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Current Employment

10/2017 - *PhD Candidate*, Research Centre Finance, KU Leuven
09/2019 - *Visiting Scholar*, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign (UIUC)

Research Interests

Banking, Financial Regulation, Risk Management

Education

10/2017 - *PhD in Business Economics*, KU Leuven
09/2019 - 12/2020 *Visiting Scholar*, UIUC
09/2016 - 09/2017 *MSc in Business Economics* (major and minor *Financial Economics*), KU Leuven
09/2012 - 06/2016 *BA in Economics*, National Research University Higher School of Economics, Moscow
09/2015 - 01/2016 *Exchange Student*, KU Leuven

Work in Progress

“*Bank’s Next Top Model*” (Job Market Paper)

“*Strategic Risk-Modelling by Banks: Evidence from Inside the Black Box*” (with M. Mariathasan and O. Merrouche)

Conference and Seminar Presentations

(* co-author, ** discussant)

2020 Online International Conference in Actuarial Science, Data Science and Finance (Université Lyon 1),
PhD Student Symposium (University of Georgia), UIUC
2019 Simon Conference for Young Researchers in Risk Management and Insurance (Michigan State University),
34th EEA Annual Meeting, UIUC, KU Leuven, 36th International Symposium on Money, Banking and Finance*

Academic and Teaching Experience

01/2020 - 12/2020 *Graduate Supervisor* at the Illinois Risk Lab, UIUC
Honorable Mention Award for the Spring 2020 project - Undergraduate Research Symposium, UIUC
04/2020 - 05/2020 *Invited Lecturer* for the course *Predictive Analytics*, UIUC
11/2019 - 12/2019 *Invited Lecturer* for the course *Risk Management Practices and Regulation*, UIUC
10/2017 - *Master Thesis Supervisor* (15 projects), KU Leuven
07/2017 - 08/2017 *Research Assistant* (bank data collection), KU Leuven
09/2014 - 12/2014 *Teaching Assistant* (Academic English), National Research University Higher School of Economics

Non-Academic Experience

04/2016 - 09/2016 *Trade Contracts Specialist*, Japan Tobacco International, Moscow
02/2015 - 09/2015 *Market Research Intern*, Japan Tobacco International, Moscow

Scholarships and Grants

- 01/2020 PhD Student Travel Grant - American Finance Association
- 08/2019 Student Travel Award - European Economic Association
- 08/2019 Conference Allowance - Doctoral School for the Humanities and Social Sciences, KU Leuven
- 06/2018 - 07/2018 Travel Grant - Research Foundation Flanders (FWO)
- 09/2016 - 06/2017 Master Mind Scholarship - Flemish Government

Additional Training

- 03/2020 *Spring School in Risk Management, Insurance, and Finance*, European University, St. Petersburg
- 06/2018 - 07/2018 *Banking Summer School*, Barcelona Graduate School of Economics
(with Xavier Freixas, Steven Ongena, José-Luis Peydró and Enrico Perotti)

Other Information

- Languages* English (fluent), Russian (native), Dutch (upper intermediate), French (intermediate)
- Software skills* R, Stata, \LaTeX