

# VEDANT AGARWAL

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## EMPLOYMENT

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<b>Assistant Professor</b> Centre for Advanced Financial Research and Learning (CAFRAL)	2025–Present Mumbai, India
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## EDUCATION

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<b>PhD in Economics</b> CEMFI	2019–2025 Madrid, Spain
<b>Visiting PhD Student</b> Leibniz Institute for Financial Research SAFE   Goethe University	Spring 2024 Frankfurt, Germany
<b>Master in Specialized Economic Analysis   Macroeconomic Policy and Financial Markets</b> Barcelona School of Economics (BSE)	2018–2019 Barcelona, Spain
<b>Bachelor of Arts in Economics (Honors)</b> Hindu College, University of Delhi	2015–2018 Delhi, India

## REFERENCES

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<b>Javier Suarez</b> CEMFI suarez@cemfi.es	<b>Loriana Pelizzon</b> SAFE/Goethe University pelizzon@safefrankfurt.de	<b>Josep Pijoan-Mas</b> CEMFI pijoan@cemfi.es	<b>Rafael Repullo</b> CEMFI repullo@cemfi.es
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## RESEARCH INTERESTS

Banking, Corporate Finance, Macroeconomics

## RESEARCH

“Optimal deposit insurance in a macroeconomic model with runs”

“Climate conscious investors, carbon disclosures, and efficiency,” with Javier Suarez

“Should banks’ regulatory capital reflect unrealized capital gains and losses? A quantitative assessment,” with Jan Schaefer

## CONFERENCE AND SEMINAR PRESENTATIONS

**2026** Single Resolution Board (SRB) Economic Conference (Brussels Belgium; scheduled)

**2025** Banco de España (Madrid Spain; January) | Indian School of Business (Hyderabad India; January) | Centre for Advanced Financial Research and Learning (Mumbai India; January) | Banco Central del Uruguay (Virtual Seminar; June) | 32<sup>nd</sup> Finance Forum (Pamplona Spain; July) | 21<sup>st</sup> Macroeconomics and Finance Conference (Mumbai India; December) | 20<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference on Economic Growth and Development (Delhi India; December)

**2024** SAFE Research Offsite (Grünberg Germany; March) | 1st Frankfurt Summer School (Eltville Germany; August) | Indian Institute of Technology Kanpur (Virtual Seminar; December)

## CONFERENCE DISCUSSIONS

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"Prudent risk-taking under corporate QE: Evidence from the Corporate Sector Purchase Program," by A. Liss, B. Noiman and P. Stoczek (32<sup>nd</sup> Finance Forum, Pamplona 2025)

"Financially Constrained Carbon Management," by M. C. Bustamante and F. Zucchi (Annual Meeting of the Central Bank Research Association (CEBRA), Frankfurt 2024)

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

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### **Corporate Finance and Banking, IGIDR (Graduate course)**

Fall 2025

Mumbai, India

Instructor

### **Corporate Finance, CEMFI (Graduate course)**

Spring 2023 & 2024

Madrid, Spain

Teaching Assistant to Prof. Javier Suarez

### **Uncertainty and Information, CEMFI (Graduate course)**

Winter 2022

Madrid, Spain

Teaching Assistant to Prof. Guillermo Caruana

## WORK EXPERIENCE

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### **CEMFI**

2021–2025

Madrid, Spain

Research Assistant to Prof. Rafael Repullo and Prof. Nezih Guner

### **Bank of Spain**

Summer 2020

Madrid, Spain

Research Assistant to Dr. Silvia Albrizio (IMF)

## SCHOLARSHIPS AND AWARDS

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**2021–2025:** PhD Scholarship (MCIN/AEI, FPI Grant PRE2021-099907), CEMFI

**2019–2021:** María de Maeztu Scholarship, CEMFI

## OTHER INFORMATION

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**Languages:** Hindi (native), English (fluent)

**Programming:** MATLAB, Julia, R, LaTeX

**Nationality:** Indian

**Year of birth:** 1997