

Adam Farago

Personal Details

Year of Birth: 1984
 Nationality: Hungarian
 Married, two children

Address

Centre for Finance
 University of Gothenburg
 Vasagatan 1, PO Box 640
 SE 405 30 Gothenburg, Sweden

Contacts

+46 31 786 2635 📞
adam.farago@gu.se ✉️
[Personal webpage](#) 🌐

Research Interests

Asset Pricing, Portfolio Choice, Behavioral Finance, and Financial Econometrics

Employment

2014 – Assistant Professor, University of Gothenburg (GU)

Education

2009 – 2014 PhD in Finance, Stockholm School of Economics (SSE)
 2007 – 2009 MA in Economics, Central European University (CEU)
 2002 – 2007 MA in Economics, University of Debrecen (UD)

Publications

“Stock Price Co-Movement and the Foundations of Pairs Trading” with Erik Hjalmarsson,
Journal of Financial and Quantitative Analysis, forthcoming

“Downside Risks and the Cross-Section of Asset Returns” with Roméo Tédongap,
Journal of Financial Economics, forthcoming

“Asymmetries and Portfolio Choice” with Magnus Dahlquist and Roméo Tédongap,
Review of Financial Studies, 2017, 30 (2), 667-702

Working Papers

* denotes presentation by co-author

“Disappointment Aversion, Stock Market Participation and the Demand for Put Options”

“Liability Driven Investment by Disappointment-Averse Managers” with Magnus Dahlquist and Roméo Tédongap

Teaching Experience

2017 – 2018 Discrete Time Asset Pricing (PhD, SSE)
 2015 – 2018 Quantitative Finance (Master, GU)
 2015 – 2018 Basic Econometrics (Bachelor, GU)
 2012 – 2014 Quantitative Modeling of Asset Prices (as TA, Master, SSE)
 2011 – 2012 Empirical Methods in Corporate Finance (as TA, Master, SSE)
 2010 Mathematics I (as TA, PhD, SSE)
 2006 – 2007 Introduction to Finance (as TA, Bachelor, UD)

Presentations

(P) Presentation, (D) Discussion, (C) Presentation by co-author

- 2017 EFA Mannheim (D); 1st Marstrand Finance Conference (D); EEA-ESEM Lisbon (C);
- 2016 EFA Oslo (P); KWC-CFF Workshop (P); Southampton Finance and Econometrics Workshop (C); University of Gothenburg (C); Lund University (C);
- 2015 BI-SHoF Conference (P); The Arne Ryde Workshop (P); EEA Mannheim (C); McGill Global Asset Management Conference (C); 2nd Empirical Finance Workshop at ES-SEC (C); Aarhus University (C);
- 2014 Extreme Events in Finance conference (P); Stockholm School of Economics (P); BI Oslo (P); NHH Bergen (P); University of Gothenburg (P); 3rd Luxembourg Asset Management Summit (C); McGill University (C); New Economics School (C); Manchester Business School (C);
- 2013 FMA Europe Luxembourg (P,D); EFMA Reading (P,D); World Finance Conference (P,D); NFN PhD Workshop (P); University of Gothenburg (P); Stockholm School of Economics (P); Multinational Finance Society (C); 6th International Risk Management Conference (C); 3rd International Conference of FEBS (C); Stockholm Business School (C); Georgia State University (C); Católica-Lisbon (C); York University (C); BI Norwegian Business School (C); Banque de France (C); Stockholm School of Economics (C);
- 2012 Summer Workshop of HAS (P); Stockholm School of Economics (P); Maastricht University (C); ABG Sundal Collier Stockholm (C);

Grants and awards

- 2018 Hans Dalborg Foundation, research grant ($\approx 30,000$ \$)
- 2017 Nasdaq Nordic Foundation, research grant with Erik Hjalmarsson ($\approx 35,000$ \$)
- 2014 Best dissertation in finance at SSE, research award
- 2013 EFMA Best Conference Paper Award, research award
- 2011 – 2014 The Swedish Bank Research Foundation (BFI), research grant ($\approx 140,000$ \$)
- 2009 – 2011 Scholarship for PhD studies, study grant, SSE
- 2008 The Academic Pro-Rector's Excellence Award, study award, CEU
- 2004 – 2007 Scholarship of the Hungarian Republic, study grant
- 2007 3rd Prize, Hungarian Student Scientific Conference, research award

Language and computer skills

Language: Hungarian (native), English (fluent), Swedish (beginner)

Computer: Matlab, Stata, R, GAUSS