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International Trade, Growth and Development, Macroeconomics, Economic History

Education

<i>Degree</i>	<i>Field</i>	<i>Institution</i>	<i>Year</i>
Ph.D.	Economics	University of Minnesota	2010
M.A.	Economics	University of Minnesota	2007
B.A.	International Studies German Studies	University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill	2003

Other Education

<i>Institution</i>	<i>Year</i>
Vienna University of Economics and Business Administration, Vienna, Austria	2003-2004
University of Mannheim, Mannheim, Germany	2000-2001

Dissertation

Title: "Essays on International Trade"

Dissertation Advisors: Professor Timothy J. Kehoe and Professor Fabrizio Perri

Employment

2025-Present	Director, Scholars in Capitalism Studies Program, Center for the Study of Capitalism, Wake Forest University
2016-Present	Associate Professor, Department of Economics, Wake Forest University
2022-2025	Associate Chair, Department of Economics, Wake Forest University
2010-2016	Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, Wake Forest University

Honors, Awards, and Grants

2025	<i>Research Affiliate Grant</i> , Center for the Study of Capitalism, Wake Forest University
2021	<i>Research Affiliate Grant</i> , Center for the Study of Capitalism, Wake Forest University
2021	<i>URECA Faculty Award for Excellence in Mentorship in Research and Creative Work in the Sciences and Social Sciences</i> , Wake Forest University
2020	<i>Hayek Fund for Scholars</i> , Institute for Humane Studies
2018	<i>Delta Delta Delta Apple Pie Professor</i> , Wake Forest University
2018-2019	<i>Economics Reading Group Grant</i> , Eudaimonia Institute, Wake Forest University
2017-2020	<i>F.M. Kirby Family Faculty Fellowship</i> , Wake Forest University

2017	<i>Pilot Research Grant</i> , Wake Forest University
2016	<i>Delta Delta Delta Apple Pie Professor</i> , Wake Forest University
2014	<i>Hayek Fund for Scholars</i> , Institute for Humane Studies
2013	<i>BB&T Scholar Summer Research Grant</i> , BB&T Center for the Study of Capitalism, Wake Forest University
2012	<i>Teaching Development Fund</i> , Wake Forest University
2012	<i>Economics Reading Group Grant</i> , BB&T Center for the Study of Capitalism, Wake Forest University
2012	<i>Dingledine Faculty Fund for the Support of International Activities</i> , Wake Forest University
2012	<i>Funds for International Scholars in Spring 2012</i> , Wake Forest University
2011	<i>Faculty Teaching Initiative Fund</i> , Wake Forest University
2011	<i>Funds for International Scholars in Spring 2011</i> , Wake Forest University
2010	<i>Delta Delta Delta Apple Pie Professor</i> , Wake Forest University
2010	<i>Hayek Fund for Scholars</i> , Institute for Humane Studies
2009	<i>Graduate Research Partnership Program Fellowship</i> , University of Minnesota
2008-2010	<i>Humane Studies Fellowship</i> , Institute for Humane Studies
2007	<i>Distinguished Instructor</i> , Department of Economics, University of Minnesota
2006	<i>Distinguished Teaching Assistant</i> , Department of Economics, University of Minnesota
2005	<i>Distinguished Teaching Assistant</i> , Department of Economics, University of Minnesota
2004-2005	<i>Graduate School Fellowship</i> , University of Minnesota
2003-2004	<i>Fulbright Student Grantee</i> , Austria, "Economics and European Integration"
2003	<i>Highest Honors and Highest Distinction</i> , University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
2003	<i>Order of the Grail-Valkyries</i> , University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
2002	<i>Phi Beta Kappa</i> , University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
2000	<i>Delta Phi Alpha</i> , University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

Teaching Experience

2010-Present	<i>Instructor</i> , Department of Economics, Wake Forest University Intermediate Macroeconomics, Intermediate Mathematical Macroeconomics, International Trade, Honors Thesis Course in Economics, The Life and Economics of Joseph A. Schumpeter
2007-2010	<i>Instructor</i> , Department of Economics, University of Minnesota Intermediate Macroeconomics, Undergraduate Writing in Economics
2005-2006	<i>Teaching Assistant</i> , Department of Economics, University of Minnesota Principles of Microeconomics
2003-2004	<i>Teaching Assistant</i> , Bundesgymnasium Wenzgasse, Vienna, Austria
2001-2003	<i>Teaching Assistant</i> , Curriculum in International and Area Studies, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill Foreign Policy Association's Great Decisions

