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## **EDUCATION**

University of California, Berkeley  
Ph. D., Economics, 1988  
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## **EXPERIENCE**

World Bank: Africa, Middle East and PREMED (1999-present). Senior Economist. Policy-based lending to Senegal, Benin and West Bank & Gaza; TA to Tunisia, Algeria, Egypt, Lebanon, Iraq; research on the informal sector, and on regulation of multi-country infrastructure.

US International Trade Commission (1994-1999). Research Division economist, leading research on dynamic effects of trade liberalization and on international trade agreements, especially among APEC members and with Latin America.

International Monetary Fund, Asia Department (1992-94). Member of the team that negotiated and supervised IMF programs in Nepal and Korea.

Syracuse University (1986-93). Assistant Professor of Economics. Taught open-economy macroeconomics, international trade and development economics.

## **WORLD BANK PUBLICATIONS**

"Informal Economy and the World Bank," with Kathleen Beegle, Francesca Recanatini, and Massimiliano Santini, Policy Research Working Paper No. 6888, 2014

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"The Dutch Disease in a Developing Country: Oil Reserves in Cameroon," *Journal of Development Economics* (with S. Devarajan and R. Weiner), 1989

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