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EDUCATION Ph.D. Economics, The George Washington University ABD

Dissertation: Taiwan's Role in Globalization: Pre- and Post-US-China Trade War

M.A. Economics, Syracuse University
 M.S. International Business, National Chengchi University (with Honors)
 B.B.A. International Business, National Chengchi University (with Honors)
 2012

FIELDS International Trade and Applied Econometrics

Ph.D. Field Exams: International Trade (2019), Econometrics (2018)

Ph.D. Comprehensive Exams: Microeconomics (2017), Macroeconomics (2017)

- Environmental Self-regulation for Sustainable Development: Can Internal Carbon Pricing Enhance Financial Performance? (with Jialu Ma)

Business Strategy and the Environment, 30(8), 3517-3527, 2021

http://doi.org/10.1002/bse.2817

- Can Internal Carbon Pricing Reduce Carbon Emissions of Multinational Enterprises? (with Jialu Ma) 2020 Academy of International Business Southeast Asia Annual Conference Proceedings, pp. 51-52 https://www.researchgate.net/publication/352198331

Plausible Causes and Solutions to Wage Stagnation of Taiwan (with Stacey H. Chen)
 The R.O.C. Economic Yearbook 2014, pp. 32-39, 2014
 https://gprivate.com/6hkfu

 Non-cooperative and Cooperative Fiscal Policies in a Two-country Differential Games Model National Chengchi University Electronic Theses and Dissertations, 2012 http://nccur.lib.nccu.edu.tw/handle/140.119/54905

IN BETA

PAPER

- Taiwan's Role in Globalization: Pre- and Post-US-China Trade War
 - Chapter 1, Estimating the GE Effects of Including Taiwan into RCEP
 - Chapter 2, A Graphical Network Analysis of the Evolution of Taiwan's ICT Industry
 - Chapter 3, How do ECFA-Tourists Redraw the Ideological Boundaries in Taiwan? (under revision)

AWARDS

- Young Scholar Awards, North American Taiwanese Professors' Association (2022, 2021)

GRANTS

- National Association for Business Economics, Scholarship for Machine Learning Course (2024)
- Chinese Economists Society (CES) North American Conference Travel Grant (2023)
- North American Taiwanese Professors' Association (NATPA) Conference Travel Grant (2022)
- GW Economic Department Travel Grants for PhD Students (2023, 2022)
- Center for Global Trade Analysis, Student Fellowship for Short Courses (2023, 2022)
- Sigur Center for Asian Studies, Taiwan Studies Research Fellowship (AY 2021)
- Columbian College of Arts and Sciences Pre-Dissertation Fellowship (SU 2019)
- George Washington University Graduate Fellowship (SP 2018 AY 2020)
- Syracuse University Graduate Fellowship (AY 2014 FA 2015)
- Taiwan Ministry of Education Government Fellowships (AY 2014 2016)

RESEARCH ASSISTANTSHIP

- Ph.D. Research Assistant, Institute for International Economic Policy (AY 2021-2022)
 Director of IIEP: Rémi Jedwab (AY 2023), Steven Suranovic (F 2022), Jay C. Shambaugh (AY 2021)
 Principal Investigator: Senay Agca (AY 2022), Yingyan Zhao (AY 2021)
- Research Assistant, Institute of Economics, Academia Sinica (AY 2013)
 Principal Investigator: Stacey H. Chen
 National Science Council Project: Educational Reform and Wage Inequality in Taiwan

PAPER REVIEW

- 27th, 26thAnnual Conference on Global Economic Analysis (8 papers, 2024; 5 papers, 2023)
- 81st Annual Meeting of the Academy of Management (3 papers, 2021)

