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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE AND EMPLOYMENT

Associate Professor of Economics, Haverford College, July 1999-
Chair, Department of Economics, Haverford College, July 2001 June 2004
Assistant Professor of Economics, Haverford College, January 1993- June 1999

Visiting Assistant Professor, Department of Applied Economics, University of
Minnesota, 1996-97

The Ford Foundation, Cairo, Egypt, Summer Intern, 1987

CARE, Chad, Field worker in famine relief and rural development, 1985-86

The World Bank, Washington, D.C., Research Assistant, 1984

EDUCATION

Ph.D. Agricultural and Resource Economics, University of California, Berkeley, 1993

Major field: Agricultural policy

Minor field: Game theory, agency theory and mechanism design

M.Sc. Agricultural Economics, Michigan State University, 1988

Major field: Agricultural economics

Minor field: Statistics

B.A. Cultural Anthropology and African Studies (self-designed major), Williams
College, 1984

Magna cum Laude

Phi Beta Kappa

Junior year spent as a visiting student at N'jala University College, Sierra Leone

RESEARCH

Names of co-authors who were undergraduate research assistants from Haverford and Bryn Mawr Colleges are shown in bold face.

Published articles:

"Individualism, Collectivism and Economic Development." *Annals of the American Academy of Political and Social Science*, Volume 573, pp. 57-84, January 2001.

"The Institutional Foundations of Monetary Commitment: A Comparative Analysis," *World Development*, Volume 27, Number 10, pp. 1821-1842, October 1999.

"Discontinuity and Non-Existence of Equilibrium in a Probabilistic Spatial Voting Model." *Social Choice and Welfare*, Volume 16, Number 4, pp. 533-556, August 1999.

"Opposition Backlash and Platform Convergence in a Spatial Voting Model with Campaign Contributions." *Public Choice*, Volume 89, pp. 269-286, 1999.

"Efficient but Poor Revisited" (co-authored with **Laurie Pounder**). *Economic Development and Cultural Change*, Volume 44, Number 4, pp. 735-760, July 1996.

"Political, Economic and Humanitarian Motivations for P.L. 480 Food Aid: Evidence from Africa" (co-authored with **Christopher Johnson**). *Economic Development and Cultural Change*, Volume 44, Number 3, pp. 515-537, April 1996.

"Interest Groups, Influence and Welfare." *Economics and Politics*, Volume 7, Number 2, pp. 119-146, July 1995.

"Governance Structures and the Durability of Economic Reforms: Evidence from Inflation Stabilizations" (co-authored with Gordon C. Rausser), *World Development*, Volume 23, Number 6, pp. 897-912, June 1995.

"Hedging with Commodity-Linked Bonds Under Price Risk and Capital Constraints" (co-authored with Robert J. Myers), in T. Priovolos and R.C. Duncan, eds., *Commodity Risk Management and Finance*. Published for the World Bank by Oxford University Press, 1991.

Book reviews:

Review of *Africa's Elephant: A Biography*, by Martin Meredith (Hodder and Stoughton, 2001). *American Journal of Agricultural Economics*, forthcoming.

Review of *Why Governments Waste Natural Resources*, by William Ascher (Johns Hopkins University Press, 2000). *American Journal of Agricultural Economics*, Volume 84, Number 3, 2002.

Current Papers in Progress:

"Absolute Income, Relative Income and Happiness" (co-authored with **Kateryna Chernova**) (pdf version available)

"Norms of Cooperation and Temptations to Defect in an Evolutionary Model of Economic Development." (pdf version available)

"Violations of Monotonicity in Evolutionary Models with Sample-Based Beliefs." (pdf version available)

"Equilibrium and Efficiency: Classroom Exercises in Coordination and Collective Action." Joint with Saleha Jilani.

"Contract Dispute Resolution as a Private Good."

Presentations:

"Contract Dispute Resolution as a Private Good." Presented at the annual meeting of the American Law and Economics Association, NYU Law School, May 2005.

"Absolute Income, Relative Income and Happiness" (co-authored with **Kateryna Chernova**). Presented at the annual meeting of the International Society for Quality of Life Studies, Philadelphia, November 2004.

"What Makes Arbitration Work? Legal, Economic and Social Conditions to Support a National Arbitration Regime" (co-authored with Markham Ball). Presented at the Global Center for Dispute Resolution Research Resolution's conference on Global Dispute Resolution Research, The Hague, Netherlands, April 2004.

"Incomes, Inequality and Happiness: New Evidence." Presented at the second annual meeting of the Behavioral Research Council of the American Institute for Economic Research, Great Barrington, MA, July 2002.

"Incomes, Inequality and Happiness: New Evidence." Presented at the biennial meeting of the Society for the Advancement of Behavioral Economics, Washington, D.C., June 2001.

"Norms of Cooperation and Temptations to Defect in an Evolutionary Model of Economic Development." Presented at the Eighth World Congress of the Econometric Society, Seattle, August 2000.

"Violations of Monotonicity in Evolutionary Models with Sample-Based Beliefs." Poster presented at the First World Congress of the Game Theory Society, Bilbao, Spain, July 2000.

"Norms of Cooperation and Temptations to Defect in an Evolutionary Model of Economic Development." Presented at the biennial meeting of the Society for the Advancement of Behavioral Economics, San Diego, June 1999.

"Norms of Cooperation and Temptations to Defect in an Evolutionary Model of Economic Development." Presented at the Economic and Social Research Council conference on Economic Beliefs and Behavior, University College, Oxford University, July 1999.

"Norms of Cooperation and Temptations to Defect in an Evolutionary Model of Economic Development." Presented at the annual meeting of the Public Choice Society, New Orleans, March 1998.

"Fairness, Evolution and Growth." Presented at the Economic Development Center Workshop, Departments of Economics and Applied Economics, University of Minnesota, April 1997.

"A Retrospective View on the Contributions of T.W. Schultz." Presented at the Economic Development Center workshop, Departments of Economics and Applied Economics, University of Minnesota, November 1996.

"Indigenous Knowledge, Indigenous Technology and Appropriate Technology." Cargill Fall Address, Department of Economics, Macalester College, St. Paul, MN, November 1996.

"The Spatial Voting Model: Corrections and New Results." Presented at the Columbia University Center for Political Economy, March 1996.

"Campaign Contributions and Platform Convergence in the Spatial Voting Model." Presented at the annual meeting of the Public Choice Society, Houston, Texas, April 1996.

"Non-Existence of Equilibrium in the Spatial Voting Model." Presented at the annual meeting of the Western Economic Association, Vancouver, B.C., July 1994.

"Political, Economic and Humanitarian Motivations for P.L. 480 Food Aid: Evidence from Africa" (co-authored with **Christopher Johnson**). Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Eastern Economic Association, Boston, MA, March 1994.

"Political Lobbying as Welfare Improving Signaling." Invited talk at the Stanford University Graduate School of Business, October 1991.

"A Note on the Income Effects of P.L. 480 Food Aid." Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Agricultural Economics Association, Vancouver, B.C., August 1990.

LANGUAGES

Fluent French. Seven years of high school and college study; fifteen months living and working in a Francophone country; further study with private tutors.