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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Assistant Professor of Economics
Boston College, September 2006 – Present

Adjunct Assistant Professor
Queen's University, September 2006 - Present

Assistant Professor of Economics
Queen's University, July 2000-August 2006

Visiting Faculty Associate, Maryland Population Research Center
University of Maryland, September 2002

OTHER PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Co-Editor, *Labour: Review of Labour Economics and Industrial Relations*, September
2006 – Present

Program Committee member for the 2004 Society of Economic Dynamics Conference in
Florence

EDUCATION

Ph.D in Economics, The University of Western Ontario, August 2000
M.A. in Economics, The University of Western Ontario, May 1995
B.Com, Honours in Economics, University of Saskatchewan, May 1994

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

American Economic Association
Econometric Society
Population Association of America
Society for Economic Dynamics
Society of Labor Economists

REFEREEING

American Economic Review, Canadian Journal of Economics, Contemporary Economic Policy, Demography, Econometrica, Economic Inquiry, The Economic Journal, European Economic Review, International Economic Review, Journal of Economics and Business, Journal of Human Resources, Journal of Labor Economics, Journal of Political Economy, Journal of Public Economics, Labour Economics, Law Commission of Canada, Regional Science and Urban Economics, Research in Labor Economics, Review of Economics of the Household, Review of Economic Studies, Scandinavian Journal of Economics, Social Research and Demonstration Corporation, Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada, Southern Economic Journal

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Graduate Labor Economics, Boston College, 2007
Introductory Undergraduate Econometrics, Boston College, 2007
Introductory Undergraduate Econometrics, Queen's University, 2001-2006
Graduate Labour Economics, Queen's University, 2000-2001, 2003-2004
PhD Thesis Seminar, Winter 2005
Undergraduate Gender and Labour Economics, Queen's University, 2003-2006
Intermediate Microeconomics I, The University of Western Ontario, 1996-1997

FELLOWSHIPS AND AWARDS

Research Incentive Grant, Boston College, 2007
T.M. Brown Thesis Prize for best dissertation, The University of Western Ontario, 2000
Third Year Graduate Paper Prize, The University of Western Ontario, 1999
Social Science and Humanities Research Council of Canada Doctoral Fellowship, 1998
Ontario Graduate Scholarship, 1998
Philanthropic Educational Organization (PEO) Scholars Award, 1998
Graduate Tuition Scholarship, 1998
Special University Scholarship, The University of Western Ontario, 1994-1998

UNIVERSITY ADMINISTRATIVE DUTIES

Boston College

Member, Linux Cluster Policy Committee, 2006-

Department of Economics, Queen's University

Member, Renewal, Promotion and Tenure Committee, Queen's University, 2005/2006

Member, Strategic Planning Committee, Queen's University, 2003/2004, 2004/2005

Member, Appointments Committee, Queen's University, 2001/02, 2002/03, 2004/2005

Co-organizer, Quantitative Economics Workshop, Queen's University, 2001/02, 2002/03

Member, Computing Committee, Queen's University, 2002/03

Member, Economics Headship Search Committee, 2002/03

Queen's University

Entrance Scholarship Selection Committee, Queen's University, 2003

MA Supervision

Queen's University:

Paula Lajeunesse, 2004

Ashley Kurtz, 2003

Salma Pardhan, 2003

Stephen Smith, 2003

Stephen Fertuck, 2002

Colette Kaminsky, 2001

MA Examiner: Department of Economics, Queen's University

Francois Goulet, 2000

Michelle Reinsborough, 2001

Tin Yau Lee, 2002

Tim Prendergast, 2002

Lori Timmins, 2004

Erica Pohjola, 2005

Gregory Kirczenow, 2005

PhD Supervision:

Boston College

Yingying Dong, Committee Member, 2006-present

Nadia Karamcheva, Committee Member, 2006-present

Geoff Sanzenbacker, Committee Member, 2006-present
Nazym Willis, Committee Member, 2006-present
Sisi Zhang, Committee Member, 2006-present

Queen's University:

