

**Curriculum Vitae**  
**Chris Papageorgiou**  
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**Personal Information**

Date of Birth: June 8, 1968  
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**Education**

Ph.D. in Economics, University of Pittsburgh, May 1997  
B.A. in Economics, (*Summa Cum Laude*), Indiana University of Pennsylvania, May 1992  
B.S. in Finance, (*Summa Cum Laude*), Indiana University of Pennsylvania, May 1992

**Professional Experience**

Division Chief, International Monetary Fund, 2018-  
Deputy Division Chief, International Monetary Fund, 2013-2017  
Senior Economist, International Monetary Fund, 2009-2012  
Economist, International Monetary Fund, 2006-2008  
Visiting Associate Professor, University of Washington - Seattle, 2004-2005  
Associate Professor, Louisiana State University, 2003-2005  
Assistant Professor, Louisiana State University, 1997-2002

**Fields of Specialization**

Economic Growth  
International Macroeconomics

**Awards**

Who's Who in America, 2010  
Coca-Cola Co. Distinguished Professor, Louisiana State University, 2003-2006  
Excellence in Teaching Award, Louisiana State University, 2001-2002; 1998-1999  
Andrew Mellon Predoctoral Fellowship, University of Pittsburgh, 1996-1997  
R. Thorn Award for Excellence in Teaching, University of Pittsburgh, 1994-1995

**Editorial Positions**

Associate Editor, *European Economic Review*, 2011-  
Editorial Board, *IMF Economic Review* 2009-  
Co-Editor, *Journal of Macroeconomics*, 2006-2013  
Editorial Board, *IMF Staff Papers*, 2007-2009

## Journal Publications

1. "What Remains of Cross-Country Convergence?" with Paul Johnson, *Journal of Economic Literature*, forthcoming.
2. "Building Resilience to Natural Disasters and Debt Sustainability," with Ricardo Marto and Vladimir Klyuev, *Journal of Development Economics*, forthcoming.
3. "The Public and Private MPK," with Matt Lowe and Fidel Perez-Sebastian, *Economica*, forthcoming.
4. "Forecasts in Times of Crises," with Charis Christofides, David Kuenzel and Theo Eicher, *International Journal of Forecasting*, forthcoming.
5. "A Dialogue between a Populist and an Economist," with Tito Boeri, Prachi Mishra and Antonio Spilimbergo, *AEA Papers & Proceedings*, 191-95: May 2018.
6. "Bilateral Capital Flows to Developing Countries at Intensive and Extensive Margins," with Juliana Araujo, and Povilas Lastauskas, *Journal of Money Credit and Banking*, 1517-1554: September 2017.
7. "Non-FDI Private Capital Inflows in Low-Income Countries: Catching the Wave?" with Juliana Araujo, Antonio David and Carlos van Hombecq, *IMF Economic Review*, 426-465: June 2017.
8. "Elasticity of Substitution between Clean and Dirty Energy Inputs: A Macroeconomic Perspective," with Marianne Saam and Patrick Schulte, *Review of Economics and Statistics*, 281-290: May 2017.
9. "Public Sector Investment Efficiency in Developing Economies," with Alvar Kangur, *The New Palgrave Dictionary of Economics*, 1-10: March 2017.
10. "Joining the Club? Procyclicality of Private Capital In Lower Income Developing Economies," with Juliana Araujo, Antonio David and Carlos van Hombecq, *Journal of International Money and Finance*, 157-182: January 2017.
11. "Did Established Early Warning Signals Predict the 2008 Crises?" with Theo Eicher and Charis Christofides, *European Economic Review*, 103-114: January 2016.
12. "Battling Infection, Fighting Stagnation," with Shankha Chakraborty and Fidel Perez-Sebastian, *Macroeconomic Dynamics*, 189-213: January 2016.
13. "Efficiency-Adjusted Public Capital and Growth," with Sanjeev Gupta, Alvar Kangur and Abdoul Wane, *World Development*, 164-178: May 2014.
14. "Who Benefits from Financial Development? New Methods, New Evidence," with Daniel Henderson and Christopher Parmeter, *European Economic Review*, 47-67: October 2013.
15. "Which Reforms Work and under What Institutional Environment: Evidence from a New Dataset on Structural Reforms," with Massimiliano Onorato and Alessandro Prati, *Review of Economics and Statistics*, 946-968: July 2013.

