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Education:

Ph.D. in Economics, Minor in Statistics, 2001
North Carolina State University, Raleigh, NC.

Dissertation: “Taxes, Government Spending and Endogenous Growth: A Theoretical Analysis with an Empirical Application to North Carolina”
Thesis Committee: John J. Seater (Co-Chair), Michael L. Walden (Co-Chair), Alistair R. Hall (Statistic Minor Representative), and Charles Knoeber

M.E in Economics, 1999
North Carolina State University, Raleigh, NC.

MBA with International Business Graduate Certificate, 1995
New Hampshire College, Manchester, NH

B.A. in Economics and Political Science, 1991
University of Ankara, Political Science Faculty, Ankara, Turkey

Research Interest:

Theory of Applied Macroeconomics; International Macroeconomics; Economic Growth; Econometrics; Environmental Economics; Applied Microeconomics; Public Finance;

Teaching Interest:

Macroeconomics; Exchange Rates and Open-Economy Macroeconomics; Business Statistics; Econometrics; Applied Microeconomics.

Professional Experience

2008-2009	Visiting Associate Professor of Economics, Middle East Technical University, Department of Economics, Ankara, Turkey
2006-Present	Associate Professor of Economics, Valdosta State University, Department of Marketing and Economics, Valdosta, GA
2002-2006	Assistant Professor of Economics, Valdosta State University, Department of Marketing and Economics, Valdosta, GA
2001- 2002	Assistant Professor (Non-tenured) of Economics, Meredith College, School of Business, Raleigh, NC
2001-2002	Research Analyst, Department of Agricultural and Resource Economics, North Carolina State University, Raleigh, NC
2000-2001	Visiting Lecturer, Department of Economics, North Carolina State University, Raleigh, NC
1997-2000	Teaching and Research Assistant, Department of Economics, North Carolina State University, Raleigh, NC

Scholarly and Professional Honors:

1. Member of Beta Gamma Sigma
2. Steele Summer Research Grant of \$8000, Harley Langdale, Jr. College of Business Administration Valdosta State University, Summer 2004-2008(each summer)
3. Teaching Award, “MBA Professor of the Year 2001-2002” (first winner) selected by MBA students in Meredith College

Professional Development:

1. Attended the AACSB Seminar on Assurance of Learning (AoL) in Tampa, FL, June 2007
2. Attended the Master Teacher Workshop in Atlanta GA, May 2005

Papers Published in peer reviewed Journals:

1. Denaux, Z.S. “Determinants of Technical Efficiency: Urban and Rural Public Schools in the State of Georgia”, *Southwestern Economic Review* (Forthcoming)

2. Whittle, V.E and Z.S. Denaux “Closing the Rