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Education

Ph.D., Economics, University of Oregon, Eugene, OR, June 2003.

Fields: International Economics, Industrial Organization, Macroeconomics, Econometrics. Dissertation: Three Essays on the Political Economy of US Trade Protection. Advisors: Dr. Bruce A. Blonigen (Chair), Dr. Wesley W. Wilson, Dr. Ronald B. Davies.

M.S., Economics, University of Oregon, Eugene, OR, June 2000. **B.A.**, English, Oberlin College, Oberlin, OH, December 1993.

Academic Experience

Professor – Summer 2016 - present, St. Joseph's University
Associate Professor – summer 2009 - spring 2016, St. Joseph's University
Chair, Economics Department, summer 2010 - spring 2016
Chair, International Relations Department, summer 2009 - spring 2010
Assistant Professor, fall 2003 - spring 2009, St. Joseph's University

Classes taught: International Trade, Econometrics, Economic Forecasting, Economics of Multinational Enterprises, International Economics, Industrial Organization, Ethics and Globalization, Microeconomic Theory, Managerial Economics, Principles of Microeconomics, Online Principles Microeconomics, Online Principles Macroeconomics, Economics of the Steel Industry

Graduate Lecturer, Spring 2000-Spring 2003, University of Oregon. Classes taught: Principles of Macroeconomics, Econometrics, International Economics.

Refereed Publications

- "Investor Responses to NAFTA's Cross-Border Trucking Provisions," with Ron Davies and Kasaundra Tomlin, *Journal of International Trade and Economic Development*, forthcoming.
- "Competitive Pressure, Innovation, and Trade Protection: Evidence from U.S. Patent Data," with Kara Reynolds, *World Economy*, forthcoming.
- "Does the WTO Government Procurement Agreement Influence Steel Imports?" *Journal of International Trade Law and Policy*, 15(2): 153-167, July 2016.
- "Trade Liberalization, Import Competition, and U.S. Manufacturing Investment?" with Kara Reynolds, *World Economy*, 38(11): 1763-1780, November 2015.
- "World Trade Organization Sanctions, Implementation, and Retaliation," with Kasaundra Tomlin, *Empirical Economics*, 48(2): 715-45, March 2015.
- "Innovation through Protection: Does Safeguard Protection Increase Investment in Research and Development?" with Kara Reynolds, *Southern Economic Journal*, 80(1): 205-225, July 2013.
- "Antidumping and Production-line Exit: The Case of the U.S. Steel Industry," with Bruce A. Blonigen and Wesley W. Wilson, *Review of Industrial Organization*, 42(4): 395-413, June 2013.

Refereed Publications (continued)

- "Are All Trade Protection Policies Created Equal? Empirical Evidence for Nonequivalent Market Power Effects of Tariffs and Quotas," with Bruce A. Blonigen, Justin Pierce, and Wesley W. Wilson, *Journal of International Economics*, 89(2): 369-378, March 2013.
- "Safeguards and Retaliatory Threats," with Kasaundra M. Tomlin, *Journal of Law and Economics*, 51(2): 351-276, May 2008.
- "Steel Safeguards and the Welfare of U.S. Steel Firms and Downstream Consumers of Steel: A Shareholder Wealth Perspective," with Kasaundra M. Tomlin, *Canadian Journal of Economics*, 40(3) 812-842, August 2007.
- "Self-Protection-Antidumping Duties, Collusion, and FDI," with Ronald B. Davies, *Review of International Economics*, 14(5): 741-757 (lead article), November 2006.
- "The Returns from Rent Seeking: Campaign Contributions, Firm Subsidies, and the Byrd Amendment," with Kara M. Reynolds, *Canadian Journal of Economics*, 39(4): 1345-1369, November 2006. (2007 Harry Johnson Prize for Best Article Published in the CJE).
- "Safeguards, China, and the Price of Steel," *Review of World Economics* (*Weltwirtschaftliches Archiv*), 142(2): 354-372, Summer 2006.
- "ITC Voting Behavior on Sunset Reviews," *Review of World Economics* (*Weltwirtschaftliches Archiv*), 140(3): 446-475, Fall 2004.

Other Publications

- Review of <u>Understanding Trade Law</u> by Michael Trebilcock, *World Trade Review*, 11(02): 349-352, April 2011.
- "Are All Trade Protection Policies Created Equal? Empirical Evidence for Nonequivalent Market Power Effects of Tariffs and Quotas," with Bruce Blonigen, Justin R. Pierce & Wesley W. Wilson, *NBER Working Papers* 16391, 2010.