16. "Rising Income Inequality: Technology, or Trade and Financial Globalization?" with Florence Jaumotte and Subir Lall, *IMF Economic Review*, 271-309: June 2013.
17. "Is Newer Better? Penn World Table Revisions and the Growth Literature," with Simon Johnson, William Larson and Arvind Subramanian, *Journal of Monetary Economics*, 255-274: March 2013.
18. "Investing in Public Investment: An Index of Public Investment Efficiency," with Era Dabla-Norris, Jim Brumby, Annette Kyobe and Zac Mills, *Journal of Economic Growth*, 235-266: September 2012.
19. "Growth Empirics without Parameters," with Daniel Henderson and Chris Parmeter, *Economic Journal*, 125-154: March 2012.
20. "Trade Creation and Diversion Revisited: Model Uncertainty, Natural Trading Partners, and Robust PTA Effects," with Theo Eicher and Christian Henn, *Journal of Applied Econometrics*, 296-321: March 2012.
21. "A Unified Theory of Structural Change," with Maria Delores Guillo and Fidel Perez-Sebastian, *Journal of Economic Dynamics and Control*, 1393-1404: September 2011 [Lead article].
22. "Default Priors and Predictive Performance in Bayesian Model Averaging, with Application to Growth Determinants," with Theo Eicher and Adrian Raftery, *Journal of Applied Econometrics*, 30-55: January 2011.
23. "Diseases, Infection Dynamics, and Development," with Shankha Chakraborty and Fidel Perez-Sebastian, *Journal of Monetary Economics*, 859-872: October 2010.
24. "Rough and Lonely Road to Prosperity: A Reexamination of the Sources of Growth in Africa using Bayesian Model Averaging," with Winford Masanjala, *Journal of Applied Econometrics*, 671-682: August 2008.
  - "How to Use Interaction Terms in BMA: Reply to Crespo's Comment on Masanjala and Papageorgiou (2008)," *Journal of Applied Econometrics*, 1048-1050: October 2011.
25. "Normalized Nested CES Production Function in the Solow and Diamond Growth Models," with Marianne Saam, *Scandinavian Journal of Economics*, 119-143: March 2008.
26. "Endogenous Aggregate Elasticity of Substitution," with Kaz Miyagiwa, *Journal of Economic Dynamics and Control* 31, 2899-2919: September 2007.
27. "Unraveling the Fortunes of the Fortunate: An Iterative Bayesian Model Averaging (IBMA) Approach," with Theo Eicher and Oliver Roehn, *Journal of Macroeconomics* 29, 494-514: September 2007.
28. "International Medical Technology Diffusion," with Andreas Savvides and Marios Zachariadis, *Journal of International Economics* 72, 409-427: July 2007.

29. "Is the Asymptotic Speed of Convergence a Good Proxy for the Transitional Growth Path?" with Fidel Perez-Sebastian, *Journal of Money Credit and Banking* 39, 1-24: February 2007 [Lead article].
30. "Dynamics in a Non-Scale R&D Growth Model with Human Capital: Explaining the Japanese and South Korean development experiences," with Fidel Perez-Sebastian, *Journal of Economic Dynamics and Control* 30, 901-930: June 2006 [Lead article].
31. "Matching Up the Data on Education with Economic Growth Models," with Fidel Perez-Sebastian, *B.E. Journals in Macroeconomics – Topics in Macroeconomics* 5, Article 8, 1-20: April 2005.
32. "Nonlinearities in Capital-Skill Complementarity," with Viera Chmelarova, *Journal of Economic Growth* 10, 59-89: March 2005.
33. "Can Transition Dynamics Explain the International Output Data?" with Fidel-Perez Sebastian, *Macroeconomic Dynamics* 8, 466-492: September 2004.
34. "The Solow Model with CES Technology: Nonlinearities and Parameter Heterogeneity," with Winford Masanjala, *Journal of Applied Econometrics* 19, 171-201: March 2004.
35. "Capital-Skill Complementarity? Evidence from a Panel of Countries," with John Duffy and Fidel Perez-Sebastian, *Review of Economics and Statistics* 86, 327-344: February 2004.
36. "Distinguishing Between the Effects of Primary and Post-primary Education on Economic Growth," *Review of Development Economics* 7, 622-635: November 2003.
37. "Imitation in a Non-Scale R&D Growth Model," *Economics Letters* 80, 287-294: September 2003 [Lead article].
38. "Elasticity of Substitution and Growth: Normalized CES in the Diamond Model," with Kaz Miyagiwa, *Economic Theory* 21, 155-165: March 2003.
39. "Technology Adoption, Human Capital, and Growth Theory," *Review of Development Economics* 6, 351-368: October 2002.
40. "Trade as a Threshold Variable for Multiple Regimes," *Economics Letters* 77, 85-91: September 2002.
41. "The Specification of the Aggregate Production Function: A Cross-Country Empirical Investigation," with John Duffy, *Journal of Economic Growth* 5, 83-116: March 2000.

