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- Sept. 2008-Feb 2010 Professor of Economics, Technology, Management, Economics and Policy Program, College of Engineering, Seoul National University, Seoul, Korea.
- Dec. 2007-Aug. 2008 Professor of Economics, University of Kurdistan Hawler, The Federal Region of Kurdistan, Iraq.
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- Sep. 2004-Aug. 2006 Visiting Professor of Economics, Techno-Economics and Policy Program, College of Engineering, Seoul National University, Seoul, Korea.
- Jan. 2004-Aug. 2004 Professor of Economics, MTT Agrifood Research Institute, Helsinki, Finland.
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#### **FELLOWSHIPS:**

- Sept 2025-Present Visiting Professor, University of Economics Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam.
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#### **MAJOR FIELDS OF INTEREST:**

Agricultural Economics, Industrial Economics, Applied Microeconomics, Applied Microeconometrics, Panel Data Analysis, Labour Studies, Income Inequality, Poverty, Well-being, Globalization, Development Economics, Economics of Energy and Environment, Green Economics, Circular Economy, Sustainable and Smart Development, Economics of Education, Foreign Direct Investment, Dynamics of Capital Structure, Firm Dynamics, Economics of Innovation, Economics of Technology, Economics of Information and Communication Technology, Industrial Technology Policy, Technology Transfer, Performance (Efficiency, Productivity and Growth) Studies with applications to various private and public sectors producers of goods and services.

#### **RESEARCH GRANTS:**

Asian Development Bank Institute (ADBI), Urbanization in Asia; Economics and Social Consequences, September-December 2016.

Swedish Entrepreneurship Forum, Circular Economy - A Sustainable Development Strategy, March-September 2015.

Asian Development Bank (ADB), Fiscal Policy and Inclusive Growth in Advanced Countries: Their Experience and Implications for Asia, February-June 2014.

Asian Development Bank (ADB), Drivers of Poverty Reduction in Asia and the Pacific, July 2013-December 2014.

Asian Development Bank (ADB), Analysis of Poverty in India, October-December 2012.

The Korea Energy Economics Institute (KEEI), Environmental Impacts of Foreign Direct Investment to Korea, 2011.

The Korea Electric Power Corporation (KEPCO), Analysis of Consumer Baseline and Electricity Demand Response in Korea, 2010.

The Korea Electric Power Corporation (KEPCO), Performance of Electricity Generation Sector in Korea, 2009.

The Federal Region of Kurdistan, Ministry of Water Resources, Integrated Management of Water Resources in Kurdistan Region, 2008.

The Swedish National Social Insurance Board (RFV), Sharing Pension among Married Couples in Sweden, 2000-2001.

Service Research Forum (TjänsteForum), Quality of Intermediate and High School Education in Sweden, 1999-2001.

The Swedish Council for Research in Humanities and Social Sciences (HSFR), Performance in Swedish Manufacturing and Service Industries, 1998-2000.

The Center for Public Sector Research (CEFOS), Intermediate and High School Education in Sweden, 1994-1998.

The Swedish Council for Forestry and Agricultural Research (SJFR), Performance in Swedish Agriculture, 1993/4-1995/6.

#### **VISITING RESEARCHER:**

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University of Economics Ho Chi Minh City, Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam, July-August 2024.

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University of Economics Ho Chi Minh City, Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam, June-August 2023.

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Department of Economics, Binghamton University, USA, November 2014.

International Energy Policy Program, College of Engineering, Seoul National University, June 2014.

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Department of Economics, Emory University, Atlanta, Georgia, USA, February 2013.

Ministry of Agriculture and Water Resources, Kurdistan Region, Iraq, January 2013.

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National University of Mongolia, School of Economic Studies and Ministry of Education, Government of Mongolia, Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia, February 2011.

Soran University, Kurdistan Region, January 2011.

American University of Armenia, School of Business and Management, August 2010.

European Commission, Directorate General, Economics and Financial Affairs, Visiting Fellows Programme, February 2010.

Centre of Excellence for Science and Innovation Studies, Royal Institute of Technology, January 2010.

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Ministry of Water Resources, Federal Region of Kurdistan, Hawler, January-February 2009.

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Government Institute for Economic Research, VATT, Helsinki, Finland, January 2006.

Department of Economics and Department of Quantitative Economics, Dongbei University of Finance and Economics, Dalian, China, April 2005.

German Institute for Economic Research (DIW), Berlin, Germany, July 2001

University of St. Gallen, St. Gallen, Switzerland, October 1999.

University of Gothenburg, Gothenburg, Sweden, June 1999, June 2000, August 2001.

University of Salerno, Salerno, Italy, April 1999.

Southern Methodist University, Dallas, USA, December 1996, October 2000.

University of Texas at Austin, Austin, USA, short periods during 1992 to 1997.

#### **PUBLICATIONS**

#### A. Doctoral Thesis

Heshmati A. (1994), Estimating Technical Efficiency, Productivity Growth and Selectivity Bias Using Rotating Panel Data: An Application to Swedish Agriculture, Department of Economics, Gothenburg University, Doctoral Thesis No. 50, May 1994. Principal Advisor: Professor Anders Klevmarken, Sweden. Discussant: Professor Peter J. Schmidt, Department of Economics, Michigan State University, USA.

## **B.** Papers in Refereed Journals

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- Kebede, S.G. and A. Heshmati (2020). Energy Use and Labor Productivity in Ethiopia: The Case of Manufacturing Industry, *energies*, 13, 2714, 1-21. (SCIE)
- Lee, I. and A. Heshmati (2020). Estimating the Older People's Labour Supply Decisions in Korea. *Society and Economy*, 42, 39-58.
- Zheng, X. and A. Heshmati (2020). An Analysis of Energy Use Efficiency in China by Applying Stochastic Frontier Panel Data Models. *energies*, 13, 1892, 1-17. (SCIE)
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- Lee, J.D. and A. Heshmati (2020). Introduction to APPC-2018 Special Issue Novel Applications of Efficiency and Productivity Analyses in the Asia-Pacific Region. *Journal of Productivity Analysis*, 53(1), 1-3. (SSCI)
- Heshmati A. and M. Rashidghalam (2020). Estimation of Technical Change and TFP Growth based on Observable Technology Shifters. *Journal of Productivity Analysis*, 53(1), 21-36. (SSCI)
- Khraief, N., M. Shahbaz, A. Heshmati and M. Azam (2020). Are Unemployment Rates in OECD Countries Stationary? Evidence from Univariate and Panel Unit Root Tests. *North American Journal of Economics and Finance*, 51 (January), 10838, 1-15. (SSCI)
- Park Y. and A. Heshmati (2019). The Effects of Labor Market Characteristics on Women's Poverty in Korea. *Economies*, 7(4), 110, 1-16.
- An, J. and A. Heshmati (2019). The Relationship Between Air Pollutants and Healthcare Expenditure: Empirical Evidence from South Korea. *Environmental Science and Pollution Research*, 26(31), 31730-31751. (SCIE)
- Heshmati A., E. Maasoumi and G. Wan (2019). Analysis of the Determinants of Household Consumption Expenditure and Poverty in India. *Economies*, 7(4), 96, 1-27.
- Padhan, H., I. Haouas, B. Sahoo and A. Heshmati (2019). What Matters for Environmental Quality in the Next-11 Countries: Economic Growth or Income Inequality? *Environmental Science and Pollution Research*, 26(22), 23129-23148. (SCIE)
- Heshmati A. and J.S. Kim and J. Wood (2019). A Survey of Inclusive Growth and Policy. *Economies*, 7,65, 1-18.
- Lee, T. and A. Heshmati (2019). The role of education for the development of environmental protection: a case for Korea. *Sociology International Journal*, 3(3), 244-252.
- Yoo, S. and A. Heshmati (2019). The Effects of Environmental Regulations on the Manufacturing Industry's Performance: A Comparison of Green and Non-Green Industries in Korea. *energies*, 12(12), 1-14. (SCIE)

Heshmati, A. and H. Yoon (2019). The Economics of South Korean Demographics. *Georgetown Journal of International Affairs*, January 06, 2019, pp. 1-5.

Rashidghalam, R. and A. Heshmati (2019). A Comparison of Different Full and Partial Non-Parametric Frontier Models for Measuring Technical Efficiency: With an Application to Iran's Cotton Producing Provinces. *Journal of Agricultural and Crop Research*, 7(6), 82-94.

Heshmati, A. (2018). Causality between GDP and Health Care Expenditure in the Augmented Solow's Growth Model. *UKH Journal of Social Sciences*, 2(2), 19-30.

Ndagijimana, J., T. Nzasingizimana, and A. Heshmati (2018). An Analysis of the Determinants of Youth Employment in Rwanda. *UKH Journal of Social Sciences*, 2(2), 1-10.

Rahimpour M., A. Heshmati and H.R. Pasandideh (2018). Measurement and Comparison of Industrial Infrastructure of SMEs among Iranian Provinces. *International Journal of Economics and Management Studies*, 1(3), 7-26.

Tausch A. and A. Heshmati (2018). The Effects of Globalization on the Environment. *UKH Journal of Social Sciences*, 2(1), 25-40.

Heshmati A. (2018). An Empirical Survey of the Ramification of a Green Economy. *International Journal of Green Economics*, 12(1), 53-85.

Heshmati, A., S.C. Kumbhakar and J. Kim (2018). Persistent and Transient Efficiency of International Airlines. *European Journal of Transport and Infrastructure Research*, 18(2), 213-238. (SSCI)

Heshmati, A. and L. Hartvigson (2018). An evaluation of the collaborative coursework-based PhD program in economics and management among East African national universities. *Africa Journal of Management*, 4(2), 177-194.

Heshmati, A. and K. Auzer (2018). The Role of Natural Resources in Kurdistan Regional Government's Economic Development. *UKH Journal of Social Sciences*, 2(1), 1-14.

Heshmati, A. and A. Tausch (2018). An Empirical Reflection on 'Smart Social Justice', its Measurement and Possible Drivers and Bottlenecks. Sociology International Journal, 2(3), 142-158.

