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Education

- 2002 **Ph.D. in Economics**, *University of Minnesota*.
- 2000 **M.A. in Economics**, *University of Minnesota*.
- 1996 **Licenciatura in Economics**, *Universidade Católica Portuguesa*.

Employment

- 2009–current **Senior Research Economist**, *Research Department*, Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland.
- 2014–2015 **Visiting Senior Researcher**, *Research Department*, Banco de Portugal.
- 2002–2009 **Assistant Professor**, *Department of Economics*, Southern Methodist University.
- 2006–2007 **Visiting Assistant Professor**, *Department of Economics*, University of Minnesota.
- 2005–2006 **Visiting Assistant Professor**, *Department of Economics*, University of Texas-Austin.
- 2000–2002 **Research Assistant**, *Research Department*, Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis.
- 1998–2000 **Instructor**, *Department of Economics*, University of Minnesota.

Published refereed articles

- 2016 **The Cyclical Behavior of Equilibrium Unemployment and Vacancies Across OECD Countries**, with *Murat Tasci*, *European Economic Review* (forthcoming).
- 2010 **Limited Enforcement, Financial Intermediation and Economic Development: A Quantitative Assessment**, with *Erwan Quintin*, *International Economic Review* 51 (3), 785-811.
- 2006 **A Competitive Model of the Informal Sector**, with *Erwan Quintin*, *Journal of Monetary Economics* 53 (7), 1541-1553.
- 2002 **The Great Depression in Canada and the United States: A Neoclassical Perspective**, with *James C. MacGee*, *Review of Economic Dynamics* 5, 45-72.

Other publications

- 2014 **The Cyclicity of the Portuguese Labor Market: A Macroeconomic Perspective in the OECD context**, Economic Bulletin, Banco de Portugal, October 2014.
- 2014 **Reassessing the Effects of Unemployment Insurance Benefits on Unemployment**, with Jessica Ice, *Economic Commentary, Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland 2014-23*.
- 2013 **Monetary Policy Tightening and Long-Term Interest Rates**, Economic Commentary, Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland 2013-08.
- 2012 **Technology Shocks and Unemployment in the Last Recession**, Economic Commentary, Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland 2012-07.
- 2011 **Credit Flows to Businesses During the Great Recession**, Economic Commentary, Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland 2011-15.
- 2010 **Is U.S. Federal Debt Too Large?**, Economic Commentary, Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland 2010-10.

Working papers

- 2016 **Trade, Relative Prices, and the Canadian Great Depression**, with James C. MacGee, *Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland, Working Paper no. 16-06*.
- 2012 **Re-Examining the Role of Sticky Wages in the U.S. Great Depression: A Multi-sector Approach**, with James C. MacGee, *Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland, Working Paper no. 09-11R*.
- 2009 **Job Separations, Heterogeneity, and Earnings Inequality**, *Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland, Working Paper no. 09-10*.

Book chapters

- 2007 **The Great Depression in Canada and the United States: A Neoclassical Perspective**, with James C. MacGee, in "Great Depressions of the Twentieth Century", T. J. Kehoe and E. C. Prescott, editors, Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis.

Recent presentations

Western University; Banco de Portugal; University of Arkansas; University of Akron; LuBra Macro Meetings, Recife; University of Pittsburgh; Society for Economic Dynamics, Seoul; Latin American Meetings of the Econometric Society, Lima; Federal Reserve Board of Governors; Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta; Ohio State University; European Meetings of the Econometric Society, Málaga; Midwest Macro Meetings, Notre Dame University; Econometric Society's World Congress, Shanghai

Refereeing

American Economic Journal: Macroeconomics, American Economic Review, B.E. Journal of Macroeconomics, Economic Inquiry, Economic Theory, Economics Bulletin, European Economic Review, European Review of Economic History, International Economic Review, Journal of Economic Dynamics and Control, Journal of Economic Growth, Journal of Growth and Development, Journal of Monetary Economics, Journal of Political Economy, Journal of Public Economics, Macroeconomic Dynamics, Review of Economic Dynamics, Review of Economic Studies, and Southern Economic Journal.