

# Robert Wojciechowski

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## Contact Information

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## Research Interests

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My research lies at the intersection of econometrics and macroeconomics, with a focus on developing and applying causal inference methods to macroeconomic questions. I specialise in the potential outcomes framework, quantile regression, local projections, and difference-in-differences. My work explores topics such as growth-at-risk, firm dynamics, and public policy evaluation.

## Education

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<b>PhD in Economics</b> <i>Universitat Pompeu Fabra, Barcelona, Spain</i>	2021–present
<b>MRes in Economics, Finance and Management</b> <i>Universitat Pompeu Fabra, Barcelona, Spain</i>	2020–2021
<b>MSc in Economics</b> <i>Barcelona School of Economics, Barcelona, Spain</i>	2019–2020
<b>BSc with Honours in Economics, Politics and International Studies</b> <i>University of Warwick, Coventry, UK</i>	2014–2017

## Professional Experience

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<b>External Consultant</b> <i>European Central Bank, Remote</i> Provided academic consulting services for DG International & European Relations.	Winter and Spring 2025
<b>International Relations Analyst</b> <i>European Central Bank, Frankfurt am Main, Germany</i> DG International & European Relations. Short-term appointment to perform analytical work studying the effects of European investment programmes on firms' productivity.	Fall 2024
<b>Research Assistant</b> <i>Universitat Pompeu Fabra, Barcelona, Spain</i> Worked for Prof. Andrea Caggese under financing from a European Investment Bank grant. Contributed to the empirical analysis for " <a href="#">Climate Change, Misallocation and Macroeconomic Implications</a> ."	2021–2024
<b>Associate Consultant</b> <i>Whiteshield, London, UK</i> Contributed to the empirical analysis for " <a href="#">Quantum Governance: Rewiring the Foundation of Public Policy</a> ."	Summer 2020
<b>Analyst</b> <i>J.P. Morgan, London, UK</i> Global Analyst Development Program. Equity Derivatives Group, Equity Exotics and Hybrids Trader Assistant. Global Credit Middle Office, Special Purpose Vehicle (SPV) Deal Coordinator.	2017–2019
<b>Intern</b> <i>J.P. Morgan, London, UK</i> Summer Internship Program.	Summer 2016
<b>Intern</b> <i>Polish Institute of International Affairs, Warsaw, Poland</i> International Economic Relations and Global Issues Program.	Summer 2015

## Teaching Experience

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### Lecturer

2023–2024

*Barcelona School of Economics, Barcelona, Spain*

Introduction to Programming in R (Graduate, 2023–2024).

### Teaching Assistant

2022–2025

*Barcelona School of Economics, Barcelona, Spain*

Master in Economics Thesis (Graduate, 2022–2025), Master in Finance Thesis (Graduate, 2023–2024), Introduction to Programming in R (Graduate, 2022–2023).

## Working Papers

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“Identifying Unconditional Quantile Impulse Responses with an Application to Growth-at-Risk” (Job Market Paper).

“Unlocking Growth? EU Investment Programmes and Firm Performance” (with Alessandro De Sanctis, Francesca Vinci, and Daniel Kapp).

“New Stylised Facts on Firm and Productivity Dynamics” (with Andrea Caggese, Madalena Gaspar, and Carolina Villegas-Sánchez).

## Conference Presentations

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**2025:** American Economic Association Annual Meeting, Centre for Economic Policy Research Paris Symposium [upcoming], CREi Macro Lunch Seminar.

**2024:** European Winter Meeting of the Econometric Society, Barcelona School of Economics PhD Jamboree, CREi Macro Lunch Seminar.

**2023:** 48th Symposium of the Spanish Economic Association, Euro Area Business Cycle Network Conference: Advances in Local Projections and Empirical Methods for Central Banking [poster only], Barcelona School of Economics PhD Jamboree, CREi Macro Lunch Seminar.

## Awards and Grants

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“Advances in Econometrics” Pre-Doctoral Researcher Grant – Spanish Ministry of Science and Innovation.

Teaching Fellowship – Universitat Pompeu Fabra.

Master’s Thesis Distinction – Barcelona School of Economics.

## References

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**Prof. Christian Brownlees** (advisor)

*LUISS Guido Carli; Universitat Pompeu Fabra*

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**Prof. Andrea Caggese** (advisor)

*Universitat Pompeu Fabra; Barcelona School of Economics; Centre de Recerca en Economia Internacional*

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**Dr. Daniel Kapp**

*European Central Bank*

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## Additional Information

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**Languages:** Polish (native), English (fluent), Spanish (fluent), Catalan (basic).

**Programming:** Python, Stata, MATLAB, R, SQL, L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X.

**Sports:** Competitive swimmer representing Club Natació Atlètic-Barceloneta; medalist at Polish National Championships and Catalan University Championships; finalist at Catalan Championships. Amateur triathlete; 13th overall in London Triathlon 2019; 22nd overall in Barcelona Triathlon 2022.