

## CURRICULUM VITAE

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### EMPLOYMENT

9/2017+ Professor and Head of School of Economics, University of Nottingham  
Ningbo China

9/2003-8/2017 Associate Professor of Economics, University of Nottingham  
(Nottingham, UK)

9/2000-8/2003 Lecturer in Economics, School of Economics, University of  
Nottingham

9/1999-8/2000 Lecturer in Economics, Department of Economics and International  
Development, University of Bath (Bath, UK)

9/1993-8/1999 Research Officer and Coordinator of Microeconomic Programme,  
Centre for the Study of African Economies (CSAE), University of  
Oxford (Oxford, UK)

9/1992-8/1993 McNamara Fellow, World Bank (Washington DC, USA)

9/1988-8/1992 Research Officer, CSAE, University of Oxford

### EDUCATION

9/1987-7/1992 D.Phil. (Economics), University of Oxford. Thesis title: "Socio-  
economic Determinants of Education, Health and Fertility in Africa."  
Fields of concentration: public economics, human resources, household  
economics in developing countries, applied econometrics. Covered Côte  
d'Ivoire, Kenya and Tanzania.

9/1986-7/1987 M.A. (Economics), University of Warwick (Warwick, UK).

9/1983-7/1986 B.A. (Politics, Philosophy and Economics), University of Oxford. First  
Class.

**PAPERS and PUBLICATIONS**  
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*Articles in Refereed Journals:*

1. "The Impact of the Arab Spring on the Tunisian Economy" with Samer Matta and Michael Bleaney, *World Bank Economic Review* forthcoming 2019. (Formerly, World Bank Policy Research Working Paper 7856, 2016). doi: 10.1093/wber/lhw059
2. "The Microeconomic Impact of Political Instability: Firm-Level Evidence from Tunisia" with Samer Matta and Michael Bleaney, *Review of Development Economics*, forthcoming 2018.
3. "The Impact of Job Contact Networks on Wages of Rural-Urban Migrants in China: A Switching Regression Approach" with Wenjin Long and Lina Song, *Journal of Chinese Economic and Business Studies* 2017 15 (1) 81-101.
4. "Understanding Urban Wage Inequality in China 1988-2008: Evidence from Quantile Analysis," with Lina Song & Qingjie Xia, *World Development*, 62, 1-13, 2014. (Formerly, IZA Discussion Paper 7101, 2012). DOI: 10.1016/j.worlddev.2014.04.005
5. "The effect of the state sector on wage inequality in urban China: 1988–2007", with Qingjie Xia, Lina Song and Shi Li *Journal of Chinese Economic and Business Studies* 12:1, 29-45, 2014. DOI: 10.1080/14765284.2013.875282
6. "International School Test Scores and Economic Growth" with Paul Atherton and Michael; Bleaney *Bulletin of Economic Research*, 65, 1, 82-90, 2012.
7. "International test scores and Economic Growth: The impact of data revisions" with Michael Bleaney and Paul Atherton *Journal of Economic Studies*, 38, 3, 301-312, 2011.
8. "Growing out of Poverty: Trends and Patterns of Urban Poverty in China 1988-2002" with Lina Song and Qingjie Xia, *World Development*, 38, 5, 665-678, 2010.
9. "Economic Growth and Poverty Reduction in Rural China", with Lina Song and Qingjie Xia, *China Economics Quarterly*, 9, 3, 851-870 (2010)
10. "The Impact of SOEs Reform on the Change of Wage Structure: A Panel Data Approach", with Lina Song and Qingjie Xia, National Bureau of Statistics of PRC: *Journal of Statistical Research*, 27, 3, 12-21, 2010.
11. "The Change of Wage Structure of Urban China during the Transition" with Lina Song and Qingjie Xia, *China Population Science*, 135, 6, 59-68, 2009
12. "Impact of China's State-owned Enterprises Reform on the Labour Market in 1990s" with John Knight, Lina Song and Qingjie Xia, *World Economy*, 368, 4, 50-68, 2009
13. "The Economics of Communist Party Membership in Urban China" with John Knight,

