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### Personal data

Date of birth: **16.09.1982.**

Nationality/Language:

**Macedonian**

Family status:

**Married with [Blagica](#), Economist**

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## POSTS

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February 2008 – to date	<i>Associate professor (as of Jan 2015)</i> <i>Senior researcher (as of Feb 2012)</i> <b>University American College – Skopje (UACS)</b> <b>School of Business Economics and Management</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ <i>Lecturing Statistics, Monetary Economics, International Money and Finance (undergraduate); Research Methods; Advanced Econometrics I (postgraduate); Data Analysis, Advanced Econometrics II (doctoral level)</i></li><li>▪ <i>Supervising in the area of applied monetary policy and international finance</i></li><li>▪ <i>Regular economic research; Academic studies</i></li></ul> <i>Previously:</i> <i>Feb 2008 – Jan 2012: Assistant / Lecturer</i> <i>Feb 2012 – Dec 2014: Assistant professor</i>
January 2014 – to date	<i>Vice-Rector for Research and Development (II term)</i> <b>University American College – Skopje (UACS)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ <i>Steering the research work at the university level;</i></li><li>▪ <i>Coordinating the inter-faculty research;</i></li><li>▪ <i>Head of Doctoral School</i></li><li>▪ <i>Research promotion (both inside and outside the University).</i></li><li>▪ <i>Shanghai rankings and Self-evaluation</i></li></ul>
January 2013 – to date	<i>Chairman of Assembly</i> <i>Strategic Adviser</i> <b>“Finance Think” – Economic Research &amp; Policy Institute</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ <i>Advising of the strategic and programmatic orientation of the think tank;</i></li><li>▪ <i>Advocacy and counselling for policymaking purposes;</i></li><li>▪ <i>Research cooperation</i></li><li>▪ <i>Member of the MEL Committee</i></li></ul> <i>Previously:</i> <i>Jan 2013 – Dec 2016: Chairman of the Advisory Board</i>
June 2018 – to date	<i>Research Fellow</i> <b>Partnership for Economic Policies</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ <i>Research cooperation</i></li></ul>

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October 2012 – September 2015	<p><i>Career Integration Fellow</i></p> <p><b>CERGE-EI, Research centre - Prague</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ <i>Conducting research on various topics so as to transfer knowledge at the students of my domicile institution</i></li> </ul>
January 2011 – December 2013	<p><i>Vice-Dean for Research and Cooperation in Science</i></p> <p><b>University American College – Skopje (UACS)</b></p> <p><b>School of Business Economics and Management</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ <i>Editor and analyst of the research publications (Review of foreign trade of Macedonia; UACS Quarterly Outlook; Leading index for the Macedonian economy; UACS Working Paper Series)</i></li> <li>▪ <i>Coordinating applications for domestic and international projects; Forming and motivating teams for work on projects;</i></li> <li>▪ <i>Support of individuals and teams for application of research methods and econometrics.</i></li> </ul>
January 2009 – April 2010	<p><i>Econometrician</i></p> <p><b>National Bank of the Republic of Macedonia</b></p> <p><b>Financial stability Department</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ <i>Modelling household and corporate credit risk; Credit-risk modelling within macro-model;</i></li> <li>▪ <i>Policy papers on current financial-stability and banking issues, Academic studies</i></li> <li>▪ <i>Models for assessment of loan-loss provision and stress testing</i></li> <li>▪ <i>Quantitative estimation of Panzar-Rosse h-test and Lerner index for the level of competition in the Macedonian banking industry</i></li> <li>▪ <i>Financial-stability assessment and macroeconomic analysis within Financial Stability Report; Bank structure and concentration analysis within the Bank-system Report</i></li> </ul>
December 2006 – December 2008	<p><i>Economist for Macroeconomic models and forecasting</i></p> <p><b>Ministry of Finance of the Republic of Macedonia</b></p> <p><b>Macroeconomic modelling and forecasting Department</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ <i>Time series analysis and econometric modelling, Policy papers on current macro-issues</i></li> <li>▪ <i>Forecasting macroeconomic variables (GDP, consumption, wages, employment, trade, BoP)</i></li> <li>▪ <i>Seasonal effects and adjustments; Filters for estimating potential output</i></li> <li>▪ <i>Analysis of real sector: GDP (income and expenditure side), Total factor productivity, Composite indicators for forecasting the business cycle</i></li> <li>▪ <i>Responsible for preparation of the Quarterly economic report</i></li> <li>▪ <i>Participation in preparation of strategic economic documents: Annual Report, Pre-accession economic program, National Development Plan</i></li> </ul>

