

# **CURRICULUM VITAE**

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## **EDUCATION**

2006 Ph.D. in Economics, University of Minnesota—Twin Cities.

2000 M.A. in Economics, Fudan University, China.

1997 B.E. in Industrial Trade, Southeast University, China.

## **RESEARCH INTERESTS**

Labor Economics, Applied Microeconomics, Development Economics, Chinese Economy

## **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

2013 to present	Associate Professor of Economics (with tenure), Virginia Tech.
2006 to 2013	Assistant Professor of Economics, Virginia Tech.
2010 to 2011	Visiting Research Fellow, Chinese University of Hong Kong.
07/2008—08/2008	Visiting Scholar, W.E. Upjohn Institute for Employment Research.
05/2008—06/2008	Visiting Assistant Professor, Chinese University of Hong Kong.
2003 to 2006	Visiting Scholar, Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis.
Summer 2005	Instructor, University of Minnesota.
Spring 2004	Instructor, University of Minnesota.
2002 to 2003	Research Analyst, Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis.

## **FELLOWSHIPS AND HONORS**

Graduate Teacher of the Year 2011-2012, Department of Economics, Virginia Tech.

Chinese University of Hong Kong Research Fellowship. 2010.

AEA CSWEP Summer Fellowship. 2008.

Heller Dissertation Fellowship, University of Minnesota. 2005-2006.

Holland Fellow, Fudan University and Appalachian State University. 1999.

## **JOURNAL PUBLICATIONS**

- Ge, Suqin, and Dennis Tao Yang. 2014. "Changes in China's Wage Structure," Journal of the European Economic Association 12(2): 300-336.
- Ge, Suqin. 2013. "Estimating the Return to Schooling: Implications from a Dynamic Discrete Choice Model," Labour Economics 20(1): 92-105.
- Ge, Suqin, and Fang Yang. 2013. "Accounting for Gender Gap in College Attainment," Economic Inquiry 51(1): 478-499.
- Ge, Suqin. 2011. "Women's College Decisions: How Much Does Marriage Matter?" Journal of Labor Economics 29(4): 773-818.
- Eckstein, Zvi, Suqin Ge, and Barbara Petrongolo. 2011. "Job and Wage Mobility with Minimum Wages and Imperfect Compliance," Journal of Applied Econometrics 26(4): 580-612.
- Ge, Suqin, and Dennis Tao Yang. 2011. "Integration of Labor Markets in China: A Neoclassical View," China Economic Review 22(4): 611-625.

## **SELECT PUBLICATIONS IN CHINESE**

- Lu, Ming, and Suqin Ge. 2000. "Economic Transition and the Change of Labor Supply: Theory, Evidence, and its Implication," Shanghai Economic Review (上海经济研究), 2000 (4): 24-33.
- Ge, Suqin. 2000. "New Developments in the Theory of Labor Market Segmentation," Economic Perspectives (经济学动态), 2000 (12): 53-56.
- Ge, Suqin. 1998. "Why Is the Current Market A Buyer's Market?" Exploration and Free Views (探索与争鸣), 1998 (7): 44-45.

## **BOOK CHAPTERS**

- Ge, Suqin, and Dennis Tao Yang. 2012. "Neoclassical Theories and the Development of Labor Markets in China," in *Has China Reached the Lewisian Turning Point?* Fang Cai, Dennis T. Yang, and Yiping Huang eds., Beijing: China Social Sciences Academic Press.

## **RESEARCH GRANTS**

- South China Program Research Grant, HK Institute of Asia-Pacific Studies (Co-Investigator), "Rising Labor Costs and Rural-Urban Migration in China" (PI: Dennis T. Yang). 2011-2012.
- Hong Kong Research Grant Council General Research Grant (Co-Investigator), "Globalization, Institutional Reforms and Wage Growth in China," (PI: Dennis T. Yang). 2010-2012.
- Advance VT micro-grant, Virginia Tech, "Household Savings in China." 2011.
- International Travel Supplemental Grant, Virginia Tech. 2011.

Chiang Ching-kuo Foundation for International Scholarly Exchange Research Grant,  
“Globalization and Rising Wages in Mainland China,” (with Dennis T. Yang). 2008-2010.

## **WORKING PAPERS**

Ge, Suqin, Dennis Tao Yang, and Junsen Zhang. “Population Policies, Demographic Structural Changes, and the Chinese Household Saving Puzzle,” IZA Discussion Paper No. 7026.  
*Revise and resubmit at Journal of Comparative Economics.*

Ge, Suqin, and Joao Macieira. “Unobserved Worker Quality and Inter-Industry Wage Differentials.”

Ge, Suqin, and Beibei Zhu. “Testing for Statistical Discrimination with Asymmetric Employer Learning.”

## **WORK IN PROGRESS**

Ge, Suqin, and Dennis Tao Yang. “Central Planning Meets Market Competition: the Dynamics of Schooling Returns during China’s Economic Transition.”