Ashley Kurtz, Supervisor, 2004-present
Natalia Mishagina, Committee Member, 2004-present
Jeremy Lise, Co-supervisor, 2002-2006, University College London
Katherine Beynon, Committee Member, University of Waterloo

PhD Examiner:

Alok Kumar, Departmental Examiner, Queen's University, 2003
Yuze Jiang, Internal/External Examiner, Dept. of Management, Queen's University, 2004
Chuanli Sun, Internal/External Examiner, Dept. of Management, Queen's University, 2005

RESEARCH GRANTS

“Marriage, Fertility, and the Demographic Transition,” 2006-2009, Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada, \$71,325

Co-Investigator, “Public Policy Implications of Workplace and Household Interactions in the New Economy,” (with Christopher Ferrall, Principal Investigator), 2003-2006, Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada, \$172,620

“A Macroeconomic Analysis of the Family,” 2004-2005, Queen's University Advisory Research Council, \$5,000

Co-Investigator, “Making Work Pay: Policy Alternatives to Increase the Employment of Low Skill Workers” (with Jeremy Lise and Jeffrey Smith, Co-Investigators), 2004-2005, \$5,000

“Marriage and Fertility in Equilibrium,” 2003-2004, Queen's University Advisory Research Council, \$5,000

Co-Investigator, “Estimating the Equilibrium Impacts of the Self-Sufficiency Project” (with Jeffrey Smith, Co-Investigator), Social Research and Demonstration Corporation, 1999-2003, \$30,000

CONSULTING

Evaluation of Parental Employment Insurance Benefit Changes, Human Resources Development Canada/Applied Research Consultants, 2001-2003.

PUBLISHED PAPERS

Bowlus, Audra and Shannon Seitz. "Domestic Violence, Employment and Divorce." *International Economic Review*, November 2006, 47(4). 1113-1150.

Bowlus, Audra and Shannon Seitz "Search Friction in the U.S. Labor Market: Equilibrium Estimates from the PSID," in H. Bunzel, B.J. Christensen, P. Jensen, N.M. Kiefer, and D.T. Mortensen (eds.), *Panel Data and Structural Labour Market Models*. New York, NY: North Holland, (2000).

PAPERS UNDER REVISION

Lise, Jeremy, Seitz, Shannon and Jeffrey Smith. "Evaluating Search and Matching Models Using Experimental Data," September 2005. Revision requested at the *International Economic Review*.

Lise, Jeremy, Seitz, Shannon and Jeffrey Smith. "Equilibrium Policy Experiments and the Evaluation of Social Programs," November 2005. Revision requested at the *Journal of the European Economic Association*.

Seitz, Shannon. "Accounting for Racial Differences in Marriage and Employment," Revision requested at the *Journal of Labor Economics*, June 2007.

Lise, Jeremy and Shannon Seitz. "Consumption Inequality and Intra-Household Allocations," Revised and resubmitted to *The Review of Economic Studies*, July 2007.

WORKING PAPERS AND RESEARCH IN PROGRESS

Choo, Eugene, Seitz, Shannon and Aloysius Siow. "Marriage Matching, Risk Sharing, and Spousal Labor Supplies"

Choo, Eugene, Seitz, Shannon and Aloysius Siow. "An Empirical Model of Intra-household Allocations and the Marriage Market."

Rios-Rull, Jose-Victor and Shannon Seitz. "The Demographic Transition and Long-Term Trends in Marriage."

Seitz, Shannon and Steven Stern. "Cohabitation, Marriage, and Divorce in Equilibrium."

Sanzenbacher, Geoff and Shannon Seitz. "An Equilibrium Analysis of Marriage, Divorce, and Fertility."

Seitz, Shannon “Labor Supply, Divorce and Remarriage.” Working paper, October 2002.