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## EDUCATION

2016      **Post-doc**  
**Institute of Economic Research**  
**Hitotsubashi University, Tokyo, Japan**  
Thesis: *Remittances and health outcomes: Evidence from Macedonia*

2012 –2013	<b>Postgraduate Certificate (PGCE) in Research Supervision</b> <b>Staffordshire University, UK</b>
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2007 –2011	<b>PhD in Economics</b> <b>Staffordshire University, UK</b> Thesis: <i>Monetary-regime switch from exchange-rate targeting to inflation targeting: with reference to developing economies</i>
2007 –2008	<b>Postgraduate Certificate (PGCE) in Research Methods</b> <b>Staffordshire University, UK</b>
2006 –2007	<b>Postgraduate Certificate (PGCE) in European Integration</b> <b>International Centre for EU Formation - CIFE, Germany, European Online Academy</b>
2005 –2006	<b>Master of Science (MSc) in Banking and Finance, with Distinction</b> <b>The University of Sheffield, UK</b> Dissertation: <i>“Macroeconomic Implications of Exchange Rate Regime: The Case of Macedonia”</i>
2001 –2005	<b>Bachelor of Science (BSc) in Finance, with 9.94 out of 10</b> <b>University „St. Clement Ohridski“ – Bitola, Macedonia</b> Dissertation: <i>“Assessment and Management of Exchange-Rate Risk”</i>

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## NON-DEGREE TRAINING

### Applied econometrics

2016	Economic analysis of non-tariff measures, UNCTAD Virtual Institute, Geneva
2016	Regression discontinuity design, University of Amsterdam
2016	Econometric methods for survey data, The Vienna Institute for International Economic Studies
2015	Trade and Gender Analysis with Stata, UNCTAD Virtual Institute, Geneva
2014	Econometrics of the gender wage gap, University of Amsterdam
2013	Microeconomic measurement and analysis, Partnership for Economic Policy, Canada
2012	Econometrics of program evaluation, In-house training, UCL
2012	Trade and Poverty Analysis with Stata, UNCTAD Virtual Institute, Geneva
2012	Sampling methods in Stata, University of Zurich, Switzerland
2011	Practical CGE Modelling with GAMS, EcoMod Belgium
2009	Macro Stress-testing, De Nederlandsche Bank
2009	Applied Macroeconometrics in MatLab, University of Salento (Lecce) – Italy
2009	Dynamic and Non-linear panel data models, Universitat Pompeu Fabra, Spain
2009	Advanced macroeconomic modelling and forecasting, JTC – Washington
2008	Meta-regression analysis – Advanced seminar, University of Oxford
2008	Macroeconomic forecasting, IMF
2008	Econometric model selection, University of Oxford

### Macroeconomics

2017	New Structural Economics, University of Beijing, China
2012	Financial Programming and Policies, IMF
2011	Building a Social Accounting Matrix, EcoMod Belgium
2011	Monetary Policy Analysis, IMF
2007	Macroeconomic management and fiscal policy, IMF

2007	Essentials of budget execution, Centre of Excellence in Finance – Slovenia
2006	European Central Banking, ECB Frankfurt

### Other

2014	Non-tariff measures (NTMs) and data collection, UNCTAD Virtual Institute, Geneva
2014	Problem solving skills for decision making, ECSP Europe
2013	Communication and presentation skills, ADB Manila
2013	Academic writing, New Caledonian University, Glazgow, UK
2012	European Entrepreneurship Colloquium, University of Cambridge
2010	Writing Methods, University of Manchester

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## SUMMER AND WINTER SCHOOLS

2017, July	New Structural Economics, Peking University, Beijing, China
2014, June	Gender Wage Gap, University of Amsterdam, Amsterdam, Netherlands
2013, July	Institutional Analysis, Lomonosov State University, Moscow, Russia
2011, May	New Institutional Economics, Ronald Coase Institute / University of Chicago, Chicago, USA
2006, August	European Central Banking, Goethe University, Frankfurt, Germany

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## LANGUAGES & IT-SKILLS

**English** (academic level), **German** and **Greek** (beginner's level), Neighbouring languages

**Documents and data** (MS Office), **Statistics and Econometrics** (SPSS, MicroFit, E-views, OxMetrics, Stata, JMulti, MSVAR); **Basic economic programming** (MatLab; GAUSS; GAMS)

