

## VITAE

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Degrees: Ph.D. in Economics, University of Rochester.  
 M.S. in Economics, University of Rochester.  
 M.A. in Economics, University of Calcutta, India  
 B.A. in Economics, University of Calcutta, India

Honors and Fellowship: Research Scholarship-Center for Studies in Social Sciences, India.  
 Fellowship-University of Rochester.  
 Nominated for Excellence in Teaching Award.  
 CMU Faculty Excellence Exhibition (Four Times)  
 Associate Editor/Editorial Board 2001-2006: *Feminist Economics* (A Routledge Journal)  
 Associate Editor/Editorial Board 20015-2019: *Migration and Development* (A Routledge Journal)  
 Co-Editor: *Remittance Review* 2015-Current (A Transnational Press London Journal)

Employment: Visiting Scholar, Deakin University, Melbourne, Australia, Summer 2000.  
 Professor- Department of Economics, Central Michigan University, 1998 to present.

Associate Professor-Department of Economics, Central Michigan University, 1994 to 1997.

Assistant Professor-Department of Economics, Central Michigan University, 1990 to 1994.

Lecturer, Department of Economics, Wayne State University, 1988 to 1989.

Visiting Assistant Professor, University of Kansas, 1987 to 1988.

Assistant Professor, Washburn University, 1984-1987

Research Economist, University of Kansas, 1982-1984

Courses Taught: International Trade, Microeconomics, Economic Development, Principles of Economics, Mathematics for Economists, Game Theory, Global Economic Environment, Applied Business Statistics

Research Interest: International Trade, Economic Development, Intra-family Decisions and Labor Economics.

- Publications:
1. Do Institutional Norms Affect Behavioral Preferences: A View from Gender Bias in the Intra-household Expenditure Allocation in Iran, *Economic Modelling*, 2021, 97, 118-134
  2. The Migration Conference Transnational Advisory Committee Report (with Anker, Biffi, Fonseca, et.al), *Migration Letters*, 2021.
  3. Intra-household Bargaining Power and Household Expenditure Allocation: Evidence from Iran (with P. Maitra), *Review of Development Economics*, 2020, 24 (2), 606-627.
  4. How Health Shocks Affect Repayment of Loans from Microfinance Institutions: Evidence from Bangladesh, *Migration and Development*, 2019, 8(3), 370-393
  5. The Role of Behavioral Choices in Reducing Wage Inequality, *Economic Modelling*, 2018, Vol.30, No.5.
  6. Investment Expenditure Behavior of Remittance Receiving Households: An Analysis Using Reserve Bank of India Data, *Migration Letters*, 2018, Vol.15, No. 3.
  7. Labor market Effects of Export Processing Zones in the Presence of Unemployment, *Economic Modelling*, 2017, Vol. 47.

8. Regional Inequality and Immiserization, a chapter in *International Trade*, ed. By Hazari, B.R. & Cheung, Y.W, May 2015, Routledge, London, UK.
9. *International Remittance Payments and The Global Economy*, Routledge, UK. 2015
10. Insurance & Remittances: New Evidence from Latin American Immigrants to the US, *Migration Letters*, 2012, vol.10, No.3, PP.383-398. (With J. T. Bang).
11. Marriage, Fertility, and the Selection of Women into High-Skill Industries, *Applied Economics Letters*, 2011, 19:9,829-834. (With J. T. Bang).
12. Net Exports and the Avoidance of High Unemployment During Reconversion, 1945-1947, *Journal of Economic History*, Vol. 71, 2011 (with J. E. Taylor and S. McLean)
13. Do immigrants pose a burden on the host country budget?: a case study for Michigan, *Economics Bulletin*, 2009, Vol.29, No. 3, 1-26, (with R.B. Clemmer).
14. Another Look at Mass Migration and Unions in Western Europe, *Economic Modeling*, Vol.26, 878-885, 2009.
15. Foreign Direct Investment and Skill Formation in China, *International Economic Journal*, Vol. 23, No. 2, 163-179, 2009 (with J.Yao.).
16. Economies of Scale and Imperfect competition, *International Economics, Finance and Trade* , 2009, Vol.1, 82
17. Strategic Interaction, Trade Policy and National Welfare (with M. Pasquale), *International Economics, Finance and Trade*, UK, EOLSS Publishing, 2009, 148-158
18. "Regional Inequality and Immiserization" *Journal of Policy Reforms*, Vol. 11, No. 3, 2008, 201-213 (with Bharat Hazari).
19. "Another Look at Wage Distortion in a Developing Dual Economy" *Australian Economic Papers*, Vol. 43, No.2, 2004
20. "Efficiency Wages, Agglomeration, and a Developing Dual Economy" *The Annals of Regional Science*, Vol. 38, No. 4, 2004.

