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Employment

Dec. 2011- present
Assistant Professor, School of Economics, University of Nottingham, UK

Dec. 2006- Nov. 2011
RCUK Research Fellow, Leverhulme Centre of Research on Globalisation and Economic Policy, University of Nottingham, U.K

Dec. 2005 – Nov. 2006
ESRC Postdoctoral Research Fellow, Leverhulme Centre of Research on Globalisation and Economic Policy, University of Nottingham, U.K

Sept. 2000 – July 2001
Project Manager, Shanghai Meining (Stockstar) Software Inc., China

Sept. 1996 – Sept. 1997
Market Analyst, Shanghai Fosun Group Inc.

Education

Oct 2002 – Feb. 2006
PhD International Economics, University of Nottingham, UK
Thesis: Exporting, FDI and Heterogeneous Firms
Supervisor : Professor David Greenaway , Professor Rod Falvey

Oct 2001 – Sept. 2002
Msc in International Economics (Distinction), University of Nottingham , UK

Sept. 1997 – July 2000
MA in Economics, East China Normal University (华东师范大学), China

Sept. 1992 – June 1996
Bsc in Mathematics , Shanghai University (上海大学) , China

Publications in refereed journals

1. “Payment Choice and International Trade: Firm Level Evidence from Developing Countries” , with Andreas Hoefele(Loughborough), Tim Schmidt-Eisenlohr (Illinois at Urbana-Champaign), forthcoming, *Canadian Journal Economics*.
2. “The More the Better? Foreign ownership and Firm Performance in China” (with David Greenaway and Alessandra Guariglia) , *European Journal of Finance*, Vol. 20(7–9), 681–702, 2014
3. “Openness, Managerial Incentives and Heterogeneous Firms” , *Economic Theory* , Vol. 51(1), 71-104 , 2012
4. “Regional Heterogeneity and China's International Trade: Sufficient Lumpiness or Not?” (with Meng Lu and Christ Milner) , *Review of International Economics*, Vol. 20(2), 415–429 , 2012
5. “Trade Partners, Products, and Firm Performance of China’s Exporter-Importers: Does Processing Trade Make a Difference?” (with Zheng Wang), *The World Economy* , 35(12), 1795–1824, 2012
6. “Catching Up or Pulling Away : Intra-industry Trade, Productivity Gap and Heterogeneous Firms” (with Rod Falvey , David Greenaway), *Open Economic Review*, Volume 22, No. 1, pp. 17-38, 2011
7. “Can Production Subsidies Explain China's Export Performance? Evidence from Firm-Level Data”(with Sourafel Girma, Yundan Gong, Holger Gorg) , *Scandinavian Journal of Economics*, Vol. 111, Issue 4, pp. 863-891, 2009
8. “Overseas Transaction Costs and Firm Export Performance” (with Richard Kneller , Mauro Pisu), *Canadian Journal of Economics*, Vol. 41, No. 2 , pp. 639-669 , 2008
9. “Market Size and Survival of Foreign-owned Firms ” (with Rod Falvey , David Greenaway), *Economic Record* , Volume. 83 Issue s1 Page S1-S93, 2007
10. “ Firm-Level Interaction between Exporting and Productivity : Industry Specific Evidence ” (with David Greenaway), *Review of World Economics/ Weltwirtschaftliches Archiv*, Volume.140 No.3 Page 376-393 , 2004
11. “ On the Economic Content of Factor Content: with Application to China’s Trade” (with Christ Milner and Meng Lu), *Asia Pacific Journal of Accounting and Economics*, Volume 17, Issue No. 3 , pp. 217-234, 2010

Work in Progress

1. “Firms and Credit Constraints along the Value-Added Chain: Processing Trade in China” with Kalina Manova(Stanford), NBER Working Paper 18561, Revise and Resubmission , *Journal of International Economics*

2. “Is the Dragon Learning to Fly? An Analysis of the Chinese Patent Explosion “ , with Markus Eberhardt (Nottingham) and Christian Helmers (Santa Clara) , GEP working paper 2011/16, Revise and Resubmission, *Oxford Economic Papers*
3. “Management Practices and International Trade: Firm Level Evidence” , with Nicolas Bloom (Stanford), Kalina Manova(Stanford), John Van Reenen (LSE) , in progress
4. “The Global Production Line Position of Chinese Firms” , with Kalina Manova (Stanford) and Davin Chor (Singapore Management University), in progress
5. “Price, Quantity, and Exchange Rate in Offshoring” , with Ben Li (Boston College) and Xufei Zhang (Middlesex) , submitted
6. “Export Diversification and Volatility at Firm level: Theory and Evidence” , with Gonzague Vannoorenberghe (Tilburg) , and Zheng Wang (Hull) , CESifo Working Paper No. 4916, submitted
7. “From One to Many Central Plans: Drug Advertising Inspections and Intra-National Protectionism in China “ CSAE Working Paper , 2013-07, with Zheng Wang and Markus Eberhardt. Submitted

Book Chapters and Book Reviews

1. “ Exporting and Productivity Growth : theory“(with Rod Falvey), in “ *Globalisation and Productivity Growth*“ Greenaway, D., Holger, H. and Kneller, R.,(eds) , Palgrave , 2006
2. Book Review : China and the Challenge of Economic Globalization: The Impact of WTO Membership by Hung-gay Fung, Changhong Pei and Kevin h. Zhang , *The World Economy* , Volume. 29 Issue 9 Page 1298-1299, September 2006

Teaching

Lectured Courses

International Trade (2nd Year, latest SET score 1.4)
 International Trade Theory (Msc, latest SET score 1.0)
 PhD micro (PhD, 4 lectures)
 Quantitative Economics II (1st Year, latest SET score 2.1)

PhD supervision (completed)

Tracy Meng Lu (2011) , Pan Wang (2012), Selvon Hazel (2013), Wang Hao (2014)

Other Professional Services

Referee: *Journal of International Economics* (4) , *Journal of Development Economics*(5), *European Economics Review* (1), *Canadian Journal of Economics* (2), *Scandinavian Journal of Economics* (1), *Oxford Bulletin of Economics and Statistics* (1), *The World Economy* (7), *Economic Modeling* (1), *Journal of Africa Economy* (1), *Economics Bulletin* (3), *Scottish Journal of Political Economy* (1), *Review of*

International Economics (4), Journal of Regional Science (1)

Associate Editor, The World Economy. 2012 – present

Awards and Funding

British Academy Small Grant, £5600

RCUK Fellowship, Research Council , U.K. : £25,000*5 years

Economic and Social Science Research Council (ESRC) Post Doctoral Fellowship , U.K.
2005-2006: £25,000

PhD Scholarship , Leverhulme Center for Research on Globalisation and Economic
Policy , UK , 2002-2005: £30,000

Oversea Research Student Award (ORSA) , Higher Education Funding Councils , UK ,
2003-2005 : £15,000

Baogang National Scholarship for Excellent Students (宝钢奖学金), China , 1999

Administration Experience

Organiser GEP weekly seminar , 2011- present

Organiser GEP Postgraduate Annual Conference, 2009- present

Editor GEP Newsletter, 2006-2012