- Lina Song and Qingjie Xia, *Journal of Development Studies*, 45, 2, 256-275, 2009.
14. "Life Satisfaction in Urban China: Components and Determinants" with Lina Song, *World Development*. **36**, 11, 2325-2340, 2008.
  15. "China's Socio-political Instability: An Empirical Inquiry" with Lina Song, *China Economics Quarterly*, **16**, 4, 1339-1358, 2007.
  16. "Trends and Patterns of Urban Poverty in China 1988-2002", with Qingjie Xia and Lina Song, *Economic Research*, **42**, 9, 96-111, 2007.
  17. "Semiparametric analysis of unemployment duration in urban China", with John Knight, Qingjie Xia and Lina Song, *China Labour Economics*, **3**, 3, 3-23, 2007.
  18. "Child Health in Uganda – Policy Determinants and Measurement", with David Lawson, *European Journal of Development Research*, 19(2): 210-233, 2007.
  19. "Should Teachers Stay at Home? The Impact of International Teacher Mobility" with W. John Morgan and Amanda Sives, *Journal of International Development*, 18 (6): 771-786, 2006. DOI: 10.1002/jid.1313.
  20. "The career plans of newly qualified South African teachers" with Carol Bertram, Nithi Muthukrishna and Volker Wedekind, *South African Journal of Education*, 26 (1): 1-13, 2006.
  21. "Why do girls in rural China have lower school enrolment", with Lina Song and John Knight, *World Development* 34 (9): 1639-1653, 2006.
  22. "The impact of international teacher migration on schooling in developing countries—the case of Southern Africa" with Amanda Sives and W. John Morgan, *Globalisation, Societies and Education* 4(1): 121-142, 2006.
  23. "Teachers as Community Leaders: Potential Impact of Teacher Migration on Education for All and the Millennium Development Goals", with W. John Morgan and Amanda Sives, *International Journal of Adult and Lifelong Learning* 3(1): 3-11, 2005.
  24. "Managing the International Recruitment of Health Workers and Teachers: Do the Commonwealth Agreements Provide an Answer?" with W. John Morgan and Amanda Sives, *The Round Table* 94 (379): 225-238, 2005.
  25. "Has China crossed the river? The evolution of the wage structure in urban China" with Lina Song and Qingjie Xia, *Journal of Comparative Economics*, 33(5): 644-663, 2005.
  26. "The Entitled versus the Unentitled: An Investigation into Government Interventions of Job-search in China", with Lina Song, China Social Science Publishers: *Journal of Labor Economics*, 2, (3), 167-188, 2005.
  27. "Contrasting paradigms: segmentation and competitiveness in the formation of the Chinese labour market", *Journal of Chinese Economic and Business Studies*, with John Knight, Lina

Song and Qingjie Xia, 2(3): 185-205, 2004. Also published in Li Shi and Hiroshi Sato (2006) (ed.) *Unemployment, Inequality and Poverty in Urban China*, London and New York: Routledge Curzon SBN: 0415338727.

28. "Regional or national poverty lines? The case of Uganda in the 1990s", *Journal of African Economies* 12(4): 568-624, 2003.

29. "Reducing child malnutrition: how far does income growth take us?", with Harold Alderman, Lawrence Haddad, Lina Song and Johannes Yisehac, *World Bank Economic Review* 17(1): 107-131, 2003.

30. "Labour Retrenchment in China: Determinants and Consequences", with John Knight, Lina Song and Qingjie Xia, *China Economic Review*, 13(2-3): 275-299, 2002. Also published in Li Shi and Hiroshi Sato (ed.) (2006) *Unemployment, Inequality and Poverty in Urban China*, London and New York: Routledge Curzon SBN: 0415338727.

31. Causes et conséquences des réductions d'effectifs dans les entreprises publiques en Chine," *Revue d'économie du développement*, 16(3), 159-189, with John Knight, Lina Song and Qingjie Xia (2002).

32. "The rich are just like us, only richer" Poverty functions or consumption functions? Evidence from Uganda" *Journal of African Economies*, 10(4): 433-469, December 2001.

33. "Rates of Return on Human and Non-Human Capital in Africa's Manufacturing Sector: a preliminary assessment" with Bigsten A., Collier, P., Dercon, S., Fafchamps, M., Gauthier, B., Gunning, J.W., Isaksson, A., Oduro, A., Oostendorp, R., Pattillo, C., Soderbom, M., Teal, F., and A. Zeufack, *Economic Development and Cultural Change*, 48(4): 801-827, 2000.

34. "The gender wage gap in three African countries", with J.Hoddinott and P.Krishnan, *Economic Development and Cultural Change*, 47(2): 289-312, January 1999.

35. "The impact of public services on health care and illness: a treatment effects model with sample selectivity", *Journal of African Economies*, 7(1):1-33, March 1998.

36. "Woman-headed households and household welfare: an empirical deconstruction" *World Development*, 24(12): 1811-1827, December 1996.

37. "Education and agricultural productivity in Uganda", *Journal of International Development*, with Arsene Balihuta, 8(3): 415-444, May-June 1996.

38. "Education and health in sub-Saharan Africa", *Journal of International Development*, with John Hoddinott and John Mackinnon, 8(3): 307-339, May-June 1996.

