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Education

2007-2012	<i>Ph.D., Economics</i>	University of California Santa Cruz
2006-2007	<i>M.A., Economics</i>	University of British Columbia
2002-2006	<i>B.A., Specialist Honours, Economics</i> <i>Minor: Mathematics and Statistics</i>	McMaster University

Employment

Sept 2018 – present *Associate Professor*
Department of Economics, Simon Fraser University
Study leave: 2018-2019; 2024-2025
Unpaid leave: 2022-2023
Parental leave: May-December 2025

Oct 2022– June 2023 *Economist*
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco, Economics Department

Sept. 2012-Aug. 2018 *Assistant Professor*
Department of Economics, Simon Fraser University

Other Appointments

2023 – present	<i>Monetary Policy Council Member</i> C.D. Howe Institute
2023 – present	<i>External Academic Advisor</i> Bank of Canada
2022 – 2024	<i>Guest Editor</i> Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization Journal of Economic Dynamics and Control
2022 – present	<i>Research Associate</i> National Bureau of Economic Research
2020 – present	<i>Monetary Policy Institute Fellow</i> C.D. Howe Institute

2020 – 2023	<i>Advisory Council Member</i> Society for Computational Economics
2019 - present	<i>Research Fellow for RPN</i> Centre for Economic Policy Research (CEPR) Research Policy Network on Central Bank Communication
2019 – 2021	<i>Conference Officer (North America)</i> Society for Experimental Finance
2018 – 2020	<i>External Advisory Board Member</i> Bank of Canada's Digital Publication “The Economy Plain and Simple”
2013 – 2022	<i>Steering Committee Member</i> SFU Centre for Adaptive Behaviour in Economics
2012 – present	<i>Researcher</i> CIRANO, Montreal, Quebec
2012 – present	<i>Research Consultant</i> Bank of Canada

Other Affiliations

Jan.-Apr. 2025	<i>Visiting Scholar</i> , University of Technology Sydney Business School
Sept. 2022	<i>Department Special Advisor</i> , Canadian Economic Analysis, Bank of Canada
Sept. - Dec. 2019	<i>Visiting Scholar</i> , University of California Santa Barbara
Sept. 2018-Apr. 2019	<i>Department Special Advisor</i> , Canadian Economic Analysis, Bank of Canada
May 2016	<i>Visiting Scholar</i> , Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis
Sept. - Dec. 2013	<i>Visiting Scholar</i> , Department of Economics, Universitat Pompeu Fabra
April - May 2013	<i>Visiting Scholar</i> , University of New South Wales

Experimental Economics Lab Affiliations

<i>Primary Lab</i>	<i>Co-Director</i>
2012 - present	Simon Fraser University Experimental Economics Laboratory (formerly CRABE)
<i>Affiliated Labs</i>	
2018 - 2022	Texas A&M Economics Research Lab (ERL)
2018 – 2019	Carleton Economics Laboratory for Behavioural and Experimental Research (CELBER)

2018	Experimental Lab at the Vancouver School of Economics (ELVSE)
2014 - 2020	University of Saskatchewan Experimental Decision Lab (EDL)
2012 - 2014	CIRANO Experimental Economics Laboratory
2008 - 2012	UC Santa Cruz Learning and Experimental Economics Project (LEEPS)
2004 - 2006	McMaster University Experimental Economics Lab (McEEL/McDSL)

Publications

Kronick, J. and Petersen, L. (2024). “Is monetary and fiscal policy that dire?”
Journal of Economic Dynamics and Control, 172, 104982.

Petersen, L. ® Rholes, R. (2022). “Macroeconomic Expectations, Central Bank Communication and Background Uncertainty: a Covid-19 Laboratory Experiment”
Journal of Economic Dynamics and Control, 143, 104460.

Kryvtsov, O. and Petersen, L. (2021). “Central Bank Communication That Works: Lessons from Lab Experiments” **Journal of Monetary Economics**, 117, 760-680.

Rholes, R. ® Petersen, L. (2021). “Should Central Banks Communicate Uncertainty in their Projections?”
Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization, 183, 320-341.

Mokhtarzadeh, F. and Petersen, L. (2021). “Coordinating Expectations through Central Bank Projections”
Experimental Economics, 24, 883-918.

