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Education:

December, 2004 Ph.D., Economics, The Johns Hopkins University
Dissertation: "Essays on the Phillips Curve"
Advisor: Laurence Ball

May, 2001 M.A., Economics, The Johns Hopkins University

May, 1998 B.A., Economics, Summa Cum Laude (Class Rank – 1),
College of Notre Dame of MD

Employment:

01/2007 - present *Economist III, Economic Outreach, Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco*

09/2005 – 09/2007 *Economist II, Economic Outreach, Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco*

08/2004 – 08/2005 *Assistant Professor, California State University, Sacramento*
Courses taught: Introductory Macroeconomic Analysis, Intermediate
Macroeconomic Theory, International Finance.

Research interests:

Macroeconomics, Monetary and Fiscal Policy, International Economics, Time-Series Econometrics

Published Articles

Refereed Journals

"Job Flows, Demographics and the Great Recession" (with Eva M. Sierminska), *Research in Labor Economics*, 2011, 32, pp.115-154

"Understanding Exchange Rate Pass-Through," *Journal of Macroeconomics*, 2010, 32 (4): 1118-1130.

"Gender, Monetary Policy, and Employment" (with Eva M. Sierminska), *Feminist Economics*, 2009, 15(3): 323–353.

Other Publications

"Disentangling the Wealth Effect: Some International Evidence" (with Eva M. Sierminska), *FRBSF Economic Letter*, 2007-02.

"The Effect of Wealth on Consumption Expenditures: Cross-Country and Cross Socio-Demographic Group Comparisons" (with Eva Sierminska), 2008. *Ekonomia journal, Faculty of Economic Sciences, University of Warsaw, vol. 20.*

Books and Book Chapters

"Gender, Monetary Policy, and Employment: The Case of Nine OECD Countries" (with Eva M.

Sierminska) in *Inequality, Development, and Growth* edited by Günseli Berik, Yana van der Meulen Rodgers, and Stephanie Seguino, Routledge, January 2011.

Unpublished Working Papers

“Understanding Changes in Exchange Rate Pass-Through” *Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco Working Paper* 2008-13, February 2008

“Wealth Effects out of Financial and Housing Wealth: Cross Country and Age Group Comparisons” (with Eva M. Sierminska), *Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco Working Paper* 2007-0, January 2007

“Job Flows, Demographics and the Great Recession (with Eva M. Sierminska). DIW Berlin Discussion Papers.

http://www.diw.de/documents/publikationen/73/diw_01.c.359113.de/dp1042.pdf

Conference presentation and participation

2010

- Workshop on Economic Crisis, Rising Unemployment and Policy Responses (IZA/OECD), Paris, France, February. (Presenter, discussant).
- Western Economics Association International Annual Meetings, Portland, OR, July (Presenter).
- Southern Economics Association Annual Meetings, Atlanta, GA, November (Presenter).

2009

- Western Economics Association International Annual Meetings, Vancouver, B.C., July. (Presenter, discussant, session chair).
- Southern Economics Association Annual Meetings, San Antonio, TX, November. (Presenter, discussant).

2008

- Workshop on Inequality, Development, and Growth (sponsored by Feminist Economics Journal, United Nations Department of Economic and Social Affairs and the Division for the Advancement of Women), May. (Discussant and presenter).
- Western Economics Association International, Honolulu, HI, July. (Session organizer)
- Southern Economics Association, Washington, DC, November. (Session organizer)

2007

- Western Economics Association International, Seattle, WA, June. (Presenter, discussant, session organizer and session chair)

2006

- International Organization for Research in Income and Wealth, Joensuu, Finland, August. (Presenter).
- Western Economics Association International, San Diego, CA, July. (Presenter).

2005

- Canadian Economics Association Annual Conference, Hamilton, ON, May. (Presenter).
- 4th Global Conference on Business and Economics, Oxford, U.K., (Presenter).
- Western Economics Association International Conference, San Francisco, CA, July. (Presenter).

Referee Activity

Referee for Journal of Macroeconomics, Research in Labor Economics.

Other Professional Experience

- 09/1999–05/2003 *Graduate Teaching Assistant, The Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, MD*
Macroeconomic Theory, Elements of Macroeconomics, Econometrics,
Population Economics, Economics of Science and Innovation.
- 05/2003-06/2003 *Instructor: Elements of Macroeconomics, The Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, MD*
- 09/2002 – 05/2003 *Instructor: Statistics for Business and Econ., College of Notre Dame of MD, Baltimore, MD*
- 07/2002-08/2002 *Instructor: Elements of Macroeconomics, The Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, MD*
- 05/2001–08/2001 *Research Assistant to Professor L. Ball, The Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, MD*
- 05/2001-06/2001 *Instructor: International Monetary Economics, The Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, MD*

Honors and Awards

- Full-time Graduate Fellowship in Economics at the Johns Hopkins University, 1998-1999
- Full-time teaching assistantship in Economics at the Johns Hopkins University, 1999-2003
- Excellence Award for Outstanding Achievement in the Study of Economics from the Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond, Baltimore Branch, 1998

Other information:

Professional Membership: Western Economics Association International
Languages: Russian, English