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RESEARCH INTEREST

Firm Dynamics, Production Network, International Trade, and Economic Growth

EDUCATION

Ph.D. in Economics, **CERGE-EI** 2020-2026 (expected)

– Advisor: Paolo Zacchia

visiting **Universitat Pompeu Fabra**, Fall 2025

– Hosts: Isaac Baley and Edouard Schaal

M.Sc. in Applied Statistics, **Izmir University of Economics** 2020

Thesis: Trivariate Binomial Distributions and Trivariate Order Statistics

B.S. in Economics, **Izmir University of Economics** 2018

B.A. in Business Administration (Double Major)

RESEARCH PROJECTS

- Firm Scope and Innovation: The Role of Intangibles
 - Best Paper Award, The Econometric Society Asia Meeting
- Capital Injection in the Production Network (joint with **Paolo Zacchia**)
- Intangible Investment in the ICT Era: The Roles of Trade and Skilled Labor Supply

GRANTS

Researcher, CERGE-EI 2023-2025

Hierarchical networks and their microeconomic origins ERC-CZ project coordinated by Paolo Zacchia (PI). Personally involved in a subproject about machine learning models applied to administrative and firm-to-firm transaction data.

TEACHING

Mathematics (Preparatory Semester) TA, CERGE-EI *Spring 2024*

Applied Microeconometrics (2nd Year Ph.D. Course) TA, CERGE-EI *Spring 2023*

SUMMER SCHOOLS

International Economics - Journal of International Economics (at Bocconi, Scheduled)

Taught by Cecile Gaubert, Christoph Trebesch, David Hemous, Federica Romei, Chris Clayton, Natalia Ramondo. Course website

Economics of Ideas, Science and Innovation - The Institute for Progress

Taught by John Van Reenen, Charles Jones, Ben Jones, Heidi Williams, Pierre Azoulay, Matt Clancy, Kyle Meyers, Ina Ganguli and Janet Freilich. Course website

Macroeconomic Modeling and Policy - University of Surrey

The course covers optimal fiscal policy and computational methods (taught by R. Oikonomou and V. Valaitis), inequality in incomplete markets (taught by K. Storesletten), topics in sovereign debt and default (taught by H. Joo, K. Shakhnov, and T. Asonuma).

PRESENTATIONS

2026: Econometric Society Asia Meeting , International Economic Association 21st World Congress (Scheduled)

2025: CREI Macroeconomics Lunch Workshop, CERGE-EI Macro Workshop

SKILLS

Programming Languages and Frameworks

R, Julia, Python, Stata (moderate), Matlab (moderate), LATEX

Languages

Turkish (native), English (full work competence)

REFERENCES

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