

Joseph Abadi

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Employment

Federal Reserve Bank of Philadelphia

2021-present

Economist

Graduate Studies

Princeton University

2015-2021

PhD in Economics

Dissertation: *“Essays on Collateralized Debt in Macroeconomics”*

REFERENCES

Professor Markus Brunnermeier

Department of Economics

Princeton University

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Professor Stephen Morris

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Massachusetts Institute of Technology

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Prior Education

Massachusetts Institute of Technology

2011-2015

B.Sc. in Mathematics and Physics

Fields

PRIMARY Finance, Macroeconomics

SECONDARY Theory

Publications and Forthcoming Papers

1. “The Reversal Interest Rate” (*American Economic Review*). With Markus Brunnermeier and Yann Koby. 2023.

Working Papers

1. “A Model of Collateralized Lending Chains.” 2018.
2. “Opaque Intermediation and Credit Cycles.” 2021.
3. “Blockchain Economics.” With Markus Brunnermeier. 2022.
4. “Monetary Policy with Inelastic Asset Markets.” 2023.
5. “Token-Based Platform Governance.” With Markus Brunnermeier. 2023.

Work in Progress

1. “International Currency Competition.” With Jesús Fernández-Villaverde and Daniel Sanches. 2024.

Research Experience

- 2017 Research Assistant to Prof. Adrien Matray and Prof. Oleg Itskhoki
2016 Research Assistant to Prof. Benjamin Moll and Prof. Motohiro Yogo

Teaching

- Princeton* ECO 462-FIN 515: Portfolio Theory and Asset Management (MFin/Undergraduate, Fall 2023)
 SPI 505: Financial Mgmt. in the Corp. and Public Sectors (MPA, Spring 2020)
 SPI 200: Statistics for Social Science (Undergraduate, Spring 2019, Spring 2021)
 ECO 342: Money and Banking (Undergraduate, Fall 2018, Fall 2019)
 ECO 503: Macroeconomic Theory I (Ph.D., Fall 2017, Fall 2018)
 ECO 504: Macroeconomic Theory II (Ph.D., Spring 2018)

Professional Activities

Discussions

- 2023 System Committee on Macroeconomics
2022 Warwick Business School Fintech Conference; System Committee on Financial Institutions, Regulation, and Markets; Carey Business School Finance Conference
2021 CESifo MMI Conference; FRB Philadelphia Digital Currencies Workshop
2020 CESifo MMI Conference; Princeton Privacy Conference

Presentations and Seminars

- 2024 CMU Secure Blockchain Summit (scheduled), Midwest Macro Conference (scheduled)
- 2023 Princeton University finance lunch; Canadian Economic Association Conference; CESifo MMI conference (**best junior paper award**); FRB Philadelphia Digital Currency Conference; System Committee on Financial Institutions, Regulation, and Markets; Tokenomics Conference
- 2022 Fintech: Innovation, Inclusion and Risks Conference, FRB Philadelphia, SAET Conference, Federal Reserve BoG Money Workshop, IMF
- 2021 Bank of Canada, FRB Chicago, FRB New York, FRB Philadelphia, FRB Richmond, Federal Reserve Board of Governors, Imperial College London, U. Chicago Booth (Macroeconomics and Finance), USC Marshall (Finance)
- 2020 Cambridge Economics of Digital Ledgers Conference, Princeton University
- 2019 AFA Meetings, CEBRA Conference, CMSA Distributed Ledger Conference at Harvard, CESC at SF Blockchain Week
- 2018 Macro-Financial Modeling Summer Session (poster session)

Refereeing

American Economic Journal: Macroeconomics, American Economic Journal: Microeconomics, American Economic Review, American Economic Review: Insights, Econometrica, Economic Theory, International Economic Review, Journal of Economic Theory, Journal of Finance, Journal of Monetary Economics, Journal of Political Economy, Management Science, Review of Economics and Statistics, Review of Industrial Organization

Honors, Scholarships, Fellowships, and Grants

Best Junior Paper Award, CESifo MMI Conference	2023
<i>AER: Insights</i> Excellence in Refereeing Award	2022
Dissertation Fellowship, Macro-Financial Modeling Group	2018
Princeton Graduate Economics Fellowship	2015–2021
Phi Beta Kappa, MIT	2015
Sigma Phi Sigma Honor Society (Physics), MIT	2015

Languages

English, Spanish (fluent), French (proficient)

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