

Financial Stability Research Group

The Financial Stability Research Group at the University of Twente (Department of Public Administration) seeks graduate students who want to focus on how European countries are dealing with the demands of euro zone reform, on how the Europe is building the instruments of financial stability at the EU level, and on the policy choices and consequences taken in that context. Students from Greece, Portugal, Spain, Italy and Ireland are particularly encouraged to apply.

The Financial Stability Research Group at the University of Twente conducts research on how financial stability is supplied internationally, nationally, and at the European level, and the implications that it has for social policy. Courses for graduate students are offered as part of the one-year Master of Science Programme in Public Administration / European Studies, with the option of an 18-month dual degree offered jointly by Twente and the Department of Political Science at the University of Muenster.

The Financial Stability Research Group offers students a unique opportunity to conduct thesis and other research in a group setting of students with similar interests, under the guidance of experienced and expert staff. The group meets regularly in both semesters. Examples of the group's research work can be found below.

Applications are required by 1 July for students beginning in September. More information on the application process is available at <http://www.utwente.nl/master/mes/>

For more information, please contact Dr. Shawn Donnelly, Assistant Professor of European Economic Governance at s.donnelly@utwente.nl

Books, Articles, Theses and Research Reports Completed

Shawn Donnelly (2013) '[Power Politics and the Undersupply of Financial Stability in Europe](#)', *Review of International Political Economy*, June 2013.

Shawn Donnelly (2012), '[Institutional Change at the Top: From the Financial Stability Forum to the Financial Stability Board](#)', in Renate Mayntz, ed. *Crisis and Control: Institutional Change in Financial Market Regulation*. Frankfurt/M: Campus and University of Chicago Press.

Shawn Donnelly (2012), 'Informal International Law Making: Global Financial Market Regulation', in J. Pauwelyn, R.A. Wessel, J. Wouters, A. Berman, and S. Duquet (eds.), [Informal International Law-Making: Case Studies](#). The Hague: TOAEP Publishing. 176-217.

Maya de Waal (2013) [The Choice for the Euro: The Treaty on Stability, Coordination and Governance through a Liberal Intergovernmentalist Lens](#).

Lena Kern (2013) [Europe Toward Banking Union: An Explanation of the Decision-Making Process.](#)

Karen van der Sleen (2013), [Economic Nationalism in the Banking Industry of Germany.](#)

Laina Remer (2013), [The Regulation of Systemically Important Financial Institutions in the European Union: Governance of the Fittest?](#)

Anouk Werksma (2013), [The Changing Role of the ECB and the EBA in the Banking Union.](#)

Katja Philipps (2013) [Paradigm Shift or Groundhog Day? The Public Debate on post-Crisis Banking Regulation in the United Kingdom.](#)

Elroy Adelaar (2013) [Breaking the ‘Vicious Circle between Banks and Sovereigns’:
Neofunctionalism and Liberal Intergovernmentalism as Explanations for the Establishment of the Single Supervisory Mechanism \(SSM\).](#)

Sophia Wolf (2013) [Financial Stability after the Global Financial Crisis: A Comparison of the ESRB and the FSOC.](#)

Annika Stahlhut (2012) [Chances for Pan-European Deposit Insurance: What explains national positions to the recast directive on deposit guarantee schemes?](#)

Armand Bande (2012) [Banking Integration in the EU - A Process Marked by a Battle Between Systems.](#)

Fiete Starck (2012), [What determines discretion in the national application of financial market regulation in the European Union?](#)

Elena Bondarouk (2010) [The Taming of the Shrew: regulating credit rating agencies in the European Union.](#)

Margit Steen (2009) [Government Responses to the 2008 Financial Crisis: the Netherlands, Germany and the United Kingdom.](#)

Current Research Projects

Shawn Donnelly and Aneta Spendzharova (Maastricht): *EU Economic Governance Reform.*

Shawn Donnelly and Minna van Gerven (Twente): *EU Economic Governance Reform and Social Europe.*

Shawn Donnelly: *Politics of Banking Union.*