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<b>EDUCATION</b>	<p>LONDON SCHOOL OF ECONOMICS (Jan. 2015) Visiting Student (supervisor: <a href="#">Wouter den Haan</a>)</p> <p>EUROPEAN UNIVERSITY INSTITUTE, FLORENCE (since 2012) PhD in Economics (supervisors: <a href="#">Fabio Canova</a> and <a href="#">Juan Dolado</a>)</p> <p>LUDWIG-MAXIMILIAN UNIVERSITÄT, MUNICH, 2010 – 12 Master in Economics, Research Track (final grade: 1.48)</p> <p>UNIVERSITAT POMPEU FABRA, BARCELONA 2012 Visiting Student, January to March</p> <p>MCGILL UNIVERSITY, MONTRÉAL, 2008 – 09 Exchange (financed by DAAD grant)</p> <p>EBERHARD-KARLS UNIVERSITÄT, TÜBINGEN, 2006 – 10 BSc in International Economics (final grade: 1.5)</p>
<b>INTERESTS</b>	Monetary and financial economics, applied macroeconometrics, international macroeconomics and finance
<b>PROJECTS</b>	<p>SECOND-YEAR PAPER Integrating banking supervision within a monetary union</p> <p>FIRST-YEAR PAPER Expectational shocks to the efficiency of financial intermediation</p> <p>MASTER THESIS Explaining inflation differentials in a currency union</p>
<b>EXPERIENCE</b>	<p>EUROPEAN CENTRAL BANK, FRANKFURT/MAIN, 2011 Trainee – DG Economics, External Developments Division</p> <p>DEUTSCHE BUNDESBANK, FRANKFURT/MAIN, 2010 Intern – Dept. of Banking Supervision</p> <p>DEUTSCHE BANK, FRANKFURT/MAIN, 2010 Intern – Private and Business Clients, Team Global Coordination</p> <p>IFO INSTITUTE, MUNICH, 2009 Intern – Dept. of Industrial Organisation</p>
<b>PUBLICATIONS</b>	Bhattacharyay, B., Dlugosch, D., Kolb, B., Lahiri, K., Mukhametov, I. and G. Nerb (2009). Early Warning System for Economic and Financial Risks in Kazakhstan, CESifo Working Papers no 2832
<b>LANGUAGES</b>	German: native, English and French: fluent, Italian: good, Spanish: basic
<b>COMPUTING</b>	Proficiency in Matlab and Dynare, good knowledge of R and EViews, proficiency in Office and LaTeX