Gottschalk, Peter and Shannon Seitz. “When Agents Aren’t Econometricians”

PRESENTATIONS AT CONFERENCES

An Empirical Model of Intra-household Allocations and the Marriage Market

2007 Analytical Labor Economics Conference, University of Chicago. November 2007

Marriage Matching, Risk Sharing, and Family Labor Supplies

Canadian Economic Association Annual Meeting, June 2007

Econometric Society North American Winter Meeting, Boston. January 2006

The Demographic Transition and Long-Term Marriage Trends

Canadian Macroeconomics Study Group Meeting, Vancouver, November 2005

University of Western Ontario 2nd Economics Alumni Conference, September 2005

Econometric Society World Congress, London, August 2005

Meeting of the Society of Economic Dynamics, Florence, July 2004

17th Annual Congress of the European Society for Population Economics, Lausanne, June 2003

Consumption Inequality and Intra-Household Allocations

2006 Essex Economics Workshop (invited), November 2006

IZA/ZEW/CHILD/C.V. Starr Center (NYU), Turin. Workshop on “Interaction Within the Family: Collective Approach and Bargaining Models,” October 2005 (invited)

Institute for Policy Research Summer Workshop, University of Wisconsin-Madison, June 2005

CIRPÉE Workshop on Applied Micro-Econometrics, Université Laval, April 2005 (invited)

Zeuthen Workshop, University of Copenhagen, November 2003

Equilibrium Policy Experiments and the Evaluation of Social Programs

2nd ZEW Conference on Evaluation Research, Centre for European Economic Research, Mannheim, October 2004

IZA/SOLE Transatlantic Meeting of Labor Economics, June 2003

Institute for Policy Research Summer Workshop, Madison, Wisconsin, June 2003

Society of Labor Economists Annual Meeting, poster session, May 2002

Canadian Economic Association Annual Meeting, May 2001.

Cohabitation, Marriage, and Divorce in Equilibrium

Canadian Econometrics Study Group Annual Meeting, October 2002

Accounting for Racial Differences in Marriage and Employment

Conference on Numerically Intensive Policy Analysis, Queen's University, April 2000
(invited)

American Economic Association Annual Meeting, January 2001

Meeting of the Society of Economic Dynamics, June 2000

Workshop on Life-Stages and Allocation, University of Copenhagen, February 2002
(invited)

European Meeting of the Econometric Society, August 2001

Domestic Violence, Employment, and Divorce

Canadian Economic Association Annual Meeting, May 1999

John Deutsch Institute for the Study of Economic Policy Conference on Women and Work, Queen's University, April 1998

DISCUSSIONS

Canadian Macroeconomics Study Group Meeting, Montreal. Discussant for "Why are Married Men Working So Much" by John Knowles, November 2006.

Econometric Society North American Winter Meeting, Boston. Discussant for "Worker Mobility in Bolivia: On-The-Job Search Behavior of Private and Public Sector Employees" by Lykke Andersen and Bent-Jesper Christensen, January 2006

American Economic Association Annual Meeting, Washington. Discussant for "Addicted to Love? A Dynamic Model of Teen Sex and Fertility" by Peter Arcidiacono, January 2003.

American Economic Association Annual Meeting, Atlanta. Discussant for "Do Innovations in Birth Control Technology Increase the Welfare of Women?" by Aloysius Siow, January 2002.

Canadian International Labour Network Conference on Labour Market Institutions and Outcomes, Burlington. Discussant for "An Economic Model of Locus of Control and the Human Capital Investment Decision" by Thomas DeLeire and Margo Coleman, September 2000.

INVITED SEMINARS

2005-2007: Boston College, Duke University, Georgetown University, New York University, Syracuse University, University College London, University of Connecticut, University of Guelph, University of Quebec at Montreal, University of Rochester, Yale University, York University

2002-2004: Boston University, Carnegie Mellon University, Cornell University, Duke University, HEC Montreal, McGill University, New York University, Simon Fraser University (2), University of Arizona, University of British Columbia, University of Maryland, University of Maryland Population Research Center, University of North Carolina at Greensboro, University of Pennsylvania, University of Quebec at Montreal, University of Toronto,

1999-2001: Concordia University, Dalhousie University, McMaster University, State University of New York at Albany, State University of New York at Buffalo, Queen's University, State University of New York at Stony Brook, Tulane University, Université Laval, University of Alberta, University of Calgary, University of Colorado at Denver, University of Kentucky, University of Toronto (2), University of Virginia, University of Waterloo, York University