

# Jim Stodder

Jim Stodder received his BA from Harvard University, his MSc from University of Essex (UK), and his PhD from Yale University, all in Economics. He is retired from regular teaching at Boston University (BU) but still a Research Fellow at its [Pardee Center for the Study of the Longer-Range Future](#), and a Research Associate at the [Centre for European Research in Microfinance](#) (CERMi), *Université libre de Bruxelles*.

He has published dozens of academic papers on post-communist transitions, Law & Economics, and the evolution of money. His current research is on the current transition to Central Bank Digital Currencies (CBDCs), and macroeconomic policies to smooth the path to green energy. On this last topic, he organized [a recent conference at BU](#).

In consulting, he has been an expert witness in proceedings in Connecticut, New York, and US Federal commissions – both in labor arbitration and on damages from employment loss, injury, or death. These included damages to the family of a September 11<sup>th</sup> victim. He has presented at meetings organized by the US Federal Reserve, the Central Bank of Brazil, and the China Development Bank.

He has presented at international meetings in Austria, Canada, China, Belgium, Brazil, France, Korea, Russia, Spain, Switzerland, and the UK. He is comfortable speaking Spanish and speaks passable Russian.

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