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# **WORK EXPERIENCE:**

Lecturer in Macroeconomics (Assistant Professor), University of Kent September 2017 –

## **EDUCATION:**

Ph.D. in Economics, University of Virginia May 2017
M.A. Economics, University of Virginia December 2012
M.A. Economics, Koç University, Turkey June 2010
B.A. Business Administration, Boğaziçi University, Turkey June 2008

#### FIELDS OF INTEREST:

Macroeconomics, Economic Growth, Labor Economics, Computational Economics

## **WORKING PAPERS:**

"Growth and Welfare Implications of Sector-Specific Innovations" , conditionally accepted to the Review of Economic Dynamics

"Dancing with the Stars: Does Playing in Elite Tournaments Affect Performance? (with Mehdi Hamidi Sahneh) R&R on Oxford Bulletin of Economics and Statistics

"Worker Flows over the Life Cycle" (with Tomaz Cajner and Toshihiko Mukoyama)

Work in Progress

"Measuring Sport Competition using the Wisdom of Crowds" (with Mehdi Hamidi Sahneh)

"Acquisitions and Productivity" (with Alfred Duncan)

"Capital Flows and Resource Reallocation in Europe: Evidence from the International Firm-Level Data"

(with Woo Jin Choi)

# **COMPUTING SKILLS**

Stata: Econometric analysis

Matlab: Numerical computation, Bayesian estimation

Python: Numerical computation (Scipy), data analysis (Pandas), visualization (Matplotlib), web scraping

Fortran: Numerical computation, parallel programming (OpenMP)

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# **TEACHING EXPERIENCE:**

Module Convenor University of Kent

EC569, Economic Growth Spring 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021 EC566, Macroeconomics for Business Spring 2019 (with Sylvain Barde), Spring 2020

Undergraduate Supervision University of Kent

EC541, Economics Dissertation Fall 2018, 2019, 2020 EC565, Extended Economics Essay Fall 2017, 2018, 2019, Spring 2021

#### **REFEREE:**

Economics Letters, Scottish Journal of Political Economy

# **AWARDS:**

Bankard Pre-doctoral Fellowship (University of Virginia) Fall 2015

Nominated for All-University Graduate Teaching Award (University of Virginia) Spring 2017

## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

Languages: English (fluent), Turkish (native)