

# MARKUS SCHWEDELER

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## Current position

2017-22 (expected)    PhD in Economics, Boston University

## Research interests

Textual Methods, Behavioral Macroeconomics, Corporate Finance, Behavioral Finance

## Education

2013    MSc Economics, Barcelona Graduate School of Economics  
2012    BSc International Economic Studies, University of Maastricht  
         *Visiting student at Department of Mathematics, MIT; Fall 2011*  
         *Visiting student at Department of Economics, University of Warwick; 2010-11*

## Working papers

Firm-level Exposure to Epidemic Diseases: Covid-19, SARS, and H1N1 (with Tarek Hassan, Stephan Hollander, Laurence van Lent, and Ahmed Tahoun)

## Work in progress

Country Risk (with Tarek Hassan, Jesse Schreger, and Ahmed Tahoun)

## Work and teaching experience

2017-    Research Assistant for Professor Tarek Hassan, Boston University  
2016-17   Research Professional for Professor Tarek Hassan, Fama-Miller Center  
         at the University of Chicago Booth School of Business  
2013-17   European Central Bank  
         *Consultant, Directorate General Research; April, June, and July 2017*  
         *Research Analyst, Directorate General Macro-Prudential Policy; 2014-15*  
         *Student research assistant, Directorate General Research; 2013-14*

## Honors and Scholarships

2017    Dean's Fellowship, Boston University  
2011    Presenter at Carroll Round (undergraduate economics conference), Georgetown University

## Other

Languages    Native in German and Dutch, fluent in English, basic French  
Programming   Python, LaTeX, Stata, and Matlab  
Miscellanea    Played piano for 10+ years  
         Worked as night cab driver during part of undergraduate studies