Fenig, G., Mileva, M. and Petersen, L. (2018). Deflating Asset Price Bubbles with Leverage Constraints and Monetary Policy. **Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization**, 155, 1-27.

Arifovic, J. and Petersen, L. (2017). Stabilizing Expectations at the Zero Lower Bound: Experimental Evidence. **Journal of Economic Dynamics and Control**, 82, 21-43.

Fenig, G. and Petersen, L. (2017). Distributing Scarce Jobs and Output: Experimental Evidence on the Dynamic Effects of Rationing. **Experimental Economics**, 20(3), 707-735

Petersen, L. (2015). Do Expectations and Decisions Respond to Monetary Policy? **Journal of Economic Studies**, 42(6), 1047-1062. *Special Issue in Experimental Macroeconomics

Petersen, L. and Winn, A. (2014). Does Money Illusion Matter?: Comment. **American Economic Review**, 104(3): 1047-1062.

Petersen, L. (2014). “Forecast Error Information and Heterogeneous Expectations in Learning to Forecast Macroeconomic Experiments” in ‘Experiments in Macroeconomics’, Vol.19, **Research in Experimental Economics**, 109-137.

Refereed Policy Publications

Kronick, J. and Petersen, L. (2022). Does fiscal and monetary policy coordination matter?

C.D. Howe Institute Commentary, 633, 1-24.

Petersen, L and Wells, S. (2021). “The Case for Raising the Bank of Canada’s Inflation Target”

Max Bell School of Public Policy Conference Volume 1: Choosing the Right Target, edited by Christopher Ragan and Stephen Gordon

Amano, R., Kryvtsov, O. and Petersen, L. (2014). Recent Developments in Experimental Macroeconomics. **Bank of Canada Review**, Autumn 2014, 1-11.

Refereed Non-Economics Publications

Wood, M.D., West, N.C., Sreepada, R. Loftsgard, KC., Jordan, I., Petersen, L. Whyte, S.D., Lauder, G.R., Portales-Casamar, E., and Görges, M. (2022). Development of an individualized pain prediction tool in pediatrics – Identification of risk factors, patient reported experience and outcome measures, and data capture tools for pre- and post-operative use. **JMIR Perioperative Medicine**, 5(1), e4234.

Non-Refereed Published Discussions

Petersen, L. (2024). Discussant remarks on “Trust in Central Banks” by Michael Ehrman. **2024 Reserve Bank of Australia Conference on Central Bank Communications**.

Working Papers

Kostyshyna, O. and Petersen, L (2024). “The Effects of Communicating Inflation Uncertainty on Household Expectations”. NBER Working Paper 32939. (under review)

Fenig, G. and Petersen, L. (2024). “Dynamic Optimization Meets Budgeting: Unraveling Financial Complexities”. NBER Working Paper 32821. (Resubmitted, Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization)

Kostyshyna, O., Petersen, L. and Yang, J. (2024). “History Dependent Monetary Policy: Less is More” (under review)

Earlier title “A Horserace of Monetary Policy Regimes: An Experimental Investigation”, NBER Working Paper 30530.

Eickmeier, S. and Petersen L. (2024) “Toward a holistic approach to central bank trust”. NBER Working Paper 32716. Reject&Resubmit, European Journal of Political Economy.

Eickmeier, S. and Petersen L. (2024) “The ECB’s Climate Activities and Public Trust”. NBER Working Paper 33103. (Revise & Resubmit, European Economic Review)

Petersen, L. ® Rholes, R. (2020). “Escaping Secular Stagnation with Unconventional Monetary Policy”, NBER working paper 30117

Bank of Canada Working Papers

Kostyshyna, O. and Petersen, L. (2023). Communicating Inflation Uncertainty and Household Expectations. Bank of Canada Staff Working Paper 2023-63

Kostyshyna, O., Petersen, L., and Yang, J. (2022). “An Experimental Horse Race of Monetary Policy Regimes”, NBER working paper 30530 and Bank of Canada Staff Working Paper .

Kryvtsov, O. and Petersen, L. (2013). “Expectations and monetary policy: Experimental evidence,” Bank of Canada Working Paper 13-44.

