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Academic Background:

Degrees: B.A.: University of California, Santa Cruz
 June 1974

 M.S.: University of Wisconsin, Madison
 December 1981

 Ph.D.: University of Wisconsin, Madison
 December 1983

Non-degree Work: 40 credits of accounting courses,
 California State University, Los Angeles, and
 Pasadena City College, 1976-1978.

Fields of Interest: Primary: International Trade
 Secondary: Industrial Organization, Sports Economics, Economics of Private
 Higher Education, Law and Economics

Teaching Experience:

Fall 1982 to Present
 Occidental College
 Assistant Professor, 1982-1988
 Associate Professor, 1988-1995
 Professor, 1995 to present

Courses: Principles of Macroeconomics
Principles of Microeconomics
Analytical Foundations of Economics
The World Economy
Intermediate Microeconomic Theory
Regulation of Industry
International Economics
Law and Economics
First-year Writing Seminar
Accounting and Financial Analysis

Fall 1979 to Fall 1981: University of Wisconsin, Madison, Teaching Assistant

Awards and Distinctions:

Occidental Faculty Council President, 2005-2007.
MacArthur Research Fellowship, Spring 1986.
Haines Summer Fellowship, Summer 1984.
University of Wisconsin Graduate Fellowship: 1978-1979.
University of Wisconsin Distinguished Teaching Assistant Awards:
Fall 1979, Fall 1980, Spring 1981, Fall 1981.
Runner-Up, Outstanding Teaching Assistant, Department of Economics: 1980-1981.

Publications:

"The Peculiar Externalities of Professional Team Sports." *Economic Inquiry* 43 (April 2005), 330-343.

"Wither Baseball After the Strike of 1994?" In Marburger, Daniel R., editor, *Strike Four! What's Wrong with the Business of Baseball*. Westport, CT: Praeger, 1997.

"The Economics of Affirmative Action." With Robert L. Moore. In Bartlett, Robin L., editor, *Introducing Race and Gender into Economics*. New York: Routledge, 1997, 89-97.

"Protective Labor Legislation and Women's Employment." With Pamela J. Nickless. In Bartlett, Robin L., editor, *Introducing Race and Gender into Economics*. New York: Routledge, 1997, 31-41.

"The Causes and Consequences of Webb-Pomerene Associations: A Reappraisal." *The Antitrust Bulletin* 38 (Summer 1993), 395-418.

"Bidding Till Bankrupt: Destructive Competition in Professional Team Sports." *Economic Inquiry* 31 (January 1993), 100-115.

Microeconomic Principles in Action. With Robert L. Moore. Prentice Hall: Englewood Cliffs, NJ, 1990.

“Winning Games versus Winning Championships: The Economics of Fan Interest and Team Performance.” *Economic Inquiry* 26 (October 1988), 703-724.

“Imperfect Competition and Import Penetration.” *Atlantic Economic Journal* 16 (March 1988), 7-18.

“The Oligopoly Game.” With David Hemenway and Robert Moore. *Economic Inquiry* 25 (October 1987), 727-730.

Manuscripts:

“A Foreign Exchange-Market Geometry for Short-Run and Long-Run Adjustments in Open-Economy Macroeconomics.” Working paper (1996).

“Why Do Bud and Miller Always Dominate the Superbowl? Advertising as an Anticompetitive Strategic Input.” Working paper (1990).

“International Oligopoly and the Direction of Commodity Trade.” Working paper (1984).

“Labor Supply and Tax/Expenditure Changes: An Indeterminate Interaction.” Working paper (1984).

“International Oligopoly, Cournot Behavior and Commodity Trade: A Theoretical and Empirical Investigation.” Ph.D. dissertation (1983).

Computer skills:

Languages: Professional Development Systems (PDS) Basic, Visual Basic, Fortran, Java, html

Software: Word, Excel, FrontPage, TSP, RATS, Stata

Software applications: Internet Chalkboard (Step-view diagrams for Intermediate Microeconomics)

Interactive Exercises (International Economics, Analytical Foundations of Economics)

The QWiz Plus Program (Question Wizard computer workbook and authoring package for Windows)

References:

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Nonteaching experience:

January 1977

to June 1978: Worked as an accountant, first for a manufacturing firm (Jan.-May 1977), then for a CPA firm (May 1977-June 1978).

March 1976 to

September 1976: Traveled in Central and South America.

October 1974 to

September 1975: Worked as a VISTA volunteer, managing a community development credit union in Rochester, New York.