### **CURRICULUM VITAE**

# FLORENTINA PARASCHIV



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### Personal information

Born on **January 20<sup>th</sup>**, **1982**, in **Bucharest**, Romania Nationality: Romanian, Swiss (citizen of St. Gallen)

Marital status: married

### Work experience

- From 1<sup>st</sup> August 2021: Chair of Finance at the Zeppelin University, Friedrichshafen, Germany and Professor II at NTNU Business School, Norway.
- Since January 2020: **Head of the NTNU Centre for Banking and Finance (with focus on Central Banking, Fintech, Green Finance, Corporate Finance)**, Faculty of Economics and Management, *Norwegian University of Science and Technology (NTNU)*, *Trondheim, Norway*
- Since September 2017: **Professor (full) of Financial Economics**, Faculty of Economics and Management, NTNU Business School, *Norwegian University of Science and Technology (NTNU)*, *Trondheim, Norway*
- Since January 2017: **Lehrauftrag**, *University of St. Gallen, Switzerland*
- January September 2017: **Associate Professor of Financial Economics**, Faculty of Economics and Management, *Norwegian University of Science and Technology (NTNU), Trondheim, Norway*
- August 2011 December 2016: **Assistant Professor**, School of Finance, Institute for Operations Research and Computational Finance, University of St. Gallen, Switzerland
- October 2015 March 2016: **Visiting Professor**, Chair for Energy Trading and Finance; Exchange term in the context of the HSG Faculty Development Program, University Duisburg-Essen (campus Essen), Germany
- February 2008 August 2011: **Doctoral Student, Research Assistant** (Prof. Dr. Karl Frauendorfer) *Institute for Operations Research and Computational Finance, University of St. Gallen, Switzerland*

- October 2006 February 2008: **Guest researcher, post-master studies** (Prof. Dr. Christian Ewerhart) *Institute for Empirical Research in Economics, University of Zurich, Switzerland*
- October 2005 July 2006: **Teaching Assistant**, Economics and Business Administration Faculty, "Babes-Bolyai" University of Cluj-Napoca (Klausenburg), Romania

#### Academic calls

- December 2020: Ranked first on the competition for a Chair of Finance at the Zeppelin University,
  Friedrichshafen (accepted call)
- May 2017: Call as Professor on a Chair for Data Analytics at the Mercator School of Management, University of Duisburg-Essen, Germany (declined)
- December 2015: Call as Associate Professor for Financial Economics, Norwegian University of Science and Technology (NTNU), Trondheim, Norway (accepted)

### Education

December 2016

### Habilitation at the University of St. Gallen, Venia Legendi in Finance:

"Fine structure of energy markets"

- February 2008 – December 2010

#### **Doctor of Philosophy in Management with Emphasis in Finance**

University of St. Gallen (HSG), Switzerland

October 2005 – July 2006

## Banking and Capital Markets (Master of Science Diploma) magna cum laude

"Babes-Bolyai" University of Cluj-Napoca (Klausenburg), Romania, Economics and Business Administration Faculty

October 2001 – July 2005

### International Economic Transactions (Diploma) magna cum laude

"Babes-Bolyai" University of Cluj-Napoca (Klausenburg), Romania, Economics and Business Administration Faculty

#### Academic awards – Excellence in Research

- **2019 Award by the Austrian Operations Research Society** (Best Dissertation Award Daniela Escobar) for joint research on "Pricing electricity futures with distortion functions under model ambiguity"
- **2019 Awarded Simons Fellowship** for research stay at the University of Cambridge, Energy Systems program.
- June 2019 Acknowledgment Best Research Track Organizer, Mathematics for Energy Systems Program, Isaac Newton Institute, University of Cambridge
- November 2016 ECOMFIN Best Paper Award, Energy and Commodity Finance Conference, Paris (published in Journal of Banking and Finance)
- October 2013 DK Gupta Memorial Best Energy Paper Award 2013, Conference Energy Finance, Essen (published in OR Spectrum)
- October 2006 April 2007 Scholarship offered by the University of Zürich, Institute for Empirical Research in Economics
- 2006 "Romanian Young Researchers Prize" for Bachelor Thesis (Romanian Government)

