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Education

- Ph.D., Agricultural and Resource Economics, University of California, Berkeley, 2003
- B.A., Economics with honor, Peking University, 1998

Work Experience

- June, 2005 – present: Assistant Professor, Department of Agricultural Economics, Texas A&M University
- July, 2003 – May, 2005: Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, University of Guelph

Professional Service

- Editorial Council, Journal of Agricultural and Resource Economics, 2006 – present
- Program Committee, Canadian Econometrics Study Group annual meeting, 2006
- Section Chair, American Agricultural Economics Association Annual Meeting at Denver, Colorado, 2004

Publications

- “Calculation of Maximum Entropy Densities with Application to Income Distribution,” *Journal of Econometrics*, 115 (2003): 347-354.
- “China’s Income Distributions, 1985-2001,” (with J. Perloff), *Review of Economics and Statistics*, 87 (2005): 763-775; featured in the *Asia Times*, July 21, 2004.
- “Partially Adaptive Estimation via Maximum Entropy Densities,” (with T. Stengos), *Econometrics Journal*, 8 (2005): 352-366.
- “Government Policy Effects on Urban and Rural Income Inequality,” (with J. Perloff and A. Golan), *Review of Income and Wealth*, 52 (2006): 213-235.
- “Overview: Immigration, U.S. Agriculture and Policy Reform,” the *Choices*, 22 (2007).
- “GMM Estimation of Maximum Entropy Density with Interval Data,” (with J. Perloff), *Journal of Econometrics*, 138 (2007): 532-546.
- “Tax Incidence Varies Across the Price Distribution,” (with J. Perloff), *Economics Letters*, 96, 93-99, 2007.
- “On the Use of Cheap Talk in New Product Valuation,” (with R. Brummett and R. Nayga), *Economics Bulletin*, 2, 1-9, 2007.
- “The Effect of Food Away from Home and Food at Home Expenditures on Obesity Rates: A State Level Analysis”, (with Y. Cai, P. Alviola and R.M. Nayga), *Journal of Agricultural and Applied Economics*, 40, 2008.
- “Climate Change, Variability and Future Risk Management,” (with B., McCarl and X. Villavicencio), *American Journal of Agricultural Economics*, December, 2008.
- “Should Students be Used as Subjects in Experimental Auctions?” (with R. Nayga, D. Depositario, and T. Laude), accepted, *Economics Letters*.

- “Exponential Series Estimation of Empirical Copulas with Application to Financial Returns,” (with C. Chui), accepted, *Advances in Econometrics, Vol.24: Nonparametric Methods*, 2009.
- “The Joint Evolution of the Conditional Joint Distribution of Life Expectancy and Per Capita Income Growth,” (with T. Stengos and B. Thompson), accepted, *Advances in Econometrics, Vol.24: Nonparametric Methods*, 2009.
- “Comparing Open-ended Choice Experiment and Experimental Auctions: An Application to Golden Rice,” (with J. Corrigan, R. Nayga, D. Depositario, and T. Laude), accepted, *American Journal of Agricultural Economics*.
- “Information Theoretic Distribution Tests with Applications to Normality,” (with T. Stengos), accepted, *Econometric Reviews*.

Working Papers

- “Exponential Series Estimator of Multivariate Densities,” revision requested by *Journal of Econometrics*.
- “Functional Coefficient Estimation of Instrumental Variables and Control Functions Models,” (with Q. Li and J. Huang).
- “Global Joint Distribution of Income and Health,” (with A. Savvides and T. Stengos), submitted.
- “Information-Theoretic Asymptotic Approximations,” (with S. Wang), revised and resubmitted.
- “Intensive and Extensive Poverty: A Multidimensional Formulation,” working paper.
- “Inference and Density Estimation with Interval Statistics,” working paper.
- “Effects of Government Policies on Income Distribution and Welfare,” (with J. Perloff and A. Golan), submitted.
- “Labor Supply and Income Effects of the Earned Income Tax Credit and Welfare Programs,” submitted.
- “Information-Theoretic Deconvolution Approximation of Treatment Effect Distribution,” (with J. Perloff), working paper.

Conference Presentations

- 7th Advances in Econometrics conference at Baton Rouge, 2008
- Midwest Econometrics Group meeting at Lawrence, 2008
- Midwest Econometrics Group meeting at St. Louis, 2007
- Econometrics Society Summer Meeting at Minneapolis, 2006
- Texas Camp Econometrics XI at Huntsville, 2006
- Econometrics Society Winter Meeting at Boston, 2006
- Midwest Econometrics Group Annual Meeting at Carbondale, 2005
- Canadian Econometrics Study Group Annual Meeting at Vancouver, 2005
- Econometrics Society Winter Meeting at Philadelphia, 2005
- Midwest Econometrics Group Annual Meeting at Chicago, 2004
- Canadian Econometrics Study Group Annual Meeting at Toronto, 2004
- European Economic Association Annual Meeting at Madrid, Spain, 2004
- American Agricultural Economics Association Annual Meeting at Denver, Colorado, 2004
- Econometrics Society Summer Meeting at Providence, Rhode Island, 2004
- Canadian Economic Association Annual Meeting at Toronto, 2004
- Midwest Econometrics Group Annual Meeting at Columbia, Missouri, 2003

- Canadian Econometrics Study Group Annual Meeting at Hamilton, Ontario, 2003
- American Economic Association Annual Meeting at Atlanta, Georgia, 2002

Departmental Service:

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- July, 2005 – present: Undergraduate Advisory Committee
- May, 2006 – present: Ph.D. Qualifier Committee
- 2006: Recruitment committee for microeconomics position

Grants

- Canada Foundation of Innovation New Opportunity Fund, 2005, \$70,533 (with M. Plesca, co-applicant)
- Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council Research Grant, 2004-2006, \$45,250
- University of Guelph URA Grant, 2004, \$5,000
- Social Science and Humanities Research Council Research and Conference Travel Grant, 2003, \$1,000

Referee Experience

American Journal of Agricultural Economics
Applied Stochastic Models in Business and Industry
Bernoulli
Empirical Economics
Econometric Reviews
Econometrics Journal
Economic Development and Cultural Change
Journal of Agricultural and Applied Economics
Journal of Agricultural and Resource Economics
Journal of the Asian Pacific Economy
Journal of Business and Economic Statistics
Journal of Econometrics
Journal of Public Economics
Journal of Nonparametric Statistics
Risk Magazine
World Development