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Research and Teaching Interests

Industrial Organization, Public Finance, Economic Development, Labor Economics

Education

Ph.D., Economics (expected in May, 2010)
Georgia State University

Dissertation title: 'Trends in Industrial Agglomeration: The Case of U.S. Manufacturing Industries, 1988-2003'

Dissertation Committee:

Dr. Mark Rider (Chair) Dr. Jonathan Rork Dr. Bruce Kaufman Dr. Caroline Bourdeaux

Master of Arts, Economics (May 2007)
Georgia State University

Master of Business Administration (May 2003)
Western Kentucky University

Bachelor of Social Science (major in Economics) (August 1993)
University of Dhaka

Publications and Working Papers

- Khan, Abdullah (2009), *Impact of globalization on micro-determinants of agglomeration: the case of U.S. manufacturing industries (1988-2003)*, working paper
- Khan, Abdullah (2009), Trends in industrial agglomeration: the case of U.S. manufacturing industries, 1988-2003, working Paper
- Khan, Abdullah and Sjoquist, David. (2006), *Adequate Funding of Education in Georgia: What Does It Mean, What Might It Cost, How Could It Be Implemented?*, Fiscal Research Center Report no. 129, Georgia State University (published in May, 2006) (web link of the full text: <http://frc.gsu.edu/frpreports/report129/Rpt129.pdf>);
- Khan, Abdullah. (2007), *Elasticity of Four Taxes: An Analysis of Personal Income Tax, Corporate Income Tax, General Sales Tax and Use Tax and Property Tax of Georgia (1969-2005)*, Master Degree Thesis paper;

Teaching Experience

Instructor

(January 2009-Present)

Department of Economics, Finance and Quantitative Analysis
Kennesaw State University, Kennesaw, Georgia

- Courses currently teaching (fall 2009):
 - Principles of microeconomics (ECON 2100)
 - International Business Perspectives (ECON 8610-graduate course).
- Courses taught (spring 2009 and summer 2009):
 - Principles of microeconomics (ECON 2100) [Student evaluations above 4.0 in a 5 point scale]

Work in Progress

- Impact of globalization on some determinants of labor productivity: The case of U.S. manufacturing Industries, 1988-2003

Research Experience

Graduate Research Assistant, International Studies Program
Georgia State University, GA

(June 2006 - December 2008)

Graduate Research Assistant, Fiscal Research Center,
Georgia State University, GA

(August 2003- July 2006)

Graduate Research Associate, Department of Management
Western Kentucky University, KY

(August 2001- May 2003)

Research Associate

United Nations Headquarters, NY

(Summer 2001)

Computer Competency

- Data manipulation and forecasting tools: **SAS, STATA, SPSS, Eviews**
- Geographical Information System tools: **ArcGIS-ArcMap**
- Office suite including **Access, PowerPoint and Project**
- Online teaching, **Blackboard, Web CT Vista**

Fellowship and Scholarship

- Hubert Humphrey Fellowship at Pennsylvania State University, 2000-2001
- United Nations' Development Program (UNDP) fellowship at Institute of Social Studies, Hague, Netherlands, 2000
- Commonwealth scholarship at University of Warwick, United Kingdom, 2001-2002 (I had to forgo this opportunity due to time conflict with another graduate degree program I was pursuing at that time in the U.S.)

Membership of Professional Organizations

- American Economic Association
- Midwest Economics Association

- Southern Economic Association

Community Service

- Worked as a volunteer for Atlanta Fulton Public Library, United Way, and United Nations' Organization etc.

REFERENCES

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