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Fields of Interest	Macroeconomics, International Economics, Monetary Economics	
Current Appointment	<i>Ernest S. Liu Professor of Economics and International Studies</i> Department of Economics, Cornell University, NY	2024 -
Past Appointments	<i>Professor</i> Department of Economics, Cornell University, NY	2023 - 2024
	<i>Associate Professor</i> Department of Economics, Cornell University, NY	2022 - 2023
	<i>Associate Professor</i> Department of Economics, Boston College, MA	2019 - 2022
	<i>Assistant Professor</i> Department of Economics, Boston College, MA	2012 - 2019
Other Positions	<i>Research Associate</i> NBER Monetary Economics Program	2025 -
	<i>Visiting Scholar</i> (sabbatical) U. of California-Berkeley, Berkeley, CA	2021 - 2022
	<i>Visiting Scholar</i> Federal Reserve Bank of Boston, MA	2017 - 2020
	<i>Visiting Junior Chair (Assistant Professor)</i> Toulouse School of Economics, Toulouse, France	2014 - 2015
	<i>Research Assistant</i> Federal Reserve Bank of Boston, MA	2004 - 2006
Education	Columbia University, New York, NY Ph.D. in Economics (with distinction), May 2012 Committee: Stephanie Schmitt-Grohé (sponsor), Ricardo Reis, Martín Uribe, Michael Woodford, Stephen Zeldes Swarthmore College, Swarthmore, PA B.A. Philosophy, Economics, May 2004	
Publications	<i>Revisiting the Expectations of Others</i> (with Kyle Jurado) <i>Journal of Monetary Economics</i> ; September 2025 <i>The Dollar in an Era of International Retrenchment</i> (with Rosen Valchev) <i>IMF Economic Review</i> ; September 2024	

**Publications
(continued)**

Anticipated Productivity and the Labor Market (with Sanjay Chugh and Tristan Potter)
Quantitative Economics; July 2023

Robust Predictions for DSGE Models with Incomplete Information (with Robert Ulbricht)
American Economic Journal: Macroeconomics; January 2023

Trade Finance and the Durability of the Dollar (with Rosen Valchev)
Review of Economic Studies; July 2022

Recoverability and Expectations-Driven Fluctuations (with Kyle Jurado)
Review of Economic Studies; January 2022

Sectoral Media Focus and Aggregate Fluctuations (with Kristoffer Nimark and Stefan Pitschner)
American Economic Review; December 2021

Learning from House Prices: Amplification and Sentiments (with Gaetano Gaballo)
Review of Economic Studies; July 2021

Optimal Foresight (with Kyle Jurado)
Journal of Monetary Economics; March 2021

Price Dispersion and the Border Effect (with Luminita Stevens)
Journal of Monetary Economics; December 2020

Intersectoral Linkages, Diverse Information and Aggregate Dynamics (with Manoj Atolia)
Review of Economic Dynamics; April 2020

Good News is Bad News: Leverage Cycles and Sudden Stops (with Ozge Akinci)
Journal of International Economics; September 2018

News or Noise? The Missing Link (with Kyle Jurado)
American Economic Review; July 2018

Optimal Fiscal and Monetary Policy in Customer Markets (with David Arseneau, Sanjay Chugh and Alan Shapiro)
Journal of Money, Credit and Banking; June 2015

Optimal Capital Taxation and Consumer Uncertainty (with Justin Svec)
Journal of Macroeconomics; September 2014

Public Communication and Information Acquisition
American Economic Journal: Macroeconomics; July 2014

A Model-Based Evaluation of the Debate on the Size of the Tax Multiplier (with Stephanie Schmitt-Grohé and Martín Uribe)
American Economic Journal: Economic Policy; May 2012

Sales and Price Spikes in Retail Scanner Data
Economics Letters; February 2011

Working Papers

Expectation Response Functions in Dynamic Linear Economies
with Kyle Jurado

News Selection and Household Inflation Expectations
with Adam Shapiro and Daniel Wilson