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## PUBLISHED RESEARCH

### Articles in peer-reviewed journals (bold on JCR – Thomson Reuters)

*Published or accepted*

1. Petreski, M. (forthcoming 2018) Public provision of employment-support services to youth jobseekers: Effects on informality and wages in transition economies. *International Journal of Manpower*.
2. Petreski, M. (2018) Is informal job experience of youth undermining their labor-market prospects in transition economies? *Open Economies Review*, DOI: 10.1007/s11079-018-9489-9.
3. Petreski, M. (2018) Has CEFTA increased members' trade? Evidence with an enlarged set of plausibly exogenous instruments. *Czech Journal of Economics and Finance*, 68(3), p. 294-317.
4. Petreski, B., Tumanoska, D., Davalos, J. and Petreski, M. (2018) New light on remittances-poverty-health nexus in Macedonia. *International Migration*, DOI: 10.1111/imig.12436.
5. Petreski, B. and Petreski, M. (2018) Does motherhood explain lower wages for females in Macedonia? *Ekonomska istrazivanja - Economic Research*. 31(1), p.352-375.
6. Mojsoska-Blazevski, N., Petreski, M. and Ristovska, M. (2017) Breaking up the vicious cycle of poverty: How to improve school performance of children from low-income households in Macedonia? *Croatian Economic Survey*, 19(2), p.5-46.
7. Petreski, M., Petreski, B., Tumanoska, D., Narazani, E., Kazazi, F., Ognjanov, G., Jankovic, I., Mustafa, A. and Kochovska, T. (2017) The size and effects of emigration and remittances in

the Western-Balkans: Forecasting based on a Delphi process. *Südosteuropa: Journal of Politics and Society*, 65(4), p.679-695.

8. Petreski, M., Jovanovic, B. and Velickovski, I. (2017) Tariff-induced (de)industrialization: An empirical analysis. *Comparative Economic Studies*, 59(3), p.345–381.
9. Mojsoska-Blazevski, N., Petreski, M. and Bojadziev, M. (2017) Youth survival on the labour market: Comparative evidence from three transition economies. *The Economic and Labour Relations Review*, 28(2), pp. 312–331.
10. Petreski, M., Mojsoska-Blazevski, N. and Bergolo, M. (2017) Labor-market scars when youth unemployment is extremely high: Evidence from Macedonia. *Eastern European Economics*, 55(2), p.168-196.
11. Petreski, M., Petreski, B. and Tumanoska, D. (2017) Remittances as a Shield to Socially-Vulnerable Households in Macedonia: The Case When the Instrument is Not Strictly Exogenous. *International Migration*, 55(1), p.20-36.
12. Tumanoska, D., Mojsoska-Blazevski, N. and Petreski, M. (2016) Are small, open economies exposed to capital? Insights into the Feldstein-Horioka puzzle in Macedonia. *Economic Review*, 67(2), p.116-134.
13. Mojsoska-Blazevski, N., and Petreski, M. (2016) Can internship program reduce unemployment among youth in a low job creation environment? The evidence from Macedonia. *Romanian Journal of Labour and Social Studies*, 1(1), p.2-32.
14. Mojsoska-Blazevski, N., Petreski, M. and Petreska, D. (2015) Increasing labour market activity of poor, females and informal workers: Let's make work pay in Macedonia. *Eastern European Economics*, 53(6), p.466-490.
15. Petreski, M. and Mojsoska-Blazevski, N. (2015) Youth self-employment in households receiving remittances in Macedonia. *Czech Journal of Economics and Finance*, 65(6), p.499-523.
16. Petreski, M. and Petreski, B. (2015) Dissatisfied, feeling unequal and inclined to emigrate: Perceptions from Macedonia in a MIMIC model. *Migration Letters*, 12(3), p.300-314.
17. Petreski, M. and Mojsoska, N. (2015) Does Cultural Heritage Affect Job Satisfaction: The Divide between EU and Eastern Economies. *Acta Oeconomica*, 65(2), p.325-337.
18. Petreski, M., Mojsoska-Blazevski, N. and Petreski, B. (2014) Gender wage gap when women are highly inactive: Evidence from repeated imputations with Macedonian data. *Journal of Labor Research*. 35(4), p.393-411.
19. Jovanovic B. and Petreski, M. (2014) Monetary policy, exchange rates and labor unions in SEE and the CIS during the financial crisis. *Economic Systems*, 38(3), p.309-332.
20. Petreski, M. (2014) Inflation targeting at the crossroads: Evidence from post-communist economies during the crisis. *Communist and Post-Communist Studies*, 47(2), p.247-260.
21. Petreski, M. (2014) Regulatory environment and development outcomes: Empirical evidence from transition economies. *Ekonomicky Casopis*, 61(3), p.225-248.
22. Petreski, M. (2014) Grooming Classifications: Exchange Rate Regimes and Growth in Transition Economies. *Eastern European Economics*, 52(1), p.5-33.
23. Petreski, M. (2013) An Overhaul of a Doctrine: Has Inflation Targeting Opened a New Era in - Developing-country Peggers? *Eastern European Economics*, 51(5), p. 46-68.
24. Petreski, M. (2013) South East European Trade Analysis: A Role for Endogenous CEFTA-2006? *Emerging Markets Finance and Trade*, 49(5), p.26-44.
25. Petreski, M. and Mojsoska, N. (2013) Real Wages in the Manufacturing Industry in Macedonia: with reference to crisis period. *Ekonomika istrazivanja-Economic Research*, 26(4), p.117-130.
26. Petreski, M. and Jovanovic B. (2013) Monetary Policy in China: The Role of Qualitative Instruments. *Transition Studies Review*, 20(3), p.437-442.

