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## EDUCATION

<b>New York University</b> <i>PhD in Economics</i>	2019 – present
<b>Universitat Pompeu Fabra</b> <i>MRes in Economics</i> <i>MSc in Economics (BGSE)</i>	2017 – 2019
<b>University of Macedonia, Greece</b> <i>BSc in Finance</i>	2013 – 2017

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## RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

<b>IESE Business School</b> <i>Research Assistant for Professor Xavier Vives</i> <i>Constructing and reviewing mathematical proofs; coding model simulations; reviewing theory papers</i>	2018 – 2019
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## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

<b>New York University</b> <i>Teaching Assistant</i> <i>Intermediate Microeconomics</i>	2020 – 2021
<b>Universitat Pompeu Fabra</b> <i>Teaching Assistant</i> <i>Mathematics I; Mathematics II; Financial Mathematics</i>	2018 – 2019

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## DISTINCTIONS & AWARDS

- MacCracken Fellowship, New York University, 2019 – present
  - Graduate scholarship, Universitat Pompeu Fabra, 2018
  - Master's scholarship (first among selected scholars), George & Victoria Karelia Foundation, 2017
  - 2nd prize in the 22nd *Economia* Student Research Competition, 2016
  - Winner in the 2016 CFA Institute Research Challenge Greek National Final; represented Greece in Chicago, USA
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## PUBLICATIONS

- **A principal component-guided sparse regression approach for the determination of bitcoin returns**  
Journal of Risk and Financial Management, 13(2), 33, 2020. (with Theodore Panagiotidis and Thanasis Stengos)

- **Asymmetric social distance effects in the ultimatum game**  
Review of Behavioral Economics, 6(2): 159-192, 2019. (with Kyriakos Konstantinou)
- **The effects of markets, uncertainty and search intensity on bitcoin returns**  
International Review of Financial Analysis, 63: 220-242, 2019. (with Theodore Panagiotidis and Thanasis Stengos)
- **On the determinants of bitcoin returns: A LASSO approach**  
Finance Research Letters, 27: 235-240, 2018. (with Theodore Panagiotidis and Thanasis Stengos)

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#### PERSONAL SKILLS

Language skills: Greek (native), English (proficient), German (basic)  
Software: R (advanced),  $\LaTeX$ (advanced), Eviews (intermediate), Julia (basic), Matlab (basic), Stata (basic)

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#### REFEREEING

*Empirical Economics, Economic Change and Restructuring*

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#### OTHER STUDIES

**Thessaloniki Centre of Music and Dance** 2004 – 2017  
*Diploma in Classical Piano Performance (level similar to DipABRSM)*