Research Experience

2016	<i>Visiting Scholar</i> , Department of Economics, Chinese University of Hong Kong
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2015 *Visiting Scholar*, Department of Economics, Chinese University of Hong Kong
 2012 *Visiting Scholar*, Institute for Empirical Macroeconomics, Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis
 2012 *Visiting Scholar*, Department of Economics, Chinese University of Hong Kong
 2012 *Visiting Scholar*, Research Group for the International Economy and International Economic Policy, Kiel Institute for the World Economy
 2006-2010 *Research Analyst*, Research Department, Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis, Research Assistant for Professor Timothy J. Kehoe
 2001 *Research Assistant*, Department of Economics, University of Mannheim, Professor Bernd Fitzenberger

Books

Creative Destruction: An Introduction (with Andrew J. Logan), *Cato Institute*, 2024.

Journal Articles

The Man Who Discovered Capitalism: A Documentary on Schumpeter for Use in the Classroom (with Andrew J. Logan), *International Review of Economics Education*, 2022, 41, 100250.

Schumpeter vs. Keynes Redux: “Still Not Dead” (with Lillian R. Gaeto), *Southern Economic Journal*, 2022, 89 (2), 569-592.

Teaching and Learning Schumpeter: A Dialogue Between Professor and Student (with Andrew J. Logan), *Review of Austrian Economics*, 2022, 35 (2), 235-256.

Using the Movie *Joy* to Teach Innovation and Entrepreneurship (with Andrew J. Logan), *Journal of Economic Education*, 2020, 51 (3-4), 287-296.

A Vision for a Dynamic World: Reading *Capitalism, Socialism and Democracy* for Today (with Andrew J. Logan), *The Independent Review*, 2020, 24 (4), 567-577.

Strategic Decision-Making in Hollywood Release Gaps (with Tin Cheuk Leung), *Journal of International Economics*, 2017, 105, 10-21.

EU Enlargement and the New Goods Margin in Austrian Trade, *Open Economies Review*, 2017, 28 (1), 61-78.

The Evolution of Taxes and Hours Worked in Austria, 1970-2005, *Macroeconomic Dynamics*, 2015, 19 (8), 1800-1815.

Dispersion and Distortions in the Trans-Atlantic Slave Trade (with Tin Cheuk Leung), *Journal of International Economics*, 2015, 96 (2), 412-425.

Why is Polygyny More Prevalent in Western Africa? An African Slave Trade Perspective (with Tin Cheuk Leung), *Economic Development and Cultural Change*, 2014, 62 (4), 599-632.
 Featured in *Foreign Policy Magazine*

The New Goods Margin in Japanese-Chinese Trade, *Japan and the World Economy*, 2014, 31, 8-13.

Firm Taxation and the Endogenous Distribution of Markups (with Turkmen Goksel), *Economics Letters*, 2013, 121 (3), 520-523.

Reputation and Learning: Japanese Car Exports to the United States (with Turkmen Goksel), *Japan and the World Economy*, 2013, 25-26, 10-23.

Other Publications

Review of *Liberdade: 100 Conversation Starters on Liberalism, Latin America, and Brazil* by Deirdre McCloskey, *Review of Austrian Economics*, forthcoming.

Review of *The Idea Machine: How Books Built Our World and Shape Our Future* by Joel J. Miller, *The Independent Review*, 2026, 31 (1).

Leading Geopolitical Risk Management (with Joseph Atatsi and Clarke R. Starnes III), White Paper, Wake Forest University School of Professional Studies, February 18, 2026.

Review of *The Economics of Creative Destruction: New Research on Themes from Aghion and Howitt* edited by Ufuk Akcigit and John Van Reenen, *The Independent Review*, 2025, 29 (4).

Lessons from the Rise of Netflix and the Fall of Blockbuster (with Andrew J. Logan), *FEE.org*, October 26, 2024.

Schumpeter in Vienna: A Study Abroad Course (with Andrew J. Logan) in *Off-Campus Study, Study Abroad, and Study Away in Economics: Leaving the Blackboard Behind*, edited by Joshua Hall and Kim Holder, *Springer*, 2021, 175-190.

Encyclopedia Entry for *Creative Destruction* (with Andrew J. Logan), *Libertarianism.org*, January 22, 2021.

Review of *How Adam Smith Can Change Your Life: An Unexpected Guide to Human Nature and Happiness* by Russ Roberts, *The Independent Review*, 2015, 20 (2), 301-304.

Review of *Why Growth Matters: How Economic Growth in India Reduced Poverty and the Lessons for Other Developing Countries* by Jagdish Bhagwati and Arvind Panagariya, *Southern Economic Journal*, 2014, 81 (1), 263-264.

