

# Jaedo Choi

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## EMPLOYMENT

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### Federal Reserve Board of Governors

Economist, Industrial Output Section, Research and Statistics Division

*Sep. 2022 -*

## EDUCATION

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### University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI

Ph.D. in Business and Economics

Aug. 2022

### Yonsei University, Seoul, Korea

M.A. in Economics

2016

### Yonsei University, Seoul, Korea

B.A. in Chinese Language and Literature, and Economics (High Honors)

2014

## RESEARCH FIELDS

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International Economics, Macroeconomics

## WORKING PAPERS

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“Technology Adoption and Late Industrialization,” (with Younghun Shim)

STEG Working Paper 033.

“The Long-Term Effects of Industrial Policy,” (with Andrei A. Levchenko), *Submitted*

NBER Working Paper 29263. CEPR Discussion Paper 16534. Featured in NBER Digest Nov 2021 and VoxEU Nov 2021.

“Lobbying, Trade, and Misallocation,” *Revise and resubmit, Journal of International Economics*

“Internal Migration, Sectoral Reallocation, and Large Devaluation”

## PUBLICATION

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“Sequentially Estimating the Structural Equation by Power Transformation,” (with Roger H. Moon, Jin Seo Cho), *forthcoming, Econometric Theory*

## RESEARCH IN PROGRESS

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“From Adoption to Innovation: State-Dependent Technology Policy in Developing Countries” (with Younghun Shim)

“Social Network in Production Network” (with Barth  l  my Bonadio)

## PRESENTATIONS

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(\* denotes scheduled)

- 2022 Seminars: Maastricht, LSE, UK FCDO, Yonsei, Sant'Anna School of Advanced Studies, TPR Forum, VEAMS, KIEP  
Conferences: NBER International Trade and Investment Fall Meeting (Cambridge, MA)\*, IGC-Stanford Conference on Firms, Trade, and Development (Stanford)\*, FREIT-EIIT (UCSD), USC/UNIL/Bank-al-Maghrib Workshop on Small Business, Development and Growth (Rabat, Morocco), Workshop on International Trade and Intellectual Property Rights (University of Bologna-Rimini Campus), STEG Theme 0 Workshop (Virtual), KBER SI Macro II (Seoul National University), NBER SI Growth (Cambridge, MA), 6th Yonsei Young Economist Workshop, New Faces in International Economics (PSU)  
Job market seminars: Yale, UCLA, KIPF, UBC, Toronto, Rochester, HKUST, Berkeley Haas (Real Estate), HKU, NTU, Federal Reserve Board, KIEP, KIF, KDI, CUHK
- 2021 Seminars: Harvard Growth Lab, H2D2 Michigan, Yonsei Macro Workshop  
Conferences: Midwest International Trade Conference (MSU), AMES (Virtual), Asia Pacific Trade Seminars (Virtual), ESAM (Virtual), ETSG (Ghent, Belgium), LACEA-LAMES (Virtual), AFES (Abidjan, Côte d'Ivoire), NTA (Detroit, MI), EWMES (Virtual)
- 2020 Conferences: Midwest International Trade Conference (Cancelled due to COVID)
- 2019 Conferences: Midwest Macroeconomics Meetings (MSU)

## HONORS

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### Awards

- Kathy Terrell Prize for Best PhD Student Paper, University of Michigan 2020
- Spivey/Hall Award for Academic and Research Excellence, University of Michigan 2020
- Early Doctoral Candidacy Award, University of Michigan 2019
- Runner Up, Kathy Terrell Prize for Best PhD Student Paper, University of Michigan 2018
- Highest Distinction in Macroeconomics Preliminary Exam, University of Michigan 2017

### Grants

- STEG Small Research Grants (co-PI with Younghun Shim) (£14,500) 2022
- Ross Doctoral Research Grants (\$5,000), University of Michigan 2020

### Fellowship, and Scholarship

- Rackham Predoctoral Fellowship, University of Michigan 2021 - 2022
- Rackham Travel Grants, University of Michigan 2019
- Graduate Fellowship, University of Michigan 2016 - 2023
- Doctoral Fellowship, Kwanjeong Educational Foundation 2016 - 2021
- Domestic Fellowship, Kwanjeong Educational Foundation 2015 - 2016
- Merit-based Scholarship, Yonsei University 2010 - 2014

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

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- Fall 2018: Primary Lecturer for Strategy 310 Competing in the Global Business Environment, Ross School of Business, University of Michigan

## PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

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### Referee

- Economic Modelling, Economic Policy, IMF Economic Review, Japanese Journal of Political Science, Journal of Economic Dynamics and Control, Review of Industrial Organization, Review of Economic Design

Discussion

- Farrokhi and Pellegrina, “Trade, Technology, and Agricultural Productivity,” FREIT-EIIT (UCSD), 2022

**COMPUTATIONAL SKILLS**

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- Gauss, Matlab, Python, R, Stata

**PERSONAL**

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- Date and place of birth 1990, Seoul
- Citizenship Republic of Korea (U.S. Visa: H1B)
- Language English (fluent), Korean (native)