Heshmati, A. (2018). Healthy Aging as a Solution to the 'Ticking Time Bomb': Dealing with Aging Population in Urban China. *Sociology International Journal*, 2(2), 94-104.

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Heshmati A. (2017). A Review of the Circular Economy and its Implementation. *International Journal of Green Economics*, 11(3/4), 251-288.

Heshmati, A. and Y. Kim (2017). Analysis of Pay Inequality and its Impacts on Growth and Performance in the Korean Manufacturing Industry Post Asian Financial Crisis. *UKH Journal of Social Sciences*, 1(1), 9-21.

Heshmati, A., I. Haouas, K. Sohag and M. Shahbaz (2017). Hiring and Separation Rates Before and After the Arab Spring in the Tunisian Labor Market. *South African Journal of Economics*, 85(2), 259-278. (SSCI)

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Wortley, D., J.Y. An, and A. Heshmati (2017). Tackling the Challenge of Aging Society: Detecting and Preventing Cognitive and Physical Decline through Games and Consumer Technologies. *Healthcare Informatics Research*, 23(2), 87-93.

Haouas, I. and A. Heshmati (2017). Can the UAE avoid the Oil Curse by Economic Diversification? *International Research Journal of Finance and Economics*, 144, 7-23.

Heshmati, A. and B. Su (2017). Analysis of Gender Wage Differential in China's Urban Labor Market. *Singapore Economic Review* 60(2), 423-445. (SSCI)

Abolhosseini, S., A. Heshmati and M. Rashidghalam (2017). Energy Security and Competition over Energy Resources in Iran and Caucasus Region. *AIMS Energy* 5(2), 224-238.

Rahimpoor, M., A. Heshmati and A. Ahmadizad (2016). A New Weighting Approach to Non-Parametric Composite Indices Compared with Principal Components Analysis. *International Journal of Industrial Mathematics*, 9(1), 59-73.

Tausch, A. and A. Heshmati (2016). Islamism and gender relations in the Muslim world as reflected in recent *World Values Survey* data. *Society and Economy*, 38(4), 427-453.

Rahimpoor, M., A. Heshmati and A. Ahmadizad (2016). The effect of education on industrial development: Evidence from Iranian small industries, *International Journal of Business and Development Studies* 8(1), 25-41.

Han, J. and A. Heshmati (2016). Determinants of Financial Rewards from Industry-University Collaboration in South Korea. *International Journal of Innovation Management*, 20(7), 235-257.

Oh, I., S. Oh, A. Heshmati and J.D. Lee (2016). Can Energy Service Companies promote 'green' growth? The Korean case. *Energy and Environment*, 27(1), 1-14. (SSCI)

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Workshop on Management of Water Resources in Kurdistan Region, Hawler, Federal Region of Kurdistan, August 25, 2008.

Conference on Kurds, Meridian International Center, Washington DC, May 29-30, 2008.

International Conference on the Higher Education in Iraq, Hawler, Federal Region of Kurdistan, December 11-13, 2007.

Asia Pacific Productivity Conference, Seoul National University, Seoul, Korea, August 17-19, 2006.

Asia Conference on Technology Transfer, Seoul, Korea, March 2006.

The Nordic Agriculture Productivity Workshop, Helsinki, July 2005.

The Ninth European Workshop on Productivity and Efficiency Analysis (EWEPA IX), Brussels, June 2005.

Invited Speaker at The Korean Association of Productivity Analysis Conference, Seoul, June 2005.

The UNU/WIDER, Conference of Impact of Globalization of the World's Poor, Helsinki, October 2004.

The North American Productivity Workshop, NAPW2004, Toronto, June 2004.

The UNU/WIDER, Helsinki, June 2004.

The UNU/WIDER Conference on Sharing Global Prosperity, Helsinki, September 2003.

The UNU/WIDER Conference on Inequality, Poverty and Human Well-being, Helsinki, May 2003.

The XI International Tor Vergata Conference on Banking and Finance, Rome December 2002.

The New Economy in Development, WIDER, May 2002.

Keynote Speaker at the 1<sup>st</sup> Hellenic Workshop on Productivity and Efficiency Measurement, University of Patras, Greece, December 2001.

The 7<sup>th</sup> European Workshop on Efficiency and Productivity, Oviedo, Spain, September 2001.

The 16<sup>th</sup> Annual Congress of the European Economic Association, Lausanne, Switzerland, August 2001.

The 56<sup>th</sup> European Meeting of the Econometric Society, Lausanne, Switzerland, August 2001.

The 9<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Panel Data, Geneva, Switzerland, June 2000.

The 6<sup>th</sup> European Workshop on Efficiency and Productivity, Copenhagen, October 1999.

Taipei International Conference on Efficiency and Productivity Growth, Academia Sinica, Taipei, Taiwan, July 1999.

Econometric Evaluation of Active Labour Market Policies in Europe, ZEW Research Conference, University of Mannheim, Germany, June 1999.

The 3<sup>rd</sup> Georgia Productivity Workshop, Terry College of Business, The University of Georgia, Athens, October 1998.

The 13th Annual Congress of the European Economic Association, Berlin, Germany, September 1998.

The 53<sup>rd</sup> Econometric Society European Meeting, Berlin, Germany, August-September 1998.

The 8<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Panel Data, Gothenburg, Sweden, June 1998.

The 67th Annual Conference of the Southern Economic Association Meeting, Atlanta, Georgia, November 1997.

The 5<sup>th</sup> European Workshop on Productivity Analysis, Copenhagen, October 1997.

The Econometric Society European Meeting, Toulouse, August 1997.

The 7<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Panel Data, University of Paris, ERUDITE, Paris, France, June 1997.

The 6<sup>th</sup> Biennial International Conference on Panel Data, University of Amsterdam, Amsterdam, The Netherlands, June 1996.

The 4<sup>th</sup> European Productivity Workshop, Center for Operations Research and Econometrics (CORE), Universite Catholique de Louvain, Belgium, October 1995.

Konferensen Kvalitet i kommuner och landsting, Gothenburg, Sweden, October 1995.

The Nordic Workshop on Productivity and Efficiency, Gothenburg University, Sweden, September 1995.

The Econometric Society Seventh World Congress, University of Tokyo, Japan, August 1995.

The Georgia Productivity Workshop, University of Georgia, Athens, U.S.A., October 1994.

The Econometric Society European Meeting, ESEM94, University of Limburg, Maastricht, The Netherlands, August-Sept. 1994.

The 5<sup>th</sup> Conference on Panel Data, University of Paris, ERUDITE, Paris, France, June 1994.

The Econometric Days 1994, Uppsala University, Sweden, May 1994.

The Nordic Workshop on Productivity Growth, Gothenburg University, Sweden, January 1994.

The 8<sup>th</sup> Annual Congress of the European Economic Association, EEA93, University of Helsinki, Finland, August 1993.

The Econometric Society European Meeting, ESEM93, Uppsala University, Sweden, August 1993.

The Econometric Days 1993, Stockholm University, Lovik, Sweden, May 1993.

The 1992 India and South-East Asia Meeting of the Econometric Society, The Indira Ghandi Institute of Development Research, Bombay, India, December 1992.

The Nordic Workshop on Productivity Growth, Gothenburg University, Sweden, November 1992.

The 4<sup>th</sup> Conference on Panel Data, Budapest University, Budapest, Hungary, June 1992.

The Conference on Current Issues in Productivity, The State University of New Jersey, Newark, U.S.A., December 1991.

### I.2 Professional Seminars

Circular Economy and Inclusive and Sustainable Development and Assessment of the Urban Circular Economy in Sweden. Seoul National University Siheung Smart Campus, South Korea, November 28, 2024.

Circular Economy and Inclusive and Sustainable Development and Assessment of the Urban Circular Economy in Sweden. Seoul National University, Technology Management and Policy Program (TEMEP), Seoul, South Korea, November 20, 2024.

Comparison of Vietnam's Provinces and Regions Development. Department of Food and Resource Economics, Korea University, Seoul, November 13, 2024.

Boosting Productivity in Private Services through Digitalization. Seoul National University, Technology Management and Policy Program (TEMEP), Seoul, South Korea, November 11, 2024.

Digitalization and Sustainable Transitions: A Review of the Literature. Seoul National University, Technology Management and Policy Program (TEMEP), Seoul, South Korea, October 28, 2024.

Comparison of Vietnam's Provinces and Regions Development. Korea Institute for International Economic Policy (KIEP), Daejeon, Korea, October 23, 2024.

Comparison of Vietnam's Provinces and Regions Development. College of Economics, Law and Governance, UEH University, August 13, 2024.

Circular Economy and Inclusive and Sustainable Development. Guest Lecture, Department of Resource and Environmental Economics, IPB University, Indonesia, December 2, 2023.

Green Innovations and Patents in OECD Countries. Elinkeinoelämän Tutkimuslaitos (ETLA), Helsinki, Finland, November 16, 2023.

Circular Economy and Inclusive and Sustainable Development. Guest Lecture, Faculty of Economics and Business, Universitas Negeri Surabaya, Indonesia, October 9, 2023.

Determinants of foreign direct investment and its impacts. Korean Government Budget Assembly, NABO, August 2, 2023.

Circular Economy and Inclusive and Sustainable Development. Department of Food and Resource Economics, Korea University, Seoul, July 27, 2023.

Green Innovations and Patents in OECD Countries. Department of Food and Resource Economics, Korea University, Seoul, July 27, 2023

The curse effects on Kurdistan Region's economy and self-sufficiency. Soran University, Kurdistan Region, March 16, 2023.

Assessment of the Urban Circular Economy in Sweden. Department of Computer Information and Communication Engineering, Jönköping International Business School, EFS seminar, January 26, 2023.

Green Innovations and Patenting Renewable Energy Technologies. Department of Economics, Hanyang University, South Korea, October 18, 2022.