Review of *Peddling Protectionism: Smoot-Hawley and the Great Depression* by Douglas A. Irwin, *Southern Economic Journal*, 2011, 78 (1), 256-257.

Review of *Power and the Governance of Global Trade: From the GATT to the WTO* by Soo Yeon Kim, *EH.net*, 2010.

Review of *Power and Plenty: Trade, War, and the World Economy in the Second Millennium* by Ronald Findlay and Kevin H. O'Rourke, *Southern Economic Journal*, 2008, 75 (2), 591-592.

Working Papers

The Slave Trade and Conflict in Africa, 1400-2000 (with Levi Boxell and Tin Cheuk Leung).

Being Bad by Being Good: Owner and Captain Value-Added in the Slave Trade (with Tin Cheuk Leung).

A Theory of Just-in-Time and the Growth in Manufacturing Trade (previously circulated as Explaining the Growth in Manufacturing Trade).

Seminars, Conferences, and Invited Talks

- 2026 Risk Management Roundtable: Managing and Navigating Geopolitical Risk, Truist and Wake Forest University School of Professional Studies; Scaled-Up Seminar (Keynote Address); Semmax Financial Group; Southern Textile Association; Great Decisions Lecture Series, Foreign Policy Association and Wake Forest University; Is AI Good for Capitalism?, Business Leaders Summit, Wake Forest University (Panel Moderator); Hackathon, Foundation for Economic Education (Keynote Address)
- 2025 Wofford College; Great Decisions Lecture Series, Foreign Policy Association and Wake Forest University; Getting Growth Right in the Carolinas Conference (Keynote Address); High Point University; Truist Risk Awareness Summit; 22nd Annual Economics Teaching Conference
- 2019 Duke University; Association of Private Enterprise Education Conference, Nassau, Bahamas
- 2018 Liberal Arts Colleges Economic History Workshop; George Mason University
- 2017 Davidson College; Appalachian Spring Conference in World History and Economics; Economic and Business History Society Conference; FRESH Workshop, Belfast, United Kingdom; European Historical Economics Society Conference, Tübingen, Germany; West Virginia University; Appalachian State University
- 2016 Economic and Business History Society Conference, Montreal, Canada; African Economic History Network Conference, Brighton, United Kingdom; Southern Economic Association Conference
- 2015 Midwest Economics Association Conference; International Trade and Finance Association Conference
- 2013 Clemson University; Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta; Midwest Macroeconomics Spring Meetings
- 2012 Elon University; Kiel Institute for the World Economy, Kiel, Germany; Georgia State University; Clemson University; Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis; St. Cloud State University; Macalester College; University of St. Thomas; University of Georgia
- 2011 Eastern Economic Association Conference; North Carolina State University; University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill; Workshop on Economic History of

- Globalization, Leuven, Belgium; Midwest International Trade Fall Meetings; NEUDC Conference; Washington and Lee University
- 2010 Midwest Macroeconomics Spring Meetings; Midwest International Trade Spring Meetings; Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis; University of Bonn, Bonn, Germany; Wake Forest University; The University of the South; Boston College; Wesleyan University
- 2009 XIV Workshop on Dynamic Macroeconomics, Vigo, Spain
- 2008 Humane Studies Fellowship Research Colloquium

Discussions

- 2018 Appalachian Spring Conference in World History and Economics
- 2016 Southern Economic Association Conference
- 2011 Eastern Economic Association Conference; Workshop on Economic History of Globalization, Leuven, Belgium; NEUDC Conference
- 2010 Microeconomic Sources of Real Exchange Rate Behavior, Vanderbilt University

Professional Activities

Referee for *Asian Development Review*, *Australian Economic Papers*, *British Journal of Political Science*, *Canadian Journal of Economics*, *Cengage*, *Comparative Economic Studies*, *Contemporary Economic Policy*, *Economic Inquiry*, *Economics Letters*, *Economic Modelling*, *Economic Theory*, *Georgetown University Press* (x2), *Japan and the World Economy* (x3), *Journal of African Economies*, *Journal of Common Market Studies*, *Journal of Development Economics* (x3), *Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization* (x2), *Journal of Economic Education*, *Journal of Economic History*, *Journal of Economic Studies*, *Journal of Evolutionary Economics*, *Journal of International Economics* (x4), *Mercatus Center*, *Open Economies Review* (x3), *Pearson* (x5), *Princeton University Press*, *Review of Economic Dynamics*, *Risks*, *Social Science Quarterly*, *Southern Economic Journal* (x2), *World Development*, *The Independent Review*, *The World Economy*, *Thomas Riggs and Company* (x2), *W.W. Norton and Company* (x2)

Languages

English (native), German (fluent)

References

Available upon request