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M.A., Economics, Rutgers University, 1995

M.A., Economics, Inha University, Incheon, Korea, 1991, "A Study of the Labor Movement in Korea in the 1980s," Supervisor: Jin-Ho Yoon

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## **PUBLICATIONS:**

### Journal Articles:

- P-1. Returns to Returning (with Catherine Y. Co and Ira N. Gang), *Journal of Population Economics* (2000), 13(1), 57-79
- P-2. The Gender Wage Gap and Discrimination, East Germany 1990-1997 (with Ira N. Gang), *Vierteljahrshefte zur Wirtschaftsforschung (Quarterly Journal of Economic Research)* (2001), 70(1), 123-127
- P-3. Decomposing Male Inequality Change in East Germany During Transition (with Ira N. Gang), *Schmollers Jahrbuch (Journal of Applied Social Science Studies)* (2003), 123(1), 43-54
- P-4. Gender Differences in German Upward Income Mobility (with Ira N. Gang and John Landon-Lane), *Schmollers Jahrbuch (Journal of Applied Social Science Studies)* (2003), 123(1), 3-14
- P-5. A Bayesian Approach to Decomposing Wage Differentials (with Stanislav I. Radchenko), *Economics Letters* (2003), 78(3), 431-436
- P-6. Decomposing Differences in the First Moment, *Economics Letters* (2004), 82(2), 273-278
- P-7. Self-Employment and Wage Earnings in Hungary during Transition (with Catherine Y. Co and Ira N. Gang), *Review of Development Economics* (2005), 9(2), 150-165
- P-8. A Simple Solution to the Identification Problem in Detailed Wage Decomposition, *Economic Inquiry* (2005), 43(4), 766-772, with Erratum, *Economic Inquiry*, 44(1), 198

- P-9. Hypothesis Tests when Decomposing Differences in the First Moment, *Journal of Economic and Social Measurement* (2005), 30(4), 295-304
- P-10. Earnings Inequality in USA, 1969-1999: Comparing Inequality Using Earnings Equations, *Review of Income and Wealth* (2006), 52(1), 127-144
- P-11. A Note on Poverty in Kosovo (with Sumon K. Bhaumik and Ira N. Gang), *Journal of International Development* (2006), 18(8), 1177-1187
- P-12. Ethnic Conflict and Economic Disparity: Serbians and Albanians in Kosovo (with Sumon K. Bhaumik and Ira N. Gang), *Journal of Comparative Economics* (2006), 34(4), 754-773
- P-13. Inter-State Dynamics of Invention Activities, 1930-2000 (with Catherine Y. Co and John Landon-Lane), *Journal of Applied Econometrics* (2006), 21(8), 1111-1134
- P-14. An Extension of the Oaxaca Decomposition using Generalized Residuals, *Journal of Economic and Social Measurement* (2007), 32(1), 15-22
- P-15. Immigration Amnesty and Immigrant's Earnings (with Ira N. Gang), *Research in Labor Economics* (2008), 27, *Immigration: Trends, Consequences and Prospects for the United States*, edited by Barry R. Chiswick, Elsevier: Oxford UK, 273-309
- P-16. Poverty in Rural India: Caste and Tribe (with Ira N. Gang and Kunal Sen), *Review of Income and Wealth* (2008), 54(1), 50-70
- P-17. Identification Problem and Detailed Oaxaca Decomposition: A General Solution and Inference, *Journal of Economic and Social Measurement* (2008), 33(1), 27-38
- P-18. Wage Differentials, Discrimination and Inequality: A Cautionary Note on the Juhn, Murphy and Pierce Decomposition Method, *Scottish Journal of Political Economy* (2009) 56(1), 114-122
- P-19. The In-hospital Mortality Rates of Slaves and Freemen: Evidence from Touro Infirmary, New Orleans, Louisiana, 1855-1860 (with Jonathan Pritchett), *Explorations in Economic History* (forthcoming)
- P-20. Rationality as a Barrier to Peace: Micro-Evidence from Kosovo (with Sumon K. Bhaumik and Ira N. Gang), *Comparative Economic Studies* (forthcoming)
- P-21. Measuring Income Assimilation of Migrants to Germany (with John Landon-Lane and Ira N. Gang), *Schmollers Jahrbuch (Journal of Applied Social Science Studies)* (forthcoming)
- P-22. Multivariate Decomposition for Hazard Rate Models (with Daniel A. Powers), *Sociological Methodology* (2009, forthcoming) 39(1)

## Miscellaneous

- M-1. Blinder-Oaxaca Decomposition Technique, *International Encyclopedia of the Social Sciences*, Ed. William A. Darity, Jr.. Vol. 1. 2nd ed., Detroit: Macmillan Reference USA, 2008. p332-334.
- M-2. Gender and Ethnicity in Post-Conflict Kosovo (with Sumon K. Bhaumik and Ira N. Gang), a chapter in *Fragile States and Fragile Groups in the Global Economy: How to Tackle Economic and Social Vulnerability* (forthcoming)

