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## Current positions

Since 2013      Researcher, CREI – Centre de Recerca en Economia Internacional  
Since 2013      Adjunct Professor, Universitat Pompeu Fabra, Department of Economics  
Since 2013      Affiliated Professor, Barcelona Graduate School of Economics  
Since 2015      Research Affiliate, CEPR – Centre for Economic Policy Research

## Education

2013      Ph.D. in Economics, London School of Economics  
            Thesis title: “Essays on Monetary and Exchange Rate Policy in  
            Financially Fragile Economies”  
            Thesis advisors: Gianluca Benigno and Christopher Pissarides  
2008      M.Res. in Economics (with distinction), London School of Economics  
2007      Master 2 in Economics, Paris School of Economics  
2006      Master 1 in Economics, Université Paris 1 – Panthéon Sorbonne  
2005      B.A. in Economics (summa cum laude), Università di Torino

## Awards and Grants

2016      Barcelona GSE Seed Grant  
2016      Juan de la Cierva Grant (FJCC-2015-02076)  
2015      Lamfalussy Fellowship  
2015      Fondation Banque de France Research Grant  
2015      Spanish Ministry of Economy and Competitiveness (ECO2014-54430-P)  
2014      Barcelona GSE Seed Grant  
2014      Generalitat de Catalunya, AGAUR Grant (2014SGR-830), 2014-2017  
2014      Spanish Ministry of Science and Innovation Grant (ECO 2011-23192)  
2013      Klaus Liebscher Award (Oesterreichische Nationalbank)  
2011      Paul Woolley Centre Fellowship  
2010      Royal Economic Society Junior Fellowship  
2008      Economic and Social Research Council Scholarship  
2007      Ministère Français de l’Enseignement Supérieur et de la Recherche Scholarship

## Academic and professional experience

2013      Visiting Scholar, Bank of England  
2008      Internship, European Central Bank

## Publications

“Stagnation Traps”, with Gianluca Benigno, *Review of Economic Studies*, forthcoming  
“International Debt Deleveraging”, *Journal of the European Economic Association*, forthcoming  
“Financial Crises and Exchange Rate Policy”, *Journal of International Economics*, 95 (2), 2015, 202-215  
“Large Capital Inflows, Sectoral Allocation, and Economic Performance” with Gianluca Benigno and Nathan Converse, *Journal of International Money and Finance*, 55, 2015, 60-87

“The Financial Resource Curse” with Gianluca Benigno, *Scandinavian Journal of Economics*, 116 (1), 2014, 58-86

### **Research papers**

“Aggregate Demand Externalities in a Global Liquidity Trap” (December 2016) with Federica Romei

“Monetary Policy for a Bubbly World” (July 2016), with Vladimir Asriyan, Alberto Martin and Jaume Ventura

“Reserve Accumulation, Growth and Financial Crises” (December 2012), with Gianluca Benigno

### **Scientific committee**

Barcelona GSE Summer Forum, Workshop on “International Capital Flows”, June 2015, June 2016, June 2017

### **Discussions**

“Output Hysteresis and Optimal Monetary Policy” by Vaishali Garga and Sanjay Singh, ECB workshop on “Monetary Policy in Non-Standard Times”, 2017

“Are Capital Inflows Expansionary or Contractionary? Theory, Policy Implications, and Some Evidence” by Olivier Blanchard, Marcos Chamon, Atish Ghosh and Jonathan Ostry, SWB-IMF conference on “Exchange Rates and External Adjustment”, 2016

“Not so Disconnected: Exchange Rates and the Capital Stock” by Tarek Hassan, Thomas Mertens and Tony Zhang, Barcelona GSE Summer Forum, 2015

“International Liquidity and Exchange Rate Dynamics” by Xavier Gabaix and Matteo Maggiori, Barcelona GSE Summer Forum, 2014

“Exchange Rate Flexibility under the Zero Lower Bound: The Need for Forward Guidance” by David Cook and Michael Devereux, Spring NBER IFM Meeting, 2014

“The Cross Border Bank Lending Channel and the Conduct of Monetary Policy in a Monetary Union” by Jean-Christophe Poutineau and Gauthier Vermandel, CEPR Conference on Economics of Cross Border Banking, 2013

“Are Sticky Prices Costly? Evidence from the Stock Market” by Yuriy Gorodnichenko and Michael Weber, Barcelona GSE Summer Forum, 2013

### **Refereeing**

Review of Economics and Statistics, Review of Economic Studies, *Economica*, International Journal of Central Banking, Journal of International Economics, Journal of Monetary Economics, Pacific Economic Review, Review of International Economics, Journal of Macroeconomics, Journal of International Money and Finance, Economic Journal, American Economic Journal: Macroeconomics, Journal of Economic Growth, Journal of the European Economic Association, Quarterly Journal of Economics, Economic Theory, IMF Economic Review, Journal of Economic Theory, Economic Policy, Review of Economic Dynamics