### Other awards and certificates

- 2004 DALF (Diplôme Approfondi de Langue Française) (International French Certificat)
- 2001 3<sup>rd</sup> Prize National Contest of Romanic Languages, section: Italian (Writing and oral skills)
- 2001 Violinist National Certificate

## Supervision of PostDocs & PhD students (on-going)

- Post Doc (Fintech, Quantitative Finance): Marianna Russo, PhD
- PhD thesis supervision:
  - o Rayan Ayari (FinTech)
  - o Ranik Raaen Wahlstrøm (Corporate Finance, Fintech, Term Structure Models)
  - o Wei Li (Energy Finance, Fintech)
  - Christoph Halser (Commodity Finance)
- PhD thesis co-supervision (quantitative finance):
  - Akarsh Kainth (NTNU Ålesund)
  - o Endre Jo Reite (Sparebank)
  - o Victoria Böhnke (University of Münster)
  - o Marcel Kremer (University of Duisburg-Essen)
  - Ahmad Amine Loutfi (NTNU Ålesund)

### Fellowships and visiting terms

- May September 2020 Research exchange at the **Swiss Institute for Banking and Finance**, University of St. Gallen, Switzerland
- March May 2019 Simons Fellowship for research stay at the **Isaac Newton Institute**, University of Cambridge (UK)
- November 2016 Visiting Term ESSEC Business School, Paris. Prof. Andrea Roncoroni
- July 2014 and March 2015 **Visiting Terms London Business School**, Management Science and Operations Group, Prof. Derek Bunn
- April 2015 **Fellowship University Duisburg-Essen**, Chair for Energy Trading and Finance, Prof. Rüdiger Kiesel
- May 2015 Fellowship Norwegian University of Science and Technology, Trondheim, Prof. Stein-Erik Fleten, Prof. Sjur Westgaard
- May 2015 **Visiting Term University of Vienna**, Department of Statistics and Operations Research, Prof. Georg Pflug
- June 2015 and August 2016 **Visiting Term University of Oslo**, Department of Mathematics, Prof. Fred Espen Benth
- 2015 **Research Fellow, University of Cologne**, Institute of Energy Economics

## **Memberships of scientific committees**

- 2017 present Member of the scientific committee of the "Energie-Forschungsgespräche Disentis" hosted by the AlpenForce Foundation
- 2017 present Member of the scientific board of the University of St. Gallen for the Swisspower Open Innovation Platform
- 2015 present Founding Member of the Energy Finance Association
- 2014 present Member of the scientific committee of the Competence Center for Energy Management at the University of St. Gallen

