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PERSONAL INFORMATION

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EDUCATION

1994 Ph.D., Economics, University of Chicago
1987 B.A., Economics, *Magna Cum Laude*, University of California, Los Angeles
1984 International Baccalaureate, United World College, Trieste, Italy

FIELDS OF INTEREST

Economic Development and Growth
Labor and Demographic Economics
Economics of China and Transition

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Academic Positions:

2013– Dale S. Coenen Free Enterprise Professor, Darden School of Business, UVA
2012– Professor, Darden School of Business, UVA
2013–16 Chang Jiang Professorship, Antai College of Economics and Management,
Shanghai Jiao Tong University, China
2007–12 Professor, Department of Economics, Chinese University of Hong Kong (CUHK)
2006–07 Professor, Department of Economics, Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State
University (Virginia Tech); 2001–2005, Associate Professor

1994–2001 Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, Duke University
 2010– Research Fellow, Institute for the Study of Labor (IZA), Germany
 2012–20 Senior Fellow, Economic Research Center, Hong Kong Institute of Asia-Pacific Studies, CUHK
 2005–14 Senior Fellow, Center for China in the World Economy, Tsinghua University
 2007–13 Senior Fellow, China Center for Public Finance, Peking University
 2006–12 Senior Advisor and Research Director, China Center for Economics and Business, The Conference Board
 2010–11 Visiting Research Fellow, Hong Kong Institute of Monetary Research
 1999–2001 Senior Research Fellow, Center for Demographic Studies, Duke University
 1996 Visiting Research Fellow, China Center for Economic Research, Peking University
 1993 Lecturer, Department of Economics, Duke University
 1991 Visiting Research Fellow, Chinese Academy of Social Sciences

Editorial Positions:

2014– Associate Editor, Journal of Demographic Economics
 2003– Member of Editorial Advisory Board, Pacific Economic Review
 2001– Member of Editorial Advisory Board, China Economic Review
 2014–18 Editorial Advisory Board, Journal of Demographic Economics
 2013–17 Member of Editorial Advisory Board, Comparative Economic Studies
 2003–09 Member of Editorial Advisory Board, Comparative Economic Studies

Other University and Academic Services:

2015– Academic Director, The Asian Initiative, Darden School of Business
 2017– Member, Professional Degrees Program Committee, Darden School of Business
 2021– Member, University of Virginia Library Committee
 2021– Member, Investment Advisory Committee, Glenmore Community Association
 2018– Member, Dual Degree Committee of MBA and MA in East Asian Studies, UVA
 2018–19 Chair, GEM Search Committee, Darden School of Business
 2015–19 Member, Academic Advisory Committee, School of Economics and Social Studies, Jinan University, China.
 2014–18 Member, Academic Advisory Committee, Shanghai Institute for National Economy, Shanghai Jiao Tong University, China
 2014–17 Member, MBA Program Committee, Darden School of Business
 2011–16 Member, Expert Advisory Committee, Division of Management Sciences, the National Natural Science Foundation of China
 2014 President, Association for Comparative Economic Studies
 2013 President-elect, Association for Comparative Economic Studies
 2011–12 Vice President, Hong Kong Economic Association; 2007– 12, Member of Executive Committee
 2010–12 Executive Board, Association for Comparative Economic Studies
 2009–12 Member of International Academic Committee of Fudan Yangzi Delta Social