Assessment of the Urban Circular Economy in Sweden. Seoul National University, Technology Management and Policy Program (TEMEP), Seoul, South Korea, October 19, 2022.

Green Innovations and Patenting Renewable Energy Technologies. Department of Economics, Sogang University, Seoul, South Korea, October 25, 2022.

Assessment of the Urban Circular Economy in Sweden. Department of Computer Information and Communication Engineering, South Korea, October 26, 2022.

Green Innovation and Patenting Renewable Energy Technologies in OECD, Jönköping International Business School EFS Seminar, 24 May 2021.

The Nobel Prize in Economic Sciences 2019: Experimental Approach to Alleviating Global Poverty, Royal Institute of Technology, Stockholm, Sweden, October 25, 2019.

Collaborative Coursework-Based PhD Program in Economics and Management: Research, Teaching and Supervision Capacity Building, University of Kurdistan Hawler, Erbil, Kurdistan Region, July 22, 2019.

Measurement and Analysis of Urban Infrastructure and its Effects on Urbanization in China, University of Kurdistan Hawler, Erbil, Kurdistan Region, July 17, 2019.

Circular Economy and its Implementation in China, Swedish Entrepreneurship Forum, Stockholm, Sweden, August 21, 2018.

Persistent and Transient Efficiency of International Airlines, Department of Economics, Sogang University, March 31, 2017.

Master's Thesis Process and Evaluation of Quality and Results, College of Business and Economics (UR-CBE), Gikondo, January 11, 2017.

Master's Thesis Process and Evaluation of Quality and Results, College of Business and Economics (UR-CBE), Botare, January 10, 2017.

Measurement and Analysis of Urbanization Infrastructure in China, University of Rwanda, College of Business and Economics (UR-CBE), Gikondo, December 29, 2016.

A Review of the Circular Economy and its Implementation, Swedish Entrepreneurship Forum, Stockholm, Sweden, December 17, 2016.

Research Funds, Research Proposals, Research Quality and Publications, University of Rwanda, College of Business and Economics (UR-CBE), Gikondo, Nyagatare, Huye Campuses, December 7-9, 2015.

A Review of the Circular Economy and its Implementation, Center for Economic Research (CER-ETH), ETH Zürich, October 30, 2015.

A Review of the Circular Economy, Swedish Entrepreneurships Form, Stockholm, Sweden, June 17, 2015.

A Review of the Circular Economy in China: Moving from Rhetoric to Implementation, Department of Economics, Addis Ababa University, Ethiopia, December 11, 2014.

A Review of the Circular Economy in China: Moving from Rhetoric to Implementation, Center of Excellence for Science and innovation Studies (CESIS), Royal Institute of Technology, Stockholm, Sweden, September 12, 2014.

Performance of State-owned Enterprises – A Review, IEPP, College of Engineering, Seoul National University, Seoul, Korea, August 25, 2014.

A Review of the Circular Economy in China: Moving from Rhetoric to Implementation, Jönköping International Business School, Jönköping, Sweden, June 27, 2014.

Determinants and Policy Simulation of Firms Cooperation in Innovation, Department of Economics, Jönköping International Business School, Jönköping, Sweden, September 16, 2013.

A Review of the Circular Economy in China: Moving from Rhetoric to Implementation, Department of Economics, Emory University, Atlanta, Georgia, USA, February 21, 2013.

A Review of the Circular Economy in China: Moving from Rhetoric to Implementation, Stockholm Environment Institute (SEI), Stockholm, Sweden, January 25, 2013.

Agent-based Simulation of cooperative Innovation in R&D Center of Excellence for Science and Innovation Studies (CESIS), Royal Institute of Technology (KTH), Stockholm, Sweden, January 24, 2013.

A Review of the Regional Development Strategy for Kurdistan Region, University of Salahadeen, Hawler, Kurdistan Region, January 21, 2013.

A Review of the Regional Development Strategy for Kurdistan Region, Soran University, Soran, Kurdistan Region, January 20, 2013.

Mining Industry Organization, Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia, October 5, 2012.

Department of Energy Studies, Ajou University, Suwon, Korea, March 27, 2012.

State University of New York at Binghamton, Department of Economics, February 15, 2012.

University of Kurdistan Hawler, Kurdistan Region, January 12, 15, 17 and 19, 2012.

Soran University, Soran, Kurdistan Region, January 11, 2012.

Department of Food and Resource Economics, Korea University, BK seminar, October 28, 2011.

Department of Food and Resource Economics, Korea University, Ottogi Summer Program, four lectures on Globalization, Economic Development Trends, Foreign Investment in Agriculture and Economics of Technology, August 8-19, 2011.

Korea Electric Power Corporation, KEPCO, Seoul, Korea, KEPCO, July 27, 2011.

Department of Economics, Sogang University, Seoul, Korea, May 17, 2011.

College of Engineering, Salahadeen University, Hawler, Federal Region of Kurdistan, December 18, 2010.

Department of Energy Studies, Ajou University, Suwon, Korea, November 9, 2010.

Department of Food and Resource Economics, College of Life Sciences and Biotechnology, Korea University, September 27, 2010.

Scientific Research Institute of Energy, Yerevan, Armenia, August 12, 2010.

American University of Armenia, School of Business and Management, Yerevan, Armenia, August 6 and 11, 2010.

European Commission, Directorate General, Economics and Financial Affairs, Brussels, February 23, 2010.

Center of Excellence for Science and Innovation Studies (CESIS), Royal Institute of Technology (KTH), Stockholm, Sweden, February 4, 2010.

Environmental Economics, Gothenburg University, Sweden, January 26 and 29, 2010.

Department of Economics, Orebro University, Sweden, January 25, 2010.

TEMEP, College of Engineering, Seoul National University, September 8 and October 9, 2009.

Graduate School of Economics, Waseda University, Tokyo, Japan, July 24, 2009.

Center of Excellence for Science and Innovation Studies (CESIS), Royal Institute of Technology (KTH), Stockholm, Sweden, April 22, 2009.

Prime College, Department of Management, Kathmandu, Nepal, December 31, 2008.

Management Association of Nepal (MAN), Kathmandu, Nepal, December 28, 2008.

University of Sorbonne (Paris I), Department of Development and Transition, Paris, France, April 10, 2008.

University of Kurdistan Hawler, Federal Region of Kurdistan, Hawler, Iraq, March 26, 2008.

University of Kurdistan Hawler, Federal Region of Kurdistan, Hawler, Iraq, March 5, 2008.

Joint seminar held at Techno-Economics and Management Program at Seoul National University, Seoul; and Information and Communication University, Daejeon, South Korea, July 30, 2007.

College of Business Administration, Seoul National University, Seoul, Korea, May 8, 2006.

Research Institute for Small and Medium Industries, Seoul, Korea, April 19, 2006.

Techno-Economics and Policy Program, College of Engineering, Seoul National University, Seoul, Korea, April 14, 2006.

Government Institute for Economic Research, VATT, Helsinki, Finland, January 26, 2006.

The European Institute of Japanese Studies, EIJS, Stockholm, Sweden, January 19, 2006.

Office of Labor Market Policy Evaluation, IFAU, Uppsala, Sweden, January 18, 2006.

Swedish Economic Research Institute, RATIO, Stockholm, Sweden, January 16, 2006.

The Research institute of Industrial Economics, IUI, Stockholm, Sweden, January 11, 2006.

Techno-Economics and Policy Program, College of Engineering, Seoul National University, Seoul, Korea, November 25, 2005.

Seoul University of Venture (SUV), Seoul, Korea, October 25, 2005.

Techno-Economics and Policy Program, College of Engineering, Seoul National University, Seoul, Korea, October 7 and 21, 2005.

Korea Development Institute, Seoul, Korea, September 2005.

Techno-Economics and Policy Program, College of Engineering, Seoul National University, Seoul, Korea, September 2 and 23, 2005.

Department of Economics, Dongbei University of Finance and Economics, Dalian, China, April 2005.

Korea Economic Research Institute, Seoul, Korea, April 2005.

Department of Economics, Seoul National University, Seoul, Korea, March 2005.

Department of Economics and International Economics, Goethe University, Frankfurt, Germany, February 2005.

Institute for Development Policy and Management, University of Antwerp (IDPM/UA), Antwerp, Belgium, February 2005.

MTT Economic Research, Helsinki, Finland, October 2004.

Institute of Transport Economics, Oslo, Norway, June 2003.

The UNU/WIDER, Helsinki, Finland, January and May 2003.

Government Institute for Economic Research (VATT), Helsinki, Finland, September 2002.

University of Helsinki, Helsinki, Finland, May 2002.

Helsinki University of Technology, VTT Group for technology studies, Helsinki, Finland, January 2002.

German Institute for Economic Research (DIW), Berlin, Germany, July 2001.

The Industrial Institute for Economic and Social Research (IUI), Stockholm, Sweden, April 2001.

The Swedish National Board for Industrial Technical Development (NUTEK/VINNOVA), Stockholm, Sweden, March 2001.

Institute for the Study of Labor (IZA), Uppsala, Sweden, December 2000.

Department of Economics, University College of Borlänge, Borlänge, Sweden, November 2000.

Department of Economics, University College of Gävle, Sweden, November 2000.

Department of Economics, Southern Methodist University, Dallas, U.S.A., October 2000.

The Office of Labor Market Policy Evaluation, Uppsala University, Uppsala, Sweden, April 2000.

Department of Economic Statistics, Stockholm School of Economics, Stockholm, Sweden, April 2000.

The Swedish National Social Insurance Board (RFV), Stockholm, Sweden, February 2000.

Department of Economic Statistics, Stockholm School of Economics, Stockholm, Sweden, November 1999.

Department of Economics, University of St. Gallen, St Gallen, Switzerland, October 1999.

Center for Public Sector Research (CEFOS), Gothenburg University, Gothenburg, Sweden, October 1999.

Centre for Studies in Economics and Finance (CSEF), University of Salerno, Salerno, Italy, April 1999.