### **Book Chapters**

1. The U.S. Manufacturing Recovery: Uptick or Renaissance?" with Oya Celasun, Gabriel Di Bella and Tim Mahedy, in *Energy Boom and Manufacturing in North America*, IMF, Washington DC: November 2015.
2. "Diversification, Growth, and Volatility," with Nikola Spatafora and Ke Wang, in *Frontier and Emerging Asia*, IMF, Washington DC: October 2014.

3. "Education Inequality among Women and Infant Mortality: A Cross-Country Empirical Investigation," with Petya Stoytcheva, in *Progress in Economic Research*, Nova Science Publishers, New York, NY: January 2012.
4. "Tanzania: Growth Acceleration and Increased Public Spending with Macroeconomic Stability," with David Robinson and Matthew Gaertner, in *Yes Africa Can: Success Stories from a Dynamic Continent*, World Bank, Washington DC: July 2011.
5. "Globalization and Inequality," with Florence Jaumotte, Subir Lall and Petia Topalova, *World Economic Outlook*, IMF, Washington DC: October 2007.
6. "A Variable Elasticity of Substitution (VES) Aggregate Production Function: Theory and Evidence," with Theodore Palivos and Giannis Karagiannis, in *New Trends in Macroeconomics*, C. Diebolt and C. Kyrtsov, eds., Springer Verlag, New York, NY: February 2005.

### **Working Papers**

1. "Private-Public Capital Substitution and Growth Attitudes," (September 2018) with Zidong An and Alvarez Kangur.
2. "Financial Crises, Reforms and Public Attitudes," (April 2018) with Gunes Gokmen, Tommaso Nannicini and Massimiliano Onorato.
3. "Private and Public Health Investment Decisions," (February 2018) with Manoj Atolia and Steve Turnovsky.
4. "Export and Import Quality in Advanced and Developing Economies: Evidence from a New Dataset" (July 2017) with Christian Henn, Jose Romero and Nikola Spatafora.
5. "Quality Upgrading and the Stages of Diversification," (March 2017) with Fidel Perez-Sebastian and Nikola Spatafora.
6. "World Trade in Services: Evidence from A New Dataset," (February 2017) with Prakash Loungani, Saurabh Mishra and Ke Wang.

### **Grants**

1. "Macroeconomics of Low-Income Countries," 2017-2020, IMF-DFID, \$3,300,000.
2. "Structural Reforms in Developing Economies," 2015-2017, IMF-DFID, \$500,000.
3. "Transformation and Capital Flows in LICs," 2015-2017, IMF-DFID, \$425,000.
4. "Diversification for Growth and Stability," 2012-2014, IMF-DFID, \$300,000.
5. "Clean and Dirty Technologies," with M. Saam, 2011-2012, ZEW, \$125,000.
6. "Data Revisions," with S. Johnson and A. Subramanian, 2006-2007, IMF, \$50,000.