- Transition Survey, Fudan University
- 2010–12 Co-Director, Economic Research Center, and Director, Trade and Development Program, Hong Kong Institute of Asia-Pacific Studies
- 2011–12 Director, CUHK, Dual Master Degree Program in Economics and Finance of CUHK and Peking University HSBC Business School
- 2010–12 Member, Organizing Committee, CUHK–Fudan–Tsinghua Annual Conference on the Chinese Economy
- 2011–12 Member, Steering Committee for establishing a program on Contemporary China Studies across the Faculty of Social Sciences and of Arts and Humanities, CUHK
- 2008–12 Member of Program Board in Chinese Studies, CUHK
- 2008–12 Taught Program Committee, Center of East Asia Studies, CUHK
- 2009–12 Academic Personnel Committee, Department of Economics, CUHK
- 2007–12 Seminar Committee Chair, Department of Economics, CUHK
- 2007–12 Executive Committee, Department of Economics, CUHK
- 2007–08 Recruiting Committee, Department of Economics, CUHK
- 2006–08 Member of Special Task Force on Chinese Studies, Virginia Tech
- 2006–07 Chairman, Recruiting Committee, Department of Economics, Virginia Tech
- 2003–07 Executive Committee, Department of Economics, Virginia Tech
- 2002–07 Co-organizer, Applied Economics Seminars, Virginia Tech
- 2004–07 Faculty Annual Review Committee, Department of Economics, Virginia Tech
- 2004–06 Cluster Hiring Committee, College of Science, Virginia Tech
- 2003 Research Advisory Committee of College of Science, Virginia Tech
- 2003–07 International Research Advisory Committee, Virginia Tech
- 2004 Economics and Applied Economics Cluster Hiring Committee, Virginia Tech
- 2003–04 Merger Committee, Economics Department and Agricultural and Applied Economics Department, Virginia Tech
- 2002–07 Graduate Program Committee, Department of Economics, Virginia Tech
- 2000–01 Associate Director, Center for Chinese Populations and Socioeconomic Studies, Duke University
- 1998–2001 Executive Committee, Asian/Pacific Studies Institute, Duke University
- 1997–2000 Advisory Committee, Center for International Studies, Duke University
- 1995–99 Chair, Chinese Data Center, Duke University

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- EMBA, Global Economies and Markets, Darden School, UVA, 2013–
- MBA elective, Growth and Business in Emerging Markets, Darden School, UVA, 2018–
- MBA elective, China in the World Economy, Darden School, UVA, 2015–
- MBA first-year core, Global Economies and Markets, Darden School, UVA, 2012–17
- Global Leadership Explorations, EMBA/GEMBA program, Darden School, UVA, 2016–17
- Graduate development economics, Virginia Tech, 2001–06; CUHK, 2008–12
- Graduate labor economics, Duke University, 1994–2000
- Graduate, methods in applied economics, Virginia Tech, 2006–07
- Graduate applied microeconomics, Virginia Tech, 2002–06

M.A. level microeconomics, Duke University, 1993–97
Economics of China, Duke University, 1993–2001; Virginia Tech, 2002–07; CUHK, 2007–12
Intermediate microeconomics, University of Chicago, 1989; Virginia Tech, 2001–2005

HONORS, AWARDS, AND FELLOWSHIPS

- 2021 Darden EMBA Exceptional Teaching Recognition for “Global Economies and Markets”
- 2019 Darden EMBA Exceptional Teaching Recognition for “Global Economies and Markets”
- 2018 Faculty Marshall, Executive MBA Class of 2018, UVA
- 2018 Transformational Leadership Award, EMBA Programs, 2018, UVA
- 2018 Nominee, Faculty Diversity Award, MBA Programs, 2018, UVA
- 2017 Distinguished Faculty Speaker, Office of Engagement, UVA
- 2016 Darden Exceptional Teaching Recognition for “China in the World Economy”
- 2016 Darden Exceptional Teaching Recognition for “Global Economies and Markets”
- 2015 Darden Exceptional Teaching Recognition for “China in the World Economy”
- 2015 Gregory Chow Best Paper Award for “Volatility and Economic Systems: Evidence from a Large Transitional Economy” (with B. Wang), Chinese Economist Society
- 2013–16 Chang Jiang Scholar Professorship, awarded by China’s Ministry of Education
- 2014 President, elected by the Association for Comparative Economic Studies
- 2013 Nominated by Shanghai Jiaotong University for the “Thousand Talent Plan” visiting professorship in China
- 2011 Exemplary Teaching Award Nominee, Faculty of Social Science, CUHK
- 2010–13 Member, Executive Board of the Association for Comparative Economic Studies
- 2005 Graduate Teacher of the Year, Department of Economics, Virginia Tech
- 2004 Undergraduate Teacher of the Year, Department of Economics, Virginia Tech
- 1996 World Bank-Peking University Fellow, May–August
- 1994 Best paper selection, the Chinese Economists Society
- 1987–92 Century and Prince Fellowships, University of Chicago
- 1990 Ford Foundation Dissertation Fellowship
- 1989 PEW Fellowship, University of Chicago
- 1985–87 World Bank College Scholar
- 1986– Omicron Delta Epsilon (honor society in Economics)
- 1982–84 Italian/Chinese Government Scholarship

PUBLICATIONS

I. Books Edited

China’s Economic Development, co-editors with Josef C. Brada and Paul Wachtel, New York: Palgrave Macmillan Publisher (2014).