Ge, Suqin, and Fang Yang. “Labor Supply of Married Households: A Gender Specific Analysis.”

Ge, Suqin, and Joao Macieira. “Estimating Hedonic Models of Worker and Firm Heterogeneity.”

## **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

Graduate Labor Economics (Second-year Ph.D. Course, Virginia Tech)

Labor Economics (Undergraduate Course, Virginia Tech)

Economics of China (Undergraduate Course, Virginia Tech)

Macroeconomic Theory (Undergraduate Course, Virginia Tech)

Principles of Macroeconomics (Undergraduate Course, University of Minnesota)

## **RECENT INVITED SEMINARS AND CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS**

Southern Economic Association 2013 Meeting (Tampa, FL); Western Economic Association Meeting (2012, San Francisco); European Society for Population Economics 2011 Meeting (Hangzhou, China); Southern Economic Association 2011 Meeting (Washington DC); Virginia Tech (2010); Econometric Society 2010 World Congress (Shanghai, China); Fudan University (2010); Chinese University of Hong Kong (2010); WISE 2010 Labor Conference (Xiamen, China); Hong Kong Economic Association 2010 Meeting (Tianjin, China); Laval University (2009); Virginia Tech (2009); Georgetown University (2009); Society of Labor Economist 2009 Meeting (Boston, MA); Midwest Macro 2009 Meeting (Bloomington, IN); AEA 2008 Annual Meeting (New Orleans, LA); University of Virginia (2008); WISE, Xiamen University (2008); Fudan University (2008); W.E. Upjohn Institute for Employment Research (2008); INFORMS Virginia Tech (2008); Southern Economic Association 2008 Meeting (Washington DC); Midwest Economics Association 2007 Conference (Minneapolis, MN); Society of Labor Economist 2007 Annual Meeting (Chicago, IL); IZA Workshop: Heterogeneity in Micro Econometric Models (2007, Bonn, Germany); Virginia Tech (2007); University of South Carolina (2006); Simon Fraser University (2006); Virginia Tech (2006); Econometric Society

2006 Summer Meeting (Minneapolis, MN); Far East Econometric Society 2006 Meeting (Beijing, China); Queen's University (2006); University of Toronto (2006).

### **CONFERENCE DISCUSSIONS**

Western Economic Association 2012 Meeting in San Francisco, CA, July 2012.

Southern Economic Association 2011 Meeting in Washington, DC, November 2011.

Southern Economic Association 2008 Meeting in Washington, DC, November 2008.

AEA 2008 Annual Meeting in New Orleans, LA, January 2008.

Auctions and Games: A Conference for the Journal of Econometrics Annals Issue in Blacksburg, VA, October 2007

Midwest Economics Association 2007 Conference in Minneapolis, MN, March 2007.

### **REFeree SERVICE**

Referee for *China Economic Review*, *Economic Bulletin*, *Economic Inquiry*, *Economics of Education Review*, *Economics of Transition*, *European Economic Review*, *Journal of the European Economic Association*, *Journal of Labor Economics*, *Journal of Population Economics*, *Labour Economics*, *Southern Economic Journal*, *World Economy*, U.S. National Science Foundation, Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada.

### **UNIVERSITY SERVICE**

2014— College of Science Scholarship Committee, Virginia Tech

2013— Chair, Personnel Committee, Department of Economics, Virginia Tech

2007— Graduate Program Committee, Department of Economics, Virginia Tech

2012— 2013 President, College of Science Faculty Association, Virginia Tech

2011—2012 Vice President, College of Science Faculty Association, Virginia Tech

2008—2011 Faculty Annual Review Committee, Department of Economics, Virginia Tech

2009—2011 College of Science Curriculum Committee, Virginia Tech

2007—2011 Faculty Recruiting Committee, Department of Economics, Virginia Tech

### **PH.D. STUDENT SUPERVISION (FIRST PLACEMENT IN PARENTHESES)**

#### As advisor

Hengheng Chen, 2012 (Amazon)

Beibei Zhu, 2013 (Capital One)

Xi Chen (in progress)

Omid Bagheri (in progress)

#### As committee member

Zhengzheng Pan, 2009 (Facebook)

Sibel Atasoy, 2009

Binh Nguyen, 2010 (SME Capital, Vietnam)

Ali Hashemi, 2011 (Visiting Assistant Professor, Wake Forest University)

Zhiyuan Zheng, 2011 (Post doc, University of Maryland, School of Pharmacy)  
Ellen Green, 2011 (Visiting Assistant Professor, University of Delaware)  
Kristen Capogrossi, 2012 (Christensen Associates)  
Golnaz Taghvatalab, 2012 (Visiting Assistant Professor, Central Michigan University)  
Paul Hallmann, 2013 (Visiting Assistant Professor, University of Delaware)  
Xiaojin Sun (in progress)  
Tiefeng Qian (in progress)  
Sara Taghvatalab (in progress)  
Yonghui Zhang (in progress)  
Atiyeh Vahidmanesh (in progress)