The Swedish National Social Insurance Board (RFV), Stockholm, Sweden, February 1999.

The Office of Labor Market Policy Evaluation, Uppsala University, Uppsala, Sweden, February 1999.

The Swedish Institute for Social Research (SOFI), Stockholm University, Stockholm, Sweden, February 1999.

The Swedish National Social Insurance Board (RFV), Stockholm, Sweden, January 1999.

Department of Economic Statistics, Stockholm School of Economics, Stockholm, Sweden, December 1998.

Center for Public Sector Research (CEFOS), Gothenburg University, Gothenburg, Sweden, May 1998.

Department of Economics, Lund University, Lund, Sweden, April 1998.

Department of Economics, Gothenburg University, Gothenburg, Sweden, March 1998.

Department of Economic Statistics, Stockholm School of Economics, Stockholm, Sweden, January 1998.

Department of Economics, Gothenburg University, Gothenburg, Sweden, December 1997.

Department of Health Economics, Stockholm School of Economics, Stockholm, Sweden, November 1997.

The Swedish National Board for Industrial Technical Development (NUTEK), Stockholm, Sweden, November 1997.

Department of Economics, Gothenburg University, Gothenburg, Sweden, October 1997.

Center for Public Sector Research (CEFOS), Gothenburg University, Gothenburg, Sweden, September 1997.

Department of Economics, Gothenburg University, Gothenburg, Sweden, April 1997.

Department of Economics, Gothenburg University, Gothenburg, Sweden, February 1997.

Department of Economics, Southern Methodist University, Dallas, U.S.A., December 1996.

National Board for School Education (Skolverket), Stockholm, Sweden, November 1996.

Center for Public Sector Research (CEFOS), Gothenburg University, Gothenburg, Sweden, November 1996.

Department of Economics, Gothenburg University, Gothenburg, Sweden, October 1996.

Center for Public Sector Research (CEFOS), Gothenburg University, Gothenburg, Sweden, September 1996.

Center for Public Sector Research (CEFOS), Gothenburg University, Gothenburg, Sweden, May 1996.

Department of Economics, Stockholm University, Stockholm, Sweden, February 1996.

National Board for School Education (Skolverket), Stockholm, Sweden, October 1995.

Center for Public Sector Research (CEFOS), Gothenburg University, Gothenburg, Sweden, September 1995.

Department of Economics, Gothenburg University, Gothenburg, Sweden, November 1991.

Department of Economics, Gothenburg University, Gothenburg, Sweden, October 1991.

Department of Economics, Gothenburg University, Gothenburg, Sweden, November 1990.

### J. PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

## J.1 Editorial Responsibilities:

Quest Editor, Special Issue of *Journal of Productivity Analysis (JPA)*, Efficiency, Productivity, and the Role of Policy in the Economic Growth in Africa, 60(4), 2023.

Quest Editor, Special Issue of *International Journal of Empirical Economics (IJEE)*, Economic Growth and Sustainable Development in East Africa, 2022-2023.

Guest Editor: Special issue of *Springer Nature Business & Economics (SNBE)*, Inclusive Economic Growth and Sustainable Development in Africa, 2022-2023.

Guest Editor, Special Issue of *Journal of Economic Studies (JES)*, Assessment of the impacts of COVID-19 and government reactions to it on inequality and poverty reduction, 50(1), 2023.

Associate Editor of Journal of Asian Business and Economic Studies (JABES), Since 2023.

Editorial Advisory Board member, The *Journal of Tropical Futures: Sustainable Business, Governance & Development (JTF)*, Since 2022.

Editor, *International Journal of Empirical Economics (IJEE)*, Scientific World Publishing Co, Since 2021.

Associate Editor, Springer Nature Business and Economics (SNBE), Since 2020.

Editorial Board Member, energies, Since 2020.

Quest Editor, Special Issue of *Economies*, Circular Economy, 2019.

Quest Editor, Special Issue of *Energies*, Energy Use Efficiency, 2019-2020.

Quest Editor, Special Issue of *Energies*, Energy Economics and Policy in Developed Countries, 2019-2020.

Quest Editor, Special Issue of *Journal of Productivity Analysis (JPA)* based on papers presented at Asia Pacific Productivity Conference, APPC2018, Seoul, July 4-6, 2018.

Quest Editor, Special Issue of *Science and Public Policy (SPP)* based on papers presented at Asia Pacific Productivity Conference, APPC2018, Seoul, July 4-6, 2018.

Editor, Edited volume on *Studies on Economic Development and Growth in Selected African Countries*, Springer, 2017.

Editor, Edited volume on *Economic Transformation for Poverty Reduction in Africa: A Multidimensional Approach*, Routledge, 2017.

Guest Editor, Special Issue on Economic Development and Growth in East Africa, *Quarterly Review of Economics and Finance (QREF)*, 2016.

Editor, Edited volume on Selected Studies on Poverty and Well-being in Africa, Springer, 2016.

Editor, Edited volume on *Economic Integration, Currency Union and and Sustainable and Inclusive Growth in East Africa*, Springer 2016.

Editor, Book Series, Sustainable Development Goals Series, SDG08, Decent Work and Economic Growth, Since 2024.

Editor, Book Series, Frontiers in South and Southeast Asian Development Research, Springer, since 2023.

Editor, Book Series, *Perspective on Development in Middle East and North Africa (MENA) Region*, Springer, since 2015.

Editor, Book Series, Frontier in African Business Research, Springer, since 2015.

Editor, Edited volume on *Poverty Reduction Policies and Practices in Developing Asia*, Springer, 2015.

Guest Editor, Special Issue on Poverty Reduction Policies and Practices in Developing Asia, *Quarterly Review of Economics and Finance*, Volume 56, Number 1, 2015.

Guest Editor, Special Issue on Poverty Reduction Policies and Practices in Developing Asia, *Journal of Economic Studies*, Volume 42, Number 1, 2015.

Member of Editorial Board, SpringerPlus, Open Access Journal, since 2015-2016.

Guest Editor, Special Issue on Manufacturing Productivity Growth in the Asia Pacific Region, *Global Economic Review*, Volume 36, Number 4, 2007.

Guest Editor, Special Issue on Panel Data Analysis, *Econometric Reviews*, Volume 19, Number 4, 2000.

Guest Editor, Special Issue on Panel Data Analysis, *Econometric Reviews*, Volume 19, Number 3, 2000.

### J.2 Referee for Journals/Publishers

African Development Review (since 2019), American Economist (since 2016), American Journal of Agricultural Economics (since 1998), Annals of Regional Science (since 2006), Annales d Economie et de Statistique (since 1997), Applied Economics (since 1997), Arthaniti-Journal of Economic Theory and Practice (since 2020), Asian Academy of Management Journal (since 2020), Asian Journal of Technology Management (since 2016), Australian and New Zealand Journal of Statistics (since 2001), Australian Economics Papers (since 2004), China and World Economy (since 2019), China Economic Policy Review (since 2014), China Economic Review (since 2015), Comparative Economic Studies (since 2003), Contemporary Economic Policy (since 2014), Economic Reviews (since 1997), Economic Analysis and Policy (since 2020), Economic Change and Restructuring (since 2016), Economic Modelling

(since 2020), Economic Research International (since 2000), Economics of Governance (since 2002), Economics of Innovation and New Technology (since 2006), Economies (since 2019), Elsevier books (since 2013), Empirica (since 2003), Empirical Economics (since 1998), Energies (since 2018), Energy Economics (since 2009), Energy Efficiency (since 2014), Environmental Science and Pollution Research (since 2020), European Journal of Comparative Economics (since 2008), European Journal of Operational Research (since 2002), European Review of Agricultural Economics (since 2004), European Scientific Journal (since 2014), GeoJournal (since 2016), Growth and Change (since 2017), International Economic Journal (since 2004), International Economics and Finance Journal (since 2008), International Economic Review (since 1993), International Journal of Biodiversity Science, Ecosystem Services and Management (since 2015), International Journal of Production Economics (since 2017), International Journal of Transitional Justice (since 2013), International Review of Economics and Business (since 1997), Iran Agricultural Research (since 2000), IZA Journal of Labor Policy (since 2019), Journal of Agricultural Economics (since 2000), Journal of Agricultural Resource Economics (since 2003), Journal of Applied Economics (since 2011), Journal of Banking and Finance (since 2016), Journal of Chinese Economic and Business Studies (since 2013), Journal of Cleaner Production (since 2014), Journal of Development Economics (since 2007), Journal of Development Studies (since 2006), Journal of Econometrics (since 2000), Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization (since 2002), Journal of Economic Inequality (since 2003), Journal of Economic Studies (since 2016), Journal of Family and Economic Issues (since 2020), Journal of Industrial Economics (since 1999), Journal of Institutional and Theoretical Economics (since 2001), Journal of International Development (since 2019), Journal of International Trade & Economic Development (since 2013), Journal of Population Economics (since 2018), Journal of Productivity Analysis (since 1994), Journal of Risk (since 2015), Korean Economic Review (since 2014), National Center of Science and Technology Evaluation, Kazakhstan (since 2012), Oxford Bulletin of Economics and Statistics (since 2004), Oxford Economic Papers (since 1999), Oxford University Press, books (since 2014), Quarterly Review of Economics and Finance (since 2017), Renewable and Sustainable Energy Reviews (since 2018), Research in Applied Economics (since 2009), Research Policy (since 2007), Review of Economics of the Household (since 2020), Review of Income and Wealth (since 2018), Review of World Economics (since 2009), Routledge books (since 2013), Scandinavian Journal of Economics (since 2004), Science and Public Policy (since 2018), Small Business Economics (since 2002), Social Indicators Index (since 2020), Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada (since 2009), Sociology International Journal (since 2019), South African Journal of Economics (since 2017), Springer Nature Business and Economics (since 2021), Springer Nature books (since 2013), SpringerPlus (since 2014), Swedish Agency for Economic and Regional Growth (since 2019), Technological Forecasting and Social Change (since 2001), Transportation Research Part E: Logistics and Transportation Review (since 2019), UKH Journal of Social Science (since 2018), United Nations University Press books (since 2008), and World Development (since 2009).

