

## CURRICULUM VITAE

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### **ACADEMIC BACKGROUND**

B.A. (Economics), State University of New York at Albany, 1971.  
M.A. (Economics), State University of New York at Albany, 1972.  
M.S. (Economics), University of Wisconsin - Madison, 1987.  
Ph.D. (Economics), University of Wisconsin - Madison, 1989.

### **TEACHING AND RESEARCH FIELDS**

International Economics, International Trade, International Finance and Open-Economy Macroeconomics, Economic Growth and Development, Economic Development of Latin America, Economics of Immigration, History of Economic Thought, Culture of Economics.

### **PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS**

American Economic Association  
Association for Evolutionary Economics  
Association for Institutional Thought  
Économistes Atterrés  
International Association for Feminist Economics  
Union of Radical Political Economists  
Western Social Science Association  
World Economic Association

### **PUBLISHED ARTICLES IN REFEREED JOURNALS**

1. "The Impact of Transactions Activities on U.S. Productivity Growth" (with Scott Fuess), *Economics Letters*, Vol. 38 (1992):243-247.
2. "A Novel Test of the Monetary Approach Using Black Market Exchange Rates and the Johansen-Juselius Cointegration Method" (with Sanath Jayanetti), *Economics Letters*, Vol. 41 (1993):413-418.
3. "Foreign Trade and Economic Growth: Time Series Evidence from Latin America" (with Jim

- Schmidt), *The Journal of International Trade & Economic Development*, Vol. 4, No. 3 (1994): 249-268.
4. "Free Market Reforms in Mexico: Are the Labor Markets Next?" *The Journal of Latin American Affairs*, Vol. 2, No. 2 (1994):41-45.
  5. "Getting Closer to the Long Run: Using Black Market Exchange Rates to Test Purchasing Power Parity" (with Sanath Jayanetti), *The Indian Journal of Economics*, Vol. 75, No. 298 (1995):291-301.
  6. "Tariffs and Quotas in an Endogenous Policy Model: Are Tariffs Still Better than Quotas?" *Journal of Economic Integration*, Vol. 10, No. 1 (1995), pp. 32-48.
  7. "The Impact of Transactions Activities on Productivity Growth in Canada, and a Comparison with the United States" (with Scott Fuess), *The North American Journal of Economics and Finance*, Vol. 6, No. 1 (1995), pp. 1-15.
  8. "Anticipating Labor Market Reform in Mexico," *Latin American Studies*, Vol. 14 (1995), pp. 37-49.
  9. "Does Simultaneity Distort Tests of the Trade-Growth Relationship?" *Applied Economics Letters*, Vol 3, No. 3 (1996).
  10. "Does GNP Growth Exaggerate Growth in >Actual= Output? The Case of the United States" (with Scott Fuess), *The Review of Income and Wealth*, Series 42, Number 1, (1996):35-48.
  11. "Mexico's Futile Attempt to Defy Purchasing Power Parity" (with Atrayee Ghoshroy-Saha), *Applied Economics Letters*, Vol. 3 (1996):395-399.
  12. "Growth in Africa: Does the Source of Investment Financing Matter?" (with Steven Most). *Applied Economics*, Vol. 28 (1996):1427-1433.
  13. "La Relación entre el Libre Comercio y el Crecimiento Económico: La Evidencia Econométrica para América Latina," *Comercio Exterior*, Vol. 46(5), May (1996):364-373.
  14. "Transactions Activities and Productivity in Taiwan" (with Scott Fuess), *Journal of Asian Economics*, Vol. 7, No. 4, (1996):635-650.
  15. "Trade as the Engine of Economic Growth in Asia: What the Empirical Evidence Really Tells Us", *Journal of Economic Integration*, Vol. 11(4), (1996):510-538.
  16. "Transactions Activities and Productivity Growth in Mexico" (with Scott Fuess), *The Journal of Developing Areas*, Vol. 30 (1997):387-398.
  17. "The Relationship between International Trade and Economic Growth in Mexico," *The North American Journal of Economics and Finance*, 8(1) (1997):1-21.
  18. "Fiscal Decentralization and Government Size: An International Test for Leviathan Accounting for Unmeasured Economic Activity" (with John Anderson), *International Tax and Public Finance*, Vol. 5 (1998):171-186.
  19. "Does GDP Distort Mexico's Economic Performance?" (with Scott Fuess), *Southern Economic Journal*, Vol. 64 (1998):973-986.

