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RESEARCH INTERESTS

Macroeconomic stability, Monetary economics, European Economic and Monetary Union; Operations research and numerical methods with applications in economics

EDUCATION

Ph.D. student, Program in Economics, 2001—Present (expecting to submit thesis by end of year 2006),
Centre for Economic Research and Graduate Education, Univerzita Karlova, Prague

expecting a M.A. degree, Program in Economics, conditions for degree fulfilled in December 2004,
Centre for Economic Research and Graduate Education, Univerzita Karlova, Prague

Mgr. degree, Program in Mathematics of Economy and Finance, June 2001
Faculty of Mathematics, Physics and Informatics of the Comenius University, Bratislava, Slovakia

Research stay at Center for Financial Studies, J. W. Goethe University of Frankfurt am Main, November 2005–February 2006, supervisor: Volker Wieland

Summer school, Macroeconomic stability and Stability Pact, May 2003
European Youth School, Carpi, Italy

Summer school, Sustainable growth, September 1999
7th Slovak Summer School of Economics, Stupava, Slovakia

RESEARCH AND EXPERIENCE

Junior Researcher
Prague, Czech Republic
Conducting research in monetary unionization area and working as a teaching assistant.
Supervisor: Michal Kejak

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since May 2005

František Brázdik

Teaching Assistant

**CERGE–EI
Fall 2005**

Grading homeworks, exercise sessions and providing support to students in Money and Finance I course.

Supervisor: Michal Kejak

Teaching Assistant

**CERGE–EI
Summer 2005**

Grading homeworks and providing support to students in Macroeconomics III course.

Supervisor: Michal Kejak

SKILLS

- Languages: Slovak language native speaker, fluent English speaker, basic German, reading in Russian, excellent Czech
- Computer Skills: Experienced user of office software, STATA, TSP, S+, MATLAB, user knowledge of Mathematica, Linux, MS Windows
- Programming: C++, Pascal, Basic, simulation environments Dynare and Uhlig's Toolbox
- Advanced knowledge of the professional typesetting package \LaTeX

FELLOWSHIP

- World Bank Fellowship, 2003

MEMBERSHIPS

- CSTUG – Czechoslovak \TeX Users Group
- European Economic Association
- Econometric Society

WORKING PAPERS

F. Brázdik, *Non-parametric analysis of technical efficiency: factors affecting efficiency of West Java rice farms*, CERGE-EI Working paper series #286, January 2006

F. Brázdik and V. Druska, *Too large or too small? Retail stores returns to scale identification*, CERGE–EI Working Paper Series #273, September 2005

F. Brázdik, *Oriented stochastic data envelopment models: Ranking comparison with stochastic frontier approach*, CERGE–EI Working Paper Series #271, June 2005

DISCUSSION PAPERS

F. Brázdik, *Stochastic Data Envelopment Analysis: Oriented and Linearized Models*, CERGE-EI Discussion papers #116, January 2004

F. Brázdik, E. Kováč, M. Vojtek and A. Ortmann, *Guessing Games with Homogeneous and Heterogeneous Players: An Experimental Reconsideration* CERGE-EI Discussion papers #106, March 2003