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Work Experiences:

Michigan State University

Academic Advisor/Coordinator, Visiting International Professional Program, International Studies and Programs, January 2002 – present

Establish academic oversight and minimum academic standards

Monitor progress toward graduation requirements

Establish methods for improving curriculum

Advise program participants

Design, develop, and implement professional training program

Arrange professional seminar and site visit

Conduct relevant international market research and analysis

Assistant Professor (fixed term), International Studies and Programs, August 2002 – present

Teach at International Studies and Programs: Current Macroeconomic Issues in the U.S. Teach at Department of Economics: Introduction to Microeconomics & Introduction to Macroeconomics

Education:

Ph.D., Public Finance, Michigan State University, East Lansing, Michigan, 2002 Master of Arts, Public Finance, Sogang University, Seoul, Korea, 1991 Bachelor of Arts, Economics (*Minor in Mathematics*), Sogang University, Seoul, Korea, 1989

Publications:

- "Asymmetries and Tariff-Tax Reforms in the Asia-Pacific Economic Cooperation: A Quantitative Assessment," *Journal of Economic Asymmetries*, Volume 4/1, June, 2007
- "U.S. Tax Reform and Its Implications for Korea," *International Journal of Korean Studies*, Volume 10/1, Spring/Summer, 2006
- "International Ramifications of U.S. Tax-Policy Changes," (with Charles L. Ballard) *Journal of Policy Modeling*, Volume 25/8, November, 2003
- "Study on U.S. Fundamental Tax Reform: Tax or Subsidize on Capital?" In Haiam Foundation (ed.), Sustainable Urban Development: Philosophy and Strategy. Consortium on Development Studies, 2003

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Publications (cont'd):

The International Spillover Effects of U.S. Tax Reform: A Computational General Equilibrium Approach with a Global Trade Model, Ph.D. Dissertation, Michigan State University, 2002

"U.S. Tax Policy and International Flows of Goods and Capital." (with Charles L. Ballard) *Working Paper*, Michigan State University, 2001

Conference Presentations:

The Athenian Policy Forum and Loyola University Chicago Conference on Asymmetries in Globalization: Opportunities and Risks, Loyola University Chicago, January 4, 2007

"Asymmetries and Tariff-Tax Reforms in APEC"

International Development Program Special Seminar Series, International University of Japan, Japan, October 30, 2006

"Free Trade and Complementary Tax Policies"

International Conference on Korean Studies, Michigan State University, October 11, 2003

"Tax Retaliation in the Global Era: A Lesson for Korea"

4th Annual Conference on Global Economic Analysis, Purdue University, June 27-29, 2001 "U.S. Tax Policy and International Flows of Goods and Capital"

Workshop:

EcoMod Modeling School, Washington DC, March 31-April 4, 2008 – featuring "Advanced Techniques in General Equilibrium with GAMS"

GAMS Workshop, Copenhagen, Denmark, March 8-12, 1999 – featuring "Introduction to CGE Modeling with GAMS/MPSGE" and "Dynamic General Equilibrium Analysis of Environmental Policy"

Other Experience:

Administrative Soldier: Munitions Academy, Korea, 1991-1993

Activities:

Advisor: MSU Accounting Club for Asian, MSU, 2008 – present President: Council on Korean Studies, MSU, 2014 – present

Executive Vice President: Council on Korean Studies, MSU, 2002 – 2014

President: Korean Student Organization, MSU, 1998 – 1999

Computer Skills:

Modeling Languages: GAMS, MPSGE Statistics Packages: Stata, GNU Plot

Others: Epsilon (Editor), MS Excel, MS PowerPoint, etc

Professional Membership:

International Institute of Public Finance