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### EDUCATION

Ph.D. Economics, University of Washington, Seattle, WA, June 2002.

### RESEARCH FOCUS

Empirical Macroeconomics, Applied Time Series.

### TEACHING FIELDS

Macroeconomics, Econometrics, Monetary Economics, International  
Macroeconomics.

### EXPERIENCE

#### *Academic Appointments:*

Associate Professor, Department of Economics, West Virginia University,  
Morgantown, WV, 2009 - present.

Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, West Virginia University,  
Morgantown, WV, 2003 - 2009.

Visiting Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, Wellesley College,  
Wellesley, MA, 2002 - 2003.

### RESEARCH

#### *Refereed Journal Articles:*

1. Why Were Changes in the Federal Funds Rate Smaller in the 1990s? (With Richard Startz), *Journal of Applied Econometrics*, 19(3), 339-54, 2004.
2. Estimates of Output Gap from a Forward-looking New-Keynesian Phillips Curve. (With Charles Nelson), *Journal of Monetary Economics* 54(2), 498-511, 2007.
3. Trend-Cycle Correlation, Drift Break and the Estimation of Trend and Cycle in Canadian GDP, *Canadian Journal of Economics*, 40(2), 584-606, 2007.
4. Measuring the NAIRU with Improved Uncertainty: A Multiple Indicator-Common Factor Approach. (With Richard Startz), *Review of Economics and Statistics*, 90(4), 805-11, 2008.

5. Macroeconomic Cycles and Stock Market's Reaction to Monetary Policy (With Alexander Kurov), *Journal of Banking and Finance*, 32, 2606-16, 2008.

6. Hours per Capita and Productivity: Evidence from Correlated Unobserved Components Model, *Journal of Applied Econometrics*, 24(1), 187-206, 2009.

***Working Papers:***

1. A Comparison of Business Cycle Regime Nowcasting Performance between Real-time and Revised Data.
2. Estimating Earnings Trend from Unobserved Components Model (with Alexander Kurov).
3. Sensitivity of the NAIRU estimates to the Inflation Equation Modeling (with James Morley).

***Grants and Awards:***

1. Outstanding Researcher Award, College of Business and Economics, 2007-08.
2. Summer Research Grant, College of Business and Economics, 2006.
3. Summer Research Grant, College of Business and Economics, 2007.
4. Senate Faculty Research Grant, West Virginia University, 2007.
5. Grover and Creta Ensley Fellowship, University of Washington.

***Academic Proceedings:***

1. Foreign Aid and Export performance: A Panel Data Analysis of Developing Countries (With Jonathan Munemo and Subhayu Bandyopadhyay), in *Theory and Practice of Foreign Aid*, (edited by Sajal Lahiri), Elsevier Science, 2007.

***Textbook:***

1. Study Guide to Macroeconomics (9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> ed.) by R. Dornbusch, S. Fischer and R. Startz; McGraw-Hill.

***Research Seminars:***

University of Alabama, (December 2002); West Virginia University (March 2003); George Washington University (November 2003); University of Kansas (April, 2007); Purdue University (April, 2008); Monash University (May, 2008); University of Western Australia (May, 2008).

***Recent Conferences:***

2005: Society for Computational Economics and Finance, June; Midwest Econometrics Group, October.

2006: Society for Non-Linear Dynamics and Econometrics, March; Midwest Macroeconomics Meetings, May; Econometric Society Summer Meetings, June; Midwest Econometrics Group, October.

2007: Far-Eastern Meetings of the Econometric Society, July; Midwest Econometrics Group, October.

2008: Society for Non-Linear Dynamics and Econometrics, April; Society for Computational Economics and Finance, June; Midwest Econometrics Group, October.

## **TEACHING**

### ***Undergraduate Courses Taught:***

Principles of Microeconomics, (at University of Washington and WVU).

Principles of Macroeconomics, (at University of Washington and Wellesley College).

Intermediate Microeconomics, (at University of Washington and WVU).

Intermediate Macroeconomics, (at University of Washington and WVU).

Money and Banking (at WVU).

Introductory Econometrics, (at Wellesley College).

Advanced Econometrics (at Wellesley College).

### ***Graduate Courses Taught:***

International Macroeconomics, (at WVU).

Monetary Economics, (at WVU).

Macroeconomics II, (at WVU).

Research Design/Methodology (at WVU).

### ***PhD Student Advising:***

Jorge Guillen, Harumi Hattori, Christine Harrington, Ellis Heath, Dayoung Huang, Zhaodan Huang, Lilian Kamal, Seth Kopchak, Sudeshna Pal, Aziz Saglam, Cesar Sobrino, Chaiwuth Tangsomchai, Fang Wang, Kwasi Yeobah, Javed Younas.

### ***M.A. (Economics) Research Supervision:***

Anthony Gregory, Sudeshna Pal, Cesar Sobrino, Fang Wang, Pavel Yakovlev, Kwasi Yeobah.

### ***Graduate Exam Committees:***

Core Macroeconomics Comprehensive Exam Committee, International

Economics Field Exam Committee, Monetary Economics Field exam Committee.

## **SERVICE**

### ***Internal Service Activities:***

Undergraduate Studies Committee, 2003 - 2008; Faculty Hiring Committee, 2004-2005; Faculty Hiring Committee, 2006-2007; Faculty Hiring Committee, 2007-2008; Faculty Hiring Committee, 2008-2009; Academic Standards Committee, 2008 - present; College Policies and Procedures Committee, 2008 – present, Graduate Studies Committee, 2009 – present.

### ***External Service Activities:***

Referee/Reviewer for Journals/Publishers/Grants

B.E. Journal of Macroeconomics, Blackwell-Wiley, Empirical Economics, International Journal of Forecasting, Journal of Economic Dynamics and Control, Journal of Banking and Finance, Journal of Business and Economic Statistics, Journal of Macroeconomics, International Journal of Business and Economics, Economic Modelling, Macroeconomic Dynamics, McGraw Hill, National Science Foundation.

**PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS**

American Economic Association, Econometric Society.

**REFERENCES**

Available upon request.