39. "How does female education affect fertility? A structural model for the Côte d'Ivoire", *Oxford Bulletin of Economics and Statistics*, 58(S1): 139-166, February 1996.

40. "Primary education as an input to post-primary education: a neglected benefit" *Oxford Bulletin of Economics and Statistics*, 58(S1): 211-219 with John Hoddinott and John Knight,

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41. "The interaction between poverty and gender in human capital accumulation: the case of the primary leaving exam in the Côte d'Ivoire", *Journal of African Economies*, 4(2): 192-224, 1995.

**Articles in Other Journals:**

"Human development in sub-Saharan Africa", *Brown Journal of World Affairs*, 5(1), 1999.

"Leaping into the dark: reflections on free primary education in Uganda", *Economic Policy Research Bulletin*, April 1997.

"Problems of measuring changes in poverty over time: the case of Uganda 1989-1992", *Institute of Development Studies Bulletin*, 27(1): 43-55, January 1996.

"Women and structural adjustment: the role of economic theory and quantitative analysis" *Institute of Development Studies Bulletin*, 22(1): 17-22, 1991.

**Book chapters:**

"Deconstructing Informality: An Answer to Vulnerability or Optimality?" co-authored with Lina Song and Zhe Lian, chapter 11, p245-266 in Yang Lijun and Shan Wei (eds.) "New Humanism and Global Governance", World Scientific Press: Singapore.

"China's labour market: evolution and impediments" with John Knight and Lina Song in David Greenaway, Chris Milner and Shujie Yao (eds.) *China and the World Economy*, p.226-242, 2012. (ISBN 978-0-230-52152)

"Gender, poverty and economic reform in Africa" with Paul Collier and John Mackinnon in Augustin Kwasi Fosu, Germano M. Mwabu, Erik Thorbecke (eds.), *Poverty in Africa: Analytical and Policy Perspectives*, University of Nairobi Press: Nairobi 2009. (ISBN 9966-846-62-X)

"Social Protection and Migration in China: What Can Protect Migrants from Economic Uncertainty?" (with Lina Song) in Ingrid Nielsen and Russell Smyth (ed) *Migration and Social Protection in China*, World Scientific: London, 2008. (ISBN 978-981-279-049-1)

"Poverty in Nigeria" with Andy McKay and Adewumi Babatunde in Paul Collier, Chukwuma C. Soludo and Cathy Patillo (eds.) *Economic policy options for a prosperous Nigeria*. Palgrave Macmillan, 2008. (ISBN 978-0230542730)

"The Myth of the New Urban Poverty? Trends in urban poverty in China, 1988-2002" in John Logan (ed.) *Urban China in Transition*, Blackwells: Oxford: with Lina Song, 2007.

"Urban Laid-off Workers Versus Rural Migrants: Sectoral Choice and Job-search", with Lina Song, in Cai Fang and Bai Nansheng (ed.) *Labor Migration in Transitional China*, China Social Science Academic Press, (2006).

"Strong fences make good neighbours: survey and participatory appraisal methods in poverty

assessment and poverty reduction strategy monitoring” with David Booth, in Jeremy Holland with John Campbell (eds.) *Methods in Development Research: Combining Qualitative and Quantitative Approaches*, pp.119-135, ITDG Publishing: Bourton-on-Dunsmore, 2005 (ISBN 1-85339-572-2).

“Malnutrition and hunger: alternative perspectives” in “Global Crises, Global Solutions” edited by Bjorn Lomborg, Cambridge University Press: Cambridge, 2004 (ISBN: 0521606144)

"User fees, expenditure rationalization and voucher systems in education" in G.Mwabu, C.Ugaz and G.White (ed.) *Social Provision in Low-Income Countries*, p157-185, Oxford University Press: Oxford, 2001 (ISBN 0-19-924219-4).

“Changes in poverty and inequality”, chapter 4 of P. Collier and R. Reinnikka (eds.) “Uganda’s Recovery: the role of Farms, Firms and Government” pp.83-121, World Bank: Washington DC, 2001 (ISBN 0-8213-4664-4).

“What can we expect from UPE?”, chapter 12 of P. Collier and R. Reinnikka (eds.) “Uganda’s Recovery: the role of Farms, Firms and Government” pp.371-405, World Bank: Washington DC, 2001 (ISBN 0-8213-4664-4).

