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BASIC INFORMATION

CITIZENSHIP: Chinese, Canadian Permanent Resident
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FIELD OF INTEREST

Macroeconomics, Monetary Economics, Inequality

EMPLOYMENT

SEP 2018 - NOW Nuffield Postdoctoral Prize Research Fellow, Oxford University
JUNE 2019 - OCT 2019 Visiting Scholar, Bank of Canada
APR 2018 - AUG 2018 Senior Economist PhD intern, Bank of Canada

REFERENCES

Kenneth Kasa
Professor, Department of Economics
Simon Fraser University

Klaus Adam
Professor, Department of Economics
University of Oxford

Benjamin Moll
Professor, Department of Economics
London School of Economics

Paul Klein
Professor, Department of Economics
Stockholm University

PUBLICATIONS

1. Information and Inequality (*Journal of Economic Theory*)
2. Risk, Uncertainty and the Dynamics of Inequality (*Journal of Monetary Economics*, with K. Kasa)
3. "Wait and See" or "Fear of Floating" ? (*Macroeconomic Dynamics*, with D. Lu and K.Kasa)
4. "Wait and See" Monetary Policy (*Macroeconomic Dynamics*, with M. Tseng)

WORKING PAPERS AND WORK IN PROGRESS

1. Ok Boomer: How Do Stock Market Experiences Shape Wealth Inequality?
2. The Rise of the Two-Working-Parent Family (with G. Dunbar)
3. Investment risk, Financial Integration And Inequality (with E. Djetum)
4. Learning, Ambiguity and the Virus (with E. Djetum and K.Kasa)

EDUCATION

SEP 2012 - AUG 2018 PhD in ECONOMICS, Simon Fraser University, Canada
SEP 2011 - AUG 2012 MA in ECONOMICS, Simon Fraser University, Canada
SEP 2007 - AUG 2011 BA in ECONOMICS, Shanghai Jiao Tong University, China

AWARDS AND SCHOLARSHIPS

JAN 2019 George Webb Medley Graduate Prize, Oxford
MAR 2016 SFU President's PhD Scholarship
AUG 2015 James Dean Award for Best 2nd Year PhD Paper
JULY 2013 Richard Lipsey Award (# 1 in Ph.D Comprehensive Exams)
MAY 2015 Canadian Economic Association Conference Travel Grant
SEP 2014 Graduate Travel/Minor Research Grant
SEP 2012 - 2018 Graduate Fellowship
SEP 2011 - 2018 Graduate Teaching Assistantship
SEP 2009 Shanghai Jiao Tong University Fellowship

LECTURER

MAY 2017 - AUG 2017 Intermediate Macroeconomic Theory

TEACHING ASSISTANT EXPERIENCE

Graduate Level

OCT 2018 - now Advanced Macroeconomics (Oxford)
JAN 2017 Advanced Macroeconomics
JAN 2017 Advanced Econometrics(×2)

Undergraduate Level

SEP 2016 Statistical Analysis of Economic Data
JAN 2016 Economic Prehistory, History of Financial Crisis
SEP 2015 Intermediate Macroeconomics (×3)
JUL 2015 Principle of Microeconomics
JAN 2015 Money and Banking
SEP 2014 Mathematical Economics
JAN 2014 International Finance
JAN 2013 Game Theory
SEP 2012 Industrial Organization
MAY 2012 Data and Decision(×2)

CONFERENCE & SEMINAR PRESENTATIONS

JUNE 2019	Bank of Canada (Ottawa, Canada) INTERchange Seminar
DEC 2018	2nd Annual NuCamp Conference (Oxford, UK) Session on "Real Interest and Real Exchange Rates"
DEC 2018	Econometrics Society 2018 European Winter Meeting (Naples, Italy) Session on "Exchange Rates"
DEC 2018	University of Central Florida (Orlando, USA) Department of Economics Seminar
JUNE 2018	North American Summer Meeting of the Econometric Society (Davis, USA) Session on "Income Heterogeneity"
MAY 2018	Midwest Macro Meeting (Madison, USA) Session on "Information and Bargaining Frictions"
NOV 2017	Canadian Macroeconomics Study Group (Ottawa, Canada) Session on "Heterogeneous Agents"
JUNE 2016	Computing in Economics and Finance 2016 (Bordeaux, France) Expectations and Financial Markets Session
JUNE 2016	Canadian Economic Association 2016 Annual Conference(Ottawa, Canada) Session on "Inequality", Chair
DEC 2015	Computational and Financial Econometrics (London, UK) Invited session "Macroeconomic Analysis"
MAY 2015	Canadian Economic Association 2015 Annual Conference(Toronto, Canada) Bank of Canada Best Student Paper Prize Session
JUNE 2015	Computing in Economics and Finance 2015 (Taipei, Taiwan) Information friction and Monetary Policy Session

SOFTWARE SKILLS

SOFTWARE I TAUGHT	MATLAB,R
OTHERS :	PYTHON,STATA,Excel, Word, L ^A T _E X, PowerPoint

SERVICE

NOV 2018 - MAY 2020	Macro Seminars Organizer, Department of Economics, Oxford
AUG 2013 - SEP 2015	President of Economics Graduate Student Society, SFU

OTHER EXPERIENCES

JULY 2010 - JULY 2011	Research Assistant, Shanghai Institute of Finance and Law
JUNE 2008 - AUG 2008	Client Manager Assistant, China Construction Bank