## **Publications in scientific journals**

- 1) Li, W. & Paraschiv, F. (2021) Modelling the Evolution of Wind and Solar Power Infeed Forecasts. **Journal of Commodity Markets** (forthcoming).
- 2) Wahlstrøm, R.R., Paraschiv, F. & Schürle, M. (2021). A Comparative Analysis of Parsimonious Yield Curve Models with Focus on the Nelson-Siegel, Svensson and Bliss Versions. Computational Economics. https://doi.org/10.1007/s10614-021-10113-w
- 3) Kremer, M., Kiesel, R., Paraschiv, F. (2021): The impact of renewable energies for continuous intraday electricity trading, **Philosophical Transactions of the Royal Society A**, vol. 379 (2202).
- 4) Paraschiv, F., Reese, S.M., Ringkjøb Skjelstad, M. (2020). Portfolio Stress Testing Applied to Commodity Futures. **Computational Management Science** https://doi.org/10.1007/s10287-020-00370-9.
- **5**) Paraschiv, F., & Mohamad, D. (2020) The Nuclear Power Dilemma—Between Perception and Reality. **Energies.** vol. 13 (22).
- **6**) Kiesel, R., Paraschiv, F. & Sæthero, A. (2019). On the construction of price forward curves for electricity, **Computational Management Science**, 16, 345-369.
- 7) Paraschiv, F., Frauendorfer, K., Schürle, M. (2018). Cross-border effects on Swiss electricity prices in the light of the energy transition. **Energies**, 11 (9), 2188.
- 8) Spada, M., Paraschiv, F., Burgherr, P. (2018). A comparison of risk measures for accidents in the energy sector and their implications on decision-making strategies. **Energy**, 154, 277-288
- 9) Benth, F.E. & Paraschiv, F. (2018). A space-time random field model for electricity forward prices, **Journal of Banking and Finance**, 95, 203-216. (**Best Paper Award**, ECOMFIN, Paris 2016).
- **10**) Aepli, M.D., Füss, R., Henriksen, T.E. & Paraschiv, F. (2017). Modelling the multivariate dynamic dependence structure of commodity futures portfolios, **Journal of Commodity Markets**, 6, 66-87.
- **11**) Kiesel, R. & Paraschiv, F. (2017). Econometric analysis of 15-minute intraday electricity prices, **Energy Economics**, 64, 77-90.
- **12**) Hagfors, L.I., Paraschiv, F., Prokopczuk, M. & Westgaard, S. (2016) Prediction of extreme price occurrences in the German day-ahead electricity market, **Quantitative Finance**, 16(12), 1929-1948.
- 13) Hagfors, L.I., Molnar, P., Paraschiv, F. & Westgaard, S. (2016). Using quantile regression to analyze the effect of renewables on EEX price formation, **Renewable Energy and Environmental Sustainability**, 32(1), DOI: 10.1051/rees/2016036.
- **14**) Keles, D., Scelle, J., Paraschiv, F. & Fichtner, W. (2016). Extended forecast methods for dayahead electricity spot prices applying artificial neural networks (ANN), **Applied Energy**, 162, 218-230.
- **15**) Paraschiv, F., Hadzi-Mishev, R. & Keles, D. (2015). Extreme Value Theory for heavy-tails in electricity prices. **Journal of Energy Markets**, 9(2), 21-50.
- **16**) Paraschiv, F., Mudry, P.-A. & Andries, A. (2015). Stress testing techniques for portfolios of commodity futures, using extreme-value theory and copulas, **Economic Modeling**, 50, 9-18.
- **17**) Paraschiv, F., Fleten, S.-E. & Schürle, M. (2015). A spot-forward model for electricity prices with regime shifts. **Energy Economics**, 47, 142-153.
- **18**) Paraschiv, F., Erni, D. & Pietsch, R. (2014). The impact of renewable energies on EEX day-ahead electricity prices. **Energy Policy**, 73, 196-210.
- **19**) Kovacevic, R. & Paraschiv, F. (2014). Medium-term planning for thermal electricity production. **OR Spectrum**, 36(3), 723-759. (**Best Paper Award**, Conference Energy Finance, Essen 2013).
- **20**) Daviou, A. & Paraschiv, F. (2014). Investors' behavior under changing market volatility. **Journal of Investing**, 23(2), 96-113.

- **21**) Paraschiv, F. (2013). Adjustment policy of deposit rates in the case of Swiss non-maturing savings accounts. **Journal of Applied Finance & Banking**, 3(2), 271-323.
- **22**) Paraschiv, F. (2012). Modeling non-maturing savings volumes. **Economics and Finance Review**, 2(5), 100-105.