27. Petreski, M. (2013) Exchange-rate pass-through under inflation targeting during crisis in transition economies. *Intereconomics: Review of European Economic Policy*, 48(3), p.187-190.
28. Petreski, M. (2013) Monetary Policy Conduct in CESEE countries on their road to the Euro. *Comparative Economic Studies*, 55(1), p.1-41.
29. Mojsoska-Blazevski, N. and Petreski, M. (2013) Western Balkan's trades with the EU and CEFTA-2006: Evidence from Macedonia. *Actual Problems of Economics*, 8(146), p.339-350.
- 30. Jovanovic, B. and Petreski, M. (2012) Monetary policy in Small Open Economy with Fixed Exchange Rate: The case of Macedonia. *Economic Systems*, 36(4), p.594-608.**
31. Petreski, M. (2012) Output-Volatility and Exchange-Rate Considerations Under Inflation Targeting: A Review. *International Journal of Economics and Financial Issues*, 2(4), p.528-537.
32. Petreski, M. (2011) A Markov Switch to Inflation Targeting in Emerging-market Peggers: with Focus on Czech Republic, Poland and Hungary. *Focus on European Economic Integration*, 3(11), p.47-63.
33. Petreski, M. (2010) Exchange-rate regime and output volatility: Empirical investigation with panel data. *International Journal of Monetary Economics and Finance*, 3(1), p.69-99.
34. Petreski, M. (2010) Output volatility in Macedonia: A role for the exchange rate? *The Youth Economists Journal*, 8(14), p.149-165.
35. Petreski, M. (2009) A brief empirics of interest-rate differential in Macedonia. *CEA Journal of Economics*, 4(1), p.5-11.
36. Petreski, M. (2009) A critique on inflation targeting. *CEA Journal of Economics*, 4(2), p.11-25.
37. Petreski, M. (2008) To fix or to float from perspective of output volatility and vulnerability to crisis. *CEA Journal of Economics*, 3(1), p.9-24.
38. Petreski, M. (2007) Investment and exchange rate regime: Un-puzzling Feldstein-Horioka: The case of Macedonia. *International Journal of Economics*, 1(2), p.101-106.
39. Petreski, M. (2007) Export-led growth hypothesis: Empirical facts for Macedonia. *CEA Journal of Economics*. 2(1), p.33-43.

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1. Petreski, M. Winners or losers? Workers in transition economies under globalization. *Economics of Transition*. Submitted 29 July 2018.
2. Petreski, M. Return migration and health outcomes in Macedonia. *International Journal of Migration, Health and Social Care*, Submitted 21 October 2017.
3. Petreski, M. Remittances and labour supply in Macedonia: New evidence from a behavioural tax and benefit microsimulation model. *Journal of Balkan and Near Eastern Studies*, Submitted 30.5.2018.