# J.3 (Co)Organizer of Workshops/Conferences

Second International Virtual Conference on Ukraine, August 22-23, 2025, KTH Royal Institute Jönköping of Technology, Stockholm, Sweden. Co-organized with Lars Hartvigson, Anna Nagourney, Hans Lööf, ....

First International Virtual Conference on Ukraine, August 22-23, 2024, Jönköping International Business School, Sweden. Co-organized with Lars Hartvigson and Olena Nizalova.

International Society for Efficiency and Productivity Analysis (ISEaPA), Second Virtual Africa Conference, December 14-16, 2023. Co-organized with Robin Sickles, Christopher Parmeter, Mekonen Bersisa and Felicity Addo.

EEPSEA Regional Workshop, Circular Economy: Measurement and Implementation in Southeast Asia. Co-organized with Nhan Le and Luong Vinh Quoc Duy, UEH University, HCMC, Vietnam, September 26-27, 2023.

The Fifth World Kurdish Congress WKC-2023, University of Duhok, Kurdistan Region, March 8-10, 2023, Co-organized by WKC and University of Duhok. Cancelled due to earthquake.

The Entrepreneurship and Innovation for Development (EID). 2<sup>nd</sup> Workshop on: bridging societies together for sustainable development in Eastern Africa. Dar Es Salam, Tanzania, February 27-28, 2023.

Sustainable Development - a post-pandemic future, The Fifth International Conference of Eastern Africa Business and Economic Watch (5<sup>th</sup> EABEW-2022), Co-organized by UR/CBE-JU/JIBS, June 16-17, 2022, College of Business and Economics, University of Rwanda, Kigali.

The Entrepreneurship and Innovation for Development (EID) 1st Workshop on Recent Trends in Development, Economics, Finance and Management Research in Eastern Africa, Maputo, Mozambique, April 21-22, 2022.

International Society for Efficiency and Productivity Analysis (ISEaPA), First Virtual Africa Conference, December 16-18, 2021. Co-organized with Robin Sickles, Christopher Parmeter, Selamawit Kebede and Felicity Addo.

International Panel Data Conference (Virtual IPDC-2021), July 1-2, 2021. Co-organized with Vasilis Sarafidis, Marcel Via and Arturas Juodis.

Conference on Inclusive Growth and Sustainable Socio-Economic Transformation, 4<sup>th</sup> EABEW, College of Business and Economics, University of Rwanda, Kigali, June 12-14, 2019, co-organized with Rama Rao, Johnson Rukundo, and Lars Hartvigson.

Conference Asia Pacific Productivity Analysis, Seoul National University, July 4-6, 2018, coorganized.

Conference International Panel Data Conference, Sogang University, Seoul, Korea, June 19-20, 2018, co-organized.

Conference Addis Ababa International Conference on Business and Economics (AAICBE) Addis Ababa, Ethiopia, December 6-8, 2017.

Conference on Perspectives on Economic Development and Policy in Rwanda, 3<sup>rd</sup> EABEW, University of Rwanda, Kigali, Rwanda, June 14-16, 2017, co-organized with Bideri Ishuheri, and Lars Hartvigson.

Workshop on Finance, Innovation and Green Growth, Sogang University, Seoul, Korea, June 1-2, 2017.

Workshop on Urbanization in Asia; Economics and Social Consequences, Sogang University, Seoul, Korea, December 15-16, 2016.

Conference on Recent Trends in Economic Development, Finance and Management Research in Eastern Africa, 2<sup>nd</sup> EABEW, University of Rwanda, Kigali, Rwanda, June 20-22, 2016, coorganized with Rama Rao, Francesco Chirico, Bideri Ishuheri, and Lars Hartvigson.

Conference on Recent Trends in Economic Development, Finance and Management Research in Eastern Africa, 1<sup>st</sup> EABEW, University of Rwanda, Kigali, Rwanda, May 4-6, 2015, coorganized with Rama Rao, Francesco Chirico, Chika Ezeanya, and Lars Hartvigson.

World Kurdish Congress WKC2013, Stockholm, Sweden, October 12-14, 2013, co-organized with Alan Dilani.

Workshop on Poverty Reduction in Asia: Drivers, Best practices and Policy Initiatives, Sogang University, Seoul, South Korea, August 23-24, 2013, co-organized with Esfandiar Maasoumi.

Symposium in Memory of Lennart Hjalmarsson, Gothenburg University, December 7-8, 2012, co-organized with Arne Bigsten, Finn Forsund, Subal C. Kumbhakar and Hans Loof.

World Kurdish Congress WKC2012, Erbil, Kurdistan Region, October 12-15, 2012, coorganized with Alan Dilani.

World Kurdish Congress WKC2011, Rotterdam, The Netherlands, October 7-9, 2011, coorganized with Alan Dilani.

Workshop on Cost-Benefit Analysis of Water Projects, Ministry of Water Resources, Federal Region of Kurdistan, Hawler, February 09-10, 2009.

Workshop on Industrial Technology Policy, TEMEP, Seoul National University, December 12-13, 2008.

Workshop on Theory of Productivity Analysis, TEMEP, Seoul National University, December 13, 2008.

Workshop on Management of Water Resources at Iraqi Kurdistan Region, Hawler, Federal Region of Kurdistan, August 25, 2008, co-organized with Ministry of Water Resources.

International Conference on the Higher Education in Iraq, Hawler, Federal Region of Kurdistan, December 11-13, 2007, Member of the Local Organisation Committee.

Asia Pacific Productivity Conference, Seoul National University, Seoul, Korea, August 17-19, 2006, co-organized with Jeong-Dong Lee.

Workshop on Econometric Analysis of Technology Policy, TEPP, Seoul National University, June 20, 2006.

Workshop on Industrial Technology Policy, TEPP, Seoul National University, June 19, 2006.

Workshop on Econometric Analysis of Industrial Technology Policy, TEPP, Seoul National University, December 16, 2005.

Workshop on Econometric Analysis of Industrial Technology Policy, TEPP, Seoul National University, June 17, 2005.

Workshop on Applied Microeconomics and Applied Microeconometrics, TEPP, Seoul National University, December 21, 2004.

Workshop on Performance Analysis, University of Helsinki, Faculty of Agriculture, September 7, 2004, co-organized with John Sumelius.

Workshop on Utilization of Panel Data in Agriculture, University of Helsinki, Faculty of Agriculture, September 2003, co-organized with John Sumelius.

UNU/WIDER Conference on Inequality, Poverty and Human Well-being, Helsinki, May 30-31, 2003, co-organized with Anthony Shorrocks and Mark McGillivray.

Workshop on Topics in Applied Microeconometrics, The United Nations University, WIDER, March 15, 2003.

Workshop on Topics in Applied Microeconometrics, Stockholm School of Economics, March 12, 2001.

Workshop on Microdata Econometrics, Stockholm School of Economics, October 5, 2000.

Workshop on Microdata Econometrics - Panel Data and Discrete Choice Analysis, Stockholm School of Economics, September 15, 1999.

The Eighth International Conference on Panel Data, Department of Economics, Gothenburg University, June 10-12, 1998, co-organized with Lennart Hjalmarsson.

Workshop on the Econometric Analysis of Panel Data, Department of Economics, Gothenburg University, February 5-6, 1997.

Workshop on the Econometric Analysis of Panel Data, Department of Economics, Gothenburg University, May 14, 1996.

# J.4 Membership of Professional Associations

International Society for Efficiency and Productivity Analysis (ISEAPA), since 2020.

Global Labour Organization (GLO), since 2016.

Economic Research Forum (ERF) since 2014.

Institute for the Study of Labour (IZA) since 2000.

Rural Economic Society of Korea, 2012.

Member of the Higher Economic Council, Kurdistan Regional Government, Federal Region of Kurdistan, Iraq, from July 2007 to August 2008.

Member of Scientific Committee of the International Conference on Panel Data, 1998, 2000, 2002, 2004, 2005-2012.

Member of Scientific Committee of the Service Research Forum, University College of Gävle, Sweden, 1999-2003.

The Swedish Economic Club, 1995-2001.

The Econometric Society, 1992-1998, 2009.

The European Economic Association, 1992-1998, 2009.

# J.5 Consulting

Asian Development Bank (ADB), in relation with Urbanization in Asia: Economics and Social Consequences, September 2016 March 2017.

Swedish Entrepreneurship Forum (SEF), in relation with A Review of the Circular Economy and its Implementation, June-October 2015.

Asian Development Bank (ADB), in relation with Fiscal Policy and Inclusive Growth in Advanced Countries: The Experience and Implications for Asia, January-February 2014.

Asian Development Bank (ADB), in relation with Poverty Reduction in Asia: Drivers, Best Practices and Policy Initiatives, March-December 2013.

Asian Development Bank (ADB), in relation with Poverty in India, September-December 2012.

Korea Energy Economics Institute (KEEI), in relation with analysis of Foreign Direct Investment and its Growth, Performance and Environmental Impacts in Korea, September-December 2011.

Korea Electric Power Corporation (KEPCO), in relation with Analysis of Power Plants' Performance in the Korean Electricity Industry, March-December 2009.

The Ministry of Water Resources, Federal Region of Kurdistan, Iraq, in relation with Management of Water Resources in Kurdistan Region, July-September 2008.

The US Aid, Research Triangle Institute (USAID/RTI), in relation with Evaluation of the Kurdistan Economic Development Assessment Plan (KEDAP), December 2007 to February 2008.

The United Nations University, The World Institute for Development Economics Research, UNU/WIDER, in relation with the Rehabilitation and Reconstruction of Iraq, March-May 2004.

The Swedish Institute, in relation with the Evaluation of the needs of a Higher Education System, August 2002, and Teaching Microeconometrics at Postgraduate level, December 2003.

