

James Byder

Curriculum Vitae

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Employment

- 2013–Present **Assistant Professor**, UNIVERSIDAD EAFIT, Colombia.
- 2011–2012 **Adjunct Professor**, UNIVERSIDAD MEDELLIN, INSTITUCIÓN UNIVERSITARIA ESUMER, UNIVERSIDAD EAFIT, Colombia.
- 2005–2011 **Economist and Country Risk Analyst**, BRITISH GOVERNMENT, VARIOUS MINISTRIES, London.

Education

- 2004–2005 **MSc Economics and Finance**, *The University of York*, United Kingdom, .
- 2001–2004 **B.A. Economics and Philosophy**, *The University of Sheffield*, United Kingdom, 2:1 with honors.
- 1994–2001 **A Levels and GCSEs**, *Watford Grammar School*, United Kingdom, *A Levels: Economics (A), Politics (A), Philosophy (A)*. *GCSEs: 1 A*, 7As, 1B* .

Working Papers

- [1] "A History of Violence: The impact of violence on financial risk preferences" with Diego Agudelo and Mateo Uribe Castro. Under Review, *Review of Finance*

Work in Progress

- [1] "Whose Shocked by Shocking News? The impact of political and financial events on mutual fund preferences" with Diego Agudelo and Ignacio Arango Gomez
- [2] Efficiency in the Colombian Stock Market, An event study approach" with Juan Sebastian Zuluaga and Esteban Pulido
- [3] Who knows better in an Emerging Market? with Diego Agudelo and Paula Yepes

Presentations and discussions

- 2014 [1] Behavioral Finance Working Group, Queen Mary University of London
- [2] International Finance Conference, Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México
- 2013 Simposio Internacional de Economía Y Finanzas, Panel Chair, Universidad EAFIT

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- 2012 [1] Foro: TLC entre Colombia y la Unión Europea, Universidad de Medellín;
 [2] Aniversario 35 años: Conferencia Unión Europea, Institución Universitaria Esumer
 2010 Government Economic Service (GES) Annual Conference, University of Warwick;

Media

- 2014 Discussant on Scottish Independence Referendum for Colombian news channel: Tele Antioquia Global
 2013 "La excesiva toma de riesgo en fondos de inversiones en los mercados emergentes" opinion article for Diario La Republica, centre page spread.

Positions of Responsibility (UK Government)

- 2009–2011 **UK Delegate**, – *Country Risk Experts Committee, OECD, Paris, .*
 – Anti-Dumping Committee, European Commission, Brussels
 – International Trade Committee, OECD, Paris
 2010 **Adviser to British High Commissioner (Nigeria)**, *UK Export Finance, London, .*
 2008 **Official in support of Minister**, *Second Reading of Education and Skills bill, Official's box, House of Lords, London, .*
 2007 **Ministerial Speech Writer**, *Higher Education Minister, Department for Business, Innovation and Skills (BIS), .*
 2006-2008 **Lead Analyst**, – *Public Sector Finances, BIS, .*
 – Macroeconomic Briefing, BIS
 – National Evaluation of AimHigher programme, BIS
 – Labour Force Survey and British Household Panel survey, BIS
 2005 - 2006 **Co-ordinator and chair**, *Economic Appraisal and Evaluation Working Group , BIS.*

Teaching

- 2013-Present **Investments in Equity Markets**, UNDERGRADUATE MAJOR IN FINANCE, Universidad Eafit.
 2013-Present **International Finance**, UNDERGRADUATE IN INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS, Universidad Eafit.
 2012-Present **Research Methods 1**, MASTERS IN INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS, Universidad Eafit.
 2011–2012 **Organizational Behavior**, UNDERGRADUATE IN INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS, Universidad Eafit.

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2011–2012 **International Trade and Development**, MASTERS IN INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS, Universidad Eafit.

2011–2012 **Various ad-hoc courses on International Business**, SPECIALIZATION IN INTERNATIONAL TRADE, Institución Universitaria Esumer, UNDERGRADUATE IN INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS, Universidad de Medellin.

Languages

English (**Native**), Spanish (**Fluent**), Portuguese (**Intermediate**)

Software

STATA, SPSS, EVIEWS, MS OFFICE, BLOOMBERG, @RISK, LATEX

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