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EDUCATION

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| Ph.D. Candidate | Economics, Rutgers University-New Brunswick, New Jersey, USA. Expected: May 2017. Dissertation: “ <i>Experimental and Empirical Studies of Belief Formation.</i> ” Committee: Anne Morrison Piehl (Chair), Barry Sopher, Ira Gang. |
| M.A. | Economics, Rutgers University – New Brunswick, New Jersey, 2014. |
| M.A. | Economics, National Chengchi University, Taipei, Taiwan, 2007. |
| B.A. | Public Finance, National Chengchi University, Taipei, Taiwan, 2005. |

FIELDS OF INTEREST

Experimental Economics, Behavioral Economics, Labor Economics, Public Economics,
Empirical Microeconomics.

WORKING PAPERS AND PRESENTATIONS

- “Together We Stand? Internal Dynamics of Group Decision Making.”** 2016. Presented at:
1. 86th Annual Meeting of Southern Economic Association, Washington, D.C., 2016.
 2. Empirical Microeconomics Workshop, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ, 2016.
 3. The 2016 Taiwan Economics Research, Institute of Economics, Academia Sinica, Taipei, Taiwan, 2016.
- “Estimating the Relationships among Education, Cognitive Ability, and Religion: Evidence from NLSY.”** 2015. Presented at:
1. ASREC 14th Annual Conference, Omni Parker House, Boston, MA, 2015.
 2. IRES 3rd Annual Graduate Student Workshop, Chapman University, Orange, CA, 2014.
 3. Empirical Microeconomics Workshop, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ, 2014.
- “Curriculum, Civic Participation, and National Identity: Evidence from Taiwan.”**
- “Media Bias and Ideological Polarization.”** 2007, Master thesis, presented on poster at:

1. The Victor Rothschild Memorial Symposium 18th Summer School in Economic Theory, “Economic Aspects of Communication and Information,” Hebrew University of Jerusalem, Israel, 2007.

WORK-IN-PROGRESS

“Troll Hunters: The Impact of the Swedish Show on Internet Hate Speech.”
“Private Information and Uncertainty in Two-sided Markets.”
“Does Marijuana Legalization Affect Traffic Fatality? Evidence from FARS.”
“Effects of the Prohibition on Traffic Fatalities: Historic Evidence from Mortality Statistics.”

TEACHING EXPERIENCES

Instructor (Full teaching responsibilities) (2014-present)

Intermediate Microeconomics, Summer/Fall 2015, Spring/ Summer/Fall 2016, Spring 2017.

Introduction to Microeconomics, Summer 2014.

Teaching Assistant (2012-2015)

Introduction to Macroeconomics, Spring 2015.

Introduction to Microeconomics, Fall 2012, Fall 2013, Spring/Fall 2014.

Game Theory and Economics (grader), Spring 2013.

Personal Economics and Public Policy, Fall 2012.

GRANTS, FELLOWSHIPS AND AWARDS

Grant from the Center of East Asian Studies, University of Chicago, to participate the Taiwan Economics Research, Institute of Economics, Academia Sinica, Taipei, Taiwan, 2016.

TA/GA Professional Development Fund Award, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ, 2016.

Conference Travel Award, Graduate School, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ, 2015.

Grant from the Institute for the Study of Religion, Economics and Society to participate the Annual Graduate Student Workshop, Chapman University, Orange, CA, 2014.

Graduate Teaching Assistantship, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ, 2012 – 2015.

Government Scholarships for Study Abroad, Ministry of Education, Taiwan, 2011 – 2012.

Conference Travel Grant, National Chengchi University, Taiwan, 2007.

EMPLOYMENT

Part-Time Lecturer, Department of Economics, Rutgers University-New Brunswick, New Jersey, NJ, 2014 – present.

Graduate Teaching Assistant, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ, 2012 – 2015.

Research Assistant to Professor Hui-Lin Lin, Department of Economics, National Taiwan University, Taipei, Taiwan, 2010 – 2011.

Research Assistant, Graduate Institute of Intellectual Property, National Chengchi University, Taipei, Taiwan, 2009 – 2010.

Research Assistant to Professor Mao-Wei Hung, College of Management, National Taiwan University, Taipei, Taiwan, 2008 – 2009.

PEDAGOGICAL TRAININGS

“Preparing for the Professoriate” Workshop Series, Teaching Assistant Project, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ, 2015.

“Teaching with Technology” Workshop Series, Teaching Assistant Project, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ, 2015.

“Introduction to College Teaching” seminar course, Teaching Assistant Project, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ, 2014.

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIP

Southern Economic Association

REFERENCES

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