Work in Progress

Alpanda, S., Petersen, L., and Zubairy, S. “Debt overhang and dynamic optimization”

Armantier, O., Petersen, L. and Pfajfar, D. “Deflationary Bias and Optimal Monetary Policy”

Azizirad, M., Herrenbrueck, L. and Petersen, L. “Neofisherian vs. New Keynesian Expectations”

Kostyshyna, O., Petersen, L., Yang, J. “Looking through Supply Shocks”

Kronick, J. and Petersen, L. “Preferences for Monetary Policy and Macroeconomic Illiteracy”

Mirdamadi, M., Petersen, L. and Truong, H. “Macroeconomic Literacy and Expectations: Evidence from the Lab and Simulations”

Mubde, M., ® Zagre, P.C.M., ® Owusu, J., ® Kianni, A., and Petersen, L. “Communicating Uncertainty During a Pandemic”

McMahon, M., Petersen, L., and Rholes, R. Dissecting Heaping in Response Data: Causal Evidence on the Roles of Complexity and Uncertainty

Presentations at Seminars & Conferences (including scheduled)

Invited Seminars

- 2025 University of Technology Sydney, Sydney Experimental Economics Seminar, European Central Bank
- 2024 Virginia Commonwealth University, University of New South Wales, University of Technology Sydney, Reserve Bank of Australia, Middlebury Experimental Economics Seminar
- 2023 CEPR Webinar Series on Central Bank Communication, International Monetary Fund, San Jose State University, UC Davis, Experimental and Behavioral Economics of the Americas Seminar Series
- 2022 DePaul University, University of Ottawa, University of Alberta, University of Iowa, Bundesbank
- 2021 Bielefeld University, University College Dublin, University of California Berkeley, Florida State University
- 2020 Bank of Canada

2019 Nanyang Technological University, Middlebury College, University of Amsterdam, Chapman University

2018 McMaster University, Universite de Laval, Narodowy Bank Polski, Heidelberg University

2017 Tilburg University, Bank of Canada Financial Markets Department, Norges Bank, Texas A&M, Bank of Canada Communications Department

2016 Bank of Canada, Carleton University, Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis, Simon Fraser University, University of Saskatchewan

2015 NYU Abu Dhabi, GATE-LSE Lyon, University of Victoria, New York University

2014 TU Berlin/Humboldt

2013 Queensland University of Technology, University of Melbourne, Monash University, University of New South Wales, Bank of Canada, University of Innsbruck

2012 University of Texas Dallas, Santa Clara University, Copenhagen Business School, Aarhus University, University of New South Wales, University of Melbourne, Simon Fraser University

2011 Bank of Canada

Invited Plenary, Keynote, Conference and Panel Presentations

2025 International Monetary Fund - Advances in Monetary Economics Conference, Invited speaker
“The Effects of Communicating Inflation Uncertainty on Household Expectations”

2025 Queen’s University WECAN Conference in Macroeconomics, Invited speaker
“History-dependence in monetary policy: Less is more”

2024 6th Behavioral Macroeconomics Workshop at the University of Heidelberg, Keynote
“The Effects of Communicating Inflation Uncertainty on Household Expectations”

2024 Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland “Central Bank Communications: Theory and Practice” , Invited speaker
“The Effects of Communicating Inflation Uncertainty on Household Expectations”

2024 AWESOME 2024 @ Wilfred Laurier University, Keynote
“The Effects of Communicating Inflation Uncertainty on Household Expectations”

2023 CENDEF @ 25, University of Amsterdam, Invited speaker
“Macroeconomic Literacy and Expectations”

2023 Expectations in Dynamic Macroeconomic Models, Vienna, Keynote
“The Effects of Communicating Inflation Uncertainty on Household Expectations”

2023 Economic Science Association World Meetings, Lyon, Invited panelist on “Experimental economists and central bankers: What can we learn?”

