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Objective:

To seek an academic position in the fields of public finance, urban Economics, or regional Economics

Education:

Georgia State University (Atlanta, GA, USA)
PhD candidate in Public Finance 08/04-present
Expected date of completion 12/09
Dissertation Title: A Comparative Study of Fiscal Decentralization in China and India
Advisor: Dr. Mark Rider

M.A. in Economics 08/05

Nanjing University of Finance and Economics (Nanjing, Jiangsu, China)
B.A. in Economics (International Trade) 07/96

Papers in Preparation or Submission:

Essays from the dissertation:

- Examining the trade-off between growth and horizontal fiscal equalization in China
- Examining the trade-off between growth and horizontal fiscal equalization in India
- A study of the quality of healthcare delivery under fiscal decentralization in China
- A study of the quality of healthcare delivery under fiscal decentralization in India

Other papers:

- An Economic Analysis with Structural VAR to Investigate the Possibility of an Optimal Currency Area in Asia
- A review of the determinants of the Child Support Guidelines of Official Code of Georgia

Invited Professional Presentations:

Chinese Economist Society Annual Conference in Changsha, China 07/07
Presenter of the paper “Reexamining the Empirical Evidence for the Trade-off between Growth and Equality in Fiscal Decentralization Policy: China’s Experience”

Teaching Experience:

Teaching Assistant and Grader: The Principles of Macroeconomics and Microeconomics

Professional Experience:

Economic Analyst Internship, Cobb County Superior Court, Marietta, GA, USA, 05/04-08/04

- Studied the determinants of child support in contested divorce cases
- Reviewed the appropriateness and fairness of Child Support Guidelines of the Official Code of Georgia (O.C.G.A.)

In-house Attorney, ZIC International Consultant Co., Ltd., Guangzhou, China, 10/02-08/03

- Provided Intellectual Property Rights (IPR) consulting
- Implemented anti-counterfeiting packages for worldwide brands in China

Export Manager, Jack Ding Development Co., Ltd., Shenzhen, China, 07/96-08/02

- Exported giftware and houseware to US & EU markets
- Established supply chain network with high credit

Honors and Awards:

- Graduate Research Assistantship with Georgia State University 08/03-present
- Excellent Sales Representative with Jack Ding Development Co., Ltd. 96-98
- Excellent Student Scholarship with Nanjing University of Finance & Economics 92-96

Professional Qualifications:

Chinese Bar Qualification (since 98)

Services and Other Professional membership:

- Volunteer in Beijing 2008 Olympic Torch Relay
- Volunteer and donation for the China Earthquake Relief Campaign

Computer Skills:

- MS Office (Word, Excel, PowerPoint and Outlook)
- Statistical software (Stata, SAS, GAUSS)
- Bibliography software (Endnotes)

Languages:

- Chinese (Native in Mandarin and Fluent in Cantonese)
- English (Fluent)
- Japanese (Basic)

References:

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