21. "Domestic Violence Against Women and Their Economic Dependence: A Count Data Analysis" *Review of Political Economy*, vol.10, No.4, 2004 (with Felix Famoye)
22. *International Labor mobility, Unemployment, and Increasing Returns to Scales*, Rutledge, 2004, UK.
23. "Trade, Economies of Scale and Imperfect Competition" entry in *EOLSS Encyclopedia* published by UNESCO, Paris 2002.
24. "Strategic Interaction, Trade Policy and National Welfare" entry in *EOLSS Encyclopedia* published by UNESCO, Paris 2002.
25. "International Factor Mobility" entry in *EOLSS Encyclopedia* published by UNESCO, Paris 2002.
26. "Rural -Urban Migration, Urban Unemployment and Structural Transformation of a Dual Economy" *Journal of International Trade and Economic Development*, June 2000.
27. "Relationship Between Migration and Fertility Decisions in Rural Sector of LDC's" *Journal of Economic Development* , 1998, Vol. 23 , No. 2.
28. "Endogenous Determination of Parenting Preferences by Interaction of an Internal and External Game" *Review of Radical Political Economics*: 1998, 30 (2) :31-45 (with B. Bechtold).
29. "Efficiency wages, Unemployment and International Factor Movements": *The Journal of International Trade and Economic Development*: 1998, 7:3 , 317-338.
30. Planning for Migration and the Choice of Destination: A Joint Decision: *Applied Economics*, 1997, 29, 259-268.
31. "Minimum Wage, International Migration and Their Effects on Welfare", *International Economic Journal*, Volume 9, No. 2, Summer 1995.
32. "International Migration and Welfare in the Presence of Non-traded Goods: An interconnected Market Approach", *International Economic Journal*, Vol. 6, No. 4, Winter 1992.
33. "Abstract of International Migration and Welfare in the Source Country", *Social Planning, Policy and Development Abstract: An*

*International Database*, 1992.

34. "International Migration and Welfare in the Source Country", *Scandinavian Journal of Development Alternatives*, Vol. X, No. 4, December 1991
35. "Opening and Closing the Doors: Evaluating Immigration Reform and Control", by Frank D. Bean, George Vernexz, Charles B. Keely. *Southern Economic Journal*, October 1990. (Book review).
36. "The Role of Family Decision in Internal Migration: The Case of India," *Journal of Development Economics*, 18, (1985), 51-66.
37. "The Kansas Labor Market: Problems, Trends and Issues", (with A. Redwood and M. Kleiner), *Kansas Business Review*, December 1981- January 1982), Vol. 5.
38. "The Migration of Workers to and from Kansas 1965-1975", (with A. Redwood and M. Kleiner), *Kansas Business Review*, (September-October, 1982), Vol. 6, No. 1.

Other Publications    See Google Scholar Listings (39-50)

Papers Submitted

- to Journals /Books:
1. "How a Regional Growth Strategy Reduces the Abuse of Child Labor."
  - 2 "Can Immigrant Workers Help to Solve the Child Labor Problem?"
  3. "Can International Income Transfer Reduce the Use of Child Labor?"
  4. "Do Remittances Affect Healthcare Expenditure?: Evidence from Kenya."
  5. "Intra-firm Trade or Outsourcing: The Effect of Child Labor on Firms' International Organizational Form."

Work in Progress:    1. A Dynamic Model of Mothers' Employment and Child-Care Decisions and their effects on Child Health Outcome.

Reviewed Articles:    Review of Development Economics, *International Economic Journal*,

Journal of Economics, Economic Journal, Review of International Economics, Journal of Political Economy, Applied Economics, Population Economics, Feminist Economics, Journal of International Trade and Development. Review of Political Economy, Journal of Development Economics, Canadian Journal of Economics, Journal of Ethnicity & Migration Studies, Australian Economic Papers, Economics Letters, Household Economics, Economic Modelling, and Journal of Development Studies.

