

Hakan Yilmazkuday

Curriculum Vitae, November, 2009

E-mail: hakan.yilmazkuday@temple.edu
Cell phone: +1 (615) 500-8962
<http://astro.temple.edu/~yilmazh/>

Department of Economics
Temple University
Philadelphia, PA 19122, USA

Education

Vanderbilt University, Department of Economics

Ph.D. in Economics, 2009

M.A. in Economics, 2006

Marmara University, Istanbul, Turkey

M.A. in Economics, 2003

London School of Economics

B.Sc. in Economics, External Programme, 2001

Diploma in Economics, External Programme, 1999

Istanbul Bilgi University – Turkey

B.Sc. in Economics, Honours Programme, 2000

Appointments

Temple University

Assistant Professor of Economics, 2009 – present

Honors and Awards

Research Associate, Centers for International Price Research, 2009 – present

Associate Member, Murat Sertel Center for Advanced Economic Studies, 2009 – present

Listed in *Who's Who in America*, 2009 – present

University Graduate Fellowship, Vanderbilt University, U.S.A., 2004 – 2009

University Graduate Fellowship, Istanbul Bilgi University, Turkey, 2004 – 2005

University Full Scholarship, Marmara University, Turkey, 2001 – 2004

University Full Scholarship, London School of Economics, U.K., 1997 – 2001

University Full Scholarship, Istanbul Bilgi University, Turkey, 1996 – 2000

Research and Teaching Fields

Primary Fields: International Trade and Finance, Macroeconomics, Monetary Economics

Secondary Fields: Regional Economics, Growth and Development

Teaching Experience

Temple University, Instructor

International Monetary Economics (Undergraduate Level)

International Monetary Economics (Ph.D. Level)

Vanderbilt University, Instructor

Intermediate Macroeconomic Theory (Undergraduate Level)

Published Research Papers

“Inflation Dynamics of Turkey: A Structural Estimation” (with Ege Yazgan), *Studies in Nonlinear Dynamics and Econometrics*, 2005, 9(1).

“Monetary Policy Rules in Practice: Evidence from Turkey and Israel” (with Ege Yazgan), *Applied Financial Economics*, 2007, 17(1): 1-8.

“Inflation Targeting Supported by Managed Exchange Rate”, *Applied Economics*, 2007, 39(16): 2011-2026.

“Twin Crises in Turkey: A Comparison of Currency Crisis Models”, *The European Journal of Comparative Economics*, 2008, 5(1): 107-124.

“An Analysis of Regime Shifts in the Turkish Economy” (with Koray Akay), *Economic Modelling*, 2008, 25(5): 885-898.

“Money Shocks and Output: A Contemporary Money Demand Approach”, *Empirical Economics Letters*, 2008, 7(1): 1-4.

“Structural Breaks in Monetary Policy Rules: Evidence from Transition Countries”, *Emerging Markets Finance and Trade*, 2008, 44(6): 87-97.

“The Effects of Currency Crises in Emerging Markets on the Industrial Sector: An Alternative Regime-Shifting Approach”, *Emerging Markets Finance and Trade*, 2009, 45(1): 31-48.

“Why are Trade Agreements Mostly Regional? A Welfare Analysis by Transportation Costs”, (with Demet Ulker), in Paul E. Weston and Robert N. Townsend ed. *Welfare Economics*, 2009, NY: Nova Science Publishers.

“Effects of Credit and Debit Cards on the Currency Demand” (with Ege Yazgan), *Applied Economics*, 2009, 41(17): 2115-2123.

“Effects of Currency Crises on the Long-Run Growth”, forthcoming in *Applied Economics Letters*.

“Inflation, Finance and Growth: A Trilateral Analysis” (with Peter L. Rousseau), forthcoming in *Economic Systems*

“Productivity Cycles in Public and Private Manufacturing Sectors: Evidence from Turkey,” forthcoming in *International Journal of Applied Economics*.

“Okun’s Convergence within the U.S.” (with Ege Yazgan), forthcoming in *Letters in Spatial and Resource Sciences*.

