

Ayşe Kabukçuoğlu Dur

Curriculum Vitae - February 2024

Current Employment

North Carolina State University

Assistant Professor of Economics

08/2018–present

- Maternity leave in Fall 2021

Education

University of Texas at Austin

Ph.D. in Economics

05/2013

University of Texas at Austin

M.Sc. in Economics

08/2008–08/2010

Boğaziçi University, İstanbul, Turkey

B.A. in Economics

09/2002–06/2006

Previous Employment and Professional Experience

Koç University, İstanbul

Assistant Professor of Economics

09/2013–07/2018

UT Austin

Visiting Assistant Professor of Economics

02–06/2017

UT Austin

Visiting Assistant Professor of Economics

06–08/2015

Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas, Globalization and Monetary Policy Institute

Ph.D. Intern

05–08/2012

Fellowships, Honors, and Awards

2024: Summer Research Support

2023: Economics Department Teaching Excellence Award

2023: Economics Department Research Impact Award

2021: Non-laboratory Scholarship/Research Support Program, Co-PI (\$14,400)

2021: Faculty Research and Professional Development Award (\$5,333)

2019: Faculty Research and Professional Development Award (\$5,333)

2018: Economics Research Growth and Innovation Award

2018: Non-laboratory Scholarship/Research Support Program, PI (\$10,000)

2015: Koç University Summer Visiting Scholar

2012: Professional Development Award, UT Austin

2011: Professional Development Award, UT Austin

2008–2009: Richard Worley Endowed Fellowship in Economics, UT Austin

2008–2009: Turkish Petroleum Foundation Research Fellowship

Fields of Specialization

International Macroeconomics

Macroeconomics and Monetary Economics

Computational Economics

Courses Taught

NCSU: Macroeconomics II (Ph.D.) (Spring 2019-2023), International Finance (Undergraduate) (Spring 2019, Fall 2019, Fall 2020, Fall 2022)

Koç University: Macroeconomics I (Ph.D.) (Fall 2013-2016), International Finance (Undergraduate) (Fall 2013-2017, Spring 2014, 2018), Intermediate Macroeconomics (Undergraduate) (Spring 2018)

Journal Articles

- "A Generalized Time Iteration Method for Solving Dynamic Optimization Problems with Occasionally Binding Constraints", *Computational Economics*, 58 (2021): 435-460. (with Enrique Martinez-Garcia)
- "Mind the Gap! - A monetarist view of the open-economy Phillips curve", *Journal of Economic Dynamics and Control* (2020): 103959. (with Enrique Martinez-Garcia)
- "The Turkish Current Account Deficit", *Economic Inquiry*, 57 (2019): 515-536. (with Osman Furkan Abbasoğlu and Ayşe İmrohoroğlu)
- "Inflation as a Global Phenomenon – Some Implications for Inflation Modeling and Forecasting", *Journal of Economic Dynamics and Control*, 87 (2018): 46-73. (with Enrique Martinez-Garcia)
- "The Winners and Losers of Tax Reform: An Assessment under Financial Integration", *Journal of Economic Dynamics and Control*, 85 (2017): 90-122.

Working Papers & Work in Progress

- "Planes, Trains, and Buses: Seat Allocation Problem" (with Oguz Afacan and Umut Dur) (2023) (Under review)
- "Uninsured Income Risk and the Welfare Effects of Reducing Global Imbalances" (with Andy Glover and Jacek Rothert) (2024) (Under review)
- "Policy Uncertainty and Reallocation in Foreign Investment" (with Ivan Kandilov and Asli Leblebicioglu) (2023)
- "Forecasting Chinese Inflation" (with Barry Goodwin and Zhongyuan You) (2023)
- "Credit and Nominal Exchange Rates" (with Saroj Bhattarai)
- "What Ails Southern Europe? – A Look at Capital Reallocation, Balassa-Samuelson Effects, and the Traded Goods Sector" (with Finn Kydland and Enrique Martinez-Garcia)

Book Chapters

- “Exploring the Nexus between Inflation and Globalization under Inflation Targeting through the Lens of New Zealand’s Experience”, with Enrique Martinez-Garcia and Mehmet Ali Soytaş. In *Current Approaches in Education and Economics, Part II. Current Approaches in Economics Studies*, Chapter V, pp. 55-57, edited by H. Goksu, SRA Academic Publishing, 2017.

