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### **EDUCATION**

**Ph.D.**, Economics, University of Washington, (December 2003)  
**M.A.**, Economics, University of Washington (2002)

### **AREAS OF INTEREST**

Macroeconomics, Economic Growth, Computational Economics

### **RESEARCH**

“Public and Private Production in a Two-Sector Economy” (co-authored with Stephen Turnovsky), *Journal of Macroeconomics*, 28(2), 273-302 (June 2006)  
“Congestion and Fiscal Policy in a Two-Sector Economy with Public Capital: A Quantitative Assessment “ (co-authored with Stephen Turnovsky), *Computational Economics*, 28 (2), 177-209 (September 2006)  
“Technological Complexity and Economic Growth” (co-authored with Peter Thompson), *Review of Economic Dynamics*, 10(2), 276-293 (April 2007)  
“Sorting, Selection, and Industry’s Shakeouts” (co-authored with Peter Thompson), *Review of Industrial Organization*, 33(1), 23-40 (August 2008)  
“A Quantitative Exploration of the Golden Age of European Growth” (co-authored with Francisco Alvarez-Cuadrado), forthcoming *Journal of Economic Dynamics and Control*

### **WORK IN PROGRESS**

“Keeping up with the Joneses with Multiple Reference Groups and Female Labor Participation”  
“Leisure Externalities: Implications for Growth and Welfare”  
“Optimal Fall and Recovery of Output in Transition Economies”

### **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

Development Economics: Theory (Ph.D. level), Fundamentals of Graduate Macroeconomics (Ph.D. level), International Macroeconomics, Intermediate Macroeconomics, Principles of Macroeconomics

### **WORK EXPERIENCE**

Assistant Professor at Florida International University, Miami (starting 2004)

Visiting Assistant Professor at Florida International University (2003-2004)

## **ACADEMIC SERVICE**

**Refereed for:** Journal of Macroeconomics, Journal of Economic Dynamics and Control, Macroeconomic Dynamics, International Tax and Public Finance, Journal of Money, Credit and Banking, Economics Bulletin, Southern Economic Journal, Journal of International Money and Finance, Review of Economic Dynamics

**Ph.D. dissertation committee member for:** Ioana Popovici (2007), Ramon Gonzalez (2008), Yan Shu (2008), Ana Franco, Daniel Murgo, Thomas Snyder, Man Fu

Macroeconomics Qualifier Committee member (2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008)

Search and Screen Committee member (2006, 2007)

**Professional affiliations:** American Economic Association, Econometric Society

## **HONORS**

FIU College of Arts and Sciences Summer Research Competition Award (2007)

Henry T. Buechel Memorial Fellowship (2002)

James O. York. Fellowship for Economics (1999)

European Studies scholarship received through the SOCRATES program at Universita Cattolica del Sacro Cuore, Milan, Italy (1999)

Scholarship received from The Fund for American Studies to attend the American Institute on Political and Economic Systems, Prague, the Czech Republic (1998)

## **ACADEMIC PRESENTATIONS**

North American Summer Meeting of the Econometric Society, Boston, June 2009

Midwest Macroeconomics Meetings, Indiana University, Bloomington, May 2009

Macro Workshop, University of Washington, August 2008

Southern Economic Association Meeting, Charleston, November 2006

North American Summer Meeting of the Econometric Society, Minnesota, June 2006

International Conference on Computing in Economics and Finance (2004, 2005)

Spring Meeting of Young Economists, Leuven, Belgium, April 2003

HEC Montreal (2003)

Northeastern University, Boston, February 2003

University of Washington, November 2002

## **COMPUTER SKILLS**

Extensive experience with MATLAB, E-views, Mathematica and Microsoft Office

Working knowledge of STATA

## **LANGUAGES**

Fluent in Romanian (native), English and French and working knowledge of Italian