20. "Does GDP Distort Taiwan's Economic Growth?" (with Scott Fuess), *Asia Pacific Economic Review*, (1999).
21. "Are Petroleum Exports an Engine for Growth? Time-Series Evidence for Five Oil Exporters" (With Atrayee Ghosh Roy), *The Journal of Energy and Development*., Vol. 26(1) (2000):55-69.
22. "Do Capital-Importing Countries Really Grow Faster? An Empirical Test Using Panel Data for 27 Countries" (With Joshua Lewer), *Global Economy Quarterly*, Vol. 2(1) (2001).
23. "India's Experience with (Partial) Capital Account Convertibility" (With Sivakumar Sivaprakasam), *The Indian Economic Journal*, Vol. 48(2) (2002):47-57.
24. "Does Annual Per Capita Real GDP Overstate or Understate the Growth of Individual Welfare over the Past Two Centuries?" *The Independent Review*, Vol. 7(2) (2002):181-196.
25. "Do Static Gains from Trade Lead to Medium-Run Growth?" (With Joshua Lewer), *The Journal of International Trade and Economic Development*, Vol. 13 (2003).
26. "How Large Is International Trade's Effect on Economic Growth?" (With Joshua Lewer), *The Journal of Economic Surveys*, (2003), Vol. 17(3):363-396
27. "The Impact of 1990s Immigration on the Economy of Dawson County" (With Orn Bodvarsson), *Great Plains Research*, Vol. 13(2) (2004):291-310.
28. "The Magnificent Progress Achieved By Capitalism: Is the Evidence Really Incontrovertible?" *Journal of Ayn Rand Studies*, Vol. 5(2) (2004):1-19.
29. "How Large Is International Trade's Effect on Economic Growth?" (With Joshua Lewer), Chapter 5 in Donald A. R. George, Les Oxley, and Kenneth I. Carlaw (eds.), *Surveys in Economic Growth*, Malden, MA: Blackwell Publishing Ltd. (2004):137-170.
30. "How Does Immigration Affect Local Demand? A Model and Test From Rural Nebraska" (with Orn Bodvarsson), *Research in Labor Economics* (2005), Vol. 24:1-33.
31. "Foreign Direct Investment and Economic Growth: A Time-Series Approach" (with Atrayee Ghosh Roy), *Global Economy Quarterly*, January (2006).
32. "Estimating the Institutional and Network Effects of Religious Cultures on International Trade" (with Joshua Lewer), *Kyklos* (2007), Vol. 60(2):255-277.
33. "Religion and International Trade: Does the Sharing of a Religious Culture Facilitate the Formation of Trade Networks?" (with Joshua Lewer), *American Journal of Economics and Sociology* (2007), Vol. 66(4):765-794.
34. "A Gravity Model of Immigration" (with Joshua Lewer), *Economics Letters*, Vol. 99 (2008): 164-167.
35. "Measuring Immigration's Effects on Labor Demand: A Reexamination of the Mariel Boatlift" (with Orn Bodvarsson and Joshua Lewer), *Labour Economics* (2008), Vol. 15:560-574.
36. "Does Immigration Stimulate International Trade? Measuring the Channels of Influence" (with Joshua Lewer), *International Trade Journal* (2009), Vol. 23.