“Does the labour market explain lower female schooling? Evidence from three African countries” with J. Hoddinott, P. Krishnan and K. Max, in *Labour markets, poverty and development* ed. by G. Navaretti, R. Faini and G. Zanalda, pp.151-180, 1999 (Oxford: Clarendon Press). (ISBN 0-19-829353-4)

"Gender inequalities in human capital accumulation: evidence from two African countries" in Karl Wohlmuth and Frank Messner (eds.) *Active Labour and Employment Policies in Africa*, Transactions Publishers: New Brunswick, NJ, pp. 296-306, 1997. (ISBN 3-8258-2150-1)

"Enhancing human capacities in Africa", chapter 3 in B. Ndulu and N. van de Walle (eds.) *Agenda for Africa's Economic Renewal*", Transactions Publishers: New Brunswick and Oxford, with John Mackinnon, pp.109-149, 1996. (ISBN 1-56000-900-4).

"On gender targeting of public transfers" chapter in D. Van der Walle and K. Nead (eds.) *Public services and the poor: theory and evidence*" Johns Hopkins University Press: Baltimore, with Paul Collier, pp.555-584, November 1995. (ISBN 0-8018-5255-2).

***Papers being prepared for publication:***

“Framing Effects on Bribery Behaviour: Experimental Evidence from China and Uganda” ” co-authored with Alessio Gaggero and Lina Song; under revision for the *Journal of the Economic Science Association*.

“Hedonic adaptation to treatment: Evidence from a medical intervention”, co-authored with Marta Barazzetta and Trudy Owens *CREDIT Discussion Paper 15/08* (under a revise and resubmit to *Journal of Development Studies*) with Marta Barazzetta and Trudy Owens

“The Economic Impact of Political Instability and Mass Civil Protest” co-authored with Samer Matta and Mike Bleaney *CREDIT Discussion Paper 17/03* and *World Bank MFM Discussion Paper 21* (Dec 2017), under revision at the *European Journal of Political Economy*

“Is there a Quality-Quantity trade-off? Analysis of Child Health in Uganda and China” co-authored with Alessio Gaggero, Lina Song and Bing Liu.

“Who looks after the kids? Effects of childcare choice on early childhood development in China” co-authored with Jing Zhang, Bing Liu and Lina Song under review at *Economic Development and Cultural Change*

“The Determinants of Virtue: Modelling Changes in the CSR Ratings of Chinese Firms” co-authored with Shuangqi Wu, Lina Song and Wimin Jang IZA Discussion Paper No. 11153, November 2017.

“Local governance and child schooling outcomes: panel evidence from Uganda” draft paper co-authored with Lina Song and Alessio Gaggero, in preparation for submission to *World Bank Economic Review*

### **Reports:**

*Poverty line methodology and trends* Report to DfID Uganda, April 2009

*Teacher mobility, ‘brain drain’, labour markets and educational resources in the Commonwealth* Researching the Issues Series, Department for International Development, with John Morgan and Amanda Sives, 2006 (234 pages)

“Poverty estimates from the Uganda National Household Survey II, 2002/2003”, with Sarah Ssewanyana, consultant report to the World Bank, this was the basis for an Cabinet Briefing paper for the Government of Uganda in 2003 (25 pages)

"Human capital and economic development" with Francis Teal, background paper for the African Development Bank *African Development Report 1998*, Oxford University Press: Oxford, (39 pages).

"Dimensions of gender disadvantage: evidence from the Integrated Household Survey of Uganda 1992/3" *SASDA Working Paper 45*, Secretariat for the Analysis of Swedish Development Assistance, Stockholm, 1995 (45 pages).

Exam performance in Kenyan primary schools: Determinants and gender differences, *McNamara Series, World Bank, Washington D.C., 1995, (105 pages)*.

*"Education and health policies in the Least Developed Countries", Part II of UNCTAD's The Least Developed Countries Report 1994, UN, New York with John Mackinnon, 1994 (58 pages)*.

"Education" and "Health" chapters in Appleton, S., K. Burger, D. Bevan, P. Collier, J.

Gunning, L. Haddad & J. Hoddinott "*Public Services and Household Allocation in Africa: How Much Does Gender Matter?*" Final Report to Women in Development Division, World Bank, Washington D.C., 1991, (125 and 106 pages).

***Working Papers (not published in other forms):***

"Informal Employment in China: Trends, Patterns and Determinants of Entry" *IZA Discussion Paper No. 10139* with Zhe Liang and Lina Song, August 2016.

"Migrants' Social Network and its Impacts on Job-search and Earnings in China" *IZA Discussion Papers 7577*, Institute for the Study of Labor (IZA) with Wenjin Long and Lina Song

"Educational attainment determinants in MENA", *CREDIT Research Paper* with Menshawy Badr and Oliver Morrissey, 2014 (40 pages).

"Gender Differentials In Maths Test Scores in MENA", *CREDIT Research Paper* with Menshawy Badr and Oliver Morrissey, 2014 (60 pages).

"Education, Incomes and Poverty in Uganda", *CREDIT Research Paper 01/22*, University of Nottingham, 2001 (25 pages).

