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PERSONAL INFORMATION

Citizenship: P.R.China
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EDUCATION

Ph.D. in Economics, Johns Hopkins University, August 2007 (expected).
M.A. in Economics, Johns Hopkins University, May 2004.
M.A. in Economics, Hong Kong University of Science and Technology, Hong Kong, June 2001.
B.A. in International Economics and Trade, Nankai University, Tianjing, P.R.China, June 1998.

RESEARCH AND TEACHING INTERESTS

Consumption, Macroeconomics, Applied Macro.

UNPUBLISHED PAPERS

“Measuring Wealth Effects Using US State Data,” (Job Market Paper).
“Excess Sensitivity and Risk Sharing across States,” *work in progress*, 2006
“Life-Cycle Model With Endogenous Surviving Rate,” *work in progress*, 2006.
“A Study of the Efficacy of Interest Rate Defense against Currency Speculations: The Case of Hong Kong,” August 2001

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Intern Economist, IXI Corporation, May 2005 – present.
• Significantly improved data quality and analysis methodology.

Xia Zhou

- Independently and successively delivered two key products.
- Constructed a panel data set of stock wealth by U.S. state.

Research Assistant, Hong Kong University of Science and Technology, Department of Economics, 2000-2001.

Teaching Assistant: Department of Economics, Johns Hopkins University

Elements of Microeconomics, Spring 2006.

Macro Theory, Spring 2005.

Elements of Macroeconomics, Fall 2004.

Labor Economics, Spring 2003.

graduate Macro Theory, Fall 2003.

International Trade, Fall 2002.

Teaching Assistant: Department of Economics, Hong Kong University of Science and Technology

Intermediate Macroeconomics, Spring 2001

International Trade and Finance, Fall 2000

Intro to Econometrics, Spring 1999

Honors Microeconomics, Fall 1999

AWARDS

Fellowship, Department of Economics, Johns Hopkins University, 2002–2006.

Fellowship, Department of Economics, Hong Kong University of Science and Technology, 1999–2001.

Excellent Graduation Thesis Award, Department of International Economics and Trade, Nankai University, 1998

Scholarship, Department of International Economics and Trade, Nankai University, 1994-1996

SKILLS

Programming: Stata, Eviews, MATLAB, T_EX., SAS, Mathematica, Java

Languages: Chinese (native), English (fluent).

REFERENCES

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