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#### Current Position

Principal Economist, Bank of Canada, December 2021 - Present.

#### Professional Experience

Economist, World Bank, February 2015 - December 2021.

Economist, The Central Bank of the Republic of Turkey, September 2011 - February 2015.

Economic Counselor, OECD, November 2012 - November 2013.

Max Weber Fellow, European University Institute, September 2010 - August 2011.

## EDUCATION

Ph.D. in Economics, June 2010, University of Rochester, Rochester, NY.

M.A. in Economics, October 2007, University of Rochester, Rochester, NY.

B.A. in Economics, June 2005, Bilkent University, Ankara, Turkey.

## **PAPERS**

## Selected Working Papers:

- Job Multipliers: A Global View (with William Maloney and Josefina Posadas).
- Determinants of Social Distancing and Economic Activity During COVID-19: A Global View (with William Maloney).
- Demand and Supply Shocks: COVID-19 vs the Great Recession (with Ulrich Ruch).

#### Selected Journal Articles:

- Price Search, Consumption Inequality, and Expenditure Inequality over the Life-Cycle (with Yavuz Arslan, Bulent Guler), International Economic Review, March 2021.
- Negative Interest Rate Policies: An Early Assessment (with Carlos Arteta, Ayhan Kose, Marc Stocker), Pacific
  Economic Review, March 2018.
- Joint Dynamics of House Prices and Foreclosures (with Yavuz Arslan, Bulent Guler), Journal of Money,
  Credit and Banking, April 2015.
- GDP Growth in Turkey: Inclusive or not?, Central Bank Review, May 2014.
- Required Reserves as a Credit Policy Tool (with Yasin Mimir, Enes Sunel), B.E. Journal of Macroeconomics, June 2013.
- Does Unemployment Insurance Crowd out Home Production? (with Bulent Guler), European Economic Review, August 2013.
- Unemployment and Vacancies in Turkey: The Beveridge Curve and Matching Function (with Birol Kanik, Enes Sunel), Central Bank Review, September 2013.
- Intensive Margin and Extensive Margin Adjustments of Labor Market: Turkey vs United States, Economics Bulletin, September 2013.

### Selected Policy Notes and Blogs:

- Voluntary vs mandated social distancing and economic activity during COVID-19, VoxEU Blog, 2020.
- Management Quality Matters: Measuring and Benchmarking the Quality of Firms' Management in Turkey (with Ximena del Carpio), World Bank Private Sector Development Blog, 2016.
- Negative Interest Rate Policies: Channels and Consequences (with Carlos Arteta, Ayhan Kose, Marc Stocker),
  VoxEU Blog, 2016.
- Turkish Unemployment Rate after 2001 and 2008 Crises (with Evren Ceritoglu, Burcu Gurcihan), Central Bank of Turkey, Economic Notes, 2012.

#### Computer skills

Matlab, Stata, Python, Dynare, E-views, LATEX, MS Office.

#### LANGUAGES

English (fluent), Turkish (native).

### Fellowships and Awards

Max Weber Fellowship: European University Institute, Florence, Italy, 2010-2011.

Graduate Fellowship: University of Rochester, Rochester, NY, 2005-2010. Research Grants: European University Institute, Florence, Italy, 2010-2011.

Research Grants: University of Rochester, Rochester, NY, 2009-2010.

Full Scholarship: Bilkent University, Ankara, Turkey, 2000-2005.

#### SELECTED PRESENTATIONS

*Hidden Debt*: American Economic Association Meeting (scheduled, 2022), Society for Computational Economics (2021).

Demand and Supply Shocks: COVID-19 vs the Great Recession: 10th Annual Conference of the Competitiveness Network at Bank of France (2021), World Bank (2021).

Determinants of Social Distancing and Economic Activity During COVID-19: A Global View: World Bank (2020).

Negative Interest Rate Policies: Sources and Implications: Asian Development Bank (2018), World Bank (2016).

Joint Dynamics of House Prices and Foreclosures: Econometric Society European Meeting (2014), Latin American Meeting of Econometric Society (2014), Annual Seminar on Risk, Financial Stability, and Banking of the Banco Central do Brasil (2014), Canadian Macro Study Group (2013), Housing, Stability, and the Macroeconomy: International Perspectives Conference (2013).

Price Search, Consumption Inequality, and Expenditure Inequality over the Life-Cycle: Royal Economic Society Meeting in London (2011), Latin American Meeting of Econometric Society in Santiago (2011), European University Institute (2010), Society for Economic Dynamics (2009).

Unemployment Insurance and Home Production: Society for Economic Dynamics (2010), Midwest Macro Meeting (2010), Canadian Economic Association Meeting (2010), European University Institute (2010).

Required Reserves as a Credit Policy Tool: Spring Meeting of Young Economists in Mannheim (2012), Third Carlo Giannini Conference at the Bank of Italy (2012).

Does Unemployment Insurance Crowd out Home Production?: Annual Meeting of European Association of Labour Economists in Bonn (2012), Royal Economic Society Annual Meeting in London (2011), Stockman Conference in Rochester (2010), European University Institute (2010).

# OTHER PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

**Referee:** Journal of Money, Credit and Banking, B.E. Journal of Macroeconomics, European Economic Review, Journal of Financial Stability, Journal of Macroeconomics, Public Finance Review, Economics Bulletin, Review of World Economics, North American Journal of Economics and Finance.

## References

Available upon request.