2023 Workshop on Behavioral Economics and Finance at DUFE, Dongbei University, Keynote
“The Effects of Communicating Inflation Uncertainty on Household Expectations”

2023 International Workshop on Experimental Finance and Macroeconomics, Institute of Social and Economic Research (IESR), Osaka University, Invited Speaker
“An Experimental Horserace of Monetary Policy Regimes”

2022 Conference on Theoretical and Experimental in Monetary Economics, Plenary Speaker
“Macroeconomic Literacy and Expectations”

2022 Economic Science Association – Asia Pacific Meetings, University of Waseda, Keynote
“Designing Monetary Policy in the Lab”

2021 Bank of Canada Annual Conference, Plenary speaker
“A Horse Race of Monetary Policy Regimes: Experimental Evidence”

2021 Annual Workshop on Economics with Heterogeneous Interacting Agents (WEHIA), Keynote
“A Horse Race of Monetary Policy Regimes: Experimental Evidence”

2021 Atlantic Canada Economics Association Virtual Conference, Plenary speaker
“A Horse Race of Monetary Policy Regimes: Experimental Evidence”

2021 Third Behavioural Macroeconomics Workshop in Bamberg, Plenary speaker
“A Horse Race of Monetary Policy Regimes: Experimental Evidence”

2020 C.D. Howe Annual Meeting, Panelist
“A Behavioural Perspective on the Bank of Canada’s Mandate Renewal”

2020 Max Bell School of Public Policy Conference on the Renewal of Bank of Canada’s Inflation Control Agreement (McGill University), Plenary speaker
“Managing Expectations: The Case for Raising the Bank of Canada’s Inflation Target”

2019 Canadian Science Policy Centre: Special Event (Ottawa), Panelist
“Understanding Data in a Digital Age: What Public Servants Need to Know”

2019 11th Canadian Science Policy Conference (Ottawa), Panelist
“Data for Impact: How Trusted Partners Can Advance Canada’s Digital Transformation”

2019 European Central Bank/CEPR Research Network Conference on Central Bank Communication (Frankfurt)
“Central Bank Communication That Works: Lessons from Lab Experiments”

2019 CWEN Seminar, Canadian Economics Association Meetings (Banff), Panelist
“The Ins and Outs of Successful Grant Applications and Other Ways to Fund Your Research”

2017 XIX Annual Inflation Targeting Seminar (Banco Central do Brasil), Plenary speaker
“Monetary Policy Experiments: Lessons from the Lab”

Competitive Conferences and Workshops

2024 Canadian Economics Association Meetings (Toronto), NBER Summer Institute in Monetary Economics

2023 ASSA Meetings (New Orleans), Barcelona GSE Summer Forum on Theoretical and Experimental Macroeconomics (Barcelona), Computing in Economics and Finance Meetings (Lyon), NBER Summer Institute in Behavioral Macroeconomics

2022 ASSA Meetings (online), Canadian Economics Association Meetings (online), Barcelona GSE Summer Forum on Expectations in Dynamic Macroeconomics (Barcelona), Galapagos Experimental Economics Conference (San Cristobal), Stavanger Behavioral and Experimental Economics Conference (Stavanger)

2021 Experimental Macroeconomics Experimental Finance Brown Bag Series (online), CEBERG meetings (online), Computing in Economics and Finance Meetings (online)

2019 Canadian Economics Association Meetings (Banff), Computing in Economics and Finance Meetings (Ottawa), International Economics Association Meetings (Vancouver), Society for Experimental Finance Asia Pacific Meetings (Singapore), Banque de France and Deutsche Bundesbank Conference on Household Expectations (Frankfurt)

2018 Canadian Economics Association Meetings (Montreal), Computing in Economics and Finance Meetings (Milan), International Economic Science Association Meetings (Berlin), Theoretical and Experimental Macroeconomics Workshop (Berlin), Bank of Canada Central Bank Communication Workshop (Ottawa), Southern Economics Association Meetings (D.C.), Computational and Financial Econometrics Conference (Pisa)

2017 ASSA meetings (Chicago), Macro on the Mountain” Workshop (Simon Fraser University), XIX Annual Inflation Targeting Seminar (Banco Central do Brasil, invited), Midwest Macroeconomics Meeting (Louisiana State University), CEBERG Meetings (Antigonish), Maastricht Behavioral and Experimental Economics Symposium, WEHIA Workshop on Economic Science with Heterogeneous Interacting Agents (Milan), Computing in Economics and Finance Meetings (Manhattan), Workshop on Theoretical and Experimental Macroeconomics (Stony Brook), European Meetings of the Econometric Society (Lisbon), European Economics Association Meetings (Lisbon), North American Economic Science Association Meetings (Virginia Commonwealth University)

