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Citizenship Canadian

Languages English, French, Arabic

Research Fields Macroeconomics, Monetary Policy, International Finance, Time Series Econometrics

Education

June 2009 (Expected) PhD in Economics. Queen's University at Kingston, Ontario, Canada

Thesis: *Three Essays in International Finance*

Principal Advisor: Prof. Huw Lloyd-Ellis

Advisor: Prof. Thorsten Koepl

2002 Master in Economics. Concentration: *Financial Economics*
Université du Québec à Montréal, Montreal, Quebec, Canada

1995 Bachelor (honours) in Economics. Sfax University, Sfax, Tunisia

Research

Working Papers External Shocks and the Adequacy of Foreign Reserves: The Case of Mexico
(March 2009)

A Theory of Sudden Stops: An Informational-Frictions Approach (2007)

Work in Progress External Shocks, Reserves Accumulation, and Adequacy of Reserves Policies in
Southeast Asia (with Huw Lloyd-Ellis)

Using Global Shocks to Enhance Foreign Reserves Management in Emerging
Markets Economies

A Simple Model of Optimal International Reserves (with Huw Lloyd-Ellis)

International Coordination of Fiscal and Monetary Policies: New Challenges to
Small Open Economies

Teaching and research experience

- 2006-2008** **Teaching Fellow**, Queen's University, Kingston, Ontario, Canada
Microeconomics (undergraduate)
- 2001-2008** **Research Assistant**
Professor Huw Lloyd-Ellis, department of Economics, Queen's University
Professor Sara Slinn, Faculty of Law, Queen's University
Professor Bruce Pardy, Faculty of Law, Queen's University
Professor Claude Denis Fluet, Université du Québec à Montréal
Centre de Recherches sur l'Emploi et les Fluctuations Economiques, CREFE
- 2001-2006** **Teaching Assistant**
Queen's University: Macroeconomics (graduate), Statistics (undergraduate)
Macroeconomics(undergraduate), Econometrics (undergraduate)
Université du Québec à Montréal, Montreal: Econometrics (graduate),
Microeconomics (undergraduate)

Professional experience

- 1995-2000** **Ministry of Economics Development**, Tunisia
Manager of New Programs Development: Promoted Small and Medium-Sized
Businesses, foreign direct investment, and partnership

Vice President "Regional Committee of Granting Investments": Managed and organized
development programs that include advisors, government agencies, and financial institutions.
- Summer** **Harco Textile Inc. Montreal, Quebec, Canada.**
2000, 2001 Assisted in the evaluation of internal controls, Executed financial reviews
- Summer,** **Intern (Co-Op) National Agriculture Bank, Tunisia**
1993, 1994 Performed account transactions, holdover accounts and cash shipments, Promoted and sold
1995 bank products including bonds and guaranteed investment certificates.

Awards & achievements

Queen's University Graduate Student Bursary (2006)
Thesis Completion Bursary Award (2006)
Skelton Clark Award (2005)
Graduate Scholarship (2002-2005)
Sir Frank Carrel Fellowship(2002-2003)
Université du Québec à Montréal Fellowship (2000-2002)
CREFE (UQAM) Fellowship (2000-2002)
Université de Montréal, CRT Fellowship (2001-2002)
FCAR, Quebec, Fellowship (2001-2002)
Dean's Honor Scholarship, Sfax University (1991-1995).

Seminar presentations

Ball State University (March 2009)
McGill University (March 2009)
California State University, Long Beach (January 2009)
Université de Sherbrooke (January 2009)
Queen's University at Kingston (November 2008, March 2007, February 2006)
Small Open Economies in a Globalized World at Wilfrid Laurier, Waterloo (June 2008)
Canadian Economics Association, Vancouver (June 2008)
Eastern Economic Association Annual Conference, Boston (March 2008)
Midwest Economics Association Annual Meeting, Chicago (March 2008)

Affiliations

American Economic Association (since 2002)
Canadian Economic Association (since 2002)
Econometrics Society (since 2005)

References

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Teaching Reference

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