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CURRENT POSITION

Economist, Research Department, Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City, since June 2009

EDUCATION

Ph.D. in Economics, New York University, 2009
Primary Advisor: Thomas J. Sargent
M.A. in Economics, New York University, 2007
B.A. in Economics, Wuhan University, China, 2001
B.S. in Mathematics, Wuhan University, China, 2001

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Macroeconomics; Labor Economics; International Economics

PUBLICATIONS

- *Robustness, Information-Processing Constraints, and the Current Account in Small Open Economies* (with Yulei Luo and Eric R. Young). *Journal of International Economics* (forthcoming)
- *Would Active Labor Market Policies Help Combat High U.S. Unemployment?* *Economic Review*, 2011, issue Q III, pages 35-69, Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City

WORKING PAPERS

- *Model Uncertainty and Intertemporal Tax Smoothing* (with Yulei Luo and Eric R. Young), 2011, Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City Working Paper 12-01
- *Robust Control, Informational Frictions, and International Consumption Correlations* (with Yulei Luo and Eric R. Young), revised, 2011, Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City Working Paper 10-16
- *Training or Search? Some Evidence and an Equilibrium Model* (Job Market Paper), Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City Working Paper 10-03
- *Wealth Distribution in Heterogeneous-Agent Models with State-Dependent Risk Aversion*, 2005
- *Quantify the Effects of UI Benefits on the Unemployment Rate Using a Matching Model with Financial Shocks* (with Lei Fang), in progress
- *Occupational Choice and Wealth Distribution* (with Jess Benhabib and Shenghao Zhu), in progress

PROJECTS

- “Short-Run and Long-Run Effect of Training in a Search Model with Human Capital” Institute for Employment Research (IAB), Federal Employment Agency (BA), Germany, June 2007 – May 2009, (with Thomas J. Sargent)

RESEARCH AND OTHER EMPLOYMENT EXPERIENCE

- Visiting Scholar, Research Department, Federal Reserve Bank at Atlanta, summer 2008
- Instructor, Department of Economics, NYU, 2007-2008

PRESENTATIONS

- **2012:** AEA Meetings (Chicago)
- **2011:** 19th Symposium of SNDE, Midwest Macro Meetings, NYU Economics Alumni, Labor Market Institutions and the Macroeconomy (Germany), 17th International Conference on Computing in Economics and Finance, FRB System International Meeting (Atlanta Fed), SHUFE, FRB of Kansas City
- **2010:** FRB System Macro Meeting (Boston Fed), Western Economic Association, FRB of Kansas City

- **2009:** Fed System Macro Meeting (Baltimore), Midwest Macroeconomics Meetings, FRB of Kansas City, Hong Kong University, Carleton University,
- **2008:** NYU (Macro Lunch Seminar), FRB of Atlanta

HONORS

- 2008 Dissertation Internship, Research Department, Federal Reserve Bank at Atlanta
- 2008 Student Travel Grant, Graduate School of Arts and Science, NYU
- 2007-2008 Instructorship, Economics Department, NYU
- 2006-2007 Henry M. MacCracken Fellowship, NYU
- 2005-2006 C.V. Starr Fellowship, Department of Economics, NYU
- 2003-2005 Henry M. MacCracken Fellowship, NYU

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Instructor, New York University

- Intermediate Macroeconomics, spring 2008
- Statistics, 2007-2008

Instructor, Institute for Advanced Studies, Wuhan University, China

- Macroeconomics, summer 2006
- Topics on Advanced Macroeconomics (Graduate Level), summer 2006
- Microeconomic Theory, 2002-2003
- Game Theory, summer 2002

Teaching Assistant, New York University

- Macroeconomics II (PhD core course), spring 2006
- Microeconomics, fall 2008
- Intermediate Macroeconomics, spring 2007
- Statistics, 2004-2006

COMPUTER SKILLS

- Fortran 90, Matlab, Mathematica, Stata, SPSS, Excel, Minitab
- Latex, Scientific Workplace

REFERENCES

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