Has China Passed the Lewisian Turning Point?, co-editors with Cai Fang and Huang Yiping, Beijing, China: Social Sciences Academic Press (2012, in Chinese).

Policy Reform and Chinese Markets: Progress and Challenges, co-editors with Belton Fleisher, Nick Hope and Anita Pena, Northampton, U.S.A: Edward Elgar Publishing (2008).

How Far Across the River? Chinese Policy Reform at the Millennium, co-editors with Nick Hope and Mu Y. Li, Stanford, U.S.A.: Stanford University Press (2003).

II. Articles in Journals

“Population Policies, Demographic Structural Changes, and the Chinese Household Saving Puzzle” (with Suqin Ge and Junsen Zhang), European Economic Review Vol. 101 (2018): 181-209.

“Mandatory Retirement and the Consumption Puzzle: Disentangling Price and Quantity Declines” (with Yingying Dong), Economic Inquiry Vol. 55, Issue 4, October (2017): 1738–1758.

“Expanding Export Variety: The Role of Institutional Reforms in Developing Countries” (with Liugang Sheng), Journal of Development Economics Vol. 118, January (2016): 45-58.

“Changes in China’s Wage Structure” (with Suqin Ge), Journal of European Economic Association Vol. 12, No.2 (2014): 1-37.

“Modernization of Agriculture and Long-Term Growth” (with Xiaodong Zhu), Journal of Monetary Economics Vol. 60, Issue 3 (2013): 367-382.

“Aggregate Savings and External Imbalances in China,” Journal of Economic Perspectives, Vol. 26, No. 4 (2012): 125-146.

“Labor Market Development in China: A Neoclassical View” (with Suqin Ge), China Economic Review Vol. 22, Issue 4 (2011): 611-625.

“Rising Wages: Has China Lost Its Global Labor Advantage?” (with Vivian Chen and Ryan Monarch), Pacific Economic Review Vol.15, Issue 4 (2010): 482–504.

“Agricultural Price Reforms in China: Experience from the Past Three Decades” (with Yuanfang Li), Agroalimentaria No. 27, July–December Issue (2008): 17–27.

“Agriculture and Aggregate Productivity: A Quantitative Cross-Country Analysis” (with Diego Restuccia and Xiaodong Zhu), Journal of Monetary Economics Vol. 55, Issue 2 (2008): 234–250.

“China’s Agricultural Crisis and Famine of 1959-61: A Survey and Comparison to Soviet Famines,” Comparative Economic Studies Vol. 50, Issue 1 (2008): 1–29.

“Problems of China’s Rural Labor Markets and Rural-Urban Migration” (with Belton Fleisher), The Chinese Economy Vol. 39, No. 3 (2006): 6–25.

“The Great Leap Forward: Anatomy of a Central Planning Disaster” (with Wei Li), Journal of Political Economy Vol. 113, No. 4 (2005): 840–877.

“Determinants of Schooling Returns during Transition: Evidence from Chinese Cities,” Journal of Comparative Economics Vol. 33 (2005): 244–264.

“Education and Allocative Efficiency: Household Income Growth during Rural Reforms in China,” Journal of Development Economics Vol. 74, No. 1 (2004): 137–162.

“Transformations in China’s Population Policies and Demographic Structure” (with Dandan Chen), Pacific Economic Review Vol. 9, No. 3 (2004): 269–290.

“Labor Laws and Regulations in China” (with Belton Fleisher), China Economic Review Vol. 14, No. 4 (2003): 426–433.

“Human Capital, Entrepreneurship, and Farm Household Earnings” (with Mark An), Journal of Development Economics, Vol. 68, No. 1 (2002): 65–88.

