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CURRENT POSITION

Principal Researcher, International Economic Analysis Department, Bank of Canada October 2015 - Present

PREVIOUS POSITION

Senior Analyst, International Economic Analysis Department, Bank of Canada September 2012 - October 2015

EDUCATION

Ph.D., Economics, The Ohio State University, 2012

Thesis Title: "Endogenous Trade Participation in Multi-Country Dynamic Stochastic General Equilibrium Models" (Advisor: Julia Thomas)

M.A., Economics, The Ohio State University, 2007

M.A., Economics, University of Toronto, 2006

B.A., Major in International Relations, Minor in Economics, University of British Columbia, 2005

RESEARCH INTERESTS

International Economics, Monetary Economics, Computational Economics

RESEARCH

Publication

"Endogenous Trade Participation with Price Rigidities," Journal of International Economics, 100 (2016), 14-33.

Working Papers

"International Transmission of Credit Shocks in an Equilibrium Model with Production Heterogeneity" (with Julia Thomas), Bank of Canada Working Paper 2015-19; revise and resubmit, International Economic Review

"Credit Market Frictions and Sudden Stops," Bank of Canada Working Paper 2014-49

"The Extensive Margin of Trade and Monetary Policy" (with Malik Shukayev)

"Fiscal Strategies for Countries with Limited Non-Renewable Mineral Resources" (with Jemma Dridi and Patrick Imam)

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Work in Progress

"Endogenous Entry and Price Responsiveness" (with Yi-Chan Tsai)

TEXTBOOK IN PROGRESS

Structural Macroeconometrics, graduate textbook with Masao Ogaki, Kyungho Jang, Hyoung-Seok Lim, and Youngsoo Bae. Revise and resubmit at Cambridge University Press.

PRESENTATIONS

2015: Midwest Macro Meetings, European Economic Association Annual Congress, Canadian Economics Association Annual Meetings, Bank of Canada, University of Manitoba

2014: North American Summer Meeting of the Econometric Society, Canadian Economics Association Annual Meetings, Bank of Canada, The Ohio State University, Eastern Economic Association Annual Meetings

2013: Federal Reserve Bank of Philadelphia, Midwest Macro Meeting, International Conference on Computing for Economics and Finance, Bank of Canada - European Central Bank Workshop on Exchange Rate, Canadian Economics Association Annual Meetings, Bank of Canada, Midwest Economics Association Annual Meetings

2012: Midwest Macro Meeting, Bank of Canada, Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas, Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland, The Ohio State University

2011: Midwest Economics Association Annual Meetings, Eastern Economic Association Annual Meetings, Bowling Green State University, The Ohio State University

VISITOR

Federal Reserve Bank of Philadelphia, November 2013

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Intern, International Monetary Fund, Summer 2009

TEACHING AND RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Instructor, Principles of Macroeconomics, The Ohio State University, 2010-2012

Teaching Assistant, Money and Banking, The Ohio State University, 2011

Research Assistant for Professor Li, Department of Economics, The Ohio State University, 2010

Teaching Assistant, Principles of Macroeconomics, The Ohio State University, 2010

Teaching Assistant, Principles of Microeconomics, The Ohio State University, 2009

Teaching Assistant, International Macroeconomics and Finance (graduate level), The Ohio State University, 2008

Teaching Assistant, Quantitative Methods in Economics, University of Toronto, 2005-2006

SCHOLARSHIPS AND AWARDS

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Departmental Citation for Excellence in Teaching, Department of Economics, The Ohio State University, October 2011

JMCB Travel Grant, Department of Economics, The Ohio State University, February 2011 and March 2011

Japan-IMF Scholarship Program for Advanced Studies, 2006-2008

International Undergraduate Scholarship, University of British Columbia, 2001-2002

Undergraduate Scholar Award, University of British Columbia, 2001

British Columbia Provincial Scholarship, 2001

SERVICES

Referee: International Economic Review, Journal of Money, Credit and Banking, Canadian Journal of Economics

Committee member, Graduate Studies Committee, Department of Economics, The Ohio State University, 2008-2009

COMPUTER SKILLS

Fortran, Matlab, Stata, Eviews

LANGUAGES

English (fluent), Japanese (native), French (beginner)