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### Education

2014	Ph.D. in Economics	University of Minnesota, USA
2013	M.A. in Economics	University of Minnesota, USA
2008	M.A. in Economics	CERGE-EI, Charles University, Czech Republic
2002	M.Sc. in Mathematics	Comenius University, Slovakia

### Employment

2015-	<i>Assistant Professor</i>	Texas Tech University, Department of Economics
2014-2015	<i>Visiting Assistant Professor</i>	Penn State University, Department of Economics
2002-2005	<i>Junior Researcher</i>	Institute for Economic Research, Slovak Academy of Sciences
2002-2004	<i>Economist</i>	NIRAS Consulting Engineers and Planners A/S

### Teaching experience

2015-	<i>Instructor</i> , Texas Tech University	Time Series Econometrics (G), Intermediate Macroeconomics
2014-2015	<i>Instructor</i> , Penn State University	Labor Economics and Labor Markets, Economics of Public Expenditures
2010-2014	<i>Instructor</i> , University of Minnesota	Public Economics, Intermediate Macroeconomics, Cost-Benefit Analysis, Principles of Microeconomics
2006-2008	<i>Teaching Assistant</i> , CERGE-EI, Charles University	Macroeconomics I, II, III (G), Advanced Macroeconomics I (G)

### Research Experience

2010-2014	<i>Research Analyst</i>	Research Department, Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis
2006	<i>Research Assistant</i>	CERGE-EI, Prague, Research Assistant to Professor Michal Kejak

### Honors and Awards

2013	Distinguished Instructor, University of Minnesota
2008-2009	Thomas J. Sargent Fellowship, University of Minnesota
2007-2008	Brinson Foundation Scholarship, CERGE-EI, Charles University
2007	World Bank Research Fellowship, CERGE-EI, Charles University

### Presentations

2015	Fifth Annual Search and Matching Conference; CEF Taipei; EEA Mannheim; Midwest Macro Meeting; SEA New Orleans
2014	10th Dynare Conference; NASM of the Econometric Society; Midwest Macro Meeting; Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis; Royal Holloway; Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland; Auckland University of Technology
2013	Midwest Macro Meeting; Washington University's 8th Annual Graduate Student Conference

### Working Papers

*A Search Model of Unemployment and Inventories*  
*Goods Market Frictions and the Labor Wedge*