"Income and human development at the household level", Background paper for the *World Development Report 2000/2001* with Lina Song, 1999 (40 pages).

"Have returns to education changed over time? Evidence from Kenya, 1978-1995", *CSAE Working Paper 99.6*, with Arne Bigsten and Damiano Kulundu Manda, 1999 (25 pages).

"Are women the fairer sex? Looking for gender differences in gender bias in Uganda", with Ilaria Chessa and John Hoddinott, mimeo, Centre for the Study of African Economies, Oxford, 1999 (23 pages).

"Education and health at the household level in sub-Saharan Africa", Centre for International Development Working Paper No. 33, Harvard University, 1999 (44 pages).

"Status of Poverty in Uganda: characteristics, spread and constraints" in Economic Policy Research Centre "*Seminar, workshop and conference proceedings*" with John Mackinnon 1996 pp.6-25.

"Gender, education and employment in Côte d'Ivoire" *SDA Working Paper No.8*, The World Bank, Washington D.C. with Paul Collier and Paul Horsnell, 1990, (66 pages).

"Agriculture and the macroeconomy: consequences of negative external shocks in Ghana and the Côte d'Ivoire" *World Employment Programme Research Working Paper*, WEP 10-6/WP103 ILO, Geneva with Paul Collier, 1990, (92 pages).

***Book Reviews:***



Book review of "*Trade Shocks in Developing Countries*" by P. Collier and J. Gunning (eds.) in *Journal of International Development*, 2002.

Book review of *The significance of the Human Factor in African Economic Development*" by S.B-S. K. Adijbolosoo (ed.) in *Journal of Developing Areas*, 31(2): 249-251, 1997.

Book review of "*Male bias in the development process*" by Diane Elson (ed.) in *Journal of African Economies* 4(1): 144-148, 1995.

#### **CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS AND PRESENTATIONS (last two years)**

"The Internationalisation of Higher Education: The Example of the University of Nottingham Ningbo China" presentation at The 3rd China-CEEC Business School Summit & the Belt and Road Countries Forum on International Business Education, Ningbo, 9<sup>th</sup> June 2018.

"Is there a Quality-Quantity trade-off? Analysis of Child Health in Uganda and China" paper presented at "1st GEP-China Workshop on Advances in Economic Research", University of Nottingham Ningbo China, 15<sup>th</sup> May 2018

"A New Golden Age? Prospects for Sino-British trade after Brexit" presentation at Forum on International Business Cooperation and Commodity Investment Under the Belt and Road Initiative, Ningbo, 27th April 2018

"Is there a Quality-Quantity trade-off? Analysis of Child Health in Uganda and China" seminar to Business School, Huazhong University of Science and Technology (HUST), Wuhan, 19 December 2017

"Early childhood development interventions in China" presentation at "China at the Cross-Roads" China Research Group Inaugural Conference, University of Nottingham, 6th September 2017.

"A review of Uganda's poverty line. Time to raise the bar?", 1st December 2016, Economic Policy Research Centre -World Bank workshop, Kampala

## EXTERNAL FUNDING

National Health and Family Planning Commission (Division of Dynamic Monitoring, Department of Services and Management for Migrant Population); 300,000 RMB “Equity in Primary Health Care Provision and Service Management for Migrant Population” 1st January 2017 – 30th April 2018 (Principal Investigator)

ESRC: £574k; “Local Government, Economic Growth and Human Development: Chinese Lessons for Kenya and Uganda?” 2015-2019 (co-investigator).

ESRC: £100k; “The Impacts of Fall in Exports on Livelihoods in China: Urban Unemployment, Rural Poverty and the Welfare of Rural-urban Migrants” 2011-2012 (co-investigator).

China State Committee of Education Funding (09YJA790005). The project titled "Economic Reform, Economic Growth and Anti-Poverty in Rural China", RMB 80,000 2009-2012 (named researcher).

Ford Foundation, Beijing “Poverty, Migration and Public Health”, US\$ 144,000 (named researcher) 2006-2011.

Ford Foundation, Beijing “Epidemic risk Epidemic Risk Control: A case study of the 2003 SARS Outbreak in Beijing”, \$32,025, April 2006-August 2007 (co-investigator)

DfID, Teacher mobility and ‘brain drain’: The international labour market for teachers and educational resources for development in the Commonwealth. £129,000, 1<sup>st</sup> October 2003 – 31<sup>st</sup> March 2005 (co-investigator)

DfID, “Policies to Reduce Poverty in Africa: the Role of Education”, co-investigator, buy-out brought £21,779 to the University of Nottingham, April 2000- June 2001.

DfID, “Combining Participatory and Survey-based Approaches to Poverty Monitoring and Analysis”, £6,715, May-June 2001.