Working Papers (continued)	<i>Exchange Rate Disconnect Revisited</i> with Vito Cormun, Pierre De Leo, Pablo Guerron-Quintana, and Rosen Valchev	
	<i>Risky Business Cycles</i> with Susanto Basu, Giacomo Candian and Rosen Valchev	
Editorial	Co-Editor, <i>Journal of International Economics</i>	2026 -
	Associate Editor, <i>Journal of Monetary Economics</i>	2022 -
	Associate Editor, <i>Journal of Money, Credit and Banking</i>	2016 -
	Associate Editor, <i>Journal of International Economics</i>	2022 - 2025
Referee (selected)	<i>American Economic Review, Econometrica, Journal of Political Economy, Review of Economic Studies (Excellence in refereeing award, 2021 & 2024), Review of Economics and Statistics, AEJ:Macro (Excellence in refereeing award, 2020), Journal of Monetary Economics, Theoretical Economics, Journal of Economic Theory, Review of Economic Dynamics, Journal of International Economics, Quantitative Economics, International Economic Review, Economic Journal</i>	
Recent Professional Presentations	2026 (including scheduled): University of Rochester, Princeton University, University of Hawaii, Second Asian Conference on Expectations in Macroeconomics @ Korea University (Keynote), Yale University.	
	2025: Econometric Society Annual Meetings, University Paris-Dauphine, Simon Business School-University of Rochester, International Monetary Fund, Virtual Asian Seminar Series on Expectations in Macroeconomics, Oxford University, International Economics Workshop @ Oxford University, NBER International Seminar on Macroeconomics (discussant), University of Texas-Austin, University of Notre Dame, University of Virginia, Federal Reserve Board of Governors.	
	2024: AEA Annual Meetings, ESSEC/Oxford Workshop on Expectations, Shocks and Macroeconomic Fluctuations, U. Wisconsin - Madison, FRB - New York, 55 th Konstanz Seminar on Monetary Theory and Monetary Policy, FRB-Board and FRB-NY Conference on the International Roles of the U.S. Dollar, BdF-CEPR-HEC-PSE Paris Conference on the Macroeconomics of Expectations, SED Summer Meeting, FRB-Dallas, FRB-Cleveland, Canadian Macro Study Group (discussant), SED Winter Meeting	
	2023: Basel University, Purdue University, National University of Singapore, Society for Economic Dynamics, IMF/Norges Bank Conference on “The Future of Macroeconomic Policy”, Stanford SITE Conference on “The Macroeconomics of Uncertainty and Volatility”, Joint CEPR & Kiel Institute conference on Geoeconomics, FRB-St Louis conference on “Information and Expectations in Macroeconomics”, Toulouse School of Economics	
	2022: Indiana University, Brown University, Sao Paulo School of Economics, Banque de France, Penn State University, Colgate-Hamilton College, Annual Research Conference of the IMF (discussant), Tsinghua University	
Recent Discussions	<i>The Concave Phillips Curve</i> by Narayana Kocherlakota Canadian Macroeconomic Study Group Annual Meeting, 2024	
	<i>The Dollar’s Imperial Cycle</i> by Ozge Akinci, Gianluca Benigno, Serra Pelin and Jon Turek Jacques Polak Annual Research Conference of the IMF (in honor of Maurice Obstfeld), 2022	
	<i>The Supply and Demand for Safe Assets</i> by Gary Gorton and Guillermo Ordonez	

Barcelona GSE: Asset Prices, Finance and Macroeconomics, 2020

Professional Service	Graduate Student Mentor <i>AMIE economics mentoring program</i>	2023-24
	Scientific Committee <i>European Economic Association, Annual Meeting</i>	2022
	Scientific Committee <i>Latin American Econometric Society, Annual Meeting</i>	2018
	Scientific Committee <i>Society for Computational Economics, Annual Meeting</i>	2017
Advising	Yu Wang (Capital One, co-chair)	2025
	Wentong Chen (Santa Clara University, committee member)	2025
	Feng Chi (U. of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign, letter writer)	2025
	Tobias F Muller (ECB Graduate Programme, committee member)	2025
	Sanjay Moorjani (Hamilton College visiting AP, committee member)	2025
	Luigi Pollio (Wesleyan visiting → U. of Maryland-Baltimore County, committee member)	2023
	Luca Gemmi (HEC Lausanne post-doc → U. of Bologna, committee member)	2022
	Praveen Saini (Capital One, committee member)	2022
	Laura Gati (ECB-Research, chair)	2021
	Marco Brianti (U. of Alberta, co-chair)	2021
	Vito Cormun (Santa Clara U., chair)	2020
	Giri Subramaniam (Analysis Group, co-chair)	2020
	Pierre De Leo (U. of Maryland-College Park, co-chair)	2019
	Ethan Struby (Carleton College, chair)	2017
	Ana Lariau (IMF, committee member)	2017
	Tristan Potter (Drexel University, committee member)	2016
	Giacomo Candian (HEC-Montréal, committee member)	2016
	Marco Macchiavelli (Federal Reserve Board, committee member)	2015
	Brent Bundick (Kansas City Federal Reserve, committee member)	2014
	Mikhail Dmitriev (Florida State University, committee member)	2014
Teaching @ Cornell	<i>Intermediate Macroeconomic Theory</i> (Undergraduate)	
	<i>Advanced International Economics and Finance</i> (Undergraduate)	
	<i>Macroeconomics I</i> (PhD core)	
	<i>Introduction to Information Economics</i> (PhD elective)	
	<i>Faculty Advisor</i> (Cornell Fed Challenge Team)	
Citizenship & Languages	US Citizen; English (Native), French	