Program Appearances: 1. “Immigrants and Child Labor” in IEFS Meeting in Nov. 2023

2. “New Measures to Mitigate the Use of Child Labor” in Southern Economic Association Annual Meetings in Nov. 2023.
3. “International Income Transfers and Child Labor” in Canadian Economic Association Annual Meetings in June, 2023.
4. “Do Remittances Affect Healthcare Expenditure?: Evidence From Kenya” in MVEA Annual Meeting, Oct. 2022
5. “Investment Behavior of Migrants in India”, presented in Southern Economic Association Meetings, Nov. 2017
6. How Health Shocks Affect Repayment of Loans from Micro Finance Institutions: Evidence from Bangladesh, Nov. 2017
7. Is there any Gender Bias in Iran: Evidence from Household Income and Expenditure Data, presented in the Annual Meeting of the Society of Household Economics, June 2017
8. Labor Market Effects of Export Processing Zones, Midwest Association for Economic Theory and International Trade, April 2016
9. Great Lake Conference on Teaching, May 2016.
10. Do Remitters Invest? Presented in Annual Meetings of Southern Economic Association, Nov. 2015
11. Intra-household bargaining and allocation of household expenditure: Evidence from Iran, presented in May 2015 Annual Meetings of Canadian Economic Association
12. Lilly International Conference on College and University Teaching

and Learning, 2015

13. Lilly International Conference on College and University Teaching and Learning, 2013
14. How Mothers Make Decisions about Employment Type, Maternal Child-Care and Educational Development of Children, Annual Meeting of the International Association for Feminist Economics, 2013.
15. Insurance and Remittances: New Evidence from Latin American Immigrants to the US, Annual Meetings of the Canadian Economic Association, 2013
16. Great Lake conference on Teaching & Learning, May 2013
17. A Dynamic Model of Mothers' Employment and Childcare Decision and their effects on Child Health Outcome, Annual Meetings of American Society for Health Economics, 2012
18. Great Lake conference on Teaching & Learning, May 2011
19. Wage Inequality in an Outsourced Dual Economy, Annual Meetings Missouri Valley Economic Association, 2010
20. How the Market Value of Displaced Workers' Homes Affect Their Earning Losses, Annual Meetings of Southern Economic Association, 2010
21. Outsourcing & Immigration, Midwest Economic Theory and International Economics Meeting, 2010
22. Internal conference on "Growth, Inequality and Institutions", 2008. "Creative Teaching Ideas for Your Basic Economics Course" December 2005.
23. Teaching and Testing in Undergraduate Economics, AEA Meetings, 2006.
- 24.-26. International Association for Feminist Economics, 2005, 2001 and 1999.
- 27-31. Midwest Mathematical Economics and Trade Theory Meetings, 2006, 2000, 1999, 1998 and 1995.

32. Allied Social Science Meetings (IEFS), January 2006
- 33-34. Allied Social Science Meetings (MEEA), January 1998, 1996.
- 35-39. Southern Economic Association Meeting, Nov. 2008, 2005, 2001, 1996 and 1993.
40. American Economic Association Meetings, January 1995.
- 41-42. Canadian Economic Association Meeting, June 1993, & 2008
43. Allied Social Science Meeting, January 1993.
44. Econometrics Society Meeting for India and South-East Asia, December 1992.
45. Midwest Economic Association, March 1992.
46. International Economics Conference, October 1991.
- 47-49. Econometrics Society Meeting in U.S.A.: 1982, 1984, and 1987.
- 50-52. Missouri Valley Economic Association: 1984, 1986, and 1988.
53. Southwestern Society of Economics: 1986.

Grants:

Internal grants (Premier display & Research B Grants) of about \$130,000

External Grant for a Randomly Controlled Experiment of about \$100,000.

Services:

Served in various committees for the department, the college, and the university. Worked as an adviser to University Student Organizations and organized seminars and workshops for the department. Supervised Plan B papers, Hons. Papers, SCREE presentation, and worked as external referee for Ph.D. dissertation. Served as Graduate Co-Ordinator and provided help to restructure/improve the Graduate Program. Served as Editor and Co-editor of various journals.