PRESENTATIONS

- 2024: The Society of Government Economists (April 5), Chinese Economics Society North American Conference (March 31), Eastern Economic Association Annual Meetings (March 1)
- 2023: Taiwan Economic Association Annual Meeting (Dec 2), Center for Global Trade Analysis (Oct 13), American Political Science Association (APSA) Annual Meeting (Aug 31), Chinese Economists Society (CES) North America Conference (Mar 31), National Sun Yat-sen University (Mar 7), Chung-Hua Institution for Economic Research (CIER) (Feb 2)
- 2022: Center for Global Trade Analysis (Aug 15)[s], North America Taiwanese Professors' Association (NATPA) Annual Conference (Jul 22) [s] [r], North American Taiwanese Studies Association (NATSA) Annual Conference (Jul 9) [s], Taiwan Education and Research Program Final Presentation (May 4) [s], Columbian College of Arts and Sciences (CCAS) 3-Minute Thesis Competition (Feb 24) [s] [v] [r]
- 2021: GW Taiwan Education and Research Program (TERP) Initiative Meeting (Nov 14), North American Taiwanese Professors' Association (NATPA) Annual Conference (Jul 25) [v], International Trade and Finance Association (ITFA) Annual Conference (May 28) [v], Institute for International Economic Policy Development Tea Seminar (Mar 10)
- 2020: Southern Economics Association (SEA) Annual Conference (Nov 21) [v], Institute of International Economic Policy Development Tea (Apr 30 [v]; Dec 10 [v])

*[s]: presentation slides, [v]: presentation video, [r]: attendance record

CONFERENCES ATTENDED

- 2025: 11th Conference of the Society for the Study of Economic Inequality (ECINEQ, Jul 9), 4th Washington Area International Trade Symposium (WAITS, May 2)
- 2024: 27th Annual Conference on Global Economic Analysis (GTAP Conference, Jun 5-7)
- 2023: 4th U.S.-Taiwan Economic Prosperity Partnership Dialogue (EPPD, Dec 7), 1st World Bank-GWU-UVA Conference on "The Economics of Sustainable Development" (Nov 29), Inaugural Washington Area Network Economics Symposium (WANES, Sep 8), 45th ISMS Marketing Science Conference 2023 (Jun 7-10), 7th Urbanization and Poverty Reduction Research Conference (Jan 30-31), 74th Allied Social Science Associations Annual Meeting (ASSA, Jan 6-8)
- 2022: 6th National Association for Business Economics Tech Economics Conference (NABE-TEC, Nov 6-8), 77th Annual Meetings of the International Monetary Fund and the World Bank Group (IMF-WBG, Oct 10-14; also joined in 2019, 2017)