Work in Progress

- "Antidumping Sunset Reviews and Investor Response," with Kasaundra Tomlin.
- "Trade protection and China's Steel Futures Market," with Yochanan Shachmurove.
- "Casualties of Trade Wars," with Kara Reynolds.

Refereed Conferences

- American Economics Association
 Dhiladalphia, DA, January 2018 (postar)
 - Philadelphia, PA, January 2018 (poster session)New Orleans, LA, January 2008Philadelphia, PA, January 2005 (discussant)
- Midwestern Economics Association Chicago, IL, March 2006
- Southern Economics Association

 Washington, DC, November 2018
 Tampla, FL, November 2017
 Washington, DC, November 2016
 New Orleans, November 2015
 Atlanta, GA, November 2014
 New Orleans, LA, November 2012
 Washington, DC, November 2011
 Atlanta, GA, November 2010
 San Antonio, TX, November 2009
 Washington, DC, November 2008
 Charleston, SC., November 2006 (discussant)
 Washington, DC, November 2005

Refereed Conferences (continued)

Southern Economics Association (continued)

- New Orleans, Louisiana, November 2004
- Eastern Economics Association
 - Washington, DC, March 2016 New York, NY, March 2015 Boston, MA, March 2014 New York, NY, May 2013 New York, NY, March 2007 Philadelphia, PA, March 2006
- Midwest Theory and International Economics Meetings Nashville, TN, November 2011
- International Atlantic Economics Society Philadelphia, PA, October 2013
- Association for University Business and Economic Research Salt Lake City, October 2018

Invited Seminars

- **OECD Steel Committee**, Paris, France, September, 2018
- Loyola University Maryland, Baltimore, MD, December 2015
- US International Trade Commission, Washington, DC, April 2011
- Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ (Applied Microeconomics Seminar), March 2010
- Lafayette College, Easton, PA, October 2009
- Bar-Ilan University, Ramat Gan, Israel, February 2008
- Drexel University, Philadelphia, PA, November 2005

Grants and Awards

- Faculty Research Award (twice), 2015 & 2009, St. Joseph's University
- Morris Grant for Scholarly Research, St. Joseph's University, 2015
- Harry Johnson Prize for Best Article in the Canadian Journal of Economics, 2007
- Faculty Teaching Award, Fall 2009, St. Joseph's University
- Summer Research Grant (twice), 2005 & 2013, St. Joseph's University.
- Outstanding Graduate Teaching Award, June 2002, U. of Oregon, Economics Department.
- Kleinsorge Research Fellowship, Summer 2001, U. of Oregon, Economics Department.
- Graduate Teaching Fellowship, Fall 1998 Spring 2003, U. of Oregon.

Other Professional Experience

• **Referee**, Journal of International Economics, Journal of Development Economics, Economic Journal, Journal of Industrial Economics, Economic Inquiry, Canadian Journal of Economics, Review of International Economics, Southern Economic Journal, Review of World Economics/Weltwirtschaftliches Archiv, Journal of International Business Studies, European Journal of Political Economy, Economics and Politics, Journal of Economic Surveys, Contemporary Economic Policy, Journal of International Trade and Economic Development, Empirical Economics, Review of International Organizations, Atlantic Economic Journal, The World Economy, International Review of Economics and Finance, International Journal of the Economics of Business,

• Consulting

OECD Steel Committee

- o Research on Exit Barriers in the Steel Industry (March 2019)
- o Research on Steel Trade Protection (August 2017)
- Research and report on Steel Trade Protection (May 2016)
- o Research and report on Steel Trade Protection (October 2014)
- o Research and report on Competitiveness in the Steel Industry (May 2013)
- o Research and report on Subsidies in the Steel Industry (March 2013)
- o Research and report on Non-Tariff Measures in The Steel Industry (November 2012)
- Research and report on Antidumping and Countervailing Duties in The Steel Industry (April 2012)

Internal Rate of Return Modeling

- Delaware Compensation Rating Bureau (2014-present)
- Pennsylvania Compensation Rating Bureau (2015-present)
- **Member**, International Economics and Finance Society, Southern Economics Association, Canadian Economic Association, Eastern Economics Association

References

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