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CITIZENSHIP	United States of America	
RESEARCH INTERESTS	International Trade, Organization of the Global Value Chain, and International Trade under Labor Market Frictions	
EDUCATION	<b>University of California, Davis</b>  Ph.D., Economics, expected May 2014 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Dissertation: <i>Intermediate Goods Sourcing Wages and Inequality</i></li> <li>• Adviser: Professor Robert C. Feenstra</li> </ul> M.S., Economics, 2009  <b>University of Massachusetts, Amherst</b>  B.S., Economics, 2008	
RESEARCH: WORKING PAPERS	<b>Intermediate Good Sourcing, Wages and Inequality: Theory and Evidence</b> This paper studies the effect of labor market frictions on trade of intermediate goods and the effect on domestic labor. I presents a model which investigates the employment and wage consequences of offshoring and outsourcing. Utilizing methods from search theory, I model the decisions regarding outsourcing and offshoring as being driven by labor market frictions. I then test the predictions of my theoretical model. I find evidence that ownership plays an important role in determining domestic wages. Additionally these effects are also governed by industry specific characteristics including the skill intensity of production.  <b>The Efficacy of Capital Controls: A case study of Thailand</b> This paper seeks to evaluate the efficacy of Thailand's use of capital controls on speculative inflows from December 2006 through March 2008. I find that there is no significant relationship between controls and excess volatility in onshore or offshore exchange rate markets or asset market, indicating low costs of controls however we found no evidence that controls were effective at altering the composition of capital flows. Additionally we find that capital controls significantly reduced Thailand's related party trade for several years following implementation of capital controls.	
RESEARCH: IN PROGRESS	<b>Organizing the Global Value Chain: Evidence from China</b> This paper investigates the effects of global sourcing on productivity and the role of ownership. I utilize unique trade data from China to test a theoretical model of supply chain ownership developed by Antràs and Chor. I find support for the predictions of this model that ownership depends on a industries position on the global supply chain as well as the industry demand elasticity.  <b>Offshoring over the Business Cycle (<i>with Gabe Mathy</i>)</b>	

RESEARCH: **Intermediate Goods Trade and Firm Organizational Form: Offshoring, Out-**  
PROPOSAL UNDER **sourcing and the Effect on Labor (*with Robert Feenstra*).**  
REVIEW

This project, currently under review by the IRS, will use confidential micro-data to investigate the relationship between the organizational form of firms and the sourcing of intermediate goods, both domestically and internationally. The goals of this project are to characterize the structure of intermediate good production and procurement of U.S. firms, and to determine how choices of organizational form influence employment and wages of production and non-production labor.

TEACHING  
EXPERIENCE

**University of California, Davis**

*Instructor*

**June 2013 to August 2013**

- **International Trade**

This course investigates the determinants of trade, it's effects on consumers and factors of production and it's related policy issues. I focus on the following:

- Helps students develop an understanding of theoretical models of international trade
- Challenges students to evaluate theories of trade with empirical data

*Instructor*

**June 2012 to August 2012**

- **International Macroeconomics**

This course investigates the determinants of a country's exchange rate, trade balance, and national output. I focus on the following:

- Helps students assemble theories into an overall analytical framework usable for policy analysis
- Challenges students to apply analytical frameworks to several current and historical policy issues

*Teaching Assistant*

- ECN 160A: International Trade  
(September - December, 2009; January - March, 2011; March - June, 2011)
- ECN 162: International Relations  
(September - December, 2010)
- ECN 151A: Economics of Labor Markets  
(June - August, 2011)
- ECN 101: Intermediate Macroeconomics  
(March - June, 2009; June - August, 2010)
- ECN 1A: Introductory Microeconomics  
(September - December, 2011)
- ECN 1B: Introductory Macroeconomics  
(September - December, 2008; January - March, 2009 )

RESEACH  
EXPERIENCE

**University of California, Davis**

*Graduate Research Assistant*

- Research Assistant for Professor Robert C. Feenstra  
(January - June, 2010; July, 2011 - present)
- Research Assistant for Professor Alan M. Taylor  
(June - August, 2010)

**University of Massachusetts, Amherst**

*Undergraduated Research Assistant*

- Research Assistant for Professor Gerald Epstein  
(June - August, 2007)

AWARDS AND  
SCHOLARSHIPS

**University of California, Davis**

- Non-Resident Tuition Remission, UC Davis (September, 2008)
- Ray Beaumont Memorial Award, UC Davis (May, 2013)
- Western Economic Association International Graduate Student Dissertation Workshop Participant (Summer, 2013)

**University of Massachusetts, Amherst**

- William F. Field Alumni Scholar (April, 2007)
- Economics Department Kindahl Award (May, 2007)
- Economics Alumni Award for Distinguished Service (May, 2007)
- Commonwealth College Research Fellowship (June, 2007)

PRESENTATIONS

**Intermediate Good Sourcing, Wages and Inequality: Theory and Evidence**

- Western Economics Associations International Annual meeting (June 29th, 2013)
- UC Davis Interdisciplinary Graduate and Professional Student Symposium (May 10th, 2013)
- UC Davis Economics brown bag seminar series (May, 2010, 2012 and 2013)

RELATED  
EXPERIENCE

Instructor's Manual Author

- *Authored a revised instructor's manual for International Economics Ed. 2, by Robert C. Feenstra*

Solutions Manual Author

- *Authored a revised solutions manual for International Economics Ed. 2, by Robert C. Feenstra*

SERVICE

**University of California, Davis**

**September, 2009 - 2013**

- Macro/International Economics Graduate Student Seminar Series Organizer (Spring, 2013)
- Graduate Student Association Representative (September, 2009 to August, 2011)
- Graduate Student Mentor (September, 2009 to August, 2013)

SOFTWARE  
SKILLS

Computer Programming:

- Stata, MATLAB and Mathematica

Statistical Packages:

- EViews, Mathematica, MATLAB and Stata

Productivity Applications:

- $\text{\TeX}$  ( $\text{\LaTeX}$ ,  $\text{\BIBTeX}$ , Beamer), most common productivity packages (for Windows and Linux platforms)

Operating Systems:

- Microsoft Windows family, Linux, and other UNIX variants.

REFERENCES  
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