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EDUCATION

Center for Monetary and Financial Studies (CEMFI) PhD in Economics	2021 – 2025 (expected) Madrid, Spain
Leibniz Institute for Financial Research SAFE Visiting PhD Student	Jan 2024 – April 2024 Frankfurt, Germany
Center for Monetary and Financial Studies (CEMFI) Master in Economics and Finance	2019 – 2021 Madrid, Spain
Barcelona School of Economics (BSE) Master in Specialized Economic Analysis Macroeconomic Policy and Financial Markets	2018 – 2019 Barcelona, Spain
Hindu College, University of Delhi Bachelor of Arts in Economics (Honors)	2015 – 2018 Delhi, India

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Macroeconomics, Banking and Corporate Finance

WORK IN PROGRESS

- “Optimal deposit insurance in a quantitative model with bank runs”
- “Bank capital requirements: does interest rate risk matter?” with Jan Schafer (CEMFI).
- “Firm leverage and cash holdings in dual labor markets”
- “Climate conscious investors, carbon disclosures, and efficiency” with Javier Suarez (CEMFI).

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Center for Monetary and Financial Studies (CEMFI) Research Assistant to Prof. Rafael Repullo and Prof. Nezih Guner	Sep 2021 – Present Madrid, Spain
Bank of Spain Research Assistant to Dr. Silvia Albrizio (IMF)	July 2020 – Sep 2020 Madrid, Spain

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Uncertainty and Information (PhD), TA to Prof. Guillermo Caruana, CEMFI	Winter 2022
Corporate Finance (PhD), TA to Prof. Javier Suarez, CEMFI	Spring 2023 & 2024

SCHOLARSHIPS AND AWARDS

PhD Scholarship, CEMFI
Master Scholarship, CEMFI

OTHER INFORMATION

Languages: Hindi (native), English (fluent), and Spanish (beginner)
Programming: R, MATLAB, Julia, Python, Stata, \LaTeX
Nationality: Indian
Year of birth: 1997