

Curriculum Vitae

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POSITIONS HELD

Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, The Chinese University of Hong Kong, 2002-present.

EDUCATION

Ph.D., Economics, Northwestern University, Evanston, Illinois, U.S.A., 1997-2002 (Advised by Professor Lawrence J. Christiano).

M.A., Economics, Renmin University of China, Beijing, China, 1993-1996.

China-U.S. Economics Training Center (*Ford Class*), 1993-1994.

B.A., Economics, Renmin University of China, Beijing, China, 1989-1993.

RESEARCH AREAS

Macroeconomics, Monetary Economics, Applied Time Series, International Economics, Financial Markets, Chinese Economy.

TEACHING

- Undergraduate Courses: Quantitative Methods II, Basic Macroeconomics, Guided Study in Current Economic Problems.
- Graduate Courses: Monetary Economics (Emphasis is placed on quantitative analysis of dynamic stochastic general equilibrium models. The teaching materials can be browsed on my personal homepage.)

PUBLICATIONS AND PAPERS UNDER REVISION

- “Residential investment and house prices in a multi-sector monetary business cycle model”, with Yi Jin, *Journal of Housing Economics*, Volume 13(4), 2004.
- “The working capital channel and cross-sector comovement”, with Yi Jin, *Journal of Economics*, Volume XXVIII, No. 1, 2002.
- “The price of size and financial market allocations”, under revision, *Economic Theory*.
- “Volatile and persistent exchange rates: how important are distribution costs”, with Yi Jin, under revision, *Journal of International Economics*.

WORKING PAPERS AND WORK IN PROGRESS

- “Asymmetric growth, nonperforming loans, and banking crisis”.
- “Banking frictions and monetary policy”.
- “Job creation and destruction with variable capital intensity”.
- “Asset dissipation and the productivity dynamics of China’s state versus nonstate sectors”.
- “Housing, credit market imperfections, and the business cycle”, with Charles Ka Yui Leung.
- “Timing and monetary transmission mechanisms”, with Qinglai Meng.
- “The working capital channel in a two-sector economy”, with Yi Jin.
- “A dynamic equilibrium model of international comovement”, with Yi Jin.
- “Endogenous supply of skills and the education premium”, with Yi Jin.
- “A panel study of international comovement based on VAR forecast errors”, with Chun Yiu Cheung.

RESEARCH GRANTS

- RGC Competitive Earmarked Grant 2003/2004, as PI, Project: “Understanding business cycle comovement”, Amount awarded: HK\$172,000, Duration: 01/12/03-30/11/05.
- Direct Grant for Research 2002-2003, as PI, Project: “Understanding business cycle comovement”, Amount awarded: HK\$56,000, Duration: 01/12/02-30/11/05.
- Direct Grant for Research 2003-2004, as PI, Project: “An investigation of exchange rate volatility and persistence”, Amount awarded: HK\$50,000, Duration: 01/01/04-31/12/05.

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS AND INVITED SEMINARS

- Midwest Macroeconomics Meetings, Iowa City, U.S.A., May 2005.
- HKEA/WEAI joint Biennial Pacific Rim Conference, Januray 2005.
- Public Economic Theory Conference, Beijing, China. August 2004.
- Society of Economics Dynamics Meetings, Florence, Italy, July 2004.
- Royal Economic Society Conference, Swansea, U.K., April 2004.
- The Australasian Meeting of the Econometric Society, Sydney, Australia, July 2003;
- The Workshop of Housing Market and the Macroeconomy: the Nexus, Hong Kong, August 2003.
- The Biennial Conference of Hong Kong Economics Association, December 2002.
- International Business and Economics Conference, De Pere, U.S.A., October 2002.
- Midwest Macroeconomics Conference, Atlanta, U.S.A., March 2001.
- Southwest Economics Association Annual Meeting, Fort Worth, U.S.A., March 2001.
- Hong Kong Baptist University, Hong Kong, April 2005.
- The University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong, December 2004, September 2002.
- Emory University, Atlanta, U.S.A., February 2002.
- The University of Kansas, Lawrence, U.S.A., October 2001.
- Board of Governors, The Federal Reserve System, Washington D.C., U.S.A., February 2002.