## Papers under review in scientific journals and working papers

- 1) Wahlstrøm, R.R., Paraschiv, F. & Schmid, M. (2021). Bankruptcy Prediction of Privately Held SMEs: A Study of Input Variables Using Feature Selection Methods. Working paper, to be submitted to the **Review of Financial Studies.**
- 2) Reite, E.J, Paraschiv, F. & Ongena, S. (2021) Determinants of Price Discrimination and Switching Mortgage Provider in Times of Regulation and Digitalization, under review in **Journal of European Behavior and Organization.**
- 3) Li, W., Paraschiv, F. & Sermpinis, G. (2021) A Data-driven Explainable Case-based Reasoning Approach for Financial Risk Detection. Under review in **Quantitative Finance.**
- 4) Mas Urquijo, I. & Paraschiv, F. (2021) Asymmetric Cross-border Effects Between Spanish and French Electricity Markets in the Light of Market Integration. Under review in **The Energy Journal.**
- 5) Böhnke, V., Paraschiv, F., & Reite, E.J. (2021) Back to the Roots of Internal Credit Risk Models: Why Do Banks' Risk-Weighted Asset Levels Converge over Time? Working paper, to be submitted to **Journal of Banking and Finance**.
- 6) Escobar, D., Paraschiv, F. & Schürle, M. (2021). Pricing electricity futures with distortion functions under model ambiguity. Under review (**Awarded by the Austrian Operations Research Society**).
- 7) Paraschiv, F., Bunn, D. & Westgaard, S. (2021). Estimation and Application of Fully Parametric Multifactor Quantile Regression with Dynamic Coefficients. Available at SSRN: https://ssrn.com/abstract=2741692.
- **8**) Benth, F.E., Paraschiv, F., Russo, M. (2021) A Multifactor Random Field Model for the Term Structure of Interest Rates. Work in progress.
- 9) Halser, C., Paraschiv, F., Russo, M. (2021). Natural Gas Markets on Three Continents. Work in progress.

### **Book contributions**

- 1) Westgaard, S., Paraschiv, F., Lassesen, E.L. & Naustdal, I. (2019). Forecasting Price Distributions in the German Electricity Market, in Advances in Applied Financial Econometrics. **International Financial Markets**, Volume 1. Routledge 2019 ISBN 9781138060920, 11-35.
- 2) Paraschiv, F., & Schürle, M. (2018). Replication of non-maturing products in a low interest rate environment. In A. Bohn, M. Elkenbracht (eds.): **The Handbook of Asset and Liability Management in Banking**, Risk Books, 2<sup>nd</sup> Edition, 191-236.
- 3) Paraschiv, F., Frauendorfer, K., Schürle, M., (2017). Econometric analysis of the determinants of electricity wholesale prices in Switzerland and Germany, Report Financed by the Swiss Federal Office of Energy.
- 4) Celik, G., Frauendorfer, K. & Paraschiv, F. (2014). Joint dynamics of European and American oil prices. In M. Prokopczuk (ed.): **Energy Pricing Models: Recent Advances, Methods, and Tools**, published by Palgrave Macmillan, 2014, 43-95, ISBN 978-1-137-37734-0.
- **5**) Mudry, P.-A. & Paraschiv, F. (2014). Stress testing techniques for portfolios of commodity futures, using extreme-value theory and copulas. In R.J. Fonseca et al. (eds.): **Computational**

- **Management Science. Lecture Notes in Economics and Mathematical Systems, 682,** DOI 10.1007/978-3-319-20430-7\_3.
- 6) Paraschiv, F. (2013). Price dynamics in electricity markets. In R. M. Kovacevic, G. Ch. Pflug, M. T. Vespucci (eds.): **Risk Management in Energy Production and Trading**, 57-111, ISBN 978-1-4614-9034-0.
- 7) Paraschiv, F., & Schürle, M. (2013). Optimizing risk and return of non-maturing products by dynamic replication. In A. Bohn, M. Elkenbracht (eds.): **The Handbook of Asset and Liability Management in Banking**, Risk Books, 139-185, ISBN 978-1-78272011-9.