“What Has Caused Regional Inequality in China?” China Economic Review, Vol. 13, No. 4 (2002): 331–334.

“Carrots and Sticks: Fertility Effects of China’s Population Policies” (with Marjorie McElroy), American Economic Review, Vol. 90, No. 2 (May, 2000): 389–392.

“Food Availability, Entitlement and the Chinese Famine of 1959-61” (with Justin Lin), Economic Journal, Vol. 110, No. 1 (2000): 136–158.

“Urban–Biased Policies and Rising Income Inequality in China,” American Economic Review, Vol. 89, No. 2 (May, 1999): 306–10.

“Rural–Urban Disparity and Sectoral Labor Allocation in China” (with Hao Zhou), Journal of Development Studies, Vol. 35, No. 3 (1999): 105–133; reprinted in The Workers’ State Meets the Market: Labor in China’s Transition, edited by Sarah Cook and Maggie Maurer-Fazio, London: Frank Cass Publisher (1999): 105–133.

“On the Causes of China’s Agricultural Crisis and the Great Leap Famine” (with Justin Lin), China Economic Review, Vol. 9, No. 2 (1998): 125–140.

“Education in Production: Measuring Labor Quality and Management,” American Journal of Agricultural Economics, Vol. 79, No. 3 (1997): 764–772.

“China’s Land Arrangements and Rural Labor Mobility,” China Economic Review, Vol. 8, No. 2 (1997): 101–15.

“Education and Off-Farm Work,” Economic Development and Cultural Change, Vol. 45, No. 3 (1997): 613–32.

III. Chapters in Books

“China’s High Saving Puzzle” (with Guonan Ma), in Oxford Companion to the Economics of China, edited by Shenggen Fan, Ravi Kanbur, Shang-Jin Wei and Xiaobo Zhang. Oxford: Oxford University Press (2014): 190–193.

“Why Are Saving Rates So High in China?” (with Junsen Zhang and Shaojie Zhou), in Capitalizing China, edited by Joseph Fan and Randall Morck. Chicago: The National Bureau of Economic Research (NBER), University of Chicago Press (2012): 249–278.

“Wages and Returns to Education in Chinese Cities,” in Human Capital for Economic Development in China, edited by Gordon Liu, Shufang Zhang and Zongyi Zhang, New Jersey: The World Scientific Publishing Co. (2010).

“Introduction” (with Belton Fleisher, Nick Hope and Anita Pena), in Policy Reform and Chinese Markets: Progress and Challenges, edited by Belton Fleisher, Nick Hope, Anita Pena and Dennis T. Yang, Northampton, USA: Edward Elgar Publishing (2008).

“China’s Evolving Labor Market” (with Belton Fleisher), in Policy Reform and Chinese Markets: Progress and Challenges, edited by Belton Fleisher, Nick Hope, Anita Pena and Dennis T. Yang, Northampton, USA: Edward Elgar Publishing (2008).

“Policy Reforms, Private Enterprise Development and Rural Household Earnings” (with Weijia Chen), in Private Enterprise and China’s Economic Development, edited by Shuanglin Lin, Routledge Publisher (2007).

“The Political Economy of China’s Rural–Urban Divide” (with Fang Cai), in How Far Across the River? Chinese Policy Reform at the Millennium, edited by Nick Hope, Dennis T. Yang and Mu Yang, Stanford: Stanford University Press (2003): 389–416.

“Policy Reform in China” (with Nick Hope and Mu Y. Li), in How Far Across the River? Chinese Policy Reform at the Millennium, edited by Nick Hope, Dennis T. Yang and Mu Y. Li, Stanford: Stanford University Press (2003): 1-28.

“Agenda for Future Research” (with Nick Hope and Mu Y. Li), How Far Across the

River? Chinese Policy Reform at the Millennium, edited by Nick Hope, Dennis T. Yang and Mu Y. Li, Stanford: Stanford University Press (2003): 471–481.

“The Effects of Institutions on Worker Mobility and Labor Market Efficiency,” in The Reformability of China’s State Sector, edited by James G. Wen and Dianqing Xu, New Jersey: World Scientific Publisher (1997): 347–364.

