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EDUCATION

Cardiff University, PhD, Economics, April 2016
Thesis Title: “Essays on Energy and Macroeconomics”

Cardiff University, MRes, Advanced Economics, February 2013

Cardiff University, MSc, Economics, February 2012

Cardiff University, BSc, Economics, July 2010

EMPLOYMENT

Teaching Associate, INTO University of Exeter, 2016 – present

AFFILIATION

Research Associate, Julian Hodge Institute of Applied Macroeconomics, 2015 – present

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Applied Macroeconomics, Development Economics

PUBLICATIONS

“A cross-country analysis of the roles of border openness, human capital and legal institutions in explaining economic development” *The Journal of International Trade & Economic Development*, July 2021.

“Finance and inequality in a panel of US states” *Empirical Economics*, January 2021.

“Where do people live longer?” *Research in Economics*, November 2020.

PAPERS

“Life may be unfair, but do democracies make it any less burdensome?” Revise and resubmit, *Journal of Economic Inequality*.

“Persistence of religious states”

“Democracy and the poor reassessed”

“Global shocks in the US economy: Effects on output and real exchange rate” (with David Meenagh and Patrick Minford)

“How resilient is the U.S. economy to foreign disturbances?”

WORK IN PROGRESS

“God’s not dead, just overregulated”

“Ideology, individualism, and nature”

“Resource exploitation in developing countries: the role of institutional development”

“Energy shocks, Financial Frictions, and the UK Macroeconomy”

TEACHING

Current Employment:

Principles of Economics (Microeconomics), International Year 1, 2016 – present

Principles of Economics (Macroeconomics), International Year 1, 2016 – present

Economics 1, International Year 1, 2019

Economics 2, International Year 1, 2019

Maths for Business, Foundation Year, 2019

Microeconomics 1, International Year 1, 2018

Investments, Graduate Diploma, 2017 – 2019

Business Dissertation, Graduate Diploma, 2017 – 2019

Cardiff University:

International Finance, Undergraduate Year 3, 2011 – 2015

Macroeconomic Analysis, Undergraduate Year 3, 2012 – 2015

Introduction to Economics, Undergraduate Year 1, 2011 – 2015

Industrial Economics, Undergraduate Year 3, 2015

Mathematical Finance, Postgraduate Economics and PhD Year 2, 2015

Pre-Sessional Mathematics and Statistics, Postgraduate Economics, 2013, 2015

Microeconomics of Uncertainty, Postgraduate Economics, 2014

Macroeconomics, Postgraduate Economics, 2013

Quantitative Methods, Postgraduate Economics and Finance, 2012

PRESENTATIONS

Canadian Economics Association Conference, University of Ottawa, June 2016

Allied Social Science Associations, San Francisco, CA, January 2016

Money, Macro and Finance Research Group Annual Conference, Cardiff University, September 2015

Quantitative Economics Doctorate Jamboree, Cardiff University, May 2015

Cardiff PhD Workshops, 2011 – 2015

MEMBERSHIPS

Royal Economic Society, European Economic Association, American Economic Association, European Finance Association, American Political Science Association

SCHOLARSHIPS AND AWARDS

Julian Hodge PhD Bursaries in Applied Macroeconomics, Cardiff University, 2010 – 2014

Petroleum Trust Development Fund (Nigeria) Scholarship, Cardiff University, 2012 – 2014

PricewaterhouseCoopers Prize for the Best Performance in the Legal Studies Module, Cardiff University, 2008

SKILLS

Computing: Stata, R, MATLAB, Excel, EViews, Mathematica

Languages: English (fluent), Yoruba (native)

PERSONAL

Date of Birth: December 30, 1979

Nationality: British and Nigerian

Marital Status: Married with a son