### **Books**

- 1) Fleten, S.-E., Paraschiv, F. (2020). **Editorial: Special issue of the Computational Management Science Journal** (15th conference on Computational Management Science, NTNU), Springer, https://doi.org/10.1007/s10287-020-00372-7.
- 2) Paraschiv, F. (2011). **Modeling client rates and volumes of the non-maturing savings accounts.** Bank- und Finanzwirtschaftliche Forschungen, Haupt Verlag, Bern, ISBN 978-3-258-07706-2.
- 3) Paraschiv, F. (2006). Creare si deturnare de comert ca urmare a extinderii UE analiza econometrica (Econometric analysis on the effects of trade diversion and trade creation as a consequence of the EU enlargement) Publisher: LUMEN Iasi, ISBN 973-7766-45-8.

### Webinars

- 1) Paraschiv, F. (2019). **Econometrics of Intraday Electricity Prices**. University of Cambridge, Isaac Newton Institute: <a href="https://gateway.newton.ac.uk/presentation/2019-05-01/25712">https://gateway.newton.ac.uk/presentation/2019-05-01/25712</a>
- 2) Paraschiv, F. (2017). **Random field models for energy forwards**. ESSEC Business School, Paris-Cergy: <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=kFV\_p8tJh-s&feature=youtu.be">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=kFV\_p8tJh-s&feature=youtu.be</a>

### **Project Acquisition**

- EU Grant COST ACTIONS 2020–2025, Fintech and Artificial Intelligence in Finance Towards a transparent financial industry: <a href="https://www.cost.eu/actions/CA19130/#tabs|Name:overview">https://www.cost.eu/actions/CA19130/#tabs|Name:overview</a> Leader WP1 for Norway: Transparency in FinTech
- 2) EU Grant Horizon 2018—2022, +CityxChange (2018), (1'000'000 NOK) project partner: http://cityxchange.eu/
- 3) NTNU FINTECH Study Program (2020-2025) financed by Sparebank 1 SMN (2'000'000 NOK)
- **4)** Research grant Adolf Øiens donasjonsfond (January 2020), **200'000 NOK** (20'000 EUR), FINTECH
- 5) Grant funded by the Norwegian Finance Initiative (NFI) to build a **PhD Summer School of Finance (2019)** at NTNU Business School (50'000 USD)
- *6*) **Simons Fellowship**, research stay at the Isaac Newton Institute, University of Cambridge (UK), March May 2019
- 7) NTNU Research Grant 6 million NOK (600'000 EUR) (2 PhD positions financed for 3 years) (February 2018): Financial challenges for the integration of short-term electricity markets with Stein-Erik Fleten

- 8) Research grant Adolf Øiens donasjonsfond (March 2018), **100'000 NOK** (10`000 EUR), Energizing new computational frontiers
- 9) Swiss Federal Office of Energy SFOE, Research programme Energy-Economy-Society (EWG), 2016. Grant of 120'000 CHF for the research proposal: *Econometric analysis of the determinants of electricity wholesale prices*
- 10) Joint grant with the University of Vienna of 40'000 EUR (2010-2013) Energy Policies and Risk Management for the 21st Century
- 11) Member of the Swiss Competence Center for Research in Energy, Society and Transition, SCCER CREST, Work package 3

## **Organization of conferences**

May 2021	Organizer of the Workshop for Banking and Finance at NTNU Business School
October 2020	Organizer of the NTNU Business School Conference, NTNU Trondheim
2019	Organizer of the PhD Summer School in Finance at NTNU, funded by Norwegian
	Finance Initiative (30 PhD students, international)
2018	Co-chair of the Conference on Computational Management Science, NTNU
	Trondheim, https://www.ntnu.edu/cms2018/
2018	Organizer of the 1st Winter Finance Workshop in Oppdal, Norway, 1st and 2nd March
2016	Organizer: Energy Research Workshop Disentis, Switzerland (50 participants)2014
	Organizer: Energy Finance Christmas Workshop, 4th Edition, St. Gallen,
	Switzerland (20 participants)
2014	Organizer: Finance Seminar Series, University of St. Gallen, Switzerland (20 speakers)

## **Commissions of trust, editorial board journals**

2018 - 2019	Guest Editor for the Computational Management Science Journal (Springer);
2016 - present	Editorial Board: Associate Editor for the Journal of Commodity Markets (Elsevier);
2018	PhD Committee University of Bodø, Norway;
2011 - present	Reviewer for the following scientific journals: Journal of Banking and Finance,
	Operations Research, Energy Economics, Energy, Energy Journal, Energy Policy,
	Energy Systems, Applied Energy, Journal of Energy Markets, Journal of Commodity
	Markets, OR Spectrum, European Journal of Operational Research.