IV. Proceedings, Opinion Pieces and Book Reviews

“More than Flipping a Switch—The US in the World Under A Biden Administration” (with Peter Debaere), Darden Idea to Action, February 2021.

“Predicting Unpredictability in Chinese Equity Markets” (joint with Richard B. Evans and Jay Hodgkins), Darden Ideas to Action, January, 2016.

“Boom and Bust: China’s Stock Market Turmoil” (with Richard B. Evans and Jay Hodgkins), Darden Ideas to Action, September, 2015.

“Mandatory Retirement and the Consumption Puzzle: Price Declines or Quantity Declines?” Research Digest, Asian Bureau of Finance and Economics Research, Singapore, August, 2015.

“Growing Family Business in Emerging Markets,” Darden Ideas to Action, July, 2015.

“Insights on China: How Agriculture Drives Socioeconomic Change,” Darden Ideas to Action, April, 2014.

“Understanding Low Returns to Education in China,” in Conference Proceedings for 2005CES International Conference on Sustainable Economic Growth in China, Chongqing, China: Chongqing University Press (2005): 481–491.

Social Change and Social Policy in Contemporary China, editors. Linda Wong and Stewart MacPherson, Social Service Review (December, 1996).

“Assessing Trends in the Rate of Return to Education in China” (with David Hoffman and Qiaoqin Li), China Quick Note, The Conference Board China Center for Economics and Business (August, 2008).

“China’s Rising Wages: Where is China in the Asian Labor Cost Environment?” China Insight, The Conference Board China Center for Economics and Business (February, 2008).

“China’s New Labor Contract Law: How Will It Affect the Operating Environment for Domestic and Foreign Business in China?” China Insight, The Conference Board China Center for Economics and Business (April, 2008).

V. Business Cases and Teaching Notes

“China's Stock Market: Understanding Its Boom-and-Bust Cycles” (with Evans, Richard, Qian, Junjian). Case Number: UVA-F-1985 (July, 2021)

“Teaching Note: China's Stock Market: Understanding Its Boom-and-Bust Cycles” (with Allen, James, Yemen, Gerry). Case Number: UVA-F-1985TN (December, 2021)

“Teaching Note: China Supply Chain and COVID-19” (with Sesia, Aldo). Case Number: GEM-0184TN (March, 2021)

“China Supply Chain and COVID-19” (with Jiming, Ha, Sesia, Aldo, Yemen, Gerry). Case number: UVA-GEM-0184 (December, 2020)

“Teaching Note: The United States–China Trade War: Deal or No Deal?” (with Holtz, Paul). Case Number: GEM-0175TN. (June, 2020)

“The United States–China Trade War: Deal or No Deal?” Case Number: UVA-GEM-0175 (with Ha, Jimmy, Holtz, Paul and Yemen, Gerry). (March, 2020)

WORKING PAPERS AND WORKS IN PROGRESS

“Offshoring and Wage Inequality: Theory and Evidence from China” (with Liugang Sheng), revise-and-resubmit at [European Economic Review](#).

“Changes in Female Labor Force Participating in Urban China: 1988-2009” (with Suqin Ge).

“Coping with Health Shocks under Informal and Public Insurance: Evidence from China” (with Chun-Yu Ho, Xin Li and Qinghua Shi).

“Life Cycle Earnings and Savings in A Fast-Growing Economy” (with Zheng Song).

“Economic Structural Change and Family Investments in Children” (with Xiaodong Zhu).

“Household Production and Parental Investment in Children” (with Xiaodong Zhu).

“Volatility and Economic Systems: Evidence from a Large Transitional Economy” (with Boqun Wang)

“China’s 40 Years of Economic Reforms and Growth” (with S. Maiden and P. Hotz), draft business case.

PUBLICATIONS IN CHINESE

“Interview with Darden Professor Dennis Yang: How to Overcome the Middle Income Trap,” 21 Century Business Review (in Chinese), August, 2015.

“Using Markets to Tackle Microeconomic Challenges,” International Financial Herald (in Chinese), March, 2015.

“China’s High Savings and External Imbalances: Causes and Policies” (with Chuantao Cui and Leona Li), Journal of Financial Market Research (2013).