### **Teaching**

Universitat Pompeu Fabra

Topics in International Economics, graduate course, Spring 2015, Spring 2016, Spring 2017  
Macroeconomics II, master course, Winter 2015, Winter 2016, Winter 2017

Topics in Macroeconomics, graduate course, Spring 2014

Barcelona GSE intensive course on Unconventional Monetary Policy

Lecturer, May 2015

YSI-INET & RIDGE Summer School

Lecturer, December 2014

Banca d'Italia

Teaching Assistant, EABCN training school “Monetary Policy in Open Economy”, 2012  
London School of Economics  
Teaching Assistant, International Economics, undergraduate course, 2009-2011  
Teaching Assistant, Macroeconomic Principles, undergraduate course, 2008-2009  
Teaching Assistant, Economics B, undergraduate course, 2007-2008

### **Conference and seminar presentations**

- 2017            *Seminars:* University of Nottingham, University of Cambridge, San Francisco Fed (exp.), UC Berkeley (exp.), Bank of England (exp.), University College London (exp.), University of Bern (exp.)  
*Conferences:* Banque de France conference on “Secular Stagnation”, Aix Marseille School of Economics Macroeconomic Workshop, ESSIM, Catalan Economic Society Meeting, SED Meeting
- 2016            *Seminars:* University of Amsterdam – Tinbergen Institute, Bundesbank, Banco de Espana, Universidad Carlos III, HEC Lausanne, Geneva Graduate Institute of International and Development Studies, University of Navarra, Paris School of Economics  
*Conferences:* EABCN-SNB-UoZ conference on “Medium and Long Run Implications of Financial Crises”, College de France conference on “Innovation, Growth, and Firm Dynamics”, Barcelona GSE Summer Forum, NBER IFM Meeting
- 2015            *Seminars:* ECB-CFS-Bundesbank, Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis, National University of Singapore, DIW, Toulouse School of Economics  
*Conferences:* Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco conference on the New Normal for Monetary Policy, ESSIM, SED Meeting, Barcelona GSE Summer Forum, Riksbank conference on “Deflation – Causes, Consequences and Cures”, Sciences Po Summer Workshop, CEPR Macroeconomics and Growth Programme meeting, joint BoE, ECB, CEPR and CFM Conference on “Credit Dynamics and the Macroeconomy”
- 2014            *Seminars:* University of Edinburgh, Trinity College Dublin, Bank of Lithuania, HECER, Bank of Finland, Federal Reserve Board, IMF  
*Conferences:* AEA Annual Meeting, NBER IFM Meeting, RIDGE workshop on Financial Crises, Chicago Booth International Macro-Finance Conference
- 2013            *Seminars:* University of St. Andrews, University of Montreal, Federal Reserve Bank of Boston, Columbia University, Federal Reserve Bank of New York, University of Maryland, CREI, IIES Stockholm, European Central Bank, Banca d’Italia, Brown University, University of Wisconsin, Bank of England  
*Conferences:* “Asia: Challenges of Stability and Growth” at the Bank of Korea, 12th Macroeconomic Policy Research Workshop on “Growth, Rebalancing, and Macroeconomic Adjustment after Large Shocks” at the Magyar Nemzeti Bank, “Challenges for Monetary Policy in the 21st Century” at CREI, 8th Annual Workshop of the CEPR Working Group on Macroeconomics of Global Interdependence at the University of Lausanne, Royal Economic Society Annual Meeting, 4th Joint French Macro Workshop at the Toulouse School of Economics, Barcelona GSE Summer Forum workshop on “International Capital Flows”, Bank of Canada/ECB conference on “Exchange Rates: A Global Perspective”, Oesterreichische Nationalbank Annual Economic Conference

2008-2012

*Seminars:* LSE, Paris School of Economics Macro Ph.D. Workshop, Paul Woolley Centre, University of Surrey, ECB Monetary Policy Strategy Division Seminar

*Conferences:* Society for Economic Dynamics, European Economic Association Meeting, RIEF Meeting, CEPR Conference on “Exchange Rates and External Adjustment” at the Swiss National Bank, CEPR/Bank of England Conference on “International Capital Flows and Spillovers in a Post-Crisis World”, XVI Workshop on Dynamic Macroeconomics, 13<sup>th</sup> ZEW Summer Workshop for Young Economists, XXXVI Spanish Economic Association Symposium, “Advances in International Economics and Economics Dynamics: A Conference in Honor of Giancarlo Gandolfo” at Università La Sapienza, XXXIV Spanish Economic Association Symposium, CRENOS Workshop on “Financial Market Imperfections, Corporate Governance and Economic Outcomes”