DfID, “Changes in Poverty and Structural Adjustment in Uganda”, £37,796, October 1993- April 1994 (co-investigator).

World Bank, Robert S. McNamara Fellow, 1991-92. Award of \$25,000 to fund one year's research in Kenya. Project title: "Gender Differences in Educational Attainment in Kenya". Proposal ranked first out of 382.

## **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

2016 - present      Senior Fellow, Higher Education Authority (Nottingham Recognition Scheme)

## **UNDERGRADUATE**

2017 +              I give lectures on the module Advanced Development Economics.

2000 - 2017        At Nottingham, I gave lectures and tutorials on the module Advanced Economic Development; I also provide the lectures for the Undergraduate Dissertation.

1999 - 2000        At the University of Bath, I provided the following units: Introduction to Data Analysis, Introductory Econometrics and Development Economics.

1987 - 1999        As a lecturer in Oxford colleges for nine years, I taught the following subjects: Introductory Economics (macro, micro, maths and statistics); Microeconomics (theory and applied); Macroeconomics (theory and applied); Public Economics; the National Economy; the Organisation of Production; the Economics of Industry; the Economics of Developing Countries. I also lectured for the Economics of Developing Countries paper.

## **MASTERS**

2000 - 2017        I lectured on the Income distribution and Poverty, Development Microeconomics and Development Policy modules.

1999 - 2000        At the University of Bath, I lectured on Computing, Statistics and Econometrics; and Urban and Rural Livelihoods.

1993 - 1999        At Oxford University, I lectured on Microeconomic Theory and Human Development. In 1993, I was responsible for the Econometrics teaching for the MSc in Development Economics in Oxford.

## **PHDs SUPERVISED OR CO-SUPERVISED**

Trudy Owens, University of Oxford (1995-1999) *“The Determinants of Income Growth in Rural Households and the Role of Aid: A Case Study of Zimbabwe”*.

John Matovu, University of Oxford (1996-2001) *“Trade policy reforms and household welfare”*

Caterina Ruggeri Laderchi, University of Oxford (1996-2002) *“Do concepts of poverty matter? An empirical investigation of the differences between a capability and a monetary”*

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Salman Khan, University of Oxford (1996-2001) *Poverty in Pakistan: a nutritional, health and social income perspective,*

Deograsias Mushi, University of Oxford (1998-2001) *“Demand and welfare in medical health care: effects of asymmetric information and user charges”*

Qingjie Xia , University of Bath (1998-2003), *“Rural Income Generating Activities: a Case Study of Nine Villages in the Northeast China”*

David Lawson, University of Nottingham (2000-2004), *“Uganda: a microeconomic analysis of health, health care demand and chronic poverty.*

Stevan Lee, University of Nottingham (2003-2007) *“Who Buys Free School? Free Primary School as Pro-Poor Policy, a Case Study of UPE in Uganda, 1997”*

Charles Ackah, University of Nottingham (2003-2007), *“Trade Policy and Poverty in Ghana”*

Diego Angemi, University of Nottingham (2005-2007), *“Child Labour, Poverty and Income Inequality – the Ugandan Experience”*

Sayeema Bidisha, University of Nottingham (2005-2009) *“Labour Market Experience of Immigrants and Ethnic Minorities in the UK”*

Paul Atherton, University of Nottingham (2006-2010) *"Causes and consequences of educational achievement: A macro and micro-economic analysis of international school test scores"*

Ahene-Codjoe, Ama Asantewah (2005-2012), *"The effects of education on health and fertility in Ghana"*

Mauricio Apablaza, University of Nottingham (2008-2012), *"Essays on the Dynamics of Economic Development in Latin America and Chile"*

Badr Menshawy, University of Nottingham (2009-2012), *"Determinants of educational attainment in Egypt and MENA: a microeconomic approach"*

Frank Agyire-Tettey, University of Nottingham (2010-2015) *“Adoption, return to and variation of information and communication technology usage in sub-Saharan Africa”*

Marta Barazetta; University of Nottingham (2011-2015), *“Expectations, aspirations and adaptation: Evidence from the BHPS and a RCT in Uganda”*

Sameen Zafar; University of Nottingham (2011-2016) *“Multiple dimensions of poverty in Punjab”*

Nirodha Bandara; University of Nottingham (2013-2016) *“Education, Sectoral Choice and the Urban-Rural Welfare Gap in Sri Lanka”*

Samer Matta; University of Nottingham (2014-2017) *The Economic Impact of Political Instability: Micro and Macro Estimates, with Application to the Arab Spring*