“Introduction” (with Fang Cai and Yiping Huang), in Has China Passed the Lewisian Turning Point?, edited by Fang Cai, Dennis T. Yang and Yiping Huang. Beijing: China Social Sciences Press (2012).

“Neoclassical Theory and the Development of Labor Markets in China” (with Suqin Ge), in Has China Passed the Lewisian Turning Point?, edited by Fang Cai, Dennis T. Yang and Yiping Huang. Beijing: China Social Sciences Press (2012).

“The Causes of China’s Great Famine: Centralization, Planning Failure, and Political Rationality,” China Economic Quarterly Vol.9, Issue 3 (2010): 1143–1150.

“Emerging Challenges to China’s Economic Growth,” China and World Affairs Issue 2 (2008): 181–186.

“The Integration of China’s Urban Labor Markets” (with Wilson Liugang Sheng), China Economic Quarterly Vol. 6, No. 3 (2007): 817–840.

“The Sources of Economic Growth,” in Lectures by Well-known Scholars, Lecture Series of Frontier Economic Research, edited by Guoqiang Tian, Shanghai: Shanghai University of Finance and Economics Press (2006): 156–177.

“Rural Household Income Growth during Economics Reforms in China” (with Weijia Chen), in Private Enterprises and China’s Economic Development, edited by Shuanglin Lin, Zhenzhong Wang, and Zunsheng Yin, Beijing: Peking University Press (2006): 77–90.

“On the Economic Analysis of China’s Great Leap Forward,” China Journal of Economics Vol. 1, No. 1 (2005).

“Fertility Effects of China’s Population Controls and Policy Choices” (with Marjorie McElroy), Chinese Journal of Population Science, No. 3 (2000): 18–22.

“The Political Economy of Rural-Urban Income Inequality” (with Fang Cai), Social

Sciences in China, No. 4 (2000): 11–22.

“Western Theories of Labor Migration and Part–time Farming and Rural Labor Force transfers in China,” in Rural Labor Force Transfers in China, edited by Jiyuan Chen and Dechang Yu, Beijing: People's Publisher (1993).

“On Off-farm Employment Behaviors of Rural Households and the Transfer of Rural Labor Force in China” (with Fang Cai), Chinese Rural Economy (1991).

UNPUBLISHED WORK

“Knowledge Spillovers and Labor Assignments of the Farm Household,” Ph.D. dissertation, The University of Chicago (January 1994).

RESEARCH GRANTS

Principle Investigator, “Fertility and Educational Investment in Children: The Impact of Structural Transformation,” Hong Kong Research Grants Council, Competitive Earmarked Research Grant. July 1, 2011 to July 1, 2013.

Principle Investigator, “Globalization, Institutional Reforms and Wage Growth in China,” Hong Kong Research Grants Council, Competitive Earmarked Research Grant. July 1, 2010 to December 31, 2012.

Principle Investigator, “Rising Labor Costs and Rural–Urban Migration in China,” South China Research Program, Hong Kong Institute of Asian-Pacific Studies. May 1, 2011 to July 31, 2012.

Principle Investigator, “Economic Structural Change and Family Investments in Children,” Social Science Research Panel, CUHK. January 1, 2010 to December 31, 2011.

Principle Investigator, “Population Policies, Pensions, and Habit Formation: Resolving the Chinese Saving Puzzle,” Hong Kong Research Grants Council, Competitive Earmarked Research Grant. July 1, 2008 to December 31, 2010.

Principle Investigator, “Globalization and Rising Wages in Mainland China,” Chiang Ching–Kou Foundation for International Scholarly Exchange, North American Office. July 1, 2008 to June 30, 2010.

Principle Investigator, “Globalization and China’s Evolving Labor Market,” Social Science Research Panel, CUHK. January 1, 2008 to June 30, 2009.

Principle Investigator, “Economic Analysis of China’s Population Policies,”

Asian/Pacific Studies Institute, Duke University, 2003 and 2007.

Co-Principal Investigator, “Fertility, Family Behavior, and Welfare: Mainland China’s One-Child Policy,” Chiang Ching-Kou Foundation for International Scholarly Exchange, North American Office, Provost Office at Duke University. July 1996 to July 2000.

