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Research Interests

Financial Economics, Derivatives, International Economics

Education

Ph. D. in Economics, American University, Washington DC, USA. (Specialized in monetary economics, international economics)

MA in Economics, American University, Washington DC, USA.

BA in Economics, Ankara University, Ankara, TURKEY.

Professional Experience

Akdeniz University,Department of Economics, Antalya, Turkey 2010 to present
Associate Professor of Economics

Akdeniz University,Department of Economics, Antalya, Turkey 2005 to 2010
Assistant Professor of Economics

- Administrative Board,Centre for Economic Research on Mediterranean Countries
- Tought graduate and undergraduate level courses in Macroeconomics, International Economics, Finance, and Mathematical Economics
- Editorial Board, Akdeniz University Journal of Faculty of Economic and Administrative Sciences
- Supervised Master and Ph.D. Theses

Commodity Futures Trading Commission, Washington DC, USA 1999-2004
Economist

- Providing technical support and analytical expertise to Commission offices and other govermental agencies;
- Conducting research studies relevant to the formulation of Commission policy on such matters as regulatory treatment of of hybrid instruments,
- Conducting research on the effects of alternative market structures on market liquidity and depth, the international competitiveness of the U.S. in world futures markets.
- Research on pricing relationships in energy markets

Publications

Turkcan, K. and Aysegul Ates (2011) *Vertical Intra-Industry Trade and Fragmentation: An Empirical Examination of the U.S. Auto-Parts Industry*, World Economy.

Turkcan, K. and Aysegul Ates (2009)*Structure and Determinants of Intra-Industry Trade in the U.S. Auto Industry* JIGES, Vol 2 (2)15-46 (cited in Economics Bulletin)

Turkcan, K. and Aysegul Ates (2009)*An Examination of Exchange Rate Pass-Through to the US Motor Vehicle Products and Auto-Parts Import Prices* Global Economy Journal, Vol 9 (1) DOI: 10.2202/1524-5861.1433 (cited in Banks and Bank Systems)

Ates, Aysegul and G. H. K. Wang,(2008) "Managed Futures",Jhung-Gay Fung, Xiaqing Eleanor Xu and Jot Yau (Ed.)*Advances in International Investment: Traditional and Alternative Approaches*, 211-228, World Scientific Press, New Jersey, USA.

Ates, Aysegul and G. H. K. Wang,(2006) *Liquidity and Price Discovery on Floor versus Screen Based Trading Systems : An Analysis of Foreign Exchange Futures Markets*, Review of Futures Markets, Volume 14(3), 391-419. (cited in Journal of Futures Market, Review of Futures Markets)

Ates, Aysegul and G. H. K. Wang,(2005) *Information Transmission in Electronic versus Open Outcry Trading Systems: An Analysis of US Equity Index Futures Market*, Journal of Futures Market, 25(7), 679-715. (cited in Stock Index Futures, Asset Allocation and International Investments,Journal of Money Credit and Banking, Journal of Futures Markets, Review of Financial Economics, International Review of Economics and Finance, Europena Journal of Finance, Resorces Policy, Journal of Corporation Law, International Research Journal of Finance and Economics, Investment Management and Financial Innovations)

Ates, Aysegul and G. H. K. Wang,(2005) *When Size Matters: The Case of Equity Index Futures*, Review of Futures Markets, Volume 14(2), 217-245.(cited in Stock Index Futures)

Huang, J., Ates, Aysegul and T. Brahmasrene,(2006) *Measuring Emerging Stock Market Correlations Utilizing the Gravity Model* JEEER, 7(3), 71-86. (cited in Quantitative Finance)

Conferences and Invited Presentations

Ates, Aysegul and Jui-Chi Huang *The Evolving Relationship between Natural Gas and Crude Oil Prices: Evidence from a Dynamic Cointegration Analysis* Presented at Pennsylvania Economic Association, June 2010, Pennsylvania.

Ates, Aysegul and Jui-Chi Huang *Price Dynamics in Energy Markets: Natural Gas and Crude Oil Prices* Presented at 36th Annual Meetings of Eastern Economic Association, February 2010, Philedelphia.