TEACHING	 Honor Degree Macroeconomics (HONR 2044) Survey of International Economics (ECON 6280) [course link] [evaluation] 	SP 2023 SU 2020
TEACHING REFERENCES	- Joann M. Weiner, Director of M.S. Applied Economics, George Washington University email: jmweiner <at> gwu <dot> edu</dot></at>	
	- Eric Kramon, Associate Professor of Political Science, George Washington University email: ekramon <at> gwu <dot> edu</dot></at>	
	- Emmanuel Teitelbaum, Associate Professor of Political Science, George Washington University email: ejt <at>gwu<dot>edu</dot></at>	
TEACHING ASSISTANTSHIPS	- Principal Teaching Assistant of Master of Science Program for Applied Economics Appointed by the Director of the M.S. Applied Economics Program, Joann Weiner	2019-21
	@ George Washington University	
	- Quantitative analysis for IA practitioners (IAFF 6501, Eric Kramon)	FA 2024
	- Quantitative analysis for IA practitioners (IAFF 6501, Emmanuel Teitelbaum)	SP 2024
	- Time Series Analysis (ECON 6376, José M. Fernández)	SP 2021
	- Applied Microeconometrics (ECON 6295, Scott Wentland)	SP 2021
	- Time Series Analysis (ECON 6376, Gary Cornwall)	SP 2021
	- Probability and Statistics for Economics (ECON 6374, Anthony Kassekert)	FA 2020
	- Time Series Analysis (ECON 6376, José M. Fernández)	FA 2020
	Applied Econometrics (ECON 6375, Adam J. Cole)Applied Econometrics (ECON 6375, Christine McDaniel)	FA 2020 SP 2020
	- Applied Econometrics (ECON 6375, Christine McDainer) - Applied Econometrics (ECON 6375, Adam J. Cole)	FA 2019
	- Math Method for Economists (ECON 6300, Kenneth Danger)	FA 2019
	- Introduction of Econometrics (ECON 2123, Temesgen Deressa / Robert F. Phillips)	SP 2019
	- Principle of Math for Economics (ECON 1001, Irene Foster)	FA 2018
	- Applied Econometrics (ECON 6375, Adam J. Cole)	SU 2018
	- Principle of Economics - Macroeconomics (ECON 1011, John Volpe)	SP 2018
	@ Syracuse University	
	- Macroeconomics (ECN 102, Stevenson Educational Center)	AY 2015
	- Microeconomics (ECN 101, Stevenson Educational Center)	AY 2015
	- Introduction of Money and Banking (ECN 481, Donald Dutkowsky)	FA 2015
	- Economics Ideas and Issues (ECN 203, Donald Dutkowsky)	AY 2014
	@ National Chengchi University	
	- International Finance (IBT 4001, Po-sheng Lin)	SP 2012
	- Advanced International Finance (IBT 5001, Po-sheng Lin)	FA 2011
Course Grader	@ George Washington University	
COURSE GRADER	- Introduction to International Economics (ECON 2128, Tomas Williams)	FA 2022
	- Survey of International Trade (ECON 6280, Maggie X. Chen)	SP 2022
	- International Macroeconomics Theory and Policy (ECON 2182, Rafael López-Monti)	SP 2022
	- International Trade Theory and Policy (ECON 2181, Yingyan Zhao)	FA 2021
SHORT COURSES	• Durdue University CTAD Preferential Trade Agreements Course	Son 2024
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	University of Wisconsin, Wisconsin National Data Consortium Course in Julia	Jul 2024
	Instructor: Dr. Mitch Phillipson	
	 National Association of Business Economics, Machine Learning and Data Science Instructors: Dr. Brian Quistorff 	Feb 2024