The National Social Insurance Board (Riksförsäkringsverket), in relation with the Evaluation of Dental Care Reform, December 1999 - February 2000.

The National Social Insurance Board (Riksförsäkringsverket), in relation with an investigation concerning Cost Effectiveness of the Local Social Insurance Offices, March 1999.

The Swedish Agency for Administrative Development (Statskontoret), in relation with Analysis of organization and costs in production of school education, elderly care, day care and health care services by municipalities, August-December 1996.

The National Social Insurance Board (Riksförsäkringsverket), in relation with an investigation concerning Introduction of a new system of sharing pensions between married couples, February-May 1993.

#### K. TEACHING AND SUPERVISION

# **K.1** Teaching Experience

### **Teaching in 2025:**

Development Issues and Business Cycles, University of Economics Ho Chi Minh City, Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam, July-August 2025, MSc Course.

#### **Teaching in 2024:**

Development Issues and Business Cycles, University of Economics Ho Chi Minh City, Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam, July-August 2024, MSc Course.

Macroeconomics II, Jönköping International Business School, Jönköping University, Sweden, February-May 2024, Co-teaching, PhD Course.

### Teaching in 2023:

Development Issues and Business Cycles, University of Economics Ho Chi Minh City, Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam, July-August 2023, MSc Course.

Advanced Macroeconomics and Growth, Jönköping International Business School, Jönköping University, Sweden, November-December 2023, Co-teaching, MSc Course.

Applied Panel Data Econometrics, Jönköping International Business School, Jönköping University, Sweden, September-October 2023, PhD Course.

Macroeconomics II, Jönköping International Business School, Jönköping University, Sweden, February-May 2023, Co-teaching, PhD Course.

### **Teaching in 2022:**

Advanced Macroeconomics and Growth, Jönköping International Business School, Jönköping University, Sweden, November-December 2022, Co-teaching, MSc Course.

Classics in Economics, Jönköping International Business School, Jönköping University, Sweden, September-October 2022, PhD Course.

Applied Economics for Decision Making, Module 5 Environmental Economics, Jönköping International Business School, Jönköping University, Sweden, January-May 2022, Coteaching, MSc Course.

# **Teaching in 2021:**

Intermediate Macroeconomics, Jönköping International Business School, Jönköping University, Sweden, September-October 2021, BSc Course.

Advanced Macroeconomics and Growth, Jönköping International Business School, Jönköping University, Sweden, November-December 2021, Co-teaching, MSc Course.

Macroeconomics II, Jönköping International Business School, Jönköping University, Sweden, February-May 2021, Co-teaching, PhD Course.

Advanced Econometric Analysis, Jönköping International Business School, Jönköping University, Sweden, February-May 2021, Co-teaching, MSc Course.

### Teaching in 2020:

Economics of Cities, Jönköping International Business School, Jönköping University, Sweden, November-December 2020, Co-teaching, Graduate Course.

Advanced Macroeconomics and Growth, Jönköping International Business School, Jönköping University, Sweden, November-December 2020, Co-teaching, MSc Course.

Classics in Economics, Jönköping International Business School, Jönköping University, Sweden, September-October 2020, PhD Course.

Advanced Applied Econometrics, Jönköping International Business School, Jönköping University, Sweden, February-May 2020, PhD Course.

Economics for Sustainable Society, Jönköping International Business School, Jönköping University, Sweden, February 2020, Co-teaching, Undergraduate course.

### **Teaching in 2019:**

Economies for sustainable societies, Current debates: circular economy and its implementations, Jönköping International Business School, Jönköping University, Sweden, November 2019, Co-teaching, Undergraduate Course.

Environmental Economics, Department of Economics, Sogang University, March-June, 2019, Undergraduate Course.

Environmental Economics, Department of Economics, Sogang University, March-June 2019, Graduate Course.

Advanced Econometrics, Jönköping International Business School, Jönköping University, Sweden, January-June 2019, PhD Course.

### **Teaching in 2018:**

Principles of Microeconomics, Department of Economics, Sogang University, September-December 2018, Undergraduate Course.

Environmental Economics, Department of Economics, Sogang University, September-December 2018, Undergraduate Course.

Principles of Microeconomics, Department of Economics, Sogang University, March-June 2018, Undergraduate Course.

Environmental Economics, Department of Economics, Sogang University, March-June 2018, Graduate Course.

#### **Teaching in 2017:**

Advanced Microeconomics, College of Business and Economics, Rwanda University, December 2016-January 2017, Graduate Course.

International Trade Theory, Jönköping International Business School, Jönköping University, Sweden, January-March 2017, Undergraduate Course.

Advanced Econometrics, Jönköping International Business School, Jönköping University, Sweden, March-June 2017, PhD Course.

Macroeconomics, Department of Economics, Sogang University, September-December 2017, Undergraduate Course.

Principles of Microeconomics, Department of Economics, Sogang University, September-December 2017, Undergraduate Course.

Macroeconomics, Department of Economics, Sogang University, March-June 2017, Undergraduate Course.

Environmental Economics, Department of Economics, Sogang University, March-June 2017, Graduate Course.

Development Economics II, Addis Ababa University, Addis Ababa, Ethiopia, March-June 2017, PhD Course.

### **Teaching in 2016:**

Macroeconomics, Department of Economics, Sogang University, September-December 2016, Undergraduate Course.

Principles of Microeconomics, Department of Economics, Sogang University, September-December 2016, Undergraduate Course.

Environmental Economics, Department of Economics, Sogang University, March-June 2016, Graduate Course.

Macroeconomics, Department of Economics, Sogang University, March-June 2016, Undergraduate Course.

Advanced Econometrics, Jönköping International Business School, Jönköping University, Sweden, March-June 2016, PhD Course.

International Trade Theory, Jönköping International Business School, Jönköping University, Sweden, January-March 2016, Undergraduate Course.

#### **Teaching in 2015:**

Advanced Microeconomics, College of Business and Economics, Rwanda University, November-December 2015, Graduate Course.

Green Economics, Department of Industrial Economics, Royal Institute of Technology, September-October 2015, Graduate Course.

Advanced Industrial Organization, Jönköping International Business School, Jönköping University, Sweden, September-October 2015, Undergraduate Course.

Advanced Econometrics, Jönköping International Business School, Jönköping University, Sweden, March-May 2015, PhD Course.

International Trade Theory, Jönköping International Business School, Jönköping University, Sweden, January-March 2015, Undergraduate Course.

### **Teaching in 2014:**

Development Economics I and II, Addis Ababa University, Addis Ababa, Ethiopia, December 2014, Graduate Course.

Advanced Industrial Organization, Jönköping International Business School, Jönköping University, Sweden, September-October 2014, Undergraduate Course.

Energy Economics and Policy, International Energy Policy Program, College of Engineering, Seoul National University, May-June 2014, Graduate Course.

#### **Teaching in 2013:**

Green Economics, Department of Economics, Sogang University, September-December 2013, Graduate Course.

Principles of Microeconomics, Department of Economics, Sogang University, September-December 2013, Undergraduate Course.

Technological Economics ECO3003-01, Department of Economics, Sogang University, March-June 2013, Undergraduate Course.

Macroeconomics ECO2007-08, Department of Economics, Sogang University, March-June 2013, Undergraduate Course.

#### **Teaching in 2012:**

Advanced Macroeconomics, College of Life Sciences, Korea University, September-December 2012, Postgraduate Course.

Technological Economics, College of Life Sciences, Korea University, September-December 2012, Undergraduate Course.

Surveys of Macroeconomics, College of Life Sciences, Korea University, September-December 2012, Undergraduate Course.

Green Economics, College of Life Sciences, Korea University, March-June 2012, Postgraduate Course.

Principles of Microeconomics, College of Life Sciences, Korea University, March-June 2012, Undergraduate Course.

#### **Teaching in 2011:**

Application of Panel Data Econometrics to Industrial Development, College of Life Sciences, Korea University, September-December 2011, Postgraduate Course.

Surveys of Macroeconomics, College of Life Sciences, Korea University, September-December 2011, Undergraduate Course.

Technological Economics, College of Life Sciences, Korea University, September-December 2011, Undergraduate Course.

Advanced Macroeconomics, College of Life Sciences, Korea University, March-June 2011, Postgraduate Course.

Principles of Microeconomics, College of Life Sciences, Korea University, March-June 2011, Undergraduate Course.

Principles of National Development, Soran University, January 2011, and National University of Mongolia, February 2011, Postgraduate Intensive Course.

### **Teaching in 2010:**

Application of Panel Data Econometrics to Industrial Development, College of Life Sciences, Korea University, September-December 2010, Postgraduate Course.

Surveys of Macroeconomics, College of Life Sciences, Korea University, September-December 2010, Undergraduate Course.

Technological Economics, College of Life Sciences, Korea University, September-December 2010, Undergraduate Course.

Advanced Macroeconomics, College of Life Sciences, Korea University, March-June 2010, Postgraduate Course.

Principles of Microeconomics, College of Life Sciences, Korea University, March-June 2010, Undergraduate Course.

Intermediate Econometrics, TEMEP, College of Engineering, Seoul National University, March-June 2010, Postgraduate Course.

Methodologies for Technology Management, Economics and Policy, TEMEP, College of Engineering, Seoul National University, March-June 2010, Postgraduate Course.

#### Teaching in 2009:

Theory of Productivity and Applications, TEMEP, College of Engineering, Seoul National University, Postgraduate Course, Fall 2009.

Industrial Technology Policy, TEMEP, College of Engineering, Seoul National University, Postgraduate Course, Fall 2009.

Introductory Econometrics, TEMEP, College of Engineering, Seoul National University, May-June 2009, Postgraduate Course.

Principles of National Development, TEMEP, College of Engineering, Seoul National University, Postgraduate Course, Spring 2009.

Methodologies for Technology Management, Economics and Policy, TEMEP, College of Engineering, Seoul National University, Postgraduate Course, Spring 2009.

Cost-Benefit Analysis of Public Projects, Ministry of Water Resources, Federal Region of Kurdistan, Hawler, January-February 2009.

