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EDUCATION

Princeton University, Ph.D. in Economics	Jun 2007
Princeton University, M.A. in Economics	Jan 2004
Universidade Nova de Lisboa, <i>Licenciatura</i> (B.A.) in Economics	Jun 1999

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Economist, Federal Reserve Bank of New York, Research and Statistics Group	Aug 2006-present
Lecturer, Princeton University, Department of Economics	Sep 2005-Jun 2006
Teaching Assistant, Princeton University, Department of Economics	Sep 2003-Jun 2005
Research Assistant for Prof. Christopher Sims, Princeton University	Summer 2005
Consultant, European Central Bank	2004-2005
Research Assistant for Prof. Michael Woodford	2003-2004
Teaching Assistant, Universidade Nova de Lisboa, Faculdade de Economia	Sep 1999-Jul 2001

OTHER AFFILIATIONS

American Economic Association
 Econometric Society
 Euro Area Business Cycle Network

AWARDS AND GRANTS

Princeton University Graduate Fellowship	2001-2005
Award from the Portuguese Central Bank	Dec 1999
Award "Democracy and Development – UNL," from Prof. Aníbal Cavaco Silva	Dec 1999
Award from the Portuguese Association of Insurance Companies	Dec 1999
Merit Fellowship from Portuguese Government	Jan 1999

PUBLICATIONS

"Portugal como Destino do Investimento Directo Estrangeiro / Estado da Competitividade da Economia Portuguesa," with António Nogueira Leite and José António Ferreira Machado, on behalf of the Economic Analysis Unit of Faculdade de Economia of Universidade Nova de Lisboa, American Chamber of Commerce in Portugal, 2001.

WORKING PAPERS

“Credit Frictions and Optimal Monetary Policy,” with Michael Woodford, mimeo, Federal Reserve Bank of New York and Columbia University.

“Optimal Monetary Policy under Sudden Stops,” Federal Reserve Bank of New York Staff Report No. 323, April 2008.

“Monetary Regime Change and Business Cycles,” with Daria Finocchiaro, Federal Reserve Bank of New York Staff Report No. 294, July 2007. (Formerly “An Estimated DSGE Model for Sweden with a Monetary Regime Change.”)

“Monetary Policy under Sudden Stops,” Federal Reserve Bank of New York Staff Report No. 278, March 2007.

“Linear-Quadratic Approximation of Optimal Policy: An Algorithm and Two Applications,” with Filippo Altissimo and Diego Rodríguez-Palenzuela, mimeo, Princeton University and European Central Bank, September 2005.

SEMINARS AND CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

2008: North American Winter Meetings of the Econometric Society. Seminars: Banco de Portugal.

2007: North American Summer Meetings of the Econometric Society. Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta conference on “The Credit Channel of Monetary Policy in the 21st Century.” Seminars: European Central Bank, Columbia University.

2006: 7th Annual Bank of Finland/CEPR Conference on “Credit and the Macroeconomy.” Seminars: IIES Stockholm University.

2005: Columbia University conference on “Quantitative Analysis of Stabilization Policy, Columbia University.”

DISCUSSIONS

“Adjusting to Capital Account Liberalization,” by Kosuke Aoki, Gianluca Benigno and Nobuhiro Kyiotaki, at the New York Area Workshop on Monetary Policy, Federal Reserve Bank of New York, New York, May 2006.

REFEREEING

American Economic Review, International Economic Review, International Finance, Journal of Economic Dynamics and Control.