Media

2023: NC State economist: difficult to forecast if we’re headed for another recession – CBS17. [Article Link](#)

2023: When was the last recession? – USA Today. [Article Link](#)

2022: “Rising inflation as a global and domestic phenomenon” – Poole Thought Leadership. [Article Link](#)

2022: “Is the US going into a recession?” – Poole Thought Leadership. [Article Link](#)

Invited Seminars and Conference Presentations

2023:

- Southern Economics Association Conference, New Orleans, Louisiana (November)
- Midwest International Trade Conference, Georgia Institute of Technology (November)
- Midwest Econometrics Group Conference, Cleveland Fed (October)
- Asia Meeting of the Econometric Society (hybrid) (June)
- Africa Meeting of the Econometric Society (hybrid) (June)
- Midwest Macroeconomics Meetings, Clemson University (May)

2022:

- Southern Economic Association Meetings, Ft. Lauderdale, Florida (November)
- Midwest Macroeconomics Meetings, Southern Methodist University (November)
- Africa Meeting of the Econometric Society (hybrid), Addis Ababa, Ethiopia (June)

2021:

- North American Summer Meeting (virtual) of Econometric Society, Montreal, Canada (June)

2020:

- Computation in Economics and Finance, Warsaw, Poland (June) [Canceled due to COVID-19]
- Midwest Macroeconomics Meetings, Logan, Utah (May) [Canceled due to COVID-19]

2019:

- Southern Economic Association Meetings, Ft. Lauderdale, Florida (November)
- Midwest Macroeconomics Meetings, Michigan State University (November)
- Midwest Econometrics Group Meetings, Ohio State University (October)
- Econometric Society European Meeting, University of Manchester (August)
- Midwest Macroeconomics Meetings, University of Georgia (May)

2018:

- North Carolina State University (March)

2017:

- Midwest Macroeconomics Meetings, Louisiana State University (May)
- Bilkent University (September)

- University of Texas at Austin (May)

2016:

- Turkish Economic Association, International Conference on Economics, Bodrum (October)
- Econometric Society European Meeting, Geneva, Switzerland (August)
- Society for Computational Economics, 22nd International Conference – Bordeaux, France (June)
- Middle East Technical University (November)

2015:

- Koç University ERF – Kyoto University Macroeconomics Workshop, Istanbul (September) [Presenter and discussant]
- Econometric Society World Congress, Montreal, Canada (August)
- Rimini Center for Economic Analysis - Growth and Development Workshop, Rimini, Italy (May)
- Özyeğin University (December)
- Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland (August)
- İzmir University of Economics (April)
- Bilkent University (March)

2014:

- Policy Analysis in the Post Great Recession Era (Koç University ERF-UC Santa Barbara LAEF-Central European University Conference), October 2014 [Discussant]
- Koç University Macro-Finance-Econometrics Workshop (May)
- Istanbul Technical University (April)
- Conference on Advances in Applied Macro-Finance and Forecasting, Istanbul Bilgi University (September)

2013:

- 8th Winter Workshop, Koç University (December) [Discussant]
- North American Summer Meetings of the Econometric Society, University of Southern California (June)
- Central Bank of Turkey (Istanbul) (October)
- Central Bank of Turkey (Ankara) (March)
- Bilkent University (March)
- Bank of Canada (February)
- Boğaziçi University (February)
- Koç University (February)
- Syracuse University (January)

2012:

- Texas AM University (November)
- Midwest Macroeconomics Meetings, University of Colorado-Boulder (November)
- Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas (July)
- North American Summer Meetings of the Econometric Society, Northwestern University (July)

2011:

- Midwest Economic Theory Meetings, Vanderbilt University (November)

Discussions

Koç University ERF – Kyoto University Macroeconomics Workshop, Istanbul, September 2015: “Rising Skill Premium: The Roles of Capital-Skill Complementarity and Sectoral Shifts in a Two-Sector Economy” by Naoko Hara, Munechika Katayama and Ryo Kato

Policy Analysis in the Post Great Recession Era (Koç University ERF- UC Santa Barbara LAEF-Central European University Conference), October 2014: “Labor Market Upheaval, Default Regulations, and Consumer Debt” by Kartik Athreya, Juan Sanchez, Xuan Tam, and Eric Young
8th Winter Workshop, Koç University, December 2013: “The Cyclical Behavior of Equilibrium Unemployment and Vacancies across OECD Countries” by Pedro S. Amaral and Murat Taşçı

Referee for

Journal of Business and Economic Statistics, Economic Inquiry, National Science Foundation, Review of Economics and Statistics, Oxford Bulletin of Economics and Statistics, Oxford Economic Papers, Applied Economics, Central Bank Review

Graduate Student Supervision

Supervisor: Sana Iqbal (Koç, M.A., 2018)

Committee Member: Yifei Zhang (NCSU, Ph.D. 2023), Xi Zhou (NCSU, Ph.D. 2023), Kenneth Rich (NCSU, Ph.D. 2021), Hanifi Ötğün (NCSU, M.A. 2021), Zhongyuan You (NCSU, Ph.D. 2019), Murat Adil Can Yıldız (Bilkent, M.A., 2017), Gülserim Özcan (Bilkent, Ph.D., 2017), Gizem Tüzen (Koç, M.A., 2016), Engin İyidoğan (Koç, M.A., 2014), Deniz Gök (Koç, M.A., 2014)

Service

North Carolina State University: Ph.D. preliminary exam committee: Macroeconomics (2019-2021), Junior faculty recruitment committee: 2018-2019, Macro seminar organization (2020-2021)

Koç University: Ph.D. preliminary exam committee: Macroeconomics (2015-2017), Junior faculty recruitment committee: 2014-2015

Personal Information

Languages: English (Fluent), Turkish (Native), German (Intermediate)

Family: Married, one child