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EMPLOYMENT

Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond

Economist 2019–present

EDUCATION

Princeton University

Ph.D., Economics 2019

M.A., Economics 2015

University of Chicago

B.A. (Honors), Economics 2012

FIELDS

Macroeconomics, Econometrics

PUBLICATIONS

1. Global Robust Bayesian Analysis in Large Models

Journal of Econometrics, 2023, 235(2): 608-642

2. Forecasting in the Absence of Precedent

Journal of Economic Surveys, 2023, 37(3): 1033-1058

3. How to Go Viral: A COVID-19 Model with Endogenously Time-Varying Parameters

with Thomas A. Lubik and Christian Matthes

Journal of Econometrics, 2023, 232(1): 70-86

4. Bubbles and the Value of Innovation

with Valentin Haddad and Erik Loualiche

Journal of Financial Economics, 2022, 145(1): 69-84 (*Editor's Choice*)

5. Forecasting the COVID-19 Epidemic: The Case of New Zealand

with Thomas A. Lubik and Christian Matthes

New Zealand Economic Papers, 2022, 56(1): 9-16

WORKING PAPERS

- 1. Survey Data and Subjective Beliefs in Business Cycle Models**
with Anmol Bhandari and Jaroslav Borovička
Revise and Resubmit, Review of Economic Studies
- 2. Averaging Impulse Responses Using Prediction Pools**
with Thomas A. Lubik and Christian Matthes
Revise and Resubmit, Journal of Monetary Economics
- 3. Estimating the Effects of Demographics on Interest Rates: A Robust Bayesian Perspective**
Revise and Resubmit, Journal of Economic Dynamics and Control
- 4. Multilateral Comovement in a New Keynesian World: A Little Trade Goes a Long Way**
with Pierre-Daniel Sarte and Felipe Schwartzman

NON-ACADEMIC ARTICLES

- 1. Why Are Economists Still Uncertain About the Effects of Monetary Policy?**
Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond Economic Brief, May 2023, No. 23-15
- 2. How Does Trade Impact the Way GDP Growth and Inflation Comove Across Countries?**
with Pierre-Daniel Sarte and Felipe Schwartzman
Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond Economic Brief, January 2023, No. 23-01
- 3. How Speculation Affects the Market and Outcome-Based Values of Innovation**
with Valentin Haddad and Erik Loualiche
Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond Economic Brief, August 2022, No. 22-35
- 4. How Macroeconomic Forecasters Adjusted During the COVID-19 Pandemic**
Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond Economic Brief, June 2021, No. 21-19
- 5. Macroeconomic Effects of Household Pessimism and Optimism**
with Anmol Bhandari and Jaroslav Borovička
Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond Economic Brief, January 2021, No. 21-03
- 6. COVID-19 over Time and across States: Predictions from a Statistical Model**
with Thomas A. Lubik and Christian Matthes
Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond Economic Brief, September 2020, No. 20-10
- 7. Forecasting the COVID-19 Epidemic for the U.S.**
with Thomas A. Lubik and Christian Matthes
Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond Special Report, May 8, 2020
- 8. Forecasting the COVID-19 Pandemic in the Fifth District**
with Thomas A. Lubik and Christian Matthes
Regional Matters, April 23, 2020

PRESENTATIONS

2023: Federal Reserve Board, Office of Financial Research (Treasury), Conference in Honor of Jim Stock and Mark Watson, BoE-CfM-EUI-LSE Workshop on International Macroeconomics and Finance, Barcelona Summer Forum (Macroeconometrics and Policy Evaluation)

2022: Pennsylvania State University, Marvin S. Goodfriend Conference, Advances in Applied Macro-Econometrics Conference, Federal Reserve System Econometrics Conference

2021: Computing in Economics and Finance 27th International Conference, International Association for Applied Econometrics Annual Conference, Drautzburg-Nason Workshop

2020: University of North Carolina Kenan-Flagler Business School, Virginia Commonwealth University, SFS Cavalcade (discussant)

2019: Indiana University Bloomington, FRB Richmond, Columbia University, National University of Singapore, Singapore Management University, Developments in Empirical Macroeconomics Conference, SED Annual Conference, NBER Summer Institute (Dynamic Equilibrium Models), Federal Reserve System Econometrics Conference (discussant), Santiago Macroeconomics Workshop, FRB Richmond–University of Virginia Workshop, FRB New York, EC-Squared Conference (Identification in Macroeconomics)

2018: North American Summer Meeting of the Econometric Society, International Association for Applied Econometrics Annual Conference, Princeton University (Econometrics), Princeton University (Macroeconomics)

2016: Third Annual Macroeconomics and Business CYCLE Conference, National University of Singapore

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Co-organizer

Federal Reserve System Econometrics Conference (with Michael McCracken)	2022–2023
Advances in Applied Macro-Econometrics Conference (with Thomas A. Lubik)	2022

Program Committee

SFS Cavalcade	2021–2023
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Referee

American Economic Journal: Macroeconomics, American Economic Review: Insights, B.E. Journal of Macroeconomics, Economic Modelling, Economics Bulletin, Economics Letters, International Journal of Forecasting, Journal of Econometrics, Journal of Econometric Methods, Journal of Economic Dynamics and Control, Journal of Empirical Finance, Journal of Monetary Economics, Macroeconomic Dynamics, Management Science, Review of Economic Studies, Review of Finance

HONORS, AWARDS, AND FELLOWSHIPS

IAAE Annual Conference Student Travel Award and Best PhD Student Paper	2018
Macro Financial Modeling Fellowship	2017
J. Edward Lundy *40 Fellowship for Economics	2014
Princeton University Graduate Fellowship	2013–2019
Phi Beta Kappa	2013
Becker Friedman Institute Award for Academic Achievement	2012

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