#### **Teaching in 2008:**

Theory of Productivity and Applications, TEMEP, College of Engineering, Seoul National University, Postgraduate Course.

Industrial Technology Policy, TEMEP, College of Engineering, Seoul National University, Postgraduate Course.

Microeconomics, University of Kurdistan Hawler, February to June 2008, Undergraduate Course.

Introductory Econometrics, University of Kurdistan Hawler, February to June 2008, Postgraduate Course.

Intermediate Econometrics, University of Kurdistan Hawler, February to June 2008, Postgraduate Course.

### Teaching in 2007:

Microeconomics, University of Kurdistan Hawler, October 2007 to February 2008, Undergraduate Course.

Microeconomics, University of Kurdistan Hawler, October 2007 to February 2008, Postgraduate Course.

Lectures on Frontier Production Function Analysis and Panel Data at the Center for Excellence for Science and Innovation Studies (CESIS), Royal Institute of Technology (KTH), Stockholm, Sweden, October 24-25, 2007.

Introductory Econometrics, University of Kurdistan Hawler, April-June 2007, Postgraduate Course.

Microeconomics, University of Kurdistan Hawler, April-June 2007, Postgraduate Course.

# **Teaching in 2006:**

Advanced Efficiency and Productivity Analysis: With Applications to the Korean Economy, Techno-Economics and Policy Program, Seoul National University, March-June 2006, Postgraduate Course given jointly with Jeong-Dong Lee.

Industrial Technology Policy, Techno-Economics and Policy Program, Seoul National University, March-June 2006, Postgraduate Course.

Econometric Analysis of Technology Policy, Techno-Economics and Policy Program, Seoul National University, March-June 2006, Postgraduate Course.

Lectures on Dynamics of Capital Structure and Evaluation of Credit Guarantees at the Center for Excellence for Science and Innovation Studies (CESIS), Royal Institute of Technology (KTH), Stockholm, Sweden, January 30, 2006.

### **Teaching in 2005:**

Technology Policy, Techno-Economics and Policy Program, Seoul National University, September-December 2005, Postgraduate Course.

Methods in Science and Technology, Techno-Economics and Policy Program, Seoul National University, September-December 2005, Postgraduate Course.

Topics in Applied Economics, an elective part of the postgraduate programs in Economics and Finance offered at Department of Economics and Department of Quantitative Economics, Dongbei University of Finance and Economics, Dalian, China.

Industrial Technology Policy, Techno-Economics and Policy Program, Seoul National University, March-June 2005, Postgraduate Course.

Econometric Analysis of Technology Policy, Techno-Economics and Policy Program, Seoul National University, March-June 2005, Postgraduate Course.

Globalization, Growth, Inequality and Poverty, an elective part of the three MA programs: Globalization, Governance, and Development Evaluation, offered as holder of 2005 Special Chair in Economics at Institute for Development Policy and Management (UA-IDPM), University of Antwerp.

### **Teaching in 2004:**

Applied Microeconomics, Techno-Economics and Policy Program, Seoul National University, September-December 2004, Advanced postgraduate course.

Advanced Applied Microeconometrics, Techno-Economics and Policy Program, Seoul National University, September-December 2004, Advanced postgraduate course.

Performance Analysis: A Parametric Approach with Applications to Agriculture, Manufacturing and Services, Helsinki University, Faculty of Forestry and Agriculture, June 2004, Advanced postgraduate course given jointly with Professor Subal Kumbhakar, University of Binghamton.

#### **Teaching in 1994-2003:**

Utilization of Panel Data in Agriculture, Helsinki University, Faculty of Forestry and Agriculture, June 2003, Advanced postgraduate course given jointly with Professor Cheng Hsiao, University of Southern California.

Topics in Applied Microeconometrics, Stockholm School of Economics (2000), Helsinki University (2002) and Dohuk University (2002), Advanced postgraduate course.

Microdata Econometrics, Stockholm School of Economics (1999 and 2000), Advanced postgraduate course.

Productivity Analysis, Gothenburg University (1994) and Stockholm School of Economics (1999), Postgraduate course.

Econometric Analysis of Panel Data, Gothenburg University (1996, 1997 and 1998), and Stockholm School of Economics (2000 and 2001), Advanced postgraduate course.

Econometric Analysis, Jönköping University (1996), Postgraduate course.

Basic Statistics, Jönköping University (1995), Undergraduate course.

# K.2 Supervision and Evaluation of M.Sc. and Ph.D. Thesis

#### Ph.D. Thesis:

External Examiner of PhD Thesis in Development Economics by Andrija Ganguly, Exploring The Dimensions and Determinants of India's Commodity Trade in the Post-Liberalisation Period. Department of Humanities and Social Sciences, Indian Institute of Technology Kharagpur, India, September 2025.

External Examiner of PhD Thesis in Development Economics by Sahil Verma, Inequality in India: Dimensions and Determinants. Department of Humanities and Social Sciences, Indian Institute of Technology Kharagpur, India, August 2025.

External Advisor of PhD Thesis in Health Economics by Ramin Armani, Modelling the Health Economics Uncertainty Index and Examining its Interaction with Democracy in Itan's Economics Growth, Tarbiat Modares University, Tehran, Iran.

Advisor of PhD Thesis in Economics by Lyubov Tsoy, Collection of Essays on Capital Structure Dynamics, Official Development Assistant, Foreign Direct Investment and Environment, Department of Economics, Sogang University, Korea.

Advisor of PhD Thesis in (Development) Economics by Amare Fentie Tareke, Essays on Energy Transition, its Drivers and Welfare Implications, Jönköping International Business School, Terminated in January 2025 due to retirement.

External Examiner of PhD Thesis in Development Economics by Kashif Nesar Rather, Understanding Energy Transition and its Implications for Sustainable Development: Global Evidence. Department of Humanities and Social Sciences, Indian Institute of Technology Kharagpur, India, August 2024.

Advisor of PhD Thesis in Political Economy by Ribaz Chato Biro, the political challenges of the economic development in rentier states: The case of the Iraqi Kurdistan after 2003, Soran University, Kurdistan Region of Iraq, Defended June 2023.

Member of the Evaluation Committee of the Ph.D. Thesis in Technology Management by Hachalu Atomssa Daba, Sustainable Transformations: Digital Enablers and Local Innovation in Developing Economies. Technology Management, Economics, and Policy Program, Seoul National University, Seoul, South Korea, December 5, 2023.

Member of the Evaluation Committee of the Ph.D. Thesis in Development Economics by Bahre Kibro, Essays on the Impact of Households on Natural Resource Security and Climate Change, Swedish Agricultural University, September 21, 2023.

External Examiner of PhD Thesis in Industrial Economics by Ingrid Viklund-Ros, Essays on Knowledge Spillovers, Innovation and Directed Technical Change, Department of Industrial Economics, Royal Institute of Technology, Stockholm, Sweden, May 2023.

External Examiner of PhD Thesis in Development Economics by Martha Kibru, Essays on Rural Labor Market: Evidence from Ethiopia, CBE Department of Economics, Addis Ababa University, Ethiopia, May 2023.

External Examiner of PhD Thesis in Development Economics by Mazid Nasir Keraga, Essays on Innovations, Firm Productivity, and Employment in the Context of Africa, CBE Department of Economics, Addis Ababa University, Ethiopia, March 2023.

External Examiner of PhD Thesis in Development Economics by Shreya Pal, An Empirical Investigation of Economic Globalization and Financial Development Nexus in Developing Regions, Department of Humanities and Social Sciences, Indian Institute of Technology Kharagpur, India, February 2023.

External Examiner of PhD Thesis in Development Economics by Seyed Abbas Seyed Salehi, Modelling of Dynamics in Productivity Measurement, Swinburne University, Australia, October 2022.

External Examiner of PhD Thesis in Development Economics by Muhammed Ashiq V., An Empirical Investigation of Environmental Degradation in India, Department of Humanities and Social Sciences, Indian Institute of Technology Kharagpur, India, February 2022.

External Examiner of PhD Thesis in Economics by Time Ginker, Estimation and Inference in Stochastic Unit Root Models, Applied Finance and Macroeconomics, Bar-Ilan University, Israel, November 2021.

External Examiner of PhD Thesis in Agricultural Economics by Tsegaye Ginho Gatiso, Essays on Heterogeneity and Uncertainty in Climate Policy and Development, Swedish Agricultural University, Department of Economics, May 2021.

Deputy Advisor of PhD Thesis in Development Economics by Goran Mustafa Muhamad, Private Sector Development in Kurdistan Region of Iraq: Lessons Learnt from the Role of the Government in Emerging Economies, University of Kurdistan at Hewler, Erbil, Kurdistan Region of Iraq, Defended on July 9, 2020.

Advisor of PhD Thesis in Development Economics by Tsegay Kaleab, Efficiency analysis of Ethiopian Airports, Addis Ababa University and Jönköping International Business School, Defended on June 22, 2020.

Deputy Advisor of PhD Thesis in Development Economics by Kokeb Georgis, International Migration, Remittances and Labor Market in Ethiopia, Addis Ababa University and Jönköping International Business School, Defended on June 22, 2020.

Advisor of PhD Thesis in Development Economics by Guta Legesse, Determinants of Firms Growth and Performance in Ethiopia, Addis Ababa University and Jönköping International Business School, Defended on June 16, 2020.

Advisor of PhD Thesis in Development Economics by Tsegaye Mulugeta, Impacts of Improved Agricultural Technology Adoption on Multidimensional Poverty in Rural Ethiopia, Addis Ababa University and Jönköping International Business School, Defended on June 16, 2020.

Advisor of PhD Thesis in Development Economics by Yonatan Desalegn, Household Welfare and Farm and Non-Farm Incomes in Rural Ethiopia, Addis Ababa University and Jönköping International Business School, Defended on June 15, 2020.

Advisor of PhD Thesis in Development Economics by Selamawit Gebreegziabher, Essays on the Path to Industrialization in Ethiopia, Addis Ababa University and Jönköping International Business School, Defended on May 22, 2020.