### **Conferences and scientific talks**

I participated in about 20 internationally established conferences, being chair and session organizer for: Energy (and Commodity) Finance Conferences (yearly between 2013-2016); Operations Research Conferences (since 2011); Computational Management Science Conferences (since 2011); Stochastic Programming Conferences (since 2010); International Disaster and Risk Conference (2014).

Detailed overview of conferences and invited talks:

- 20—23 October 2021: FMA Annual Meeting, Denver. *Bankruptcy Prediction of Privately Held SMEs Using Feature Selection Methods*.

- 07—08 October 2021: Conference on Statistics of Machine Learning, Prague. *Bankruptcy Prediction of Privately Held SMEs Using Feature Selection Methods*.
- September 30-October 02, 2021: 27th Annual Meeting of the German Finance Association (DGF). Back to the Roots of Internal Credit Risk Models: Why Do Banks' Risk-Weighted Asset Levels Converge over Time?
- February 2021: Winter Research Conference on Machine Learning and Business. University of Miami. *Bankruptcy Prediction of Privately Held SMEs Using Feature Selection Methods*.
- December 2020: The 2nd Yushan Conference "FinTech & RegTech Fundamentals. Techs. Apps": Bankruptcy Prediction of Privately Held SMEs Using Feature Selection Methods.
- November 2020: The 4th Shanghai-Edinburgh Fintech Conference and the 6th Fintech International Conference; Shanghai, China. *Bankruptcy Prediction of Privately Held SMEs Using Feature Selection Methods*.
- November 2019: Karlsruhe Institute of Technology, Faculty of Economics; Karlsruhe. Faculty Colloquium: *Integration of renewable energies with impact on electricity trading.*
- May 2019: Webinar University of Cambridge, INI, Mathematics for Energy Systems Programme: *Econometrics of Intraday Electricity Prices*: https://gateway.newton.ac.uk/presentation/2019-05-01/25712. Webinar: https://gateway.newton.ac.uk/presentation/2019-05-01/25712. Isaac Newton Institute, University of Cambridge; Cambridge UK.
- November 2019: A comparative analysis of parsimonious yield curve models with focus on the Nelson-Siegel, Svensson and Bliss versions. Internal seminar at Norges Bank. Norges Bank (the central bank of Norway); Oslo. 2019-10-16.
- May 2018: Organizer of the XV CONFERENCE ON COMPUTATIONAL MANAGEMENT SCIENCE (CMS 2018), NTNU Trondheim (co-organizer Stein-Erik Fleten)
- March 2018: **Organizer** of the 1<sup>st</sup> Winter Finance Workshop in **Oppdal**, Norway, 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> March.
- Energy Finance Christmas Workshop, **Bolzano**, December 2018: *Identification of Distortion Functions in Energy Markets* (with Daniela Escobar, University of Vienna).
- NTNU Department of Economics, **Trondheim**, Invited talk, November 2018: "Energy Transition Reflected in Pricing Electricity".
- NTNU Business School, **Trondheim**, Research Seminar, August 2017: Estimation and Application of Fully Parametric Multifactor Quantile Regression with Dynamic Coefficients.
- NTNU Department of Mathematical Sciences, **Trondheim**, invited talk, 2017: *Estimation and Application of Fully Parametric Multifactor Quantile Regression with Dynamic Coefficients*.
- Research Seminar University of **Oslo**, Center of Applied Mathematics, invited talk, 2016: Estimation and Application of Fully Parametric Multifactor Quantile Regression with Dynamic Coefficients. Application to Electricity Prices.
- Energy Finance Christmas Workshop, **Essen**, December 2016: A time-space random field model for forward prices.
- Energy and Commodity Finance Conference, **Paris**, 2016: A structural model for electricity forward prices.
- Commodity Finance Conference **Hannover**, 2016: A fully parametric approach for quantile regressions with time-varying coefficients.
- 19<sup>th</sup> European Conference on Mathematics for Industry, **Santiago de Compostela**, 2016: *A fully parametric approach for quantile regressions with time-varying coefficients*.
- Seminar Energy and Finance University of **Duisburg-Essen**, Germany, (invited talk), 2016: *A structural model for electricity forward prices*.
- Science meets Social Science (S3), Invited Talk University of **Wroclaw**, 2016: A structural model for electricity forward prices.
- Energy Research Workshop **Disentis**, Switzerland, 2016: *Optimization of hydro storage systems and indifference pricing of power contracts*.