**Chapters in books**

1. Mojsoska-Blazevski, N., Petreski, M. and Stojanoska, D. (2018 forthcoming) Female labor-market inactivity in a traditional society: Should we change the culture? In: Editors (Eds.) *Social Exclusion in the Western Balkans*, Cambridge Scholars Publishing, p.\_\_\_\_.
2. Petreski, M., Petreski, B. and Tumanoska, D. (2016) Could Remittances Shield Vulnerable Households in Transition Economies? In: Aysen Hic Gencer, İlyas Sözen and Selahattin Sari (Eds.) *Eurasian Economies in Transition*, Cambridge Scholars Publishing, p.86-106.
3. Petreski, M. and Jovanovic, B. (2016) Do Remittances Reduce Poverty and Inequality in the Western Balkans? Evidence from Macedonia? In: Dahinden, J., Efendic, A. and Zbinden, M. (eds.) *Diversity of Migration in South East Europe*. Fribourg, RRPP Joint Volume, p.85-109.

4. Petreski, M. and Petreski, B. (2016) Introduction. In: Petreski, M. and Petreski, B. (eds.) *Migration as Social Protection: Evidence from Macedonian, Albanian and Serbian Remittance-receiving Households*. Lambert Academic Publishing, p.1-5.
5. Petreski, M. and Vchkov, I. (2016) Methodology and Data. In: Petreski, M. and Petreski, B. (eds.) *Migration as Social Protection: Evidence from Macedonian, Albanian and Serbian Remittance-receiving Households*. Lambert Academic Publishing, p.39-60.
6. Petreski, B., Tumanoska, D., Petreski, M., Vchkov, I., Kochovska, T. and Tumanoski, D. (2016) Results and Discussion for Macedonia. In: Petreski, M. and Petreski, B. (eds.) *Migration as Social Protection: Evidence from Macedonian, Albanian and Serbian Remittance-receiving Households*. Lambert Academic Publishing, p.61-125.
7. Petreski, M. and Tumanoska, D. (2016) Comparison among the Tree Countries. In: Petreski, M. and Petreski, B. (eds.) *Migration as Social Protection: Evidence from Macedonian, Albanian and Serbian Remittance-receiving Households*. Lambert Academic Publishing, p.279-288.
8. Petreski, M. and Petreski, B. (2016) Conclusion and Policy Recommendations. In: Petreski, M. and Petreski, B. (eds.) *Migration as Social Protection: Evidence from Macedonian, Albanian and Serbian Remittance-receiving Households*. Lambert Academic Publishing, p.289-295.
9. Wong, S. and Petreski, M. (2016) Exportable manufacturing value added growth in Latin America: capital inflows and the role of China. In: Observatorio América Latina - Asia Pacífico (ed.) *Exploring options for productive integration between Latin America and Asia Pacific*. Uruguay, p.199-229.
10. Velickovski, I., Petreski, M. and Jovanovic, B. (2016) The Macedonian Economy and the European Union. In: Briguglio, L. (ed.) *Small States and the European Union*. London: Rutledge, p.153-183.
11. Petreski, M. (2016) Scientific research projects of the Ministry of Education and Science of the Republic of Macedonia: instruments, modalities and the need for thematic focus. In: Indzevska, S. and Dimova-Mancevska, A. (eds.) *Challenges And Opportunities For Scientific Research Funding In The Republic Of Macedonia*. Regional Research Promotion Program, p.131-139.
12. Petreski, M. (2014) Increasing the welfare effect of the agricultural subsidy programme for food crop production in the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia. In: Pavcnik, N. (ed.) *Trade policies, household welfare and poverty alleviation*. Geneva: United Nations, p.77-118.
13. Petreski, M. (2013) From economic demagogy to economic research: A Sisyphus task? In: Indzevska, S. and Dimova-Mancevska, A. (eds.) *Research in Social Sciences in Macedonia*. Regional Research Promotion Program, p.9-40.

#### **Books and peer-reviewed booklets**

1. Petreski, M. and Zampini, D. (2018) Profile of young people neither in employment, nor in education or training (NEETs) in Macedonia. Policy Guidance Note. Budapest: International Labor Organization (ILO).
2. Petreski, M. (2018) *Research tools in economics. A think-tank perspective*. Skopje: Finance Think. (in Macedonian)
3. Mojsoska-Blazevski, N., Petreski, M. and Ayhan, O. (2017) *National Research on Low Female Labor-Market Participation in Macedonia: Quantitative-based Estimates from a New Survey*. Skopje: UN Women.
4. Petreski, M. and Vchkov, I. (2017) *Gender and motherhood wage gaps in Macedonia: Manual for calculation with applications in STATA*. Skopje: Finance Think.
5. Petreski, M. and Petreski, B. eds. (2016) *Migration as Social Protection: Evidence from Macedonian, Albanian and Serbian Remittance-receiving Households*. Lambert Academic Publishing.