37. "Budget Deficits and U.S. Economic Growth" (with Atrayee Ghoshroy), *Economics Bulletin* (2009), Vol 29(4):3015-3030.
38. "How Important is Domestic Saving for U.S. Economic Growth? A Time-Series Analysis" (with Atrayee Ghoshroy), *International Journal of Economics* (2009), Vol. 3(2):77-93.
39. "Brazil", in James Cimet (ed.), James Ciment *Booms and Busts: An Encyclopedia of Economic History from Tulipmania of the 1630s to the Global Financial Crisis of the 21st Century*, Armonk, NY: M.E.Sharpe, 2010.
40. "Chile", in James Cimet (ed.), James Ciment *Booms and Busts: An Encyclopedia of Economic History from Tulipmania of the 1630s to the Global Financial Crisis of the 21st Century*, Armonk, NY: M.E.Sharpe, 2010.
41. "Financial Markets", in James Cimet (ed.), James Ciment *Booms and Busts: An Encyclopedia of Economic History from Tulipmania of the 1630s to the Global Financial Crisis of the 21st Century*, Armonk, NY: M.E.Sharpe, 2010.
42. "The International Monetary System: 1944-Present", in James Cimet (ed.), *Global History: Cultural Encounters from Antiquity to the Present*, Armonk, NY: M.E. Sharpe, 2010.
43. "A Sociological Case for Pluralism in Economics," *The International Journal for Pluralism and Economics Education* (2011), Vol. 10(4):345-354.
44. "Technology, Complexity, and Culture as Contributors to Financial Instability: A Generalization of Keynes' Chapter 12 and Minsky's Financial Instability Hypothesis," *Journal of Economic Issues* (2012), Vol. 46(2):343-352.
45. "Explaining Economists' Pro-Growth Agenda: Does the Popular Solow Growth Model Bias Economic Analysis?," *The International Journal for Pluralism and Economics Education* (2012), Vol. 3(1):40-62.
46. "The Irrelevance of the Invisible Hand," (with Matthew Van den Berg), *Challenge* (2012) Vol. 54(4, Jul-Aug):24-49.
47. "Complexity and the Culture of Economics: A Sociological and Inter-Disciplinary Analysis" *The Journal of Philosophical Economics* (2012), Vol. 5(2):38-63.
48. "How the Culture of Economics Stops Economists from Studying Group Behavior and the Development of Social Cultures," *World Economic Review*, Vol. 2013(3):53-68.
49. "Growth Theory after Keynes, Part I: The Unfortunate Suppression of the Harrod-Domar Model," *The Journal of Philosophical Economics* (2013), Vol. 7(1):2-28.
50. "Growth Theory after Keynes, Part II: 75 Years of Obstruction by the Mainstream Economics Culture," *The Journal of Philosophical Economics* (2014), Vol. 7(2).
51. "Not Enough Markets to Sustain an Invisible Hand Metaphor," (with Matthew Van den Berg), *The International Journal for Pluralism and Economics Education* (2014), Vol. 5(2):157-179.
52. "Mainstream Economics' Flight from Complexity," *Forum for Social Economics*, forthcoming, 2015.

## CONFERENCE PAPERS PRESENTED – LAST FIVE YEARS

1. Society for the Advancement of Behavioral Economics Conference – Halifax, N.S., July, 2009: “Towards a More Holistic Measure of Economic Development: Accounting for the Research from Behavioral Economics.”
2. Heterodox Economics Association Conference –Nottingham-Trent University, July 2011: “A Sociology of Economics: The Insight of Pierre Bourdieu.”
3. Green Economics Conference – Mansfield College, Oxford, July 2011: “A Multi-Sector Solow Model – Go Slow and Be Very Careful.”
4. ICAPE, University of Massachusetts, Amherst, November, 2011: “A Sociological Justification of Heterodoxy.”
5. ICAPE, University of Massachusetts, Amherst, November, 2011. “The Invisible Hand Has No Markets,” (with Matthew Van den Berg).
6. AFEE, Allied Social Science Meetings, Chicago, IL January, 2012: “Technology, Complexity, and Culture as Contributors to Financial Instability: A Generalization of Keynes’ Chapter 12 and Minsky’s Financial Instability Hypothesis.”
7. International Association for Feminist Economics, Barcelona, June 2012: “The Invisible Hand and Feminist Economics.
8. AFEP/AHE/IIPPE (Association for Heterodox Economics) Conference, Sorbonne, Paris, July, 2012: What a Difference Disaggregation Makes: A Three-Sector Solow Growth Model..
9. International Post Keynesian Conference, Kansas City, MO, September, 2012: “Growth Theory After Keynes: 60 Years of Failure”.
10. Western Social Science Association, AFIT Sessions, Denver, April, 2013: “The Collapse of Capitalism and Mainstream Growth Theory: Are Pro-Growth Conclusions Driven by Models or Mindset?”
11. Institute fur Interdisziplinare Forschung (FEST), Heidelberg, Germany, June 2013: “A Critique of the Orthodox Growth Models: What a Difference Disaggregation Makes!”
12. Association for Heterodox Economics Annual Meeting, London, July, 2013: “How the Organization of Economics Discourages Economists from Studying Organizations.”
13. International Initiative for Promoting Political Economy (IIPPE), The Hague, Netherlands, July, 2013: “The Case for De-Financialisation - Lessons from Past and Present Societies.”
14. Missouri Valley Economics Association, Kansas City, MO, September, 2013: “Dealing with Financialization: Some Lessons from History.”
15. Western Social Science Association, AFIT Sessions, Albuquerque, April, 2014: “Bigger Is Not Better: Sizing Up Financialization.”
16. International Congress for Applied Psychology, Paris, July, 2014: “The Failed Microfoundations of Economics: Why Not Build More Accurate Psychological Foundations?”

