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Intérêts de recherche

Economie internationale, Macroéconomie, Prévision, Cycles, Modélisation économétrique

Formation

2007	HDR en Economie, Université Sorbonne Nouvelle, France
2000	Doctorat en Econométrie, Université Sorbonne Nouvelle, France

Expérience Professionnelle

Positions académiques principales

Depuis 2019	Professor of Economics, SKEMA Business School, France

Autres affiliations académiques

2012 - 2020	Member of the Board of Directors, International Institute of Forecasters, Etats-Unis d'Amérique
2005 - 2007	Adjunct Professor, École normale supérieure de Cachan, France

Autres expériences professionnelles

2014 - 2019	Head of International Macro Division, Banque de France, France
2010 - 2013	Deputy Head of International Macro Division, Banque de France, France
2007 - 2010	Economist-Researcher, Banque de France, France

Contrats de recherche, prix et distinctions

Contrats de recherche

2021	Prise de Décision sous Incertitude

Publications

Articles académiques revus

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Ouvrages et édition d'ouvrages

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ANAS, J., BILLIO, M., FERRARA, L. et MAZZI, G.L. (2008). A system for dating and detecting turning points in the euro area. *Manchester School*, 76(5), pp. 549-577.

Présentations dans des conférences

FERRARA, L. (2021). High frequency monitoring of Growth-at-Risk. Dans: OFCE seminar. Paris.

FERRARA, L. (2021). High frequency monitoring of Growth-at-Risk. Dans: European Commission Conference on Big Data. Milan.

FERRARA, L. (2021). High frequency monitoring of Growth-at-Risk. Dans: European Central Bank, Forecasting Conference. Frankfurt.

FERRARA, L. (2021). High frequency monitoring of Growth-at-Risk. Dans: AFSE (Annual conference French Economic Association). Lille.

FERRARA, L. (2021). High frequency monitoring of Growth-at-Risk. Dans: Computational Economics and Finance. Tokyo (Virtual).

FERRARA, L. (2020). Business cycle dynamics after the Great Recession: An extended Markov-Switching Dynamic Factor Model. Dans: International Symposium on Forecasting. Rio.

FERRARA, L., SAHUC, J.G. et MOGLIANI, M. (2020). Real-time high frequency monitoring of Growth-at-Risk. Dans: Workshop on Economic Forecasting at times of Covid-19. Washington.

FERRARA, L. (2019). Business cycle dynamics after the Great Recession: An extended Markov-Switching Dynamic Factor Model. Dans: Conference on Forecasting at Central Banks, Bank of Canada. Ottawa.

FERRARA, L. (2019). Business Cycle Dynamics after the Great Recession: An Extended Markov-Switching Dynamic Factor Model. Dans: Real-time data Workshop. Brussels.

FERRARA, L. et SIMONI, A. (2019). When are Google data useful to nowcast GDP? An approach via pre-selection and shrinkage. Dans: International Symposium on Forecasting. Thessaloniki.

FERRARA, L. et SIMONI, A. (2019). When are Google data useful to nowcast GDP? An approach via pre-selection and shrinkage. Dans: OECD Workshop on Time Series Methods. Paris.

Présentations dans des séminaires de recherche

FERRARA, L. (2021). Business cycle dynamics after the Great Recession: An extended Markov-Switching Dynamic Factor Model. Dans: University of Piraeus seminar. Piraeus.

FERRARA, L. (2020). Business cycle dynamics after the Great Recession: An extended Markov-Switching Dynamic Factor Model. Dans: University Paris Nanterre Seminar. Nanterre.

FERRARA, L. (2020). Business cycle dynamics after the Great Recession: An extended Markov-Switching Dynamic Factor Model. Dans: Essex Business School Seminar. London.

Presse et réseaux sociaux

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FERRARA, L. (2021). The Covid-19 recession in France: The trough is behind us, but let's stay vigilant. VoxEU, France.

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FERRARA, L. et NOBLETZ, C. (2020). Dettes publiques: le Covid-19 augmente la contagion sur le marché des obligations d'état. SKEMA ThinkForward.

FERRARA, L., BUSSIÈRE, M., CHINN, M. et HEIPERTZ, J. (2018). The new Fama puzzle. VoxEU.

Autres activités de recherche

Editeur associé d'une revue

Depuis 2021	International Economics
Depuis 2014	International Journal of Forecasting

Relecteur pour :

Journal of International Economics, Journal of Applied Econometrics, Journal of Business and Economic Statistics

Organisation d'une conférence ou d'un séminaire

Depuis 2022	International Macro workshop, Banque de France, France
2022	DEMUR Conference, Aix-Marseille Université, France
2021	Workshop on inflation forecasting, SKEMA Business School, France
2020	Macroeconometrics workshop, Paris School of Economics, France
2020	Economic Forecasting at times of Covid-19, International Institute of Forecasters, Etats-Unis d'Amérique
2019	1st Macroeconometrics workshop, Paris School of Economics, France

Affiliations

Depuis 2020	Member of the board of directors, Association Française de Science Economique
2012 - 2020	Member of the board of directors, International Institute of Forecasting

Autres activités académiques

Depuis 2023	Président du Jury du Prix Malinvaud, Association Française de Science Economique
2022	International Symposium on Forecasting, International Institute of Forecasters, Etats-Unis d'Amérique
2022	AFSE Annual Conference, Association Française de Science Economique

Activités Professionnelles

Autres activités professionnelles

Depuis 2024	Membre du jury des posts de blog étudiant, Banque de France