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**Current Position**

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

**Research Fields**

Behavioral Macroeconomics, Textual Methods, Corporate Finance, History

**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