- Energy Finance Christmas Workshop, **Paris**, 2015: A fully parametric approach for quantile regressions with time-varying coefficients.
- Energy Finance Conference, **London**, 2015: A fully parametric approach for quantile regressions with time-varying coefficients.
- International Conference on Operations Research, **Vienna**, 2015: A fully parametric approach for quantile regressions with time-varying coefficients.
- Conference on Stochastic Models, Statistics and their Applications, **Wroclaw**, 2015: *Optimization of hydro storage systems and indifference pricing of power contracts*.
- **Organizer**: Energy Finance Christmas Workshop, **St. Gallen**, 2014: *Indifference pricing of non-standard power contracts*.
- Seminar Series Energy and Finance, University **Duisburg-Essen**, invited talk, 2014: A spot-forward model for electricity prices with regime shifts.
- Imperial College, **London**, invited talk, 2014: *Medium-term planning for thermal electricity production*.
- ETH Zürich, invited talk, 2014. *Medium-term planning for thermal electricity production*.
- Energy Finance Conference, **Erice**, 2014: *The impact of renewable energies on EPEX day-ahead electricity prices*.
- 5<sup>th</sup> International Disaster and Risk Conference, **Davos**, 2014: *Stress-testing for portfolios of commodities*.
- International Federation of Operational Research Societies (IFORS), **Barcelona**, 2014: *Mediumterm planning for thermal electricity production*.
- 11<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Computational Management Science, **Lisbon**. 2014: *Stress-testing for portfolios of commodities*.
- 3rd Energy Finance Christmas Workshop, **Oslo**, 2013: *A spot-forward model for electricity prices with regime shifts*.
- Conference Energy Finance, **Essen**, 2013: *Medium-term planning for thermal electricity production*.
- Workshop on Risk Management in Energy Production and Trading, **Vienna**, 2013: *Price dynamics in electricity markets*.
- International Conference in Stochastic Programming, **Bergamo**, 2013: *Medium-term planning for thermal electricity production*.
- International Symposium in Mathematical Programming, **Berlin**, (Session organizer), 2012: *Modeling negative electricity prices*.
- Operations Research Conference, **Zürich**, 2011: *Modeling client rate and volumes of non-maturing accounts*.
- Computational Management Science Conference, **Vienna**, 2010: *Modeling the rigidity of the client rate of non-maturing savings accounts*.
- Invited Lecture, University of **Vienna**, 2010: Distinguished price-dynamics in energy trading application on gas market
- Computational Management Science Conference, **Geneva**, 2009: *Modeling client rate and volumes of non-maturing savings accounts*.

### Languages

- **English** (excellent)
- **German** (fluent)
- French (fluent)
- Italian (very good)
- **Norwegian** (beginner)
- **Romanian** (mother tongue)

**Hobbies:** Playing violin, musicology, dancing, hiking