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# **List of Projects**

## Meryem Gökten

#### The impacts of recent inflation developments on EU finances

European Parliament December 2023 - September 2024

This research study aims to provide a granular assessment regarding the impacts of inflation as of 2021 on the Multiannual Financial Framework and on the EU budget, including on EURI (EU Recovery Instrument) funded Next-Generation EU programmes. wiiw is involved as a subcontractor to Bloemeyer & Sanz

### China's influence over European Strategic Transport Infrastructure

European Parliament May 2023 - December 2023

This project focused on the analysis of China´s direct investments in the European strategic transport infrastructure and aims at evaluating potential impacts on the security of EU Member States and the EU Neighbourhood, whilst also looking to draw evidence-based and actionable policy conclusions to mitigate potential risks. By providing indepth case studies of several EU members and countries of the EU Neighbourhood, the project looked to identify the concentration of Chinese direct investments in transport infrastructure at the external borders of the EU and the impact on the EU's security as well as on its connectivity. Additionally, the project also drew on the policy responses implemented in the United States and evaluated their strengths and weaknesses for the EU context. wiiw coordinated this project in close collaboration with the Mercator Institute for China Studies (MERICS).

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