Deputy Advisor of PhD Thesis in Development Economics by Yvonne Umulisa, Effects of Common Currency on Intra-Regional Trade, University of Rwanda and Jönköping International Business School, Defended on April 29, 2020.

Advisor of PhD Thesis in Development Economics by Getu Tigre, Multidimensional Poverty and Its Dynamics in Ethiopia, Addis Ababa University and Jönköping International Business School, Defended on December 12, 2019.

Advisor of PhD Thesis in Development Economics by Yemane Michael, The Impact of VAT on Poverty Reduction, Income Inequality and Economic Welfare in Ethiopia, Addis Ababa University and Jönköping International Business School, Defended on May 6, 2019.

External Examiner of the Ph.D. thesis by Pontus Mattsson, Essays on Efficiency, Productivity, and Impacts of Policy, Linnaeus University, Växjö, Sweden, October 25, 2018.

Member of the Evaluation Committee of the Ph.D. Thesis in Economics by Haeyeon Yoon, Essays on Firm Growth and Resource Allocation in International Trade, Sogang University, Defended on October 12, 2018.

Member of the Evaluation Committee of the Ph.D. Thesis in Technology Management by Omer Gabreel, Information and Communication Technology for Development and Bridging the Digital Divide: A Holistic Stepwise Development Approach to Developing Knowledge-based economies and artefact, Seoul National University, Defended on July 2, 2018.

Member of the Evaluation Committee of the Ph.D. Thesis in Technology Management by Woolrim Lee, Social-Network-Analysis-Based Models for Innovation Research, Seoul National University, Defended on June 12, 2018.

External Examiner of the Ph.D. thesis by Aimable Nsabimana, Essays on Household Demand and Agricultural Policy Implications in Developing Countries, Swedish University of Agricultural Sciences, Uppsala, Sweden, Defended on May 27, 2018.

Advisor of PhD Thesis in Development Economics by Oumer Berisso, Impact of Climate Variation on Cereal Crops Productivity, Efficiency, Food Security in Ethiopia, Addis Ababa University and Jönköping International Business School, Defended in February 2018.

Advisor of PhD Thesis in Development Economics by Mekonnen Bersisa, Essays on Energy Sector of Ethiopia, Addis Ababa University and Jönköping International Business School, Defended in October 2017.

Advisor of PhD Thesis in Development Economics by Atnafu Gebremeskel, the relationship between bank loan and income distribution in agent-based modelling, Addis Ababa University and Jönköping International Business School, Defended on April 2017.

Discussant of Pardis Nabavi PhD thesis Essays on Firms Innovation, Knowledge Acquisition and Productivity, Royal Institute of Technology, Stockholm, Pre-defence seminar, December 19, 2014.

External Examiner of the Ph.D. Candidate Sandip Sarkar Complete and partial ordering approaches in the context of poverty ordering and on the impact of growth and inequality on poverty: A study on India, Indian Statistical Institute, Kalkata, India, March 2015.

Member of the Evaluation Committee of the Ph.D. Thesis in Economics by Kristofer Månsson, Essays on Nonlinearities and Time Scales in Macroeconomics and Finance, Jönköping International Business School, Defended in April 2014.

Member of the Evaluation Committee of the Ph.D. Thesis in Engineering by Shahrouz Abolhosseini, The Impact of Renewable Energy Development on Carbon Emission Reduction, Seoul National University, Defended in December 2013.

Member of the Evaluation Committee of the Ph.D. Thesis in Engineering by Netsanet Haile, Evaluation of Value Creation in IT Service Platforms: Analysis based on Simulation and Structural Equation Modelling, Seoul National University, Defended in December 2013.

Advisor of Ph.D. Thesis in Economics by Nabaz Khayyat, Exploring Demand for Energy in South Korean Industries, Swiss Management Center University, Switzerland, Defended in October 9, 2013.

Discussant of Kristofer Månsson PhD thesis Essays on Nonlinearities and Time Scales in Macroeconomics and Finance, Jönköping International Business School, Jönköping, Sweden, Pre-defence seminar, September 17, 2013.

External Examiner of the Ph.D. Candidate Behrouz Arabi Modeling Eco-Efficiency Changes with Heterogeneous Firms: An Application in Power Plants, University of Malaya, Malaysia, April 2013.

Discussant of Daniel Halvarsson PhD thesis Firm Dynamics: The Size and Growth Distribution of firms, Royal Institute of Technology, Stockholm, Sweden, Pre-defence seminar, January 26, 2012.

Advisor of Ph.D. Thesis in Economics by Radoslaw Okulski, Time Series Analysis of Airlines Industry and IT Implementation, Seoul National University, Defended in July 2010.

Advisor of Ph.D. Thesis in Economics by Borg Seng Essays on The Effects of Development Infrastructure on Productivity Growth, Defended in June 2010.

Advisor of Ph.D. Thesis in Economics by Firas H. Al-Hammadany, Essays on the Determinants of Internet Use and it's Diffusion in Iraq: Empirical Implications for Policy Making, Seoul National University, Defended on May 2010.

Chair and Member of the Evaluation Committee of the Ph.D. Thesis in Economics by Nguyen Viet Long, Study on Consumer Preference for Internet Service in Rural Area of Vietnam, Seoul National University, Defended in December 2009.

Advisor of Ph.D. Thesis in Economics by Nam Tran-Quey, Evaluation of Wage Inequality, Firm Performance and Industrial Technology Policy in Vietnam, Seoul National University, Defended in December 2009.

Advisor of the Ph.D. Thesis in Economics by Flavio Lenz-Cesar, Determinants and Policy Simulation of Firms cooperation in Innovation, Seoul National University, Defended in June 2009.

Chair and Member of the Evaluation Committee of the Ph.D. Thesis in Economics by Dukrok Suh, Research on Software Intellectual Property Protection and its Effect on Productivity of Software Industry, Seoul National University, Defended in June 2009.

Chair and Member of the Evaluation Committee of the Ph.D. Thesis in Economics by Ashraf Bany, Essays on Grid e-Infrastructures Economics and Business Models, Seoul National University, Defended in June 2009.

Member of the Evaluation Committee of the Ph.D. Thesis in Economics by Minkyu Lee, The Diffusion of Multiple Technologies: Application to Telecommunication, Broadcasting, and Internet Services, Seoul National University, Defended in January 2009.

Member of the Evaluation Committee of the Ph.D. Thesis in Engineering by Aung-Kyaw Oh, A Buyer-Centric Study on the Critical Success Factors in Public Procurement: a Case-study on E-government Implementation in Myanmar, Seoul National University, Defended in January 2009.

Member of the Evaluation Committee of the Ph.D. Thesis in Economics by Jae-Young Choi, Demand Forecasting for New Product using Ex-ante Simulations and Market Segmentation, Seoul National University, Defended in January 2009.

Member of the Evaluation Committee of the Ph.D. Thesis in Economics by Jeong-Sook Han, Industrial Dynamics in Perspectives of Technological Regime, Industry Life Cycle and Resource-Based View: Micro-evidence from Korean Manufacturing, Seoul National University, Defended in January 2009.

External Examiner of the Ph.D. Candidate Jorah Ramlan, Information and Communications Technology: a Study of its Impact on Economic Growth in Malaysia, Multimedia University, Malaysia, Defended in July 2008.

Advisor of one chapter of the Ph.D. Candidate Laura Arranz-Aperte thesis, Determinants of Profit Sharing in the Finnish Corporate Sector, Swedish School of Economics, Helsinki, Finland, Defended in 2008.

Advisor of one chapter of the Ph.D. Candidate Timo Sipiläinen thesis, Components of Productivity Growth in Finnish Agriculture, Helsinki University, Helsinki, Finland, Defended in April 2008.

Advisor of two chapters of the Ph.D. Candidate Dany Aoun, Research on the Financial Choices of ICT Companies: Evidence from NASDAQ, Defended on Spring 2007.

Advisor of one chapter of Ph.D. Candidate Adnan Al-Mutawkkil, ICT and its Role as Infrastructure for Economic Development in the Middle East, Defended on Spring 2007.

Advisor of two chapters of the Ph.D. Candidate Ossi Lindström thesis, Ex Ante Discrimination of Capital Structure Theories, and Interacting Demand and Supply Conditions in European Banking, Helsinki School of Economics, Helsinki, Finland, Defended on Spring 2007.

Advisor of one chapter of the Ph.D. Candidate Adane Tuffa Debela thesis, An Evaluation of the Impacts of Economic Reform on Performance of Agriculture in Ethiopia, Agricultural University of Norway, Ås, Norway, Defended on Spring 2007.

External Examiner of the Ph.D. Candidate Yaovarate Chaovanapoophol, The Impact of Financial Services on the Performance of Rice Farmers in the Upper North of Thailand, University of New England, Australia, Defended on May 2006.

Advisor of one chapter of the Ph.D. Candidate Ali Saggay thesis, Effects of Trade Liberalization on Domestic Price: Some Evidence from Tunisian Manufacturing, Laboratoire d'Economie et de Gestion Industrielle (LEGI), Ecole polytechnique de Tunisie, La Marsa, Tunisie, Defencded on Fall 2006.

Advisor of two chapters of the Ph.D. Candidate Amit Kumar Bhandari thesis, Labour Use and its Adjustment in Indian Manufacturing, and Measurement of Globalization and its Variations among Countries, Regions and over Time, University of Kalyani, West Bengal, India, Defended on Spring 2007.

Advisor of one chapter of the Ph.D. Candidate Jaan Masso thesis, Optimality and Overuse of Labour in Estonian Manufacturing Enterprises, University of Tartu, Tartu, Estonia, Defended in November 2005.

Advisor of one chapter of the Ph.D. Candidate Roghieh Gholami thesis, The Causal Relationship between Information and Communication Technology and Foreign Direct Investment, National University of Singapore, Singapore, Defended on Fall 2005.

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