Turkcan, K. and Aysegul Ates,*Vertical Intra Industry Trade: An Examination of U.S. Auto-Parts Industry* Presented at European Trade Study Group (ETSG) 10th Annual Conference, Warsaw, 11-13 September 2008, Poland (cited in Atlantic Economic Journal)

Turkcan, K. and Aysegul Ates,*Intra Industry Trade: An Examination of US Auto Industry* Presented at International Economic Association Annual Meeting, Istanbul, June 2008, Turkey.

Ates, Aysegul and G. H. K. Wang, *Price Dynamics in Energy Spot and Futures Markets: The Role of Inventory and Weather*, Presented at FMA Annual Meetings, October 2007, Orlando.

Turkcan, K. and Aysegul Ates, *An Analysis of Exchange Rate Pass-Through in the US Motor Vehicle and Auto Parts Sector*, International Trade and Finance Association's 18th Annual International Conference, May 21-24, Lizbon, Portugal.

Turkcan, K. and Aysegul Ates, *Exchange Rate Pass-Through*, Presented at Internal Research Seminer at Austrian Institute of Economic Research, January 2008, Vienna. (Invited presentation)

Turkcan, K. and Aysegul Ates, *Exchange Rate Pass-Through in the U.S. Auto Parts Sector*, Presented at Western Economic Association International 82nd Annual Conference June-July 2007, Seattle

Huang, J., Ates, Aysegul and T. Brahmasrene, *Determinants of Emerging Stock Market Correlations in the Gravity Equation* , Presented at Allied Academies International Conference, October 2005, Las Vegas, Nevada. (Summary of the Article is published at Proceedings of the Academy of Accounting and Finance, 10(2), 53)

Ates, Aysegul and G. H. K. Wang, *Storage, Weather and Dynamics of Natural Gas Prices in Futures and Spot Markets*, Presented at FMA Annual Meetings, 12-15 October 2005, Chicago.

Huang, J., Ates, Aysegul and T. Brahmasrene, *Measuring Emerging Stock Market Correlations Utilizing the Gravity Model* Presented at FMA European Meetings, July 2005, Italy.

Ates, Aysegul and G. H. K. Wang, *When Size Matters: The Case of Equity Index Futures* Presented at European Financial Management Association (EFMA), June 2004 Basel, Switzerland.

Ates, Aysegul and G. H. K. Wang, *Liquidity and Price Discovery on Floor versus Screen Based Trading Systems : An Analysis of Foreign Exchange Futures Markets*, Presented at FMA Annual Meetings October 2005, New Orleans, USA and 15^{th} Annual Asia Pacific Futures Research Symposium, 2004, Singapour.

Ates, Aysegul and G. H. K. Wang, *Competition, Fragmentation, and Equity Index Futures versus E-mini Index Futures* , Presented at FMA Annual Meetings, 16-19 October 2002, Texas.

Ates, Aysegul and G. H. K. Wang, *Information Transmission and Electronic versus Open Outcry Trading Systems: An Intraday Analysis of E-mini S&P 500 Futures, S&P 500 Index Futures, and S&P 500 Cash Index*,Presented at 12^{th} Annual Asia-Pacific Futures Research Symposium, 3-4 November 2001, Bangkok,Thailand ve FMA Annual Meetings, 17-20 October 2002, Toronto, Canada. (cited in Barron's)

Referee for Journals

- *Journal of Futures Markets*
- *Quantitative Finance*

Awards

The selected paper award from CBOT Educational Research Foundation, 2005,(Presented at 15^{th} Annual Asia Pacific Futures Research Symposium, Singapour.)
The selected paper award from CBOT Educational Research Foundation, 2002,(Presented at 13^{th} Annual Asia Pacific Futures Research Symposium, Hong Kong.)
The selected paper award from CBOT Educational Research Foundation, 2001,(Presented at 12^{th} Annual Asia Pacific Futures Research Symposium, Thailand)
The Frank Tamagna Prize, American University (The best record in Monetary Economics), 2000

Membership in Professional Organizations

Financial Management Association
International Trade and Finance Association