2016 Midwest Macroeconomic Meetings Spring 2016 (Purdue University), CEBERG Meetings (Ottawa), CEF Conference (Bordeaux), Expectations in Dynamic Macroeconomic Models Conference (Amsterdam), North American Economic Science Association Meetings (Tucson), Society for Experimental Finance Conference (Tucson)

2015 ASSA meetings (Boston), CEBERG Meetings (Toronto), Barcelona GSE Summer Forum on Theoretical and Experimental Macroeconomics, Barcelona GSE Summer Forum on Central Bank Design, North American Economic Science Association Meetings (Dallas), Southern Economics Association Meetings (New Orleans)

2014 CEBERG Meetings (Vancouver), Barcelona GSE Summer Forum Workshop on Theoretical and Experimental Macroeconomics, Experimental Finance Conference (Zurich), Economic Science

Association North American Meetings (Fort Lauderdale), Workshop on “Experiments in Monetary Policy” (University of Lyon)

2013 CEBERG Meetings (Montreal), Barcelona GSE Summer Forum Workshop on Theoretical and Experimental Macroeconomics, Society for Computational Economics CEF Conference (Vancouver), Economic Science Association North American Meetings (Santa Cruz)

2012 Bay Area Behavioral and Experimental Economics Workshop (University of Santa Clara), SIGFIRM/University of California Santa Cruz, LEEX International Conference on Theoretical and Experimental Macroeconomics (Barcelona), Economic Science Association North American Meetings (Tucson)

2011 CEBERG Meetings (Ottawa); Economic Science Association North American Meetings (Tucson), Southern Economics Association Annual Meetings (Washington, D.C), SCIIE 4th Annual PhD Conference (Santa Cruz)

Invited Discussions

2024 Bank of Canada Annual Conference; Ottawa
Michael McMahon and Matthew Naylor
“Getting through: Communicating complex information”

2024 Conference on Central Bank Communication, Reserve Bank of Australia
Michael Ehrmann
“Trust in Central Banks”

2023 European Central Bank at the Crossroads, University of Victoria
Paul Beaudry, Michelle Chang, Eric Helleiner, and Benjamin Cohen.
“Central Banking in comparative perspective: dealing with a high inflation environment post-COVID-19”

2023 European Central Bank at the Crossroads, University of Victoria
Jakob de Haan
“ECB communication policies on monetary policy: An overview and comparison with the Federal Reserve”

2023 European Central Bank at the Crossroads, University of Victoria
Susana Matos Rosa
“Central banking and environment sustainability: how monetary policy strategies are being shaped towards green objectives”

2023 Bank of Canada Inflation Drivers Conference, Ottawa;
M. Hoffman, E. Moench, L. Pavlova, and G. Schultefrankenfeldz.
A KISS for central bank communication in times of high inflation

2023 ASSA Meetings, New Orleans;
C. Hommes, J. Pinter, and I. Salle.
What People Believe about Macro Policies and What We Can(’t) Do about It: Evidence from a Large-Scale Multi-Country Survey Experiment

2022	NBER Inflation Expectations: Determinants and Consequences; F. Savignac, E. Gautier, Y. Gorodnichenko, O. Coibion “Firms’ inflation expectations: New Survey Evidence from France”
2022	Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco Annual Conference; C. Wu and C. Xia “Average inflation targeting: Time inconsistency and intentional ambiguity”
2020	Bank of Canada-Statistics Canada Workshop on CPI; O. Kostyshyna and A. Xu “What drives consumers’ inflation perceptions?”
2019	ASSA Meetings, Atlanta; T. Bao “CEO incentives and stock price dynamics: an experimental approach”
2018	Southern Economics Association Meetings, D.C.; D. Munro “Market concentration and dynamics of prices and mark-ups”
2016	Society for Experimental Finance Conference, Tucson; T. Neugebauer “A test of the Modigliani-Miller Invariance Theorem and arbitrage in experimental asset markets”

Research Grants (PI/Co-PI)

(awarded amounts in CDN\$ unless otherwise specified)