Karen Roopnarine; University of Nottingham (2013-2017) *Three Fourths a Penny for your Thoughts? Gender Pay Differentials in Trinidad and Tobago: An Empirical Analysis*

Abrams Tagem; University of Nottingham (2014-2017) *Essays on aid allocation and effectiveness on developing countries*

Douglas Scott; University of Nottingham (2015-)

Hayatullah Ahmadzai; University of Nottingham (2015-)

Derrick Abudu; University of Nottingham (2015-)

## **EXAMINING**

External Examiner for PhD (Yonatan Minuye Dinku) at University of Otago (2018)

Internal Examiner for PhD (Zhangfeng Jin) (2017)

Internal Examiner for PhD (Rumman Khan) (2017)

Internal Examiner for PhD (Ashira Perera) (2016)

External Examiner for PhD (Yulei Weng) at University of Sheffield (2015)

Internal Examiner for PhD (Lefan Liu) (2015)

Internal Examiner for PhD (Samantha Torrance) (2013)

External Examiner for PhD (Ponni Lawson) at Nottingham Trent University (2013)

External Examiner for PhD (Aurelia Lepine) at University of Otago (2013)

External Examiner for PhD (Matthias Schmidt) at University of Cape Town (2012)

External Examiner for PhD (Sibrabrata Das) at University of Sussex (2011; 2014)

External Examiner for PhD (Ibrahim Kasyire) at University of Manchester (2011)

Internal Examiner for PhD (Vincent Leyaro) (2009)

External Examiner for PhD (Nicky Pouw) at Free University of Amsterdam (2008)

External Examiner for PhD (Florencia Lopez Boo) at University of Oxford (2008)

External Examiner for PhD (Louis Boakye-Yiadom) at University of Bath (2007)

Internal Examiner for PhD (Chai Ping) (2007)

External Examiner for DPhil (Ruth Hill) at University of Oxford (2005)

External Examiner for DPhil (Muhammad Asdullah) at University of Oxford (2005)

External Examiner for DPhil (Marcel Vigneri) at University of Oxford (2005)

External Examiner for DPhil (Magnus Lindelow) at University of Oxford (2004)

Internal Examiner for PhD (Mehtap Hisarciklilar) (2004)

Internal Examiner for PhD (Abrar Suleiman) (2003)

Opponent for intermediate licentiate degree (Anthony Wambugu) at University of Goteborg (2002)

External Examiner for PhD (Samer Al-Samarai) at University of Sussex (2001)

## **ADMINISTRATIVE EXPERIENCE**

At the UNNC, I am Head of the School of Economics. As such I am a member of the Faculty of Humanities and Social Science Executive Board. I am also the School's Examinations Officer. I am a member of UNNC's Strategy 2020 Advisory Group. I am a member of the AHRC Centre for Digital Copyright and IP Research in China Steering Committee.

At the University of Nottingham, I was Director of Studies, Year 3, from 2004 and Chair of the Undergraduate Teaching Committee from 2010 to 2017. I was a member of the Social Studies Faculty Teaching and Learning Board; the School of Economics Senior Management Group; the UG Staff-Student Learning Community Forum and the Exams Scrutiny Committee. I was responsible for school liaison with the School of Contemporary Chinese Studies. From 2011 to 2013, I represented the School of Economics on the University's Teaching and Learning Network and prior to that was on the Humanities Academic Board. From 2001-2003, I organised the School Seminar programme.

At the University of Bath, as Co-Director of Research Studies, I was responsible for admissions of research students.

In 1993, I was responsible for all Economics teaching at St. Catherine's College, including all administration and admissions.

From 1993 to 1999, I was Co-Ordinator of the Microeconomic Programme of the Centre for the Study of African Economies. This involved co-ordinating half the Centre's research

projects and reporting on these projects in the Centre's annual Research Summary. I arranged the refereeing of papers submitted for Centre's Working Papers series and making editorial decisions about whether to accept these submissions. I frequently chaired Centre seminars and represented the Centre at some meetings with the ESRC. I sat on the Centre's Management Committee and drafted a Dissemination Strategy for the Centre. I was Acting Director of the Centre in Oct. 1996.

## **EXTRA CURRICULA ACTIVITIES**

Commissioned to review and re-estimate Uganda's poverty line for the Ugandan Ministry of Finance by World Bank, 2018.

Member, UNNC Professional Learning Community Forum

Commissioned by World Bank to give presentation: "A review of Uganda's poverty line. Time to raise the bar?" at 1st December, Economic Policy Research Centre -World Bank workshop, Kampala.

Commissioned to revise Uganda's poverty line and analyze poverty trends by DfID Uganda in 2008/9.

Internal Fellow, China Policy Institute, University of Nottingham, 2008+.

Commissioned to supervise a project on Trade and Labour markets in Uganda by the ILO in 2005.