## **WORKING PAPERS:**

### Under Review

- R-1. Full- and Part-Time Wage Differentials and Female Labor Supply: Discontinuous Budget Constraint and Endogenous Wages
- R-2. Earnings Inequality in Late Nineteenth Century America and Britain
- R-3. Changes in Korean Wage Inequality 1980 - 2005 (with Byung-Goo Kang)
- R-4. Immigration and Unemployment in the European Community: From the Eyes of Natives (with Ira N. Gang and Francisco Rivera-Batiz)
- R-5. Economic Strain, Ethnic Concentration and Attitudes Towards Foreigners in the European Union (with Ira N. Gang and Francisco Rivera-Batiz)
- R-6. Wage Growth and Inequality Change During Rapid Economic Transition (with Ira N. Gang and Robert C. Stuart)
- R-7. Living Standard Differences between Backward Classes and Other Social Groups in India (with Ira N. Gang and Kunal Sen)
- R-8. A Note on Decomposing Differences in Poverty Incidence (with Sumon K. Bhaumik and Ira N. Gang)
- R-9. Alternative Estimators for the Interindustry Gender Wage Gap: A Normalized Equation Approach (with Eric S. Lin)
- R-10. Is Glass Ceiling Cracking?: A Simple Test (with Ting Hu)
- R-11. A Safety Net for Slaves? Public hospital care for slaves in New Orleans, 1855-1860 (with Jonathan Pritchett)

## Circulating

- C-1. Decomposition Analysis for a Binary Choice Model
- C-2. Impact of Growth and Redistribution on Poverty Incidence: Oaxaca-type Decomposition
- C-3. Glass Ceiling and Gender Upward Income Mobility: A Cross-National Perspective (with Ira N. Gang and John Landon-Lane)
- C-4. Good versus Bad Mobility: A Note on Directional Mobility Measures (with Ira N. Gang and John Landon-Lane)
- C-5. The Gender Wage Gap During Rapid Economic Transition (with Ira N. Gang)
- C-6. Managerial Valuations of Applicant Credentials and Personal Traits in Hiring Decisions (with Catherine Y. Co, James R. Jones and James Harter)
- C-7. A Study of the Effect of Employment Flexibility on Firm Performance in the U.K. and Korea (with Si-Kyoon Lee and Hyo-Yong Sung)

## **REFEREEING:**

Economic Inquiry, Economic Systems, Economics Letters, Journal of Applied Economics (Argentina), Journal of Economic and Social Measurement, Journal of Economic Inequality, Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies, Journal of Human Capital, Journal of Population Economics, Journal of South Asian Development, Labour Economics, National Tax Journal, Research in Labor Economics, Review of Development Economics, Review of Economics of the Household, Review of Income and Wealth, Scottish Journal of Political Economy, Social Problems, Sociological Methods and Research, Southern Economic Journal

## **CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS:**

- 2000/07 4th International Conference of German Socio-Economic Panel Users, Berlin, Germany; The Gender Wage Gap during Rapid Economic Transition (presented by a coauthor)
- 2001/01 Cliometric Society, ASSA, New Orleans, LA; Earnings Inequality in Late Nineteenth Century America and Britain
- 2001/02 Eastern Economic Association, New York, NY; Full- and Part-Time Wage Differentials and Female Labor Supply: Discontinuous Budget Constraint and Endogenous Wages

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- 2001/03 Midwest Economics Association, Cleveland, OH; Full- and Part-Time Wage Differentials and Female Labor Supply: Discontinuous Budget Constraint and Endogenous Wages
- 2001/11 Southern Economic Association, Tampa, FL; Comparing Inequalities Using Earnings Equations
- 2003/03 Midwest Economic Association, St. Louis, MO; Poverty in Rural India: Caste and Tribe
- 2003/05 WIDER International Conference on Inequality, Poverty and Human Well-Being, Helsinki; Changes in Korean Wage Inequality 1980-2000
- 2004/05 75 Years of Development Research, Cornell University, Ithaca, NY; Ethnic Conflict and Economic Disparity: Serbians and Albanians in Kosovo
- 2004/06 WIDER International Conference on Making Peace Work, Helsinki, Finland; Ethnic Conflict and Economic Disparity: Serbians and Albanians in Kosovo (presented by a coauthor)
- 2004/11 Southern Economics Association, New Orleans, LA; Inter-State Dynamics of Invention Activities, 1930-2000 (presented by a coauthor)
- 2005/01 American Economic Association, ASSA, Philadelphia, PA; Inter-State Dynamics of Invention Activities, 1930-2000 (presented by a coauthor)
- 2005/01 American Economic Association, ASSA, Philadelphia, PA; Effects of Information Technology on Labor Supply and Gender Wage Differentials (poster session)
- 2005/06 Society of Labor Economists, San Francisco, CA; Normalized Equation and Decomposition Analysis: Computation and Inference
- 2006/05 Society of Labor Economists, Boston, MA; From Opt-In to Opt-Out?: The Labor Supply of Young Women in the U.S., 1960-2000
- 2006/09 Northeast Universities Development Consortium (NEUDC) Conference, Cornell University; Wage Growth and Inequality Change During Rapid Economic Transition
- 2007/02 Eastern Economic Association, New York; Wage Growth and Inequality Change During Rapid Economic Transition
- 2007/10 International Conference for Panel Data Analysis: Employment and Quality of Life, Seoul, Korea; A Study of the Effect of Employment Flexibility on Firm Performance in the U.K. and Korea