6. Petreski, M. and Mojsoska-Blazevski, N. (2016) *The Gender and Motherhood Wage Gap in the Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia: An Econometric Analysis*. Budapest: International Labor Organization (ILO).
7. Mojsoska-Blazevski, N. and Petreski, M. (2015) *Impact Evaluation of Active Labor Market Programs in Macedonia: Key Findings*. Budapest: International Labor Organization (ILO).
8. Petreski, M. and Jovanovic, B. eds. (2013) *Remittances and Development in the Western Balkans: The cases of Macedonia, Kosovo and Bosnia-Herzegovina*. Scholars' Press.
9. Petreski, M. (2013) *Essays on Inflation Targeting*. Scholars' Press.
10. Petreski, M. (2011) *Monetary-regime Switch from Exchange-rate to Inflation Targeting: with Reference to Developing Economies*. LAP Lambert Publishing.

#### **Other indexed publications**

1. Petreski, M., Jovanovic, B., Petreski, B. and Kocovska, T. (2018) Income Inequality and the Great Recession: A Comparative Study. MPRA Working Paper 87739.
2. Mojsoska-Blazevski, N. and Petreski, M. (2017) Organisational and financing options for establishment of an Employment Fund in Kosovo: A comparative perspective. Proceedings of the 1st International Scientific Conference "Knowledge Based Society as a Strategy for Faster Economic Growth", p.252-279.
3. Petreski, M. and Mojsoska-Blazevski, N. (2017) Overhaul of the social assistance system in Macedonia: Simulating the effects of introducing Guaranteed Minimum Income (GMI) scheme. Finance Think Policy Study No. 11.
4. Petreski, M., Petreski, B., Tumanoska, D., Narazani, E., Kazazi, F., Ognjanov, G., Jankovic, I., Mustafa, A. and Kochovska, T. (2017) The size and effects of emigration and remittances in the Western-Balkans: Forecasting based on a Delphi process. MPRA Paper 75512.
5. Petreski, M., Jovanovic, B. and Velickovski, I. (2016) Tariff-induced (de)industrialization: A comparative analysis. Proceedings of the international conference "The Evolution of the international trading system: challenges and prospects", p.96-104.
6. Petreski, M., Mojsoska-Blazevski, N. and Bergolo, M (2016) Labor-market scars when unemployment is extremely high: Evidence from Macedonia. IZA Discussion Paper Series No.10342.
7. Petreski, M. (2016) Does Return Migration Affect Health Outcomes in Macedonia? Centre for Economic Institutions Working Paper Series 2016-5.
8. Petreski, M., Petreski, B., Tumanoska, D., Narazani, E., Kazazi, F., Ognjanov, G., Jankovic, I., Mustafa, A. and Kochovska, T. (2016) The size and effects of emigration and remittances in the Western-Balkans: Forecasting based on a Delphi process. Finance Think Policy Study No. 6.
9. Petreski, M., Jovanovic, B. and Velickovski, I. (2015) Tariff-induced (de)industrialization: An empirical analysis. MPRA Paper 67701.
10. Petreski, M., Jovanovic, B. and Velickovski, I. (2015) Tariff-induced (de)industrialization: A comparative analysis. The wiis Balkan Observatory Working Paper 116.
11. Petreski, M. and Petreski, B. (2015) Dissatisfied, feeling unequal and inclined to emigrate: Perceptions from Macedonia in a MIMIC model. MPRA Paper 61047.
12. Petreski, M., Mojsoska-Blazevski, N., Ristovska, M. and Smokvarski, E. (2014) Youth self-employment in households receiving remittances in Macedonia. PEP-PMMA Working Paper, 2014-8.
13. Petreski, M., Mojsoska-Blazevski, N. and Petreski, B. (2014) Gender wage gap when women are highly inactive: Evidence from repeated imputations with Macedonian data. MPRA Paper 57226.



