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Academic and Research Positions

Professor of Economics, University of Washington, since 2007.
Associate Professor of Economics, University of Washington, 1998 - 2007.
Assistant Professor of Economics, University of Washington, 1991-1998.
Research Fellow, CESifo, Center for Economic Studies, Munich, since 2004.
Castor Professor of Economics, since 2012.
Alberta C. Corkery Distinguished Scholar, 2008-2012.
Chair, Department of Economics, since 2014.
Graduate Program Coordinator, Department of Economics, 2008-2014.
Associate Editor, *International Journal of Industrial Organization*, since 2005.
Country Lead Academic (Bangladesh), *International Growth Centre*, since 2009.
Member, Regional Standing Committee, South and South-East Asia of the Econometric Society, since 2013.

Visiting Scholar / Temporary Positions

Monash University (2010 and 2011)
Bangladesh Institute of Development Studies (2007-08, 2000-01)
University of Dhaka (2007-08, 2000-01, 1995-96)
CES University of Munich (2004)
University of Southampton (1995-96)
North-South University (1995-96)
Universities of Padova and Toulouse

Education

Ph. D., Economics (1991), Virginia Tech, Blacksburg, Virginia.
Master of Arts, Economics (1988), Virginia Tech, Blacksburg, Virginia.
Bachelor of Social Sciences, Economics (1985), University of Dhaka, Dhaka, Bangladesh.

Professional Service and Honors

Invited Plenary Speaker, *Australasian Theory Meetings*, UNSW, Sydney, 2012.
Distinguished Visitor, Monash University, 2011.
President, Association for Economic and Development studies on Bangladesh, 2008-10 and 2011-12.
Member Program Committee, 2006 South and South East Asia Econometric Society Meetings, Chennai, December, 2006.
Co-chair, Local Organizing Committee, 8th World Congress of the Econometric Society, Seattle, August, 2000.
Young Economist Prize 1998-2000, Bangladesh Economic Association.

Fields of Interest

Theory of Contracts, Industrial Organization, and Economics of Information.

Publications

“[Private Monitoring, Collusion, and the Timing of Information](#)”, (with Jacques Lawaree and Troy Scott), forthcoming *RAND Journal of Economics*

“[Contracts offered by Bureaucrats](#)”, (with Doyoung Kim and Jacques Lawarrée), *RAND Journal of Economics*, 44/4 (Winter), 2013.

“Bribery vs. extortion: allowing the lesser of the two evils”, (with Jacques Lawarrée and Sung-Ho Yun), *RAND Journal of Economics*, 41/1 (Spring), 179-198, 2010.

"Monitoring a Common Agent: implications for financial contracting," (with Bruno Parigi, and David Martimort), *Journal of Economic Theory*, 135/1, 35-67, 2007.

“Optimal Task Design: to integrate or separate planning and implementation?” (with Doyoung Kim and Dongsoo Shin), *Journal of Economics and Management Strategy*, 15/2, 457-478, 2006.

"Incentives for Corruptible Auditors in the Absence of Commitment", (with Jacques Lawarrée), *Journal of Industrial Economics*, 14/2, 269-291, 2006.

"Third Party Purchasing of Health Services: Patient Choice and Agency", (with Martin Chalkley), *Journal of Health Economics*, 24-6, 1132-1153, 2005.

"Catching the Agent on the Wrong Foot: Ex-post Choice of Monitoring", (with Jacques Lawarrée), *Journal of Public Economics*, 82/3, 327-347, 2001.

"The Structure of Inshore Cooperatives and the Distribution of Net Benefits under the American Fisheries Act," *Proceedings of the North American Fishery Economics Forum*, (with Robert Halvorsen and Jacques Lawarrée), 2001.

"Contracts and Productive Information Gathering", (with Jacques Crémer and Jean-Charles Rochet), *Games and Economic Behavior*, 25, 174-193, November, 1998.

Reprinted in *The Principal Agent Model: The Economic Theory of Incentives*, (Ed) Jean-Jacques Laffont, Edward Elgar, forthcoming.

Reprinted in *Social Organization and Mechanism Design*, (Ed.) Claude d'Aspremont, De Boeck University, Brussels, 1999.

"Strategic Information Gathering before a Contract is Offered ", (with Jacques Crémer and Jean-Charles Rochet), *Journal of Economic Theory*, 81, 163-200, July 1998.

"The Loan Size as a Commitment Device", (with Bruno M. Parigi), *International Economic Review*, February 1998.

"Auditing without Commitment", *RAND Journal of Economics*, Winter 1997.

"Collusive Auditors", (with Jacques Lawarrée), *American Economic Review Papers and Proceedings*, May, 1995.

- "Input versus Output Monitoring: Who is the Residual Claimant", (with Jacques Lawarree) *Journal of Economic Theory*, 66, 139-157, 1995.
- "Gathering Information Before the Contract is Offered", (with Jacques Crémer), *European Economic Review*, 38, 675-682, 1994.
- "Gathering Information Before Signing a Contract", (with Jacques Crémer) *American Economic Review*, 82, 566-578, 1992.

Working papers

- "Auctioneers as Emcees: Evidence from Chittagong tea Auctions", (with Tanjim Hossain and Matt Shum).

Current research

- "Honest Agents", (with Alex Henke and Jacques Lawarree)
- "Health Insurance Contracts", (with Justin Robertson and Jacques Lawarree)
- "Certification", (with Ben Keefer and Jacques Lawarree)
- "Microfinance from the borrowers' side", (with Ghulam Hussain and Nigar Nargis).

Teaching Award

- Henry T. Buechel Memorial Award for Distinguished Undergraduate Teaching,
Department of Economics, University of Washington, 1993-94.

Courses Taught

- Microeconomics II & III*. Doctoral courses introducing game theory and economics of information.
- Theory of Industrial Organization*. Doctoral course emphasizing single firm decision making and an introduction to contract theory.
- Topics in Contract Theory*. Doctoral course.
- Game Theory*. An undergraduate introduction to game theory.
- Economics of Information*. Undergraduate course.
- Industrial Organization and Price Analysis*. Undergraduate course.
- Microeconomics: methods and applications*. Undergraduate course – core topics beyond intermediate micro.
- Intermediate Microeconomics*.