	Purdue University, Short Course in Dynamic Global Trade Analysis	Sep 2023	
	Instructors: Dr. Angel Aguiar, Dr. Erwin Corong, Dr. Dominique van der Mensbrugghe	_	
	Georgetown Center for Econometric Practice, Difference-in-Differences Methods Leaderston De Parker H. G. George Annual Control of the C	Feb 2023	
	Instructor: Dr. Pedro H.C. Sant'Anna	Ium 2022	
	Purdue University, Short Course in Global Trade Analysis Instructors: Dr. Poman Konney and Dr. Anton Yong	Jun 2022	
	Instructors: Dr. Roman Keeney and Dr. Anton YangCEMFI, Computational Tools for Macroeconomists	Aug 2020	
	Instructor: Dr. Mathias Trabandt	71ug 2020	
	CEMFI, DSGE and Time-Series Models for Macroeconomic and Policy Analysis	Aug 2019	
	Instructor: Dr. Macro Del Negro	8	
MEDIA APPEARANCE	 Taiwan Zeroes In on U.S. Energy While IMF Raises Growth Forecast 	[video]	
	TaiwanPlus News, Joyce Sasikarn Tseng, 4/23/2025		
	• Trump Proposes to Impose Reciprocal Tariffs. Scholars List "5 products" that will be Mostly Affected		
	Central News Agency, Elaine Tzi-ying Hou, 4/4/2025 (also cited by MSN)	[video]	
	• Scholars: It is Unfair for the US to Use the Trade Deficit to Calculate Equivalent Tariffs; It is	-	
	Change in the Short Term	[report]	
	 Central News Agency, Elaine Tzi-ying Hou, 4/4/2025 Taiwan Calls Trump's 32% Tariff "Strongly Unreasonable" 	[video]	
	TaiwanPlus News, Joyce Sasikarn Tseng, 4/3/2025	[video]	
	Trump Launches a New Front of Reciprocal Tariffs; Scholar: Little Impact on Taiwan's Industries		
	Central News Agency, Yu-chen Chung, 2/13/2025 [report] [video]		
	(also cited by United Daily News, Radio Taiwan International, Economic Daily News, Yahoo! News)		
	• Taiwan's President, Tsai Ing-wen, Responds Positively to Beijing's Proposal to Restore Direct Cross-		
	strait Flights, Scholars: A Test for the Normalization of Cross-strait Relations		
	Voice of America, Tina Chung, 2/4/2023	[report]	
	• Is China Suspending Taiwanese Imports as Part of Its "Economic Coercion" Policies? Experts: Taiwan's		
	Government Needs to Respond Quickly and Fight Fake News from China		
	Voice of America, Tina Chung, 12/17/2022	[report]	
	• The US and Taiwan are about to Start the First Round of Trade Negotiations, US Officials of the US and Taiwan are about to Start the First Round of Trade Negotiations, US Officials of the US and Taiwan are about to Start the First Round of Trade Negotiations, US Officials of the US and Taiwan are about to Start the First Round of Trade Negotiations, US Officials of the US and Taiwan are about to Start the First Round of Trade Negotiations, US Officials of the US and Taiwan are about to Start the First Round of Trade Negotiations, US Officials of the US and Taiwan are about to Start the First Round of Trade Negotiations, US Officials of the US and Taiwan are about to Start the First Round of Trade Negotiations, US Officials of the US and Taiwan are about to Start the First Round of Trade Negotiations, US Officials of the US and Taiwan are about to Start the First Round of Trade Negotiations, US Officials of the US and Taiwan are about to Start the US and Taiwan are about the US are about the US and Taiwan are about the US	als: Improve	
	Taiwan's Resilience to Deal with China's Coercion	form and 1	
	Voice of America, Tina Chung, 8/19/2022	[report]	
Conferences	- Organizer, 1 st Washington D.C. Forum for CIER Regional Development Study Center	Nov 2023	
ORGANIZING	- Volunteer, 24 th Federal Forecasters Conference	Sep 2022	
EXPERIENCE	- Volunteer, 23 rd Federal Forecasters Conference	May 2021	
	- Session Chair, 2 nd GWU Graduate Student Research Conference in Economics	Jan 2018	
	- Usher, 2014 Asian Meeting of the Econometric Society	May 2014	
LEADERSHIP	Executive Secretary, Syracuse University Taiwanese Students Association	AY 2015	
ACTIVITIES	Director, Upstate New York Taiwanese Students Tennis Tournament Control of the Mark Control of th	Oct 2015	
	- Sponsored by Taipei Economic and Cultural Office, New York Division		
	- Reported by Epoch Times, 10/6/15 "Penn State Students Won 1 st Taiwan's National Day Tennis Tournament at Syracuse"		
	Keynote Speaker, Upstate New York Double Tenth Day Memorial Ceremony	Oct 2014	
	- Invited and Moderated by Mayor of Syracuse (Stephanie Miner, D-NY)[video]	OCt 2014	
PROFESSIONAL	Chinese Economists Society (2023-), National Association for Business Economics (202	2-), Interna-	
ASSOCIATIONS	tional Trade and Finance Association (2021-), Southern Economics Association (2020-),	H.O. Stekler	
	Research Program on Forecasting (2019-), American Economics Association (2018-)		
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MILITARY SERVICE	Reserved Officier, Second Lieutenant of Mechanized Infantry, R.O.C. (Taiwan) Army	2012-13	

PROGRAMMING SKILLS

Document Preparation: LaTeX/Overleaf/Beamer, R Markdown, Pandoc, HTML & CSS

Statistical Computation: Stata, R / Posit (RStudio) / Quarto (Posit Cloud), SAS, IBM SPSS, EViews

Other Rs: R Markdown, ggmap (geocode), rvest(web scraping), xaringan (R slides) Economic (CGE) Model: Dynare, GTAP / RunGTAP / GEMPACK / GTAP-RD

Version Control: Git, GitHub

Scientific Calculation: Matlab, Julia

Other Programming Languages: C, Python

LANGUAGES

Traditional Chinese/Mandarin (native), English (proficient like native)