2024-26	SSHRC Small Explore Grant, \$10,000, PI “Building empirically relevant experimental macroeconomies” Co-PI: Ke Li
2019-24	SSHRC Insight Grant, \$151,466, PI “Debt Overhang and Monetary Policy: Experimental Evidence” Collaborators: Sami Alpanda and Sarah Zubairy
2019-21	SSHRC Insight Development Grant, \$74,162, Co-PI “Identifying Rules of Thumb in Consumption and Saving Decisions” PI: Guidon Fenig; Co-PI: Yoram Halevy
2019	SSHRC Connection Grant, \$30,212, PI “Summer School and Workshop on Theoretical and Experimental Macroeconomics” Co-PI: Janet Hua Jiang; Collaborators: Robert Amano, John Duffy, Frank Heinemann, Rosemarie Nagel, Shyam Sunder Co-sponsor support: Bank of Canada, \$50,000
2019-21	National Science Foundation Doctoral Dissertation Improvement Grant, USD \$35,982, Co-PI “Escaping Secular Stagnation with Unconventional Policy” PI: Catherine Eckel; Co-PI: Ryan Rholes

2018-20 SFU VPR 4A Grant, \$10,000, PI
“Cognitive Foundations for Effective Monetary Policy”

2018 SFU VPR Travel Grant, \$2,000

2018-20 SSSHRC-SFU Institutional Grant, \$7,000, PI
“Can Price Level Targets and Central Bank Communication Improve Decision Making?”

2017-19 PSSHRC, University of Saskatchewan, \$7,000, Co-PI
“Experiments on Consumption Smoothing under Price-Level Targeting”
PI: Guidon Fenig

2016 SFU VPR Travel Grant, \$1,500

2015-17 SSHRC-SFU Institutional Grant, \$7,000, PI

2015-17 SSHRC Insight Development Grant, \$66,950, PI
“Can Better Financial and Monetary Policy Literacy Training Improve Understanding of Central Bank Forward Guidance?”
Collaborator: Johann Scharlar

2014-18 SSHRC Insight Grant, \$162,340, Co-PI
“Evolution of Credibility of Monetary Policy and Experimental Evidence”
PI: Jasmina Arifovic

2013-15 SFU VPR 4A Grant, \$10,000, PI
“Asset Market and Macroeconomic Stabilization through Monetary Policy and Investment Regulation”

2013-15 SSHRC-SFU Institutional Grant, \$7,000, PI
“Can Targeted Interest Rates Reduce Speculative Investing and Enhance Financial Stability?”

2012-14 SFU Presidential Research Start-Up Grant, \$25,000, PI
“Explorations in Experimental Macroeconomics”

2012-14 SIGFIRM Research Grant, USD \$5,000, PI
“Can Monetary Policy Reduce Speculation and Risk Taking?”
Co-PI: Mariya Mileva

2011-13 SIGFIRM Research Grant, USD \$4,000, PI
“Does Increased Liquidity Necessarily Imply Greater Risk-Taking and Bubbles?”

Scholarships, Honours, and Awards

2021 CWEC Early Career Researcher Award

2021 Scholarly Impact of the Week, Simon Fraser University

2011 Teaching Assistant Award, Department of Economics, University of California Santa Cruz

2011 Graduate T.A. Sabbatical, University of California Santa Cruz

2011 Lindau Meeting of the Nobel Laureates in Economic Sciences – Young Researcher

2009 Teaching Assistant Award, Department of Economics, University of California Santa Cruz

2007 University Graduate Fellowship, University of British Columbia

2006 CGS-MA Scholarship, Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada

2006 Faculty of Arts Grant, University of British Columbia

2006 Graduate Fellowship, University of British Columbia

2006 William Mackenzie Memorial Prize, McMaster University

2005 Harry Lyman Hooker Scholarship, McMaster University

2004 Senate Scholarship, McMaster University

Graduate and Postgraduate Supervision and Research Training
(First placement in brackets)

Ph.D. Dissertations

Supervisor: Jorge Martinez (2022-present), Hung Truong (2022-present), Eric Fortier (2023-present), Samuel Basoah (2024-present)

Co-supervisor: Fatemeh Mokhtarzadeh (2016, Postdoctoral Fellow at University of Victoria)
Farouk Abdul-Salam (2021, Economist, Amazon)
Ryan Rholes (Ph.D., Texas A&M, 2021, Postdoctoral Fellow at University of Oxford)