## Professional Activities

### Conference Organizer

1. “Trade Policy, Inclusiveness and the Rise of the Service Economy,” Geneva, Switzerland, April 25-26, 2018 (with Prakash Loungani, Aaditya Mattoo and Johannes Schwarzer).
2. “Managing Capital Flows: Challenges for Developing Economies,” Victoria Falls, Zambia, May 5, 2017 (with Jonathan D. Ostry and Giovanni Melina).
3. “Capital Flows in Frontier and Emerging Markets,” IMF, Washington DC, February 25, 2015 (with Juliana Araujo and Sarwat Jahan).
4. “Diversification and Structural Transformation for Growth and Stability in Low-Income Countries,” IMF, Washington DC, February 21, 2013 (with Nikola Spatafora).
5. “The Macroeconomic Substitution between Clean and Dirty Production,” Mannheim Germany, September 21, 2012 (with Marianne Saam).
6. “Health and Macroeconomics,” Madrid Spain, December 9-10, 2009 (with Fidel Perez-Sebastian).
7. “On the Causes and Consequences of Structural Reforms,” Research Department, IMF, Washington DC, February 28-29, 2008.
8. “The CES Production Function in the Theory and Empirics of Economic Growth,” Eltville, Germany, October 20-22, 2006 (with Rainer Klump).

### Referee

*American Economic Review, American Economic Journal: Macroeconomics, American Journal of Agricultural Economics, Canadian Journal of Economics, Economica, Econometrica, Economic Journal, Economics Letters, Economic Theory, European Economic Review, IMF Economic Review, International Economic Review, Journal of Applied Econometrics, Journal of Business and Economic Statistics, Journal of Development Economics, Journal of Economic Growth, Journal of Econometrics, Journal of Economic Dynamics and Control, Journal of International Economics, Journal of Political Economy, Macroeconomic Dynamics, National Science Foundation, Quarterly Journal of Economics, Review of Economics and Statistics, Review of Economic Studies, Stanford University Press, UNESCO.*

### **Presentations since 2008**

WTO, Geneva, April 2018  
RIETI, University of Tokyo, March 2018 (keynote speaker)  
CSAE, Oxford, March 2018 (plenary speaker)  
IFC, November 2017  
NBER Summer Institute, July 2017  
IMF, May 2017  
CSAE, Oxford, March 2017

Giadar Forum, Moscow, January 2017  
SEA, Washington DC, November 2016  
Asian Development Bank, Sydney, July 2016  
NCID Conference, Madrid, June 2016 (keynote speaker)  
Conference on Diversification, Mexico City, January 2016  
AEA Meetings, San Francisco, January 2016  
SEA Meetings, New Orleans, November 2015  
University of Cincinnati, October 2015  
Growth-Macro Workshop, Nice France, June 2015  
IMF, February 2015  
Florida International University, November 2014  
International Development Bank, October 2014  
Global Development Network, Accra Ghana, June 2014 (plenary speaker)  
World Bank, February 2014  
American University, February 2014  
Clemson University, November 2013  
Harvard University, September 2013  
WTO Trade Workshop, Geneva, June 2013  
Conference on Structural Transformation, Bangkok, January 2013  
AEA Meetings, San Diego, January 2013  
SEA Meetings, New Orleans, November 2012  
Inter-American Development Bank, June 2012  
CSAE Conference, University of Oxford, April 2012  
IMF, February 2012  
University of Cyprus, September 2011  
NBER Summer Institute, July 2011  
Conference on the Future of Trade, University of Georgia, February 2011  
Bank of Tanzania, Dar es Salaam, September 2010  
Soc. for Comp. Econ. Workshop in Honor of S. Turnovsky, May 2010 (keynote speaker)  
IMF-IGC Conference on Managing Volatility in LICs, April 2010  
Workshop on Health and Macroeconomics, Madrid, December 2009  
Tilburg University, December 2009  
Chinese University of Hong Kong, November 2009  
World Bank Conference on Commodity Prices Dependencies, September 2009  
NBER Summer Institute, July 2009  
Society of Economic Dynamics Meetings, Istanbul, July 2009  
Bureau of Economic Analysis, June 2009  
University of North Carolina Chapel Hill, April 2009  
AEA & ES Meetings, San Francisco, January 2009  
CEPR Growth Conference, Barcelona, December 2008  
Princeton University, December 2008  
American University, November 2008  
University of Pittsburgh, October 2008  
Society of Economic Dynamics Meetings, MIT, July 2008  
Chinese University of Hong Kong, June 2008  
Penn World Tables Workshop, UPenn, May 2008  
Midwest Macro Meetings, Philadelphia, May 2008  
NBER Africa Project Meeting, February 2008  
AEA Meetings, New Orleans, January 2008