14. Wong, S. and Petreski, M. (2014) Dutch Disease in Latin American countries: De-industrialization, how it happens, crisis, and the role of China. MPRA Paper 57056.
15. Petreski, M., Petreski, B., (2014) Leading composite index produced by Finance Think: Forecasting power reassessed. Finance Think Policy Study No. 2.
16. Petreski, M. (2014) Grooming classifications: Exchange rate regimes and economic growth in transition economies. MPRA Paper 54473.
17. Petreski, M. and Jovanovic, B. (2013) Do Remittances Reduce Poverty and Inequality in the Western Balkans? Evidence from Macedonia. MPRA Paper 51413.
18. Mojsoska-Blazevski, N., Petreski, M. and Petreska, D. (2013) Increasing labour market activity of poor and female: Let's make work pay in Macedonia. EUROMOD Working Paper Series, EM16/13.
19. Mojsoska-Blazevski, N., Petreski, M. and Petreska, D. (2013) Increasing labour market activity of poor and female: Let's make work pay in Macedonia. MPRA Paper 57228.
20. Petreski, M. (2013) Inflation targeting at the crossroads: Evidence from post-communist economies during the crisis. MPRA Paper 47018.
21. Petreski, M. and Jovanovic, B. (2012) New Approach to Analyzing Monetary Policy in China. MRPA Working Paper 40497.
22. Jovanovic B. and Petreski, M. (2012) Hemlock for policy response: Monetary policy, exchange rates and labour unions in SEE and CIS during the crisis. FIW Working Paper N° 81.
23. Mojsoska, N. and Petreski, M. (2012) Does Cultural Heritage Affect Job Satisfaction: The Divide between EU and Eastern Economies. MRPA Working Paper 40541.
24. Petreski, M. (2010) An Overhaul of a Doctrine: Has Inflation Targeting Opened a New Era in Developing-country Peggers? FIW Working Paper N° 57.
25. Petreski, M. (2009) Exchange-Rate Regime and Economic Growth: A Review of the Theoretical and Empirical Literature. Economics Discussion Papers, No. 2009-31, p.1-19.
26. Petreski, M. (2009) Analysis of Exchange-Rate Regime Effect on Growth: Theoretical Channels and Empirical Evidence with Panel Data. Economics Discussion Papers, No. 2009-49, p.1-31.
27. Jovanovic, B. and Petreski, M. (2008) Keynesian model of the Republic of Macedonia: Economic logic and behavioural equations. MoF Bulletin, 4(08), p.56-65.
28. Petreski, M. (2008) Indicative linear model for assessing the forecasting power of MakLead leading composite index for the Republic of Macedonia. MoF Bulletin, 5(07), p.55-63.
29. Holm, M. and Petreski, M. (2008) Forecast evaluation in Macedonia. MoF Bulletin, 2(08), p.18-25.
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22. Petreski, M., Mojsoska-Blazevski, N. and Petreski, B. Gender wage gap when women are highly inactive: Evidence from repeated imputations with Macedonian data. *InGRID Summer School "The gender pay gap revisited – causes and consequences of horizontal and vertical gender inequalities on the labor market", Amsterdam Institute for Advanced labour Studies (AIAS), Amsterdam, The Netherlands, 7-11 July 2014.*
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## OTHER RESEARCH WORK

**Editorial Board** Remittances Review

**Referee** Acta Oeconomica (2)  
Applied Economics (1)  
Asian and Pacific Migration Review (1)  
BMC Public Health (1)  
Communist and Post-Communist Studies (1)

Comparative Economic Studies (2)  
 Croatian Economic Surveys (4)  
 Czech Journal of Economics and Finance (3)  
 Eastern European Economics (1)  
 Economia Internazionale (1)  
 Economic Inquiry (1)  
 Economic Research – Ekonomska Istrazivanja (3)  
 Economic Systems (2)  
 Emerging Markets Finance and Trade (2)  
 Empirica (1)  
 Forum for Social Economics (1)  
 International Economic Journal (2)  
 International Journal of Emerging Markets (1)  
 International Migration (1)  
 Journal of Entrepreneurship and Public Policy (1)  
 Journal of International Money and Finance (2)  
 Journal of Labor Research (1)  
 Migration Letters (1)  
 National Bank of Macedonia WP Series (2)  
 Research publications of the National Bank of Macedonia (2)  
 Singapore Economic Review (1)  
 Structural Change and Economic Dynamics (1)  
 Südosteuropa. Journal of Politics and Society (1)  
 The Economic and Labour Relations Review (1)

**Supervisor** UACS – PhD supervisor (2 students); MSc supervisor (4 students)  
 Staffordshire University, UK – Secondary PhD Supervisor (2 students)

**Delegate** National Economic Education Delegation, USA

## INVITED TALKS

07.06.2018, Belgrade, Serbia

**“Migration as social protection in the Western Balkans”** at the Centre for Social Policy.

20.04.2018, Luxembourg, Luxembourg

**“The productivity in the Macedonian economy”** at the University of Luxembourg.

05.04.2017, Vienna, Austria

**“Migration, remittances and inactivity”** at the World Bank – Regional Office in Vienna.

19.03.2017, Skopje, Macedonia

**“The future of work in Macedonia”** at the International Labour Organization - Skopje.

01.06.2016, Tokyo, Japan

**“Does return migration affect health outcomes in Macedonia?”** at the Centre for Economic Institutions, Institute of Economic Research, Hitotsubashi University.

