



STEFAN SOLEV

MA IN ECONOMICS

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LANGUAGES

➤ **MACEDONIAN - NATIVE**

➤ **ENGLISH - C2 LEVEL**

202/210 - CAE Exam (06.2015)

118/120 - TOEFL Exam (10.2020)

➤ **FRENCH - B2 LEVEL**

92/100 - DELF Exam (02.2016)

➤ **SERBIAN/CROATIAN**

Perfect oral and written comprehension



TECHNICAL ABILITIES

➤ Microsoft Office

➤ EViews

➤ Stata

➤ WordPress

➤ Photoshop



WORK EXPERIENCE



Junior Auditing Assistant

2020-2021

Ernst & Young Macedonia

- Full-time employment as a junior auditing assistant in the assurance department in one of the biggest audit houses in the world.
- Responsibilities included analyzing financial reports, inventory checkups, auditing payroll and tax reports, constant communication with business clients, general administrative and data entry duties, etc.



Internship

2017

Makedonski Telekom (T-Mobile)

- Three-month internship in the department of E-business and trade.
- Responsibilities included maintaining and updating the company webpage, processing customer purchases, contacting customers to ensure their satisfaction and order completion, general administrative and data entry duties, etc.



Co-creator and author

2019 - Present

Young Economic Minds

- Co-creator of and columnist at the first Macedonian student journal.
- Designer of the journal's web page which can be seen here: <https://youngeconomicminds.com>. (**note**: the webpage was recently a victim of a hacker attack which, unfortunately, deleted nearly all of its content. We are working on resolving the issues as soon as possible).
- Responsibilities included detailed research and analysis, academic writing, as well as WordPress, in designing the webpage.



EDUCATION



MA in Political Economy

2021-2022

King's College London

- Graduated **with distinction** in October 2022 in one of the foremost universities in the world.
- As nearly every module was graded based on either a research paper or problem analysis, this gave me an excellent opportunity to hone my skills at **writing, research, and analysis**.
- Living and studying in the UK allowed me to perfect my command of the **English language**.
- During these studies, I was also acquainted with the **Stata statistical software**, which I used often in my research.
- Notable subjects included Quantitative Methods in Political Economy and The Financial Aspects of Economic Policy.



CERTIFICATES

- Advanced Microsoft Excel - **SEMOS**
- Complete Financial Analyst - **Udemy**
- Macroeconomic Policy - **Udemy**
- Adobe Photoshop and Illustrator - **Queen Mary Academy**
- etc.



AWARDS

- **Best research paper in the generation** at the Faculty of Economics, Skopje
- **I place** in the 2019 **national oratory competition**
- **II place** in the 2018 **national oratory competition**
- **II place** at the **international CFA Challenge** in Slovenia in 2020
- **II place** at the regional **social entrepreneurship competition** in 2016
- **III place** at the **national nanomaterials competition** in 2014
- **I place** at the **national biology competition** in 2015
- **II place** at the **international Latin language competition** organized by the ECCL in 2016
- etc.



CHARACTERISTICS

- Uncompromising dedication to principles and responsibilities
- Remarkable dedication to any task
- Exceptional speaking and writing skills
- Highly developed leadership abilities
- Particularly advanced critical thinking skills and creativity
- Advanced organizational abilities



BSc in Economics

2016-2020

Ss. Cyril and Methodius University, Skopje

- Student at the department of Economics, and, through choices in optional subjects, with experience with the quantitative and financial disciplines. Graduated in July 2020, with **an average of 9.97** (out of 10.00). I hope my academic success can demonstrate my dedication, my quick learning, and my orientation to detail.
- One notable experience during this time is my participation in the international CFA Challenge competition in Slovenia, where I led my team to second place. Besides allowing me to become more closely acquainted with the process of financial evaluation of a company, it also provided invaluable experience at **organization and leadership**.
- Another notable achievement during my studies is my victory at the national oratory competition, which should demonstrate my advanced abilities of **writing, public speaking and presentation**.
- Notable subjects include: Financial Management, Econometrics (where I gained experience with the **EViews statistical software**), Economic Growth, Applied Economics, Time Series Analysis, etc.



Student Exchange

2018

Ghent University, Belgium

- Student exchange via the **Erasmus+ programme**, at one of the highest ranked universities in Europe and the world.
- A wonderful opportunity to broaden my views, as well as practice my **communication skills** with people from various backgrounds from all around the world.



High School

2012-2016

Rade Jovcevski Korchagin

- Student in the **French bilingual class**, in the Humanities A department which focuses on economics and law.
- Graduated in 2016, with **an average of 5.00** (out of 5.00).
- Achieved the same, **highest result in the state baccalaureate** (passing exams on Macedonian and English language, Chemistry and Biology), as well as the French baccalaureate.
- I hope that my diverse choices in subjects in the baccalaureate, as well as the various competitions I successfully participated in during this time (some of which are mentioned on the left), can attest to my **natural curiosity, dedication, and fast learning**.