Arts and Sciences Research Council Grant, Duke University, 1995, 1996, 1998, 2000.

Principal Investigator, “Economic Reforms and Allocative Efficiency: Household Income Growth in Rural China,” Trent Foundation. January 1998 to January 1999.

Co-Investigator, “Acquisition and Analysis of Population Census of China,” Luce Foundation and CCK Foundation, January 1996 to December 1996.

Principal investigator, “Carrying Capacity and the Formation of Population Densities,” The World Bank, May 1996 to August 1996.

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS AND ACTIVITIES

Consultant for

World Bank, Housing Markets and Labor Market Development, 1994, 2003, 2004
The Conference Board, Productivity Differences across Countries, 2006
Venezuelan Chamber of Food Industries, Market and Price Reforms in Venezuela, 2008

Referee for

American Economic Journal: Macroeconomics, American Economic Review, American Journal of Agricultural Economics, China Economic Review, Comparative Economic Systems, Contemporary Economic Policy, Demography, Econometrica, Economic Development and Cultural Change, Economics of Transition, Economic Systems, Growth and Change, History of Political Economy, International Economic Review, Journal of Comparative Economics, Journal of Economic Growth, Journal of Development Economics, Journal of Development Studies, Journal of Human Capital, Journal of Human Resources, Journal of Political Economy, Journal of Population Economics, McGraw-Hill, Inc., National Science Foundation, Pacific Economic Review, Peterson Institute of International Studies, Research Grant Council of Hong Kong, Review of Economic Studies, Review of Economics and Statistics, Review of Income and Wealth, Social Biology, Social Science Research Council, Southern Economic Journal, World Bank Development Review, and World Development

Membership American Economic Association, 1989–
Chinese Economists Society, 1991–
Hong Kong Economists Association, 2007–
Population Association of America, 1994–

SUPERVISION OF THESES

Ph.D. Committee Chair

1994–Present Shaozhi Li, Chuantao Cui, Bei Luo, Blair Mongado, Vivian Chen, Rushad Faridi, Keith Bender,

Ph.D. Committee Member

2001–Present Pingyu He, Ning Zhang, Kelvin Wong, Elton Mykerezi, Eftila Tanellari, Chengqiu Wu, Andreas, Koutris and Marenglen Marku, Fuzhi Chen, and Yan Liang, Dawood Souri, Maria S. Heracleous, Jeffrey, Edwards and Octavio Maza

1994–2000 Melissa Koenig, Vladimir Pantyushin, Dandan Chen, Peter J. Rankin, Selin Sayek, Geoffrey Gee, Beth Kulas, Dong-Ick Lee, Anup Wadhawan, Subitha Subramaniam, Leonardo Giacchino, Minica Rubio and Erik Weisman, Julie Anne-Marie Cronin, Ahmet Kipici, Mei Hsu, Zhonglan Dai, Omer Gokcekus, Han-Young Lie, Kimberly Neuhauser, Shawn Welch

Supervision or Participation in M.A. Thesis Committee

1994–2012 Jackie Si Tou and Junlei Zhu, Lily Ling Yang, Boqun Wang, Jiang Yuan and Nancy Wu, Chengqiu Wu, Lingjun Wang, Tien-Chi Cindy Chang, Han-Qing Liou, Cheryl Lin, Tsai-Ping Hsieh, Andrew Park and Kimberly Murray, Lei Tan and Hag-Soo Kim

Supervision of Honors Theses, Independent Studies and MBA Projects

1993–Present Edward Carden, Chien-Fu Chen, Jessica Gilmore, Jeff Allen, Jeremiah McCloud, Rodrigo Figueiredo Barbosa, Hang Sang Tang, William Kerins, Eddy Tam, Ole Grogro, Blair Mongado, Rushad Faridi, Jane Materna, Shuwen Ng, Andrew Chang, Brandon Garson, Mae Rogers, Adriana Rondon, Maxwell Axel, Richard Lin, Peggy Cheng, Shanon Schieber, Matthew Maillian, Eric Mendoza, Charles Kang and Rohit Gajendradkar