BILAL TASKIN

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FIELDS OF INTEREST

Econometrics # Machine Learning # Functional Data Analysis

Nonparametric Statistics # Causal Inference # High-Dimensional Data

EDUCATION

University of Bonn | M.Sc. in Economics | July 2024 Bonn, Germany

HACETTEPE UNIVERSITY | M.Sc. IN COMPUTER SCIENCE | Oct 2023 Ankara, Turkey

ANADOLU UNIVERSITY | B.Sc. IN ECONOMICS | July 2020 Eskisehir, Turkey

DUMLUPINAR UNIVERSITY | B.Sc. IN INDUSTRIAL ENGINEERING | Sep 2015 Kutahya, Turkey

RESEARCH

Taskin, Bilal and Beyaz Ramazanli. Synthetic Controls over Random Coefficient Networks with Spillover Effects. Research Module in Econometrics and Statistics Work, In progress.

Taskin, Bilal and Fuat Akal. "Tales of Turbulence: BERT-based Multimodal Analysis of FED Communication Dynamics Amidst COVID-19 Through FOMC Minutes." *Journal of Computational Economics*, (Accepted; Forthcoming).

CPMI Working Group. "Operational and Technical Considerations for Extending and Aligning Payment System Operating Hours for Cross-Border Payments: An Analytical Framework." CPMI Papers No. D214. Basel: Bank for International Settlements (BIS), 2023. https://www.bis.org/cpmi/publ/d214.htm.

CPMI Working Group. "Extending and Aligning Payment System Operating Hours for Cross-Border Payments - Final Report." CPMI Papers No. D203. Basel: Bank for International Settlements (BIS), 2022. https://www.bis.org/cpmi/publ/d203.htm.

CPMI Working Group. "Improving Access to Payment Systems for Cross-Border Payments." CPMI Papers No. D202. Basel: Bank for International Settlements (BIS), 2022. https://www.bis.org/cpmi/publ/d202.htm.

CPMI Working Group. "Extending and Aligning Payment System Operating Hours for Cross-Border Payments - Consultative Report." CPMI Papers No. D199. Basel: Bank for International Settlements (BIS), 2021. https://www.bis.org/cpmi/publ/d199.htm.

RESEARCH AND WORK EXPERIENCE

MAX PLANCK INSTITUTE FOR RESEARCH ON COLLECTIVE GOODS	Aug 2023 – Present
Research Assistant	Bonn, Germany

CENTRAL BANK OF THE REPUBLIC OF TURKEY

Aug 2019 – Nov 2022

Assistant Specialist Ankara, Turkey

GENERAL DIRECTORATE OF STATE AIRPORTS OF TURKEY

Air Traffic Controller

Dec 2018 – Aug 2019

Ankara, Turkey

ERKURT HOLDING

Data Engineer

May 2016 – Dec 2018

Bursa, Turkey

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

UNIVERSITY OF BONN | Mathematics for Economists Grad Course

Teaching Assistant

• Fall 2023

CENTRAL BANK OF REPUBLIC OF TURKEY | Data Analytics and Machine Learning

Instructor

• 2022

SEATS AND OTHER AFFILIATIONS

ENAG Inflation Research Group

Feb 2023 – Present

Researcher

Istanbul, Turkey

THE COMMITTEE ON PAYMENTS AND MARKET INFRASTRUCTURES (CPMI)

Feb 2021 – Nov 2022 Basel, Switzerland

Research Group Member

OTHER PROJECTS

ECONOSPHERE - A PYTHON LIBRARY FOR THREAD-LEVEL PARALLELISM

In-progress

A fellow graduate and I launched this project with the goal of decreasing the computational expense of resource-intensive tasks utilized in computational economics by employing parallel programming

THE LAUNCH OF OPEN BANKING SERVICES

Analyst

Central Bank of the Republic of Turkey

2022

FAST – Instant and Continuous Transfer of Funds

Analyst 2021

Central Bank of the Republic of Turkey

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ESTABLISHMENT OF TURKEY'S QR CODE STANDARDS

Researcher

Central Bank of the Republic of Turkey

2021

SKILLS

Programming Python, R, JavaScript, SQL, Java, C++

Other Programming Stata, Git, E-views, MatLab, LATEX

Honors & Awards

DEUTSCHLANDSTIPENDIUM SCHOLARSHIP | 2023 – 2024

German Academic Scholarship Foundation