Committee: Hanh Tong (2020, Data Scientist, Theory+Practice)
Yang Li (2022, Lianoing University)
Marieh Azizirad (2024, International Monetary Fund)

M.A. Projects

Supervisor: Yuebing Liu (2014), Amay Narayan (2016)

Committee Member: Mamoon Kader (2016, PhD Economics at Carleton University)

Panel Member: Justin Wiltshire (2013, PhD Economics at UC Davis),
Shawna Kuehl (2014),
Xiao Feng (2014)

M.A. and Ph.D. Research Assistants

Fatemeh Mokhtarzadeh (2014-2016)
Yang Li (2015-2017),
Farouk Abdul-Salam (2017-2021)
Yaser Sattari (2017)
Stephen Rouse (2017-18, first placement: B.C. Ministry of Health)

Hung Truong (2021-2023),
 Marieh Azizirad (2021-2023),
 Priscilla Fischer (2022-2023, first placement: Vincent Hopkins Research Group @ UBC),
 Lea Assadourian (2022, first placement: Deetkan Group)
 Eric Fortier (2024)

Postdoctoral Supervision

Fatemeh Mokhtarzadeh (2020-2021)

Undergraduate Research Training

<i>Name</i>	<i>Years</i>	<i>First Placement, Graduate Placement</i>
Viet Chris Bui	2025	In progress
Mingna Li	2024	In progress
Garrick Lau	2021-2022	Bank of Canada, Financial Stability Department
Erika Chung	2021	B.A., Economics, Harvard University
Bohao Zhang	2021	M.Phil, Economics, Cambridge University
Ekeme Afia	2020	Gazelle AI
Sherry Luo	2018	M.A. Economics, University of British Columbia
Michael Mirdamadi	2016-2018	M.A. Economics, University of Western Ontario
Renee Pang	2016-2017	Bank of Canada, Model Development Division M.A. Economics, Queen's University
Michael Hsu	2016	Vancouver Coastal Health
Camila Cordoba	2015	M.A. Economics, University of Toulouse
Matthew Pentecost	2015	M.A. Economics, Tinbergen Institute
Michael Straw	2014	M.A. Economics, Simon Fraser University
Huiyang Liu	2014	Bank of Canada Commodities Division M.A. Economics, University of Western Ontario

Awards and Funding for Supporting Supervised Student Research Activities

- 2024 Summer 2024 SFU Undergraduate Student Research Award
Mingna Li
- 2021 Summer 2021 and Fall 2021 SFU Undergraduate Student Research Award
Bohao Zhang
- 2020 Summer 2020 Mitacs Student Training Award
Farouk Abdul-Salam
- 2020 Summer 2020 SFU Undergraduate Student Research Award
Ekeme Afia

Teaching and Educational Activities

Undergraduate Courses

International Trade
 Mathematical Methods for Economics II
 Experimental Economics

Intermediate Macroeconomics
 Special Topics in Macroeconomics
 Advanced Macroeconomics

Graduate Courses

M.A. Macroeconomics

Advanced Monetary Theory and Policy

Other

2025	Guest lecture, University of British Columbia Behavioral Economics Seminar
2019-2024	Lecturer, 12-16 th Experimental Economics Summer School in Macroeconomics
2016, 2018	SFU Bank of Canada Monetary Policy Competition Team, Faculty Supervisor
2017	Texas A&M PhD experimental economics course, external guest lecture “Experiments in Macroeconomics”

Department and University Service

2026	Tenure and Promotions Committee
2024-present	Mentor, SFU Academic Women Network
2023-24	Chair Search Committee Appointments Committee
2022	FRC Committee, University-level
2022	Tenure and Promotions Committee
2020-21	Graduate Program Committee
2019-20	Appointments Committee
2017-18	Appointments Committee; Ph.D Macro Comp. Committee
2016-17	Graduate Admissions Committee; Tenure and Promotions Committee for School of Public Policy, SFU
2015-16	Appointments Committee
2014-15	Graduate Program Committee
2013-14	Appointments Committee; Ph.D Macro Comp. Committee
2012-13	Undergraduate Curriculum Committee; M.A. and Ph.D Macro Comp. Committees

