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APPOINTMENTS:

September 2004 - Present: Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, The Ohio State University.

January 2001 - July 2004: Research Assistant, University of California Energy Institute

EDUCATION:

Ph.D. in Economics, University of California at Berkeley, May 2004.
(Dissertation: "Essays on Price Dynamics and Consumer Search")

B.S. in Economics, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, May 1998.

FIELDS OF RESEARCH:

Industrial Organization, Empirical Microeconomics

PUBLISHED PAPERS:

"Price Dispersion and Competition with Differentiated Seller," forthcoming, *Journal of Industrial Economics*.

"Temporary Wholesale Gasoline Price Spikes have Long-lasting Retail Effects: The Aftermath of Hurricane Rita," forthcoming (2009), *Journal of Law and Economics*, 52.

WORKING PAPERS:

"Asymmetric Price Adjustment and Consumer Search: An Examination of the Retail Gasoline Industry" University of California Energy Institute, Center for the Study of Energy Markets Working Paper #120, November 2003.

"Market Power in California's Gasoline Market" (with Severin Borenstein and James Bushnell) University of California Energy Institute Center for the Study of Energy Markets Working Paper #132, May 2004.

"When Do Consumers Search?" with Howard P. Marvel. working paper, December 2007.

FELLOWSHIPS AND HONORS:

Thesis Prize, Institute of Business and Economic Research, Competition Policy Center,
University of California, Berkeley, May 2004

REFEREE SERVICES:

Journal of Industrial Economics
International Journal of Industrial Organization
Journal of Economics and Management Strategy
Journal of Political Economy
Journal of Economics and Business Statistics
Economic Inquiry
Canadian Journal of Economics
Energy Journal
IMF Staff Papers
Energy Economics
Japan Economic Review
International Review of Economics and Finance
Southern Economic Journal
Journal of Economic Education
University of California Energy Institute Grant Program
NSF Grant Program
Market Regulation by Roger Sherman

INVITED PRESENTATIONS:

University of California, Berkeley, Department of Economics, September 2003
University of Washington, Department of Economics, January 2004
University of Chicago, Graduate School of Business, January 2004
University of Michigan Business School, January 2004
Vanderbilt University, Owen School of Business, February 2004
The Ohio State University, Department of Economics, February 2004
University of Illinois, Department of Economics, February 2004
University of Wyoming, Department of Economics and Finance, February 2004
University of Akron, Department of Economics, October 2004
International Industrial Organization Conference, April 2006
Kent State University, Department of Economics, September 2006
Federal Trade Commission, Bureau of Economics, November 2006
Center for the Study of Energy Markets – Oil and Gasoline Conference,
UC Berkeley, December 2007
University of Tennessee, Department of Economics, April 2007
Yale University, Dept. of Economics/SOM, September 2007
The Ohio State University, Department of Economics, September 2007
University of California San Diego, Dept. of Economics, October 2007
University of California Berkeley, Energy Institute, October 2007
The Ohio State University, AEDE, November 2007
Indiana University, Department of Economics, February 2008

COURSES TAUGHT:

Undergraduate: Government and Business (6 quarters)
Graduate: Empirical Industrial Organization (4 quarters)

PH.D. STUDENT ADVISING (FIRST JOB):

Main Advisor:

Zhiquan Weng (on-going)
Sang Yeob Lee (San Francisco State) [Co-advisor with Lung-Fei Lee]

Committee Member:

Jun Nakabayashi (on-going)
Tun-Ying Hsu (on-going)
Kirk Kerr (Cap Analysis Group)

RECENT MEDIA APPEARANCES:

Periodicals: Associated Press, Chicago Tribune, Cleveland Plain Dealer, Cincinnati Enquirer, Columbus Dispatch, Lexington Herald-Leader, New York Times, Richmond Times Dispatch, Slate.com, St. Paul Pioneer Press, Washington Post

Radio: “As it Happens” on CBC/NPR, KUOW Seattle NPR, WCBE Columbus NPR, WTVN, WSNY, WOSU Columbus NPR, WTVN, WBEZ Chicago NPR

Television: WBNS 10 (Columbus CBS), WSYX 6 (Columbus ABC) and WTTE 28 (Columbus FOX) Columbus, WKEF 45 (Dayton FOX) and WRGT 22 (Dayton ABC)