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EDUCATION	The University of Houston , Houston, Texas USA Ph.D. Candidate, Economics, Expected graduation date: May 2012 <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Dissertation Topic: "Essays on Macroeconomic Volatility"• Committee: Dr. David Papell (Advisor), Dr. Bent Sørensen, Dr. Christian Murray M.A., Economics, May 2009 Grand Valley State University , Grand Rapids, Michigan USA B.S., Economics (major), Philosophy(minor), December 2006	
TEACHING AND RESEARCH EXPERIENCE	Instructor , University of Houston <i>Principles of Macroeconomics (Econ 2305)</i> Summer 2009, Fall 2009, Spring 2010, Fall 2010 <i>Intermediate Macroeconomics (Econ 3334)</i> Summer 2010 Teaching Assistant , University of Houston <i>Graduate Macroeconomics I (PhD) (Econ 7343)</i> Fall 2008 <i>Graduate Macroeconomics II (PhD) (Econ 7344)</i> Spring 2009 <i>Graduate Macroeconomics (Masters) (Econ 6475)</i> Fall 2010 <i>Undergraduate Economics of Globalization (INTB 3353)</i> Spring 2011, Fall 2011 Research Assistant , University of Houston David Papell Summer 2011	
RESEARCH	Working Papers "Common Features of the Great Moderation" "The Financial Crisis and the Great Moderation: The Beginning of the End or the End of the Beginning?" with David Papell and Teodora Stoica Work in Progress "Is the Great Moderation Common Across Countries?" "Okun's Law and the Time Varying Relationship Between Output and Unemployment"	
HONORS AND AWARDS	Certificate of University Teaching, University of Houston, Center for Teaching Excellence, 2011 Graduate Tuition Fellowship, University of Houston, 2008-present Omicron Delta Epsilon International Economics Honor Society, 2006 Horatio Alger Association National Scholar, 2003 Boy Scouts of America: Eagle Scout Award, 2002	

CONFERENCE ATTENDANCE AND PRESENTATION	Southern Economic Association, November 19-21, 2011, Washington, DC (<i>presenter</i>)
	Texas Monetary Conference, April 30 - May 1, 2011, Southern Methodist University, Dallas , TX
	Texas Camp Econometrics XVI, February 12-13, 2011, Cypress, TX (<i>presenter</i>)
	Texas Camp Econometrics XV, February 20 - 21, 2010, Montgomery, Texas
	Texas Monetary Conference, December 11-12, 2009, Dallas, TX
	Conference on Capital Flows, International Financial Markets and Financial Crises, 1314 November 2009, Dallas Federal Reserve, TX
	Texas Monetary Conference, April 24-25, 2009, Houston, TX
	Texas Camp Econometrics XIV, January 31 - February 1, 2009, New Braunfels, TX
PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATION	American Economic Association (AEA) - Student Member
	Southern Economic Association (SEA) - Student Member
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COMPUTER SKILLS	Proficient with Microsoft Office, EVIEWS, RATS, GAUSS and STATA
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