Workshop in Macroeconomics: The Macroeconomics of Migration 11 June 2018  
Sheffield Workshop in Macroeconomics 15 June 2017

## PRESENTATIONS IN CONFERENCES

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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

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- 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

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- 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

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- 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

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- 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

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- Supervision of 2 Postdocs and a PhD student, GREBRAD project (HFRI funded)** 2020 - 2022
- Supervision of undergrad interns, Lia Kapelli, Ioanna Sakai, Veroniki Sinou, Angeliki Kakou,**

<b>ELIAMEP</b>	<b>July - September 2021</b>
<b>Supervision of RA, Tommaso Bighelli, U Autònoma de Barcelona</b>	<b>July - September 2019</b>
<b>External Member of PhD Committee, Guangyi Xin, U of Leicester</b>	<b>February 2017</b>
<b>Co-supervision of PhD Students, Emily Barker and Ioannis Karfakis, U of Sheffield</b>	<b>2016-2018</b>
<b>Member of Master Theses Committee, IDEA program, U Autònoma de Barcelona</b>	<b>July 2019</b>
<b>Supervisor of 4 Undergraduate Theses, AUEB</b>	<b>2021-2022</b>
<b>Member of PhD Confirmation Review Committee, Harry Pickard, U of Sheffield</b>	<b>2017</b>
<b>Sheffield Undergraduate Research Scheme Supervisor, Harvey Stafford, U of Sheffield</b>	<b>2018</b>
<b>Personal tutor for several undergraduate students, U of Sheffield</b>	<b>2015 - 2018</b>

## **POLICY PAPERS AND BRIEFS**

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1. “Phase out of the crisis support measures: How successful are Member States in moving from broad support measures towards more targeted support?”, briefing (with Evi Pappa) for EU Parliament’s in-house think tank, February 2022, <https://bit.ly/3uRhQv1>.
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**

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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**

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*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**

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Book Proposal Reviewer, Development Studies, Routledge, London	2019
Funding Schemes Sonata and Preludium, National Science Centre of Poland	2016, 2017, 2021

## **DEPARTMENTAL SERVICE**

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

## **FURTHER TRAINING**

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

2011

## **COMPUTER SKILLS**

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Matlab, Gauss, Maple, Stata, Latex, Lyx

## **LANGUAGE SKILLS**

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

## **PERSONAL**

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**Date of Birth**      18 April 1982