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EDUCATION

PhD in Mathematical Finance - University of Alberta, Canada (2015).

MSc in Applied Mathematics - Pontificia Universidad Católica del Perú (2008).

Master in Economics and Finance

- CEMFI, Centro de Estudios Monetarios y Financieros, Spain (2003).

B.Sc in Economics and Economist. Universidad Pedro Ruiz Gallo, Perú (1998).

OTHER STUDIES

XLIII Curso de Extensión Universitaria para Economistas, BCRP, Perú.

JOB EXPERIENCE

- Full-time professor at PUCP (current position), Department of Economics.
- Post-doctoral researcher at Boston University (Aug. 2016 Jul. 2017), Mathematical Finance Program.
- Teaching: Boston University (2016-2), Mathematical Finance Program.
- Teaching: Pontificia Universidad Católica del Perú (2016-1, and other years), Department of Economics, and Department of Sciences.
- Teaching Assistant: University of Alberta, Canada (2009-2015), Department of Mathematical and Statistical Sciences.
- Consultant: Debt Department, Ministry of Finance, Peru (2004-2008).

PUBLICATIONS/RESEARCH

- The Optimal Control of Government Stabilization Funds (2020), submitted (with A. Cadenillas).
- On the Failure to Reach the Optimal Government Debt Ceiling (2018), Risks, 6(3), https://doi.org/10.3390/risks6040138 (with A. Cadenillas).
- Explicit Formula for the Optimal Government Debt Ceiling (2016), Annals of Operations Research, 247(2), 415-449, (with A. Cadenillas).
- Government Debt Control: Optimal Currency Portfolio and Payments (2015), Operations Research, 63(5), pp. 1044-1057 (with A. Cadenillas).

RESEARCH/TEACHING INTERESTS

- Optimal Portfolios, Derivatives Pricing, Market and Credit Risk Management,
- Mathematical Finance and Computational Finance.

CONFERENCES PRESENTATIONS

- "An Explicit Formula for the Optimal Debt Ceiling" at SIAM Conference on Financial Mathematics and Engineering, Chicago, Illinois, USA, November 2014.
- "A Theoretical Framework for Government Debt Control: An Explicit Formula for the Optimal Debt Ceiling", at Second Industrial-Academic Workshop on Optimization in Finance and Risk Management, Fields Institute for Research in Mathematical Sciences, Toronto, September 2013.

ACADEMIC HONORS AND AWARDS

- Mitchell GS4 Scholarship granted by the Department of Mathematics and Statistical Sciences of University of Alberta in honor of outstanding performance and research, summers 2012 and 2013.
- AFA Doctoral Student Travel Grant to attend the Annual Meeting of the American Finance Association in San Diego, California, USA, January 2013.
- Outstanding Master Thesis (the highest distinction), Pontificia Universidad Católica del Perú, 2008.
- Full Scholarship granted by The Bank of Spain to study the Master Program in Economics and Finance, CEMFI, Spain, 2001-2003.
- Full Scholarship granted by the Banco Central de Reserva del Peru to study the Master in Economics at Pontificia Universidad Católica, Peru, 1996-1998.
- Best student in the Course of Selection 1995, organized by the Banco Central de Reserva del Peru, Peru, August, 1995.

COMPUTER SKILLS

- Operating Systems: Linux Ubuntu, Mac OS X, Microsoft Windows.
- Software for Office and Scientific Writing: Libre Office, Microsoft Office, LATEX, Beamer.
- Mathematical and Statistical Software: Familiar with Matlab, Mathematica, and R.
- Basic knowledge of other Programming Languages: Familiar with Python, Fortran, and C⁺⁺.

LANGUAGES

Fluent in English and Spanish.

HOBBIES AND EXTRA-ACADEMIC ACTIVITIES

- Soccer, Dancing, and Jogging.
- Psychology and Philosophy.