

Agustín S. Bénétrix

Curriculum Vitae

Personal information

Date of birth: 20/07/77

Nationality: Argentine / Italian

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Current position

2009- IRCHSS Post-Doctoral Fellow

Past positions

2008-2009 Research Fellow at the Institute for International Integration Studies, Trinity College Dublin.

Education

PhD. in Economics. Trinity College Dublin, December 2008.

Thesis Title: “Empirical Essays in International Macroeconomics”.

Advisor: Prof. Philip R. Lane. Examiners: Prof. Patrick Honohan and Prof. Massimo Giuliadori.

M.A. in Economics. University of La Plata, March 2005. Advisor: Prof. Jorge E. Carrera.

M.Sc. in Economics. University of Siena, June 2003. Advisor: Prof. Fabrizio Coricelli.

B.A. in Economics. University of La Plata, March 2001.

Fields of interest

International macroeconomics, fiscal policy in open economies, international capital flows

Research outputs

Publications

- The Anatomy of Large Valuation Episodes,” *Review of World Economics* 145(3): 489-511, October 2009.

Chapters in books

- Indicators of regional financial integration (*with Sébastien Wälti*). Forthcoming in *Handbook for Monitoring and Analysing Regional Integration Processes*.

Recent papers

- From Great Depression to Great Credit Crisis: Similarities, Differences and Lessons, (*with Miguel Almunia, Barry Eichengreen, Kevin O'Rourke and Gisela Rua*), October 2009.
- Fiscal shocks and the sectoral composition of output, (*with Philip Lane*). July 2009.
- Fiscal shocks and real wages. April 2009.
- Fiscal shocks and the real exchange rate, (*with Philip Lane*). February 2009.
- The impact of government spending shocks on the Irish economy, (*with Philip Lane*). February 2009.

Refereeing

European Economic Review, Oxford Bulletin of Economics and Statistics, Ensayos Económicos

Conference and Seminar Presentations

2009: 50th Economic Policy Panel Meeting, Tilburg / Society for Economic Dynamics Conference, Istanbul / Macroeconomics-Econometrics Conference, Department of Economics, University of Birmingham.

2008: Institute for International Integration Studies, Trinity College Dublin / Comparative Regional Integration Studies, The United Nations University / Central Bank of Argentina

2007: Institute for International Integration Studies, Trinity College Dublin

2006: Institute for International Integration Studies, Trinity College Dublin

2005: Department of Economics, University of La Plata / Department of Economics, University of Siena

Other research experience

2009 Research assistant for Prof. Kevin O'Rourke and Prof. Barry Eichengreen

2005-2008 Research assistant for Prof. Philip R. Lane at the Institute for International Integration Studies (IIS), Trinity College Dublin. Dublin, Ireland.

2004-2005 Visiting researcher at the European University Institute. Florence, Italy.

2001-2002 Research consultant for the United Nations Development Program. La Plata, Argentina; Fiscal and Economic Research Institute. La Plata, Argentina; University of La Plata. La Plata, Argentina.

Awards

2009 IRCHSS Post-Doctoral Fellowship

2002-2005 Ph.D. Scholarship. University of Siena.

Teaching experience

2009 Mathematics (TA). Trinity College Dublin (graduate course, MSc.).

2008-2009 Statistics (TA). Trinity College Dublin (graduate course, MSc.).

2008 Econometrics (TA). Trinity College Dublin (undergraduate course, 3rd year).

2005-2009 Macroeconomics (TA). Trinity College Dublin (graduate course, MSc.).

2004-2005 International Economics. University of Siena (graduate course, PhD.).

2001-2002 International Macroeconomics. University of La Plata (undergraduate course, 5th year).

1999-2001 Microeconomics (TA). University of La Plata (undergraduate course, 1st year).

Languages

Spanish: native speaker / English: fluent / Italian: fluent.

Computer Skills

Microsoft office, STATA, RATS, MATLAB, GAUSS, LaTeX.