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EDUCATION

Ph.D., Economics, University of Arizona expected May 2005

Dissertation: Essays on Technology, Labor Market and Firm Strategy

Main Advisor: Ronald L. Oaxaca

M.A., Economics, University of Arizona May 2001

B.A., Economics & Finance, Babes-Bolyai University, Romania June 1997

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Applied Microeconomics, Labor Economics, Industrial Organization, Applied Econometrics, Economics of Strategy

TEACHING INTERESTS

UNDERGRADUATE: Principles of Economics, Intermediate Microeconomics, Intermediate Macroeconomics, Money and Banking, Labor Economics, Industrial Organization, Econometrics, Statistics, Economics of Strategy, Managerial Economics

GRADUATE: Microeconomics, Labor Economics, Industrial Organization, Econometrics, Statistics, Mathematical Economics, Managerial Economics, Economics of Strategies

RESEARCH PAPERS

“Technological Change and Gender Wage Differentials”, with Ronald L. Oaxaca

- Submitted and accepted at the SEA - Nov. 2004
- Submitted and accepted for the ASSA meeting, Jan. 2005
- Submitted to EALE/SOLE World Conference 2005

“Inter-firm Technological Spillovers, Mobility of Scientists and the Organization of R&D”

- Presented at the ISNIE meeting, Sept. 2004
- Submitted and accepted for the SEA meeting, Nov. 2004

“Mobility of Scientists and the Pace of Innovation of Semiconductor Firms”, working paper

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Fall 1999 to Summer 2000 Research Assistant to Dr. Vernon L. Smith
Conducted Experiments in Electricity Markets and Water Markets
Fall 2000 to Spring 2001 Research Assistant to Dr. Gary D. Libecap
Worked on Institutional and Empirical Analysis on Emergence of Water Markets project
Spring 2001 to Spring 2004 Research Assistant to Dr. Ronald L. Oaxaca
Literature review, data collection, estimations, writing, presentations.

PRESENTATIONS

- Southern Economic Association Meeting, New Orleans, LA, Nov. 2004 - scheduled presentation
- The 88th Meeting of the European Applied Econometrics Association, Belgium, Oct. 2004
- International Society of New Institutional Economics, Tucson, AZ, September 2004
- Midwestern Economic Association Meeting, Chicago, IL, March 2004
- Global Business & Economics Research Conference, Istanbul, Turkey, Aug. 2003

AWARDS AND SCHOLARSHIPS

- NBER/Alfred P. Sloan Foundation 'Science and Engineers Workforce Project' dissertation fellowship, 2004-2005
- Best Presentation Award at the Global Business & Economics Research Conference, Istanbul, Turkey, Aug. 2003, by the Journal of American Academy of Business, Cambridge
- Research and Teaching Assistantship, 1999-2004
- Women's Studies Advisory Council Travel Stipend, Fall 2003
- Graduate College Fellowship, Fall 2001
- Visiting scholar at the University of Anger, France, Spring 1998
- Tempus visiting student at the University Jean Paul Sabatier, Toulouse, France, Spring 1996
- Award for Academic Excellence from the Open Society Foundation (at the time, Soros Foundation), co-recipient, May 1993

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

COURSES TAUGHT

- Business Administration: Global and Financial Economics and Strategies, for undergraduate business minors; taught 12 sessions, from Winter 2000 to Summer 2003.
- Labor Economics, for upper-division economic majors, Summer 2003
- Managerial Economics, for MBA students, Summer 2003
- Principle of Economics, for undergraduate students, 2 sessions, Summer 2004

TEACHING ASSISTANT

- Mathematics for Economists (economics Ph.D. students), Fall 2000
- Intermediate Microeconomics (undergraduates), Fall 1999, Spring 2000
- Global and Financial Economics and Strategies (undergraduates), Fall 2000, Spring 2001
- Economics of Strategies (Master in Public Administration, MBA students and undergraduates), Fall 2003, Spring 2004
- Microeconomics (Master in Public Administration and MBA students), Summer 2002, Fall 2003

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

American Economic Association
Midwest Economic Association
International Society for New Institutional Economics

OTHER PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Session Chair, Global Business & Economics Research Conference, Turkey, Aug. 2003
Discussant, Midwestern Economic Association Meeting, Chicago, IL, March 2004

REFERENCES

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