# **GABRIEL MEDAGLIA VOELCKER**

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### Languages:

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## - English:

University of Cambridge ESOL Examinations, First Certificate in English (2008).

#### - German:

Zentrale Deutschprufüng Niveau A2 (2008).

#### - Italian:

C1 Level, studying since 2013.

# - Portuguese:

Native language.

#### **Research Interests:**

- Econometrics.
- Game Theory.
- Disclosure.
- Behavioural Economics.
- Data Science.
- Machine Learning.

### **Personal Interests:**

- Chess.
- Astronomy.
- Classical Music.
- Technologies.
- Sports statistics.

#### **Academic Experience**

Research Assistant — Jan/2016 - Jun/2017

Worked as a research assistant for Prof. Dr. Rodrigo Verdi of the Sloan School of Management (Massachusetts Institute of Technology).

Research Assistant - Jun/2016 - Feb/2017

Worked as a research assistant for Prof. Dr. Luzi Hail of the Wharton School (University of Pennsylvania), Prof. Dr. Clare Wang of the Kellogg School of Management(Northwestern University) and Prof. Dr. Ahmed Tahoun of the London Business School in the research paper: "How Are Effective Are Regulators? Temporal Patterns of Accounting Regulation and Corporate Scandals from 1800 to 2010."

Academic Researcher - Jul/2015 - Jul/2016

Conducted and participated in researches concerning Business and Dividend Policy topics under Prof. Dr. Jairo Procianoy(Universidade Federal do Rio Grande do Sul).

#### **Working Papers**

Using Benford's Law To Detect Frauds in The Brazilian Stock Market Coauthor: Daniel Vancin. The paper addresses the problem of whether the Brazilian firms that had any types of fraud during the 2000-2016 period had relevant indicators in non-conformity to Benford's Law.

Determinants of Dividend Policy: What Is The Right Dependent Variable? Coauthors: Prof. Dr. Jairo Procianoy and Daniel Vancin. The paper addresses the issue of which dependent variable should be used while analysing dividend policy.

### **Professional Experience**

Corporate Finance Trainee - Sep/2016 - Present

Working on finance and accounting projects of the firm, implementing data science analysis and organising reports.

Analyst, Coca-Cola Brazil - Nov/2011 - Jan/2014

Worked at Planning and Operations at the Field Unit South of the company. Designed daily, weekly and monthly sales reports that monitored the beverage markets of four Brazilian states.

Intern, XP Investimentos — May/2011 - Sep/2011

Worked at client prospection, engaging potential customers through the educational branch of the firm and marketing products and courses about investments in Brazil.

#### Education

Masters in Finance and Accounting — Aug/2016 - Present Universidade do Vale do Rio dos Sinos.

Thesis: "Are Family Firms More or Less Willing To Take Risks?". Oriented by Prof. Dr. Clea Macagnan.

Bachelor in Economics - Mar/2011 - Jul/2016

Universidade Federal do Rio Grande do Sul.

Thesis: "The Influence of Culture on Socioeconomic Development", Grade: A. Oriented by Prof. Dr. Ronald Hillbrecht.

# **Research Groups**

Disclosure Models With Wolfram Mathematica — Apr/2017 - Present An inquiry into the classical models of accounting disclosure, deconstructing them with Wolfram Mathematica.

Corporate Governance - Sep/2016 - Present

Weekly meeting where papers on corporate governance are presented and debated by the members of the group.

### **Achievements and Certificates**

Yale University, Elm Institute — Jun/2016 Mystery of Money Seminar.

London School of Business and Finance — Jan/2015 Winter Business School.

Ludwig Maximilians-Universität München — 2015 Competitive Strategy Course via <u>coursera.org</u>.