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- Education** Ph.D. (Economics), University of Alabama, May 2007  
Dissertation: *Economic Evaluation of the Children’s Advocacy Center Program and Sex Offender Registration Laws*  
Major Advisors: John Formby and Paul Pecorino  
M.A. (Finance), Xian Jiaotong University, June 2002  
B.A. (Finance), Chongqing Technology and Business University, June 1999
- Employment** *Assistant Assessment Director*, Farmer School of Business, Miami University, October 2021 – Present  
*Associate Teaching Professor*, Miami University, July 2023 – Present  
*Assistant Teaching Professor*, Miami University, August 2018 – June 2023  
*Lecturer*, Miami University, August 2016 – May 2018  
*Visiting Assistant Professor*, Miami University, January 2013 – May 2016  
*Instructor*, Miami University, January 2012 – December 2012
- Publications** Kinghorn, J. & Shao, L. (2022). Redefining Our Understanding of Writing. *Changing Conceptions, Changing Practices: Innovating Teaching across Disciplines*, E. Wardle, et al. (ed.). The University Press of Colorado: Louisville, CO.
- Li, J., Sangal, S., & Shao, L. (2021). Assessing Economic Impact of Sovereignty Transfer over Hong Kong: A Synthetic Control Approach. *Applied Economics*, 53(30): 3499-3514
- Formby, J., Shadoin, A. L., Shao, L., Magnuson, S. N., & Overman, L. B. (2006). Cost-benefit Analysis of Community Responses to Child Maltreatment: A Comparison of Communities with and without Child Advocacy Centers. (Research Report No. 06-3). Huntsville, AL: National Children's Advocacy Center.
- Presentations** TeachECONference2021, University College London (virtual), June 2021; “Incorporating Writing to Learn in an Economics Curriculum”
- Howe Advisory Board Meeting, Miami OH, September 2019; “Writing in the Economics Major”
- Ohio Association of Economists and Political Scientists 2019 Annual Meeting, Cleveland OH, September 2019; “Zooming in on Phillips Curve and Estimating

NAIRU for Subgroups of Civilian Population”  
Southern Economic Association 75th Annual Meeting, Washington, D.C.,  
November 2005; “Willingness to pay for alternative methods of investigating  
child abuse”

The Sixth National Conference on Child Sexual Abuse Prevention, Huntsville,  
Alabama, August 2005; “How much would you pay to prevent child abuse?  
Using cost benefit analysis with child abuse services”

**Working Papers**

“Zooming in on Phillips Curve and Estimating NAIRU for Subgroups of Civilian  
Population”, with Brian Jong and Jing Li

**Professional  
Development &  
Conference  
Participation**

41st Annual Lilly Conference on College Teaching, Miami University,  
November 2022

Conference on Teaching & Research in Economic Education (CTREE), virtual,  
June 2021

CTREE St. Louis Fed Pre-Conference Workshop: FRED and Econ Ed at the St.  
Louis Fed, St. Louis, MO, May 2019

24<sup>th</sup> Annual Economics Teaching Workshop, University of Kentucky, April  
2019

7<sup>th</sup> Biennial Threshold Concepts Conference, Miami University, June 2018

EconED Conference, Chicago, October 2017

Howe Faculty Writing Fellows Program, Howe Writing Center, Miami  
University, Spring 2017

New Faculty Teaching Enhancement Program, Center for Teaching Excellence,  
Miami University, Fall 2016

Howe Writing Center Faculty May Workshop, Miami University, May 2014

**Ad Hoc Referee**

Journal on Excellence in College Teaching, 2019 – present

**Services**

**Departmental**

VAP Search Committee, Spring 2022

Department Chair Search Committee, Fall 2021

Interim Department Chair Search Committee, Summer 2021

TCPL Search Committee, 2019

Faculty advisor of International Studies and Economics double majors and

CAS liaison, 2021 – present  
Faculty advisor of first-year CAS economics majors, August 2016 – May 2021  
Undergraduate Studies Committee, August 2016 – May 2020  
Strategy Committee, 2018

**Divisional**

FSB Undergraduate Studies Committee, 2022 – present  
FSB Learning Outcomes Assessment Committee, 2021 – present  
FSB eLearning Committee, 2018 – 2021

**University**

University Assessment Fellows Committee, 2021 – present  
University Appeals Board, 2021 – present  
Community Standards Board, 2021 – present  
Student Life Council, Spring 2021

**Honors and Awards** Roger and Joyce Howe Award for Excellence in Disciplinary Writing Instruction, Miami University, February 2021  
Howe Faculty Writing Fellow, Miami University, May 2017  
Graduate Council Fellowship, University of Alabama, 2002 – 2003

**Teaching Experience** International Economic Relations  
Principles of Macroeconomics  
Principles of Microeconomics

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