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Major Fields of Concentration

Macroeconomics: Theory and Quantitative, Macro-Labor, International Macro

Education

PhD Economics, University of Minnesota *2012*
MA Economics, University of Minnesota *2012*
BA Economics, University of Rochester, 2007, *Magna Cum Laude*

Main Employment

2018- *Associate Professor of Economics (with Tenure)*, University of Western Ontario
2017- *Research Economist*, National Bureau of Economic Research (NBER)
2012-2018 *Assistant Professor of Economics*, Indiana University- Bloomington
– Jan 2017-June 2017 *on leave*
Jan 2017-June 2017: *Research Economist*, Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland

Research Positions

Research Fellow, Research Department, Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City: June-August 2015.
Research Fellow, Research Department, Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta: May & June 2015.
Visiting Scholar, Research Department, Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis: March 2014, July 2014, Nov. 2014, May 2016, July & Aug 2017.
Research Analyst, University of Minnesota & Minneapolis Federal Reserve Bank: Minneapolis, Minnesota.

Publications (Peer Reviewed)

[Redistributive Fiscal Policies and Business Cycles in Emerging Economies.](#) (*with Jacek Rothert*). **Journal of International Economics**, May 2018
[Occupational Hazards and Social Disability Insurance.](#) (*with David Wiczer*). **Journal of Monetary Economics**, May 2018
[An Information theory of Worker Flows and Wage Dispersion.](#) **American Economic Journal: Macroeconomics**, April 2018
[Vocational Considerations and Trends in Social Security Disability.](#) (*with Jaeger Nelson & David Wiczer*). **Journal of the Economics of Ageing**, In Press
[Optimal Borrowing Constraints and Growth in a Small Open Economy.](#) (*with Jacek Rothert*). **Journal of International Economics**, Nov 2014

Working Papers

Dynamics of Deterrence: Macroeconomic Implications of Criminal Justice Policy. (*with Bulent Guler*).

The Disability Option: Labor Market Dynamics with Economic and Health Risks. (*with David Wiczer*)

Wage Scars from Job Loss. (*with Justin Barnette*).

Works in Progress

Business Cycles Anomalies in Emerging Economies: Fundamentals or Policy? *with Jacek Rothert- subsumes Bank of Poland Working Paper 253 (2016)*

Understanding the Geographic Variation in Disability Insurance. *with Timothy Moore & David Wiczer*

Non-Peer Reviewed Publications

Safe Occupations Are Growing *with David Wiczer* Economic Synopses, Vol 11- 2015

Understanding the Motives and Constraints That Lead People to Risky Occupations *with David Wiczer* The Regional Economist, Jan 2014

Invited Seminars

2018 *IUPUI, U Kentucky, Western University, UPittsburgh (scheduled), Arizona State (scheduled), FRB-Chicago (scheduled)*

2017 *Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland, Temple University, University of Virginia*

2016 *Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago, Colby College, Purdue, McMaster, Notre Dame*

2015 *Concordia University, Federal Reserve Banks of Atlanta & Kansas City, US Census, US Bureau of Labor Statistics*

2014 *Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis, University of Notre Dame*

2013 *University of Illinois-Urbana Champaign*

2012 *Bates College, Richmond Federal Reserve Bank, University of Richmond, Yeshiva University, Dalhousie University, University of Pittsburgh, Wake Forest University, University of Colorado-Denver, Indiana University- Bloomington, University of Texas- Austin, University of Louisville*

2011 *Minneapolis Federal Reserve Bank*

Conference & Invited Workshop Presentations

2018: GRIPS-Keio Tokyo Macro Conference; Midwest Macro (Madison); MadMac Conference on Demographics and Macroeconomics (Madrid).

2017: Society for Economic Dynamics; NAESM; IM-TCD-ND Workshop on: International Macroeconomics and Capital Flows (discussant).

2016: Barcelona GSE Summer Forum, NBER Summer Institute (coauthor)

2015: Midwest Macroeconomics Meetings (Spring); Low-Skilled Labor Markets & the Macroeconomy Workshop; Midwest Macroeconomics Meetings (Fall)

2014: Society of Labor Economics Conference (Poster); LAEF Business Cycle Conference; Society for Economic Dynamics; North American Econometric Society Meetings; Midwest Economic Association.

2013: Midwest Economic Association; North American Econometric Society Meetings; Midwest Macroeconomic Meetings; Midwest Econometrics Meetings.

2012: Midwest Macroeconomics

2010: Washington University in St. Louis Graduate Student Conference.

Grants & Fellowships

Social Security Administration Grant via NBER Disability Research Consortium (\$50,000) for “Do Program Administration Outcomes affect Social Security Disability Insurance Applications?” 2017-18 (with Timothy Moore & David Wiczer).

Social Security Administration Grant via NBER Disability Research Consortium (\$50,000) for Understanding the Geographic Variation in Social Security Disability Insurance, 2017-18 (with Timothy Moore & David Wiczer).

Chiang Ching-kuo Foundation Junior Scholar Grant (\$13,000), for “Measuring the Effect of Housing Policy on Macroeconomic Outcomes in China”, 2013-14.

Bilinski Education Foundation Fellowship (\$22,500), University of Minnesota, 2011-2012.

Graduate Research Partnership Program Fellowship (\$4,000), University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN Summer 2010

Honors and Awards

Indiana University Trustees Teaching Award (2016)

Distinguished Instructor, University of Minnesota, Spring 2010

Distinguished Teaching Assistant, University of Minnesota, Fall 2008 & Spring 2009

The Graduate School Fellowship (\$21,500), University of Minnesota, 2007-08.

Teaching Experience

Graduate Macroeconomics I, Indiana University, Fall 2012-17

Computational Methods in Macroeconomics (Ugrad), Indiana, Spring 2015-16; Fall 2017

Intermediate Macroeconomics, Indiana University, Spring 2013, 2014

Honors: Quantitative Analysis of the Macroeconomy, University of Minnesota, Spring 2011

Principles of Microeconomics, University of Minnesota, Spring 2010

PhD Advising

Chair/Co-Chair: Tyler Daun (in progress), Kathrin Ellieroth (in progress), Hewei Shen (2018- U Oklahoma, Tenure Track)

Committee: Adela Arguello, Esteban Argudo, Karsten Chipeniuk, Hao Jin, ShinHyuck Kang, Jaeger Nelson, Shu-Ling Wang, Ping Zhang

Third Year Paper Committee (not o/w listed above): Geeta Garg, Sungkook Lee.

Undergraduate Advising

Senior Thesis/Independend Study: Cody Vaughn, Stephen Moors.

Service

Referee: *American Economic Review*, *Quantitative Economics*, *NSF*, *J. Econ Dynamics and Control*, *BE Journals*, *JEEA*, *J Econ of Aging*, *AEJ-Macro*, *JEBO*, *Public Finance Review*, *Economic Journal*, *Labour Economics*

Organizer: Macroeconomic Seminar Series (IUB) Fall 2013 & 2017, Spring 2015 & 2018

Low-Skilled Labor Markets and the Macroeconomy, Mini-Conference (Sept 2015), Organizer.

Graduate Studies Committee (IUB): 2013-2017

Macroeconomics Core Qualifying Exam Committee (IUB) 2013-