17. Society for the Advancement of Behavioral Economics, Lake Tahoe, July, 2014: “The Failed Microfoundations of Mainstream Macroeconomics: Did Veblen and Keynes Provide More Accurate Psychological Foundations?” (with Matthew Van den Berg).
18. Semana Económica, Universidad Central, Bogotá, Colombia, August 20, 2014: “Las fuerzas que sesgan el pensamiento económico: Uncaso de miopía cultural o mera corrupción?”
19. 12<sup>th</sup> International Post Keynesian Conference, Kansas City, September 25: “Modern Money Theory, Employment of Last Resort, and Economic Growth,”
20. Allied Social Science Association Meeting, Boston, MA, January 4, 2015, Union of Radical Political Economics session: “Are Pro-Growth Conclusions in Mainstream Economic Analysis Driven by Modeling Bias or Cultural Mindset?”

## **BOOKS**

*Economic Growth and Development*, New York: McGraw-Hill, 2001 (ISBN: 0-07-239797-7).

*International Economics*, New York: McGraw-Hill, 2004 (ISBN: 0-07-239796-9; 0-07-121517-4 international edition).

*International Trade and Economic Growth* (With Joshua Lewer), 2007. Armonk, NY: ME Sharpe, Inc. (ISBN: 0-7656-1803-6).

*The Economics of Immigration* (with Orn Bodvarsson), 2009. Springer. (ISBN: 978-3-540-77795-3); 2<sup>nd</sup> Ed., 2013. Springer. (ISBN: 978-1-4614-2115-3).

*International Finance and Open-Economy Macroeconomics: Theory, Policy, and History*, 2010. World Scientific Publishers. (ISBN: 978-981-4293-51-8); 2<sup>nd</sup> Ed., World Scientific Publishers, forthcoming, 2015.

*International Economics: A Heterodox Approach*, 2011, 2<sup>nd</sup> Ed., M.E.Sharpe. (ISBN: 9-780765-625441); 3<sup>rd</sup> Ed. with Routledge (acquired M.E.Sharpe) late 2015/early 2016.

*Economic Growth and Development*, 2<sup>nd</sup>. Edition, 2012, World Scientific. (ISBN: 978-981-4374-64-4); 3<sup>rd</sup> Ed. World Scientific Publishers, forthcoming 2015.

## **DISTANCE LEARNING COURSES DEVELOPED**

*Introduction to International Economics* (ECON 321X), Division of Continuing Studies, University of Nebraska, 1993. (Includes homeworks, self-test exercises, and progress exams)

*Introduction to International Economics* (ECON 321X), Division of Continuing Studies, University of Nebraska, 1999, 2<sup>nd</sup> Edition. (Includes homeworks, self-test exercises, and progress exams)

*Introduction to International Economics* (ECON 321X), Division of Continuing Studies, University of Nebraska, 2004, 3<sup>rd</sup> Edition, full on-line version. (Includes homework, self-tests exercises, and exams)

*Introduction to International Economics* (ECON 321X), Division of Continuing Studies, University of

Nebraska, 2011, 4<sup>th</sup> Edition, full on-line version. (Includes homework, self-tests exercises, and exams)

*International Business* (GRBA 852), College of Business Administration, University of Nebraska (A core course of the UNL online MBA course)

*International Finance* (ECON 822), College of Business Administration, University of Nebraska (A required course for the International Specialization in the UNL online MBA Program)

## **FACULTY ADVISOR TO STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS**

Progressive Students Association

University of Nebraska Civil Liberties Union (Affiliated with State ACLU)

University of Nebraska Campus Green Party

## **NON-ACADEMIC PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

1974-79: Foreign Service Officer, United States Department of State, including two years as Commercial Officer at the U.S. Embassy, Managua, Nicaragua, and two years as Promotion and Market Research Officer at the U.S. Trade Center in São Paulo, Brazil. Supervised, and wrote portions of, the U.S. Department of Commerce study of the market for U.S. exports to Brazil, 1978, while at the U.S. Trade Center in São Paulo.

1979-80: General Manager, Marsteller Ltda., São Paulo, Brazil, the Brazilian branch of Marsteller, Inc., a Chicago-based advertising and public relations firm.

1980-82: Planning & Business Development Manager, Singer do Brasil, São Paulo, Brazil.

1983-85: Operated Vandenberg and Associates, a public relations firm, in Loveland, Colorado.

## **FOREIGN LANGUAGE PROFICIENCY**

Fluent: Portuguese, Spanish, and Dutch; Working knowledge: German, French

## **COMMUNITY ORGANIZATIONS**

Treasurer and Board of Directors, Nebraska Jazz Orchestra

Board of Directors, Nebraskans for Peace; regular columnist in *Nebraska Report*, the Nebraskans for Peace monthly newspaper; Nebraskans for Peace liaison officer to the Nebraska Coalition for Peace.