Provided expert guidance on a project on "Poverty and Labour Market Response in the Context of Economic Reforms in Uganda" by the African Economic Research Consortium in 2005.

Provided technical review of Operations Evaluation Department study of Community Driven Development for the World Bank in 2005.

Commissioned to provide expert assessment of how to estimate poverty trends with non-comparable data-sets in the context of Cambodia by the World Bank in 2004.

Invited participant at the Copenhagen Consensus meeting in 2004, presenting before a panel including four Nobel Laureates in Economics.

Commissioned to provide estimates on poverty statistics from 2002/2003 Ugandan National Household Survey II by the World Bank in 2003. Invited to brief the Minister of Finance of Uganda on the results in Kampala in 2003.

Commissioned to provide expert background paper on "Combining Participatory and Survey Based Approaches to Poverty Monitoring and Analysis in Uganda" by DfID in 2001. Presented findings to a DfID/Ugandan government workshop in Entebbe.

Commissioned by the Institute of Development Studies, Brighton, to provide Refresher Study

Programme training to World Bank Education (Africa) Task Managers in 2001.

Commissioned to provide estimates on poverty statistics from 1999/2000 Ugandan National Household Survey I by the World Bank in 2001.

Provided technical review of Operations Evaluation Department study of the effectiveness of Social Funds for the World Bank in 2001.

Commissioned to write a review of the returns to education for a collaborative research project on Explaining African Economic Growth Performance by the African Economic Research Consortium in 1999. The draft chapter was presented at a conference at Harvard University.

Commissioned to write the Background Paper for the African Development Bank *African Development Report 1998*.

Commissioned to write papers on poverty trends and on the impact of universal primary education in Uganda for the World Bank in 1998-99. The papers were presented at a conference in Kampala attended by President Museveni, the Chief Economist of the World Bank and Ugandan parliamentarians. The output was later published as two chapters in a book edited by Reinikka and Collier.

Commissioned to write papers on poverty trends and determinants of welfare in Uganda by the World Bank in 1998.

Commissioned to provide individual training program on household data and microeconomic analysis by the World Bank in 1998.

Commissioned to provide two week intensive training course in poverty analysis for Tanzanian civil servants in Dar Es Salaam by the World Bank in 1997.

Commissioned to write a paper on Developing Africa's Human Capacities for the Overseas Development Council in 1996. The paper was presented at a conference in Washington and the resulting book chapter was reviewed by the Time Literary Supplement as the "finest work" written on the subject.

Commissioned to write a paper on Gender and Poverty in Uganda by the Secretariat for Analysis of Swedish Development Assistance in 1995.

Commissioned by the Rockefeller Foundation to provide terms of reference for studies on a research programme on Gender and Education in Africa in 1995.

Commissioned by the World Bank to undertake studies on poverty in Uganda as a background to the Country Economic Memorandum in 1994.

Commissioned to write Part II of the UNCTAD "Least Developed Countries Report" in 1994.

Commissioned to write a paper on Gender and Poverty in Africa by the African Economic



Research Council in 1994.

Resource person, IDS workshop on "Economic Reforms in the Context of Political Liberalisation" in 1994.

## **EDITING and REFEREEING**

### ***Editorial Board:***

Journal of Development Studies (2001-2014)

African Development Review (1999-2013)

Journal of African Economies (2002-2011)

### ***Institutions Refereed for:***

African Economic Research Consortium; Australian Development Research Awards; Cambridge University Press; Department for International Development; Economic and Social Research Council; International Food Policy Research Institute; Oxford Analytica; The Rockefeller Foundation (ad hoc member of the Technical Committee of the African Academy of Sciences' program on 'Research Priorities for the Education of Girls and Women in Africa'); Routledge publishers; Spencer Foundation; The World Bank (Operations Evaluation Department; Cambodia Country Office); United Nations University - WIDER; World Scientific Publishing

### ***Journals Refereed for:***

Agricultural Economics, China Economic Review, Development and Change, Economic Development and Cultural Change, Economic Journal, Economics of Education Review, European Journal of Political Economy, Feminist Economics, Food Policy, Global Social Policy Journal, Human Organisation, International Journal of Educational Development, Journal of African Economies, Journal of Developing Areas, Journal of Development Economics, Journal of Development Studies, Journal of Eastern Caribbean Studies, Journal of Economics and Business, Journal of International Development (editor of special issue), Journal of Modern African Studies, Journal of Population Economics, Oxford Bulletin of Economics and Statistics, Oxford Development Studies, Oxford Economic Papers, Review of Income and Wealth, Social Indicators Research, Sociological Inquiry, World Bank Economic Review, World Development, World Economy