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### Education

Ph.D. in Economics, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, 1997.

B.A. in Economics, International Affairs and Spanish/Latin American Studies,  
American University, 1988.

### Professional Employment

2002-present: Assistant Professor of Economics, University of Vermont.

1999 – 2002: Assistant Professor of Economics, University of Calgary.

1998 – 1999: Harvard-Newcomen Post-Doctoral Fellow at Harvard Business School.

1997 – 1998: Visiting Professor of Economics, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign.

1995 – 1997: Assistant Professor of Economics, Universidad Carlos III de Madrid.

### List of Courses Taught

International Trade, International Finance, Globalization, Principles of Microeconomics, Principles of Macroeconomics, Intermediate Microeconomics, Law and Economics, Competition Policy, American Economic History, European Economic History, History of the World Economy, Economics of Technology, Statistics.

### Publications

“The Interwar Shocks to U.S.-Cuban Trade Relations: A View Through Sugar Company Stock Price Data.” With Alan Dye. In Jeremy Atack and Larry Neal, *The Origins and Development of Financial Markets and Institutions*, Cambridge University Press, forthcoming.

“Passenger Shipping Cartels and Their Effect on Trans-Atlantic Migration.” With George Deltas and Pete Tomczak. *Review of Economics and Statistics*, forthcoming.

“How Brinkmanship Saved Chadbourne: Credibility and the International Sugar Agreement of 1931.” With Alan Dye. *Explorations in Economic History* 43, no. 2 (April 2006): 223-256.

”The U.S. Sugar Program and the Cuban Revolution.” With Alan Dye. *Journal of Economic History* 64, no. 3 (September 2004): 673-704.

“Exclusive Contracts and Market Power: Evidence from Ocean Shipping.” With Pedro Marín. *Journal of Industrial Economics* 51, no. 2 (June 2003): 193-213.

“El control de contrabando en el Perú colonial: el caso del monopolio del tabaco, 1752-1813.” 2002. With Catalina Vizcarra. In Carlos Contreras and Manuel Glave, editors, *Estado y Mercado en la Historia del Perú*. Lima, Peru: Pontificia Universidad Católica del Perú, 2002.

“Economic Crisis and Political Response: The Political Economy of the Shipping Act of 1916.” *Journal of Economic History* 59, no. 4 (December 1999): 861-84.

“American Shipping Cartels in the Pre-World War I Era.” With George Deltas and Konstantinos Serfes. *Research in Economic History* 19 (1999): 1-38.

“U.S.-Cuban Trade Cooperation and Its Unraveling.” With Alan Dye. *Business and Economic History* 28, no. 2 (Winter 1999): 19-30.

## **Working Papers**

“Does the Separation of Regulatory Powers Reduce the Threat of Capture? Evidence from the U.S. Maritime Bureaucracy.” With Pedro Marín.

“Voting in Cartels: Theory and Evidence from Ocean Shipping.” With César Martinelli.

“Fertilizer, Fiscal Crises and the War of the Pacific.” With Catalina Vizcarra and Kirsten Wandschneider.

“War and Foreign Debt Settlement in Early Republican Spanish America.” With Catalina Vizcarra.

“Cleansing Under the Quota: The Defense and Survival of Sugar Mills in 1930s Cuba.” With Alan Dye.

“The Institutional Determinants of the Hawley-Smoot Tariff.” With Alan Dye.

“The Origins and Development of the U.S. Sugar Program, 1934-1959.” With Alan Dye.

### **Invited Lecture Presentations, 2004-2006**

2006: University of Illinois Festschrift for Larry Neal. International Economic History Association, Helsinki, Finland. Economic History Association, Pittsburgh, PA.

2005: Northwestern University. Canadian Network for Economic History, Kingston Ontario.

2004: Queen’s University, Kingston, Ontario. Social Science History Association, Chicago, IL. Trinity College, University of Dublin, Ireland. Economic History Society, London, England. Workshop on the Industrial Organization of Shipping and Ports, National University of Singapore.

### **Administrative Service**

Departmental Honors selection committee, 2003, 2006. Economics Department Curriculum Committee, 2003. Global Studies Planning Committee, 2006. Faculty Senate, 2006. College of Arts and Sciences Nominations and Elections Committee, 2005-2006. Latin American Studies Group, 2003-2006.

### **Professional Service**

Book reviews and referee reports for the National Science Foundation, *Journal of Economic History*, *Explorations in Economic History*, *Business History Review*, *Economica*, *Cuban Studies*, *Journal of Iberian and Latin American Economic History*, *New West Indies Review*, *EH.Net*.

### **Professional Memberships**

American Economic Association, Economic History Association.

### **Awards**

Harvard-Newcomen Postdoctoral Fellowship, 1998-1999. Richard Irwin Foundation Doctoral Fellowship, 1994-1995. John Rovensky Doctoral Fellowship for Business History, 1994-1995.