Professional Service

Refereeing

American Economic Review, American Economic Review: Insights, American Economic Journal: Applied Economics, American Economic Journal: Economic Policy, American Economic Journal: Macroeconomics, American Economic Journal: Microeconomics, Deutsche Bundesbank, Experimental Economics, Econometrica, Economic Inquiry, Handbook of Computational Economics, IMF Economic Review, International Economic Review, International Journal of Forecasting, International Journal of Central Banking, International Journal of Human Computer Studies, Journal of the European Economics Association, Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization, Journal of Economic Dynamics and Control, Journal of Economic Theory, Journal of Experimental and Behavioral Economics, Journal of Behavioral and Experimental Finance, Journal of International Economics, Journal of Monetary Economics, Journal of Money, Credit and Banking, Journal of Public Economics, Macroeconomic Dynamics, Management Science, Portuguese Economic Journal, Research in Experimental Economics, Southern Economics Journal

Grants Refereeing and Adjudication

2023	French National Research Agency (referee)
2022	Canada Research Chair (referee)
2016	Research Grants Council of Hong Kong (referee)
2016	SSHRC Insight Development Grant adjudication committee

External Reviewer, Tenure and Promotions

2025 Promotion to Associate (x2), Promotion to Full (x1)

Conference and Summer School Organization

2025 16th Experimental Economics Summer School in Macroeconomics, co-organizer
2025 15th Theoretical and Experimental Macroeconomics Workshop, co-organizer
2024 15th Experimental Economics Summer School in Macroeconomics, co-organizer
2024 14th Theoretical and Experimental Macroeconomics Workshop, co-organizer
2023 CEF 2023 Meetings, program committee
2023 13th Theoretical and Experimental Macroeconomics Workshop, co-organizer
2023 Conference on Learning and Experimental Macroeconomics in honor of Jasmina Arifovic, co-organizer (co-sponsored by Society for Computational Economics, Bank of Canada, SFU)
2023 Asian Meetings of the Econometric Society, program committee
2023 ASSA 2023 CEF-sponsored session “Experiments on Macroeconomics and Learning”, organizer, chair
2022 CEF-sponsored session at the 2023 ASSA, organizer
2022 CEA session in honor of Jasmina Arifovic, organizer
2022 14th Experimental Economics Summer School in Macroeconomics, co-organizer
2022 12th Theoretical and Experimental Macroeconomics Workshop, co-organizer
2022 CEF 2022 Meetings, program committee
2021 Society for Experimental Finance Fall Workshop, organizer
2021 Canadian Experimental and Behavioral Research Group (CEBERG) meetings
2021 13th Experimental Economics Summer School in Macroeconomics, co-organizer
2021 11th Theoretical and Experimental Macroeconomics Workshop, co-organizer
2021 CEF 2021 Meetings, Program Committee
2020 13th Experimental Economics Summer School in Macroeconomics, co-organizer (cancelled)
2020 11th Theoretical and Experimental Macroeconomics Workshop, co-organizer (cancelled)
2020 ESA Global Meetings, Experimental Macroeconomics Breakout, co-organizer
2020 CEF 2020 Meetings, Program Committee
2020 North American Experimental Finance Meetings, co-organizer
2019 12th Experimental Economics Summer School in Macroeconomics, local co-organizer
2019 10th Theoretical and Experimental Macroeconomics Workshop, local co-organizer
2019 International Economic Science Association Meetings, local co-organizer
2019 CEF 2019 Meetings, Program Committee
2018 CEF 2018 Meetings, Program Committee
2017 FMA Annual Meeting, Program Committee
2014 Canadian Experimental and Behavioral Research Group (CEBERG) meetings, local co-organizer

Other Service to the Profession

2024 CEA/Bank of Canada Undergraduate Paper Competition, adjudication committee
2023 CWEC Young Researcher Award, adjudication committee
2021 CWEC Mentoring Workshop, mentor

Consulting

2014-2017

Bank of Canada Communications Department

Coordinated with the Bank of Canada Museum team to design video game interactives to educate visitors about the Bank of Canada's objectives and monetary policy.

2012-present *Bank of Canada*
Canadian Economic Analysis Division
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Designed online learning-to-forecast platform to study expectation formation for policy and academic research