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APPOINTMENT(S)

Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, Shiv Nadar University, July 2020 - Present

EDUCATION

Ph.D. in Economics, Stony Brook University, August 2015 - May 2020
M.A. in Economics, Jadavpur University, July 2012 - June 2014
B.Sc. in Economics, University of Calcutta, July 2009 - June 2012

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Macroeconomics, International Finance, Political Economy, Misallocation and Productivity

WORKING PAPERS

- Political Constraints and Sovereign Default Premia

WORK IN PROGRESS

- Banking Reforms, Credit Access and Misallocation (with [P. Chakraborty](#))
- Balanced Budget Rules: Lessons from a Political Economy Model of Sovereign Debt and Default (with [M. Azzimonti](#))
- The Predictive Power of Capacity to Repay Indicators in IMF Programs (with Rina Bhattacharya and Edda Zoli)

AWARDS AND HONORS

- **Marty Weinbaum Award** for excellence in research, Stony Brook University, May 2020
- **Tuition Scholarship and Teaching Assistantship**, Stony Brook University, August 2015 - May 2020
- **Gold Medal** for securing highest marks in economics (Ramakrishna Mission Vidya-mandira, University of Calcutta), December 2012

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS & INVITED TALKS

- **2018:** Midwest Macro Meetings (Vanderbilt University)
- **2020:** Ahmedabad University, Shiv Nadar University, IIT Kanpur

WORK EXPERIENCE AND OTHER AFFILIATIONS

- **Graduate Teaching Assistant**, Stony Brook University, August 2015 - May 2020
- **Intern**, Fund Internship Program, International Monetary Fund, June 2019 - August 2019
- **Research Assistant**, Department of Economics, Jadavpur University, July 2014 - June 2015

REFEREE SERVICE

Journal of Economic Dynamics & Control

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- **Shiv Nadar University**
 - ECO- 102: Principles of Macroeconomics
- **Stony Brook University**
 - ECO- 305: Intermediate Macroeconomic Theory (Instructor)
 - ECO- 108: Introduction to Economics (Teaching Assistant)
 - ECO- 320: Mathematical Statistics (Teaching Assistant)

COMPUTING SKILLS

R, L^AT_EX, Fortran, Matlab, Python, STATA, OpenMP

REFERENCES

- **Marina Azzimonti**¹, Professor, Department of Economics, Stony Brook University
- **Gabriel Mihalache**¹, Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, Stony Brook University
- **Olaf Unteroberdoerster**¹, Division Chief, General Resources and SDR Policy, Finance Department, IMF

¹Available on request