23.02.2016, Montevideo, Uruguay

**“Employment and wage ‘scarring’ when youth unemployment is extremely high: Evidence from Macedonia”** at the Institute of Economic Research, Universidad de la Republica.

- 18.11.2015, Bucharest, Romania  
**“Methodological issues in evaluation of the self-employment programs”** at the Nation Scientific Research Institute for Labour and Social Protection.
- 21.1.2014, Regensburg, Germany  
**“Youth self-employment in households receiving remittances in Macedonia”** at the Institute for East and Southeast European Studies (IOS).
- 06.11. 2013, Budapest, Hungary  
**“Econometric modelling of the credit risk”** at SIDA/KPMG Training for Western Balkans’ bankers – Swedish International Development Agency
- 21.10. 2013, Vienna, Austria  
**“Declining youth unemployment in Macedonia: Different (macro) policies?”** at Policy Dialogue on “Jobs Wanted: Youth in Southeast Europe” – Vienna Institute for International Economic Studies, The World Bank and Ministry of Finance of Austria
- 12.07.2013, Bratislava, Slovakia  
**“Youth self-employment in households receiving remittances in Macedonia”** at Slovak Academy of Sciences, Bratislava Slovakia

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## HONOURS

### Awards

#### *Research awards*

- 2016 **CEFTA-LSE Award for research paper** (*CEFTA and London School of Economics*)  
 2013 **Japanese Award for Outstanding Research on Development** (*GDN*)  
 2012 **Career Integration Fellowship Award** (*CERGE-EI*)  
 2010 **The Olga Radzyner Award** (*The Oesterreichische Nationalbank*)  
 2009 **Young scientist of the Year Award** (*Macedonian Academy of Sciences and Arts*)

#### *Professional and impact awards*

- 2018 **[UK Alumni Social Impact Award](#)** – Regional Level Finalist (Wider Europe)  
 (*British Council – Global Level*)  
 2014 **PEP Award for best communication and outreach strategy** (*The Partnership for Economic Policy*)  
 2013 **UN-MFA Social Innovation Award** (*United Nations*)  
 2012 **Award for 2<sup>nd</sup> ranked employee at the University** (*UACS*)  
 2012 **“UACS Success Research Story” Award** (*WBC-INCO.NET Consortium, Austria*)  
 2011 **Award for 9<sup>th</sup> ranked employee at the University** (*UACS*)

#### *Student awards*

- 2005 **Student of Generation Award** (*University in Bitola*)  
 2005 **Best student recognized by the business society Award** (*Stopanska Banka*)  
 2003-5 **Student of the academic year Award – three times** (*Faculty of Economics*)

### Honours

- 2004 **MENSA - The high IQ society**

### Scholarships

- 2016 **Post-doc** (*Japan Society for the Promotion of Science*)  
 2014 **Post-doc** (*Institute for East and Southeast European Studies, Regensburg*)  
 2013 **Post-doc** (*Slovak Ministry of Science*)

- 2007 **PhD studies** (*Staffordshire University and Open Society Institute*)  
2006 **PGCE studies** (*European Commission, Jean Monnet Program*)  
2002-6 **MSc and BSc studies** (*Macedonian Ministry of education*)
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## MEMBERSHIPS

- 2018 **National Economic Education Delegation**  
2017 **Western Economic Association International**  
2015 **American Economic Association**  
2012 **Society of Emerging Markets Finance and Trade**  
2010 **Applied Quantitative Methods Network**  
2009 **Italian Association for Comparative Economic Studies**  
2009 **Chinese Economists Society**  
2008 **Royal Economic Society**  
2008 **Euro Area Business Cycle Network**
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## INTERESTS

**Research:** Labour markets in transition economies  
Poverty, Inequality, Remittances & Migration  
Trade and trade integrations  
Exchange Rates & Regimes, Inflation targeting  
Randomized control trials  
Economic forecasting

**Hobbies:** Philately, Numismatics, Travelling (touristic and academic routes), Photography

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