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Current Employment

Economist - International Monetary Fund

September 2019- present

- Strategy, Policy and Review Department (SPR)
- Middle East and Central Asia Department (MCD)
- Finance Department (FIN)

Education

McGill University

PhD, Economics 2017
Fields: International Economics, Industrial Organization, Macroeconomics
Dissertation: *Three Essays on the Economics of International Firms*

University of Manitoba

MA, Economics 2012
Fields: International Finance, Econometrics

University of Ghana

BA, Economics 2010

Research Publications

- "Learning from Ecology: Is Diversity in the Financial Ecosystem Important for Economic Growth and Stability?" (with Vihang Errunza and Basma Majerbi) *forthcoming in IMF Economic Review*
- "Weather Shocks and Exchange Rate Flexibility" (with Selim Elekdag), *Review of International Economics*, 31(5), 1793-1832, 2023.
- "Climate Change and Long-term Growth in CCA Countries" (with Kalin Tintchev and Faten Saliba), *International Monetary Fund*, 2023.
- "Exchange Rate Volatility and Import of Intermediate Inputs: Evidence from Chinese Firms" (with Yifan Li and Zhuang Miao) *International Review of Economics and Finance* 82, 120-134, 2022.
- "Offshoring and Re-shoring: The Roles of Incomplete Contracts and Relative Bargaining Power" (with Ngo, Van Long) *Frontiers of Economics in China*, 3(1): 32-51, 2023.
- "The Impact of Remittances on the Real Exchange Rate: Empirical Evidence from Ghana." *Journal of Economic Cooperation & Development* 36.3 (2015): 43.

Working Papers

- "Fiscal Consolidation and Firm Productivity: Evidence from Advanced Economies" (with Ngo Van Long), *IMF Working Paper WP/22/126*, 2022
- "Intra-firm Trade in the Presence of Uncertainty"
- "Outsourcing, Productivity and Exports: Theory and Evidence from Firm Level Data for Emerging Economies"

Selected Policy Issues

- Review of Concessional Financing and Policies - Staff Proposals, 2020
- Catastrophe Containment and Relief Trust : Policy Proposals and Funding Strategy, 2020
- 2023 Handbook of IMF Facilities for Low-Income Countries
- Review of The Cumulative Access Limits Under The Rapid Financing Instrument and The Rapid Credit Facility
- Temporary Modifications to The Fund’s Annual and Cumulative Access Limits
- Review of Experience with The Food Shock Window Under The Rapid Financing Instrument and The Rapid Credit Facility
- Republic of Tajikistan: 2021 Article IV Consultation-Press Release; Staff Report; and Statement by Executive Director for the Republic of Tajikistan
- Central African Republic: 2023 Article IV Consultation and request for a 38-month arrangement under the Extended Credit Facility-Press Release; Staff Report; and Statement by the Executive Director for the Central African Republic
- Central African Republic: First Review Under the Extended Credit Facility, Requests for Waivers of Nonobservance of Performance Criteria, Modification of Quantitative Performance Criteria, Rephasing of Access, and Financing Assurance Review-Press Release; Staff Report; and Statement by the Executive Director for the Central African Republic

Other Experience

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| University of Victoria <i>Post Doctoral Research Fellow</i> | Aug. 2017 - July 2019 |
| Newmont Ghana Gold Ltd. <i>Procurement Officer</i> | July 2010 - Aug. 2011 |
| McGill University <i>Course Lecturer</i> | Jan. 2017 - May 2017 |
| McGill University & University of Manitoba <i>Teaching Fellow</i> | Aug. 2011 - Dec. 2016 |

Selected Awards and Scholarships

- 2017: Canadian Economics Association Travel Award, Graduate Mobility Award
- 2012–2016: Graduate Excellence Award, WYNG Trust Fellowship
- 2011–2012: Manitoba Graduate Fellowship, University of Manitoba Graduate Fellowship
- 2012: Clarence Barber Award in Macroeconomics

Conference and Seminar Presentations

- 2021: MCD Departmental Seminar, FIN Departmental Seminar
- 2019: Economics Department, University of Victoria
- 2018: Canadian Economics Association (CEA)
- 2017: Bank of Canada, Canadian Economics Association (CEA)
- 2016: CIREQ Lunch Seminar, Canadian Economics Association (CEA)

Skills & Others

- Computer Skills: Matlab, Stata, R, LyX, L^AT_EX, Microsoft Office (Excel, Word, and PowerPoint)

- Citizenship: Ghanaian and Canadian

Professional services & membership

- Member: American Economics Association
- Member: Canadian Economics Association
- Reviewer: Review of International Economics
- International Steering Committee member: REDCAPA

References: Available upon request