- 2007/12 Measuring Discriminations, Paris, France; Wage Differentials, Discrimination and Inequality: A Cautionary Note on the Juhn, Murphy and Pierce Decomposition Method
- 2007/12 Measuring Discriminations, Paris, France; Poverty in Rural India: Caste and Tribe
- 2008/04 Population Association of America, New Orleans, LA; Is the Glass Ceiling Cracking?: A Simple Test (poster session)
- 2008/07 8th International German Socio-Economic Panel User Conference, Berlin, Germany; Migrants, Natives and a New Measure of Assimilation (presented by a coauthor)
- 2009/01 Econometric Society, ASSA, San Francisco, CA; Migrants, Natives and a New Measure of Assimilation (presented by a coauthor)
- 2009/01 Association of Indian Economics and Financial Studies, ASSA, San Francisco, CA; Was the Mandel Commission Right? Living Standards Differences between Backward Classes and Other Social Groups in India (presented by a coauthor)
- 2009/02 Eastern Economic Association, New York; Is Glass Ceiling Cracking?: A Simple Test
- 2009/05 Fourth IZA/World Bank Conference on Employment and Development, Bonn, Germany; Gender and Ethnicity in Post-Conflict Kosovo

**SEMINAR PRESENTATIONS:**

- 1998/10 Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ; Full- and Part-Time Wage Differentials and Female Labor Supply: Discontinuous Budget Constraint and Endogenous Wages
- 2000/01 SUNY-Albany, NY; Full- and Part-Time Wage Differentials and Female Labor Supply: Discontinuous Budget Constraint and Endogenous Wages
- 2000/02 University of Colorado-Denver, Denver, CO; Full- and Part-Time Wage Differentials and Female Labor Supply: Discontinuous Budget Constraint and Endogenous Wages
- 2000/04 Bates College, Lewiston, ME; Full- and Part-Time Wage Differentials and Female Labor Supply: Discontinuous Budget Constraint and Endogenous Wages
- 2000/09 University of Western Ontario, London, Ontario, Canada; Full- and Part-Time Wage Differentials and Female Labor Supply: Discontinuous Budget Constraint and Endogenous Wages
- 2000/09 Syracuse University, Syracuse, NY; The Gender Wage Gap during Rapid Economic Transition (presented by a coauthor)

- 2000/10 McMaster University, Hamilton, Ontario, Canada; Full- and Part-Time Wage Differentials and Female Labor Supply: Discontinuous Budget Constraint and Endogenous Wages
- 2000/11 IZA Workshop: Gender and the Labor Market, Bonn, Germany; The Gender Wage Gap during Rapid Economic Transition (presented by a coauthor)
- 2001/03 Wilfrid Laurier University, Waterloo, Ontario, Canada; Full- and Part-Time Wage Differentials and Female Labor Supply: Discontinuous Budget Constraint and Endogenous Wages
- 2001/07 IZA, Bonn, Germany; Comparing Inequalities Using Earnings Equations
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- 2001/11 Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ; The Gender Wage Gap during Rapid Economic Transition
- 2002/02 Tulane University, New Orleans, LA; Full- and Part-Time Wage Differentials and Female Labor Supply: Discontinuous Budget Constraint and Endogenous Wages
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- 2007/04 Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ; Wage Growth and Inequality Change During Rapid Economic Transition
- 2007/11 Baylor University, Waco, TX; Poverty in Rural India: Caste and Tribe
- 2008/06 Korea Labor Institute; Wage Growth and Inequality Change During Rapid Economic Transition
- 2008/10 Korea University, Seoul, Korea; Changes in Korean Wage Inequality 1980-2005
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Eastern Economic Association, New York, NY, February, 2001

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German Socio-Economic Panel Workshop, Rostock, Germany, June, 1998  
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**TEACHING:**

Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, Tulane University

- Graduate Courses: Econometrics I (Fall 2003, Spring 2006), Applied Microeconometrics (Spring 2007)
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Undergraduate Director, Department of Economics, Fall 2008 -  
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Microeconomics at Rutgers University, 1998  
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