“Agglomeration and Trade: State-Level Evidence from U.S. Industries” forthcoming in *Journal of Regional Science*.

Working Papers

“A Model of International Cities: Implications for Real Exchange Rates,” (with Mario J. Crucini), NBER Working Paper No: 14834.

“Can Inflation Targeting Regimes be Effective in Developing Countries? The Turkish Experience” (with Ali Kutan and Cem Akyurek), revision invited at *Journal of Development Economics*

“What is the Optimal Rate of Inflation for Long-Run Growth? A Cross-Country Analysis,” revision invited at *International Economic Journal*.

“Is there a Role for International Trade Costs in Explaining the Central Bank Behavior?” *under review*

“Inflation Targeting and Inflation Convergence within Turkey,” *under review*

“The IS Puzzle and Relative Risk Aversion in Turkey” (with Ege Yazgan), *under review*.

“Understanding Interstate Trade Patterns,” *under review*.

“Is the Armington Elasticity Really Constant across Importers?” *under review*.

“How Important is Technology? A Counterfactual Analysis”

Ongoing Projects

“Spatial Matching with Network Effects: Implications for Trade” (with Demet Ulker)

“Business Cycles in Inflation Targeting Countries: A Structural Investigation”

Professional Activities

Editorial

Editorial Board Member of the Journal of Global Analysis

Referee

Applied Economics (5 times)
Economic Modelling (3 times)
Economic Systems
Economics Bulletin (2 times)
Emerging Markets Finance and Trade (2 times)
Journal of Global Analysis
Southern Economic Journal
Wiley-Blackwell Publishing, Economics Books

Discussant

Midwest Economics Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, 2008
Southern Economic Association Annual Meetings, Washington, DC, 2008

Presentations of Research

“A Model of International Cities: Implications for Real Exchange Rates”
Midwest Economics Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, 2008
Vanderbilt University, Department of Economics, 2008
Utah State University, Department of Economics, 2009

California State University – Long Beach, Department of Economics, 2009
Temple University, Department of Economics, 2009
University of Tennessee – Knoxville, Department of Economics, 2009
Society for Nonlinear Dynamics and Econometrics, Atlanta Fed, 2009
Istanbul Bilgi University, Department of Economics, 2009
Society for Economic Dynamics Annual Meeting, Istanbul, 2009
American Economic Association Annual Meeting, Atlanta, 2010 (scheduled)

“Is there a Role for Trade Costs in Explaining the Central Bank Behavior?”
Southern Economic Association Annual Meetings, Washington DC, 2008
Midwest Economics Association Annual Meetings, Chicago, 2008
Society for Nonlinear Dynamics and Econometrics, San Francisco Fed, 2008

“Is the Armington Elasticity Really Constant across Importers?”
Midwest International Economics Meetings, Ohio State University, 2008

“Understanding Interstate Trade Patterns”,
Midwest International Economics Meetings, Champaign-Urbana, IL, 2008
Southern Regional Science Association Annual Meeting, Arlington, VA, 2008
Temple University, Department of Economics, 2009

“How Important is Technology? A Counterfactual Analysis”
Southern Regional Science Association Annual Meeting, Arlington, VA, 2008

Graduate Student Supervision

Committee Chair

Andrew A. Kish (current)

Committee Member

Emina Cardamone (current)

Other Research Experience

Research Assistant for Professor Mario J. Crucini on NSF Project (Award No. 0524868), 2005 –2008
Research Assistant for Professor Ege Yazgan (Istanbul Bilgi University), 2000 –2004

Service to University

Temple University

Department of Economics Working Paper Series Coordinator, 2009 – present.

Department of Economics Seminar Series Co-Coordinator, Fall 2009

Vanderbilt University

President of Council of Economics Graduate Students (CEGS), 2006 –2007.

Second Year Representative and Social Chair in CEGS, 2005 –2006.

Membership

American Economic Association

Econometric Society

Southern Economic Association