

# **Brahim Guizani**

Department of Economics  
Tunis Business School  
El-Mourouj, Ben Arous, Tunisia 2074

Email: [brahim.guizani@tbs.u-tunis.tn](mailto:brahim.guizani@tbs.u-tunis.tn)  
Website: <https://sites.google.com/view/brahim-guizani/home>  
Phone: +216 53 25 85 25

## **Current Employment**

Tunis Business School (University of Tunis) 2021 – Present  
Assistant Professor

## **Other positions**

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, USA 2021  
Fulbright Visiting Scholar

Faculté des Sciences Juridiques, Économiques et de Gestion 2015 – 2021  
(University of Jendouba)  
Assistant Professor

University of Messina, Italy 2012 – 2013  
Post-doctor

Central Bank of Tunisia 2002 – 2006  
Banking modernization division

## **Fields of concentration**

**Primary:** Monetary policy and Banking

**Secondary:** MENA Economics, Japanese Economics,  
International Trade

## **Education**

Tohoku University, Japan 2010  
Ph.D. in Economics

IHEC, Université de Tunis III 2002  
D.E.A. (equivalent to a M.A.) in Monetary Economics and  
Finance

IHEC, Université de Tunis III 1999  
Maitrise H.E.C. (equivalent to a B.A.) in Finance

## Publications

- Guizani, B., and Wierzbowska, A. (2022). “Monetary policy in times of uncertainties: evidence from Tunisia, Egypt and Morocco.” *Middle East Development Journal*, 1-25. (<https://doi.org/10.1080/17938120.2022.2074670>)
- Guizani, B (2019) “The impact of exchange rate shocks on trade in times of uncertainties: Evidence from three oil-importing-countries in MENA region,” *Stateco*, 113.
- Guizani, B, and Watanabe, W. (2016) “The effects of public capital infusions on banks’ risk-shifting to the deposit insurance system in Japan” *Journal of Financial Stability*. Vol 26, October 2016, pp. 15–30 (DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1016/j.jfs.2016.07.017>).
- Guizani, B. (2015) “Japanese Regulation Policy and Credit Crunch: Evidence from the Ultra-Expansionary Monetary Policy Period,” *Asian Survey*, Vol. 55 No. 4, pp. 822 – 843. ([DOI: 10.1525/as.2015.55.4.822](https://doi.org/10.1525/as.2015.55.4.822)).
- Guizani, B. (2015) “Capital Requirements, Banking Supervision and Lending Behavior: Evidence from Tunisia” *The Middle East Development Journal*, Vol. 7 No. 2, pp. 175 – 194. ([DOI: 10.1080/17938120.2015.1072930](https://doi.org/10.1080/17938120.2015.1072930)) .

## Working Papers

- “Quantitative Easing Policy and Moral Hazard Behaviour of U.S. Banks” (December 29, 2021). Available at SSRN: <https://ssrn.com/abstract=3995751> or <http://dx.doi.org/10.2139/ssrn.3995751>
- “Predicting the Probabilities of Default for Privately Held Banks: The Case of Shinkin Banks in Japan.” With Wako Watanabe, (2019) ESRI Discussion Paper Series No.349.

## Presentations

2022: 8<sup>th</sup> Euro-African Conference on Finance and Economics/Mediterranean Workshop in Economics Theory (Porto, Portugal).

2021: Center for South and Middle Eastern Studies at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Macroeconomics Seminar at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign.

2018: Spring Annual Meeting of the Japan Society of Monetary Economics (Tokyo, Japan), the annual workshop of Research Initiative on the Economics of the Middle East (Paris, France), 7<sup>th</sup> Euro-African Conference on Finance and Economics (Carthage, Tunisia).

2016: Spring Annual Meeting of the Japan Society of Monetary Economics (Tokyo, Japan), 6<sup>th</sup> Euro-African Conference on Finance and Economics (Marseille, France).

2015: Tsukuba Global Science Week (Tsukuba, Japan), The Third International Conference on Economics, Finance, Accounting and Transparency (Hammamet, Tunisia).

2010: The Financial Management Association, Annual Conference (New York City, the USA).

## Invited Discussions

2018: 7<sup>th</sup> Euro-African Conference on Finance and Economics (Carthage, Tunisia)

2021: Ohio State PhD Conference on Real Estate and Housing: “House Price Contagion and U.S. City Migration Networks.” Gregor Schubert.

2019: Ph.D. Students Conference organized by the University of Carthage (Carthage, Tunisia).

## Teaching Experience

|  |                    |
|--|--------------------|
| Post-Arab Spring Politics in MENA (Undergrad, Univ. of Illinois at UC) | Fall 2021          |
| International Trade Theory (Undergrad, TBS)                            | Fall 2019 – 2021   |
| Finance: Cycles and Crisis (Master's, Univ. Jendouba)                  | Spring 2019 – 2020 |
| Economics of Emerging Markets (Master's, Univ. Jendouba)               | Fall 2017 –2020    |
| Industrial Organization Approach to Banking (Master's, Univ. Jendouba) | Fall 2018 –2020    |
| Monetary Policy in the New-Keynesian Model (Master's, Univ. Jendouba)  | Fall 2019          |
| Monetary Economics (Undergrad, Univ. Jendouba)                         | Spring 2017 – 2020 |
| Industrial Organization (Undergrad, TBS)                               | Spring 2013 – 2018 |
| Macroeconomics (Undergrad, TBS)  | Spring 2013 – 2018 |
| Microeconomics (Undergrad, TBS and Univ. Jendouba)                     | Fall 2013 – 2019   |

## Fellowships, Honors and Awards

|  |                        |
|--|------------------------|
| Fulbright Visiting Scholar at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, USA (\$30,000)   | 2021                   |
| Erasmus Mundus, European Union.  | Dec. 2012 – Sept. 2013 |
| The Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology of Japan (MEXT) Scholarship | 2006 - 2009            |

## Academic affiliations

- Fulbright Scholar Alumni.
- The Japan Society of Monetary Economics “*Nihon kin'yū gakkai*” ([http://www.jsmeweb.org/en/en\\_index.html](http://www.jsmeweb.org/en/en_index.html)).
- The European Economic Association ([www.eeassoc.org](http://www.eeassoc.org)).
- The Society for Modeling and Statistical and Economic Analysis ([Association de modélisation et analyses statistiques et économiques](#)) in Tunisia.
- The [World Trade Organization Chair at Tunis Business School](#), the University of Tunis, Tunisia (2014 – 2018).

## Master's Student Advising

Primary advisor: Rebai Seif (CO2 emissions and economic development in emerging markets, 2021), Melki Hana (Financial performance of the insurance company STAR, 2020), El-Ghanmi Hadil (ICT and banking performance, 2020).

Served on committee (with first placements): for many students.

## Department Service

Hiring committee at the university of Jendouba (2018)  
Course coordination (2015 - 2020)  
Conference organization (2018)

**Other Activities**

Organization of lectures by foreign scholars at Tunis Business School:

(1) Kenichi KASHIWAGI (from Tsukuba University) gave a lecture on “What Lessons can be Learned from Rapid Growth to Stagnation of Japan’s Economy: Implications to Tunisia” Tunis Business School, April 2015.

**Language Skills**

Very good in Arabic, English and French

Moderate in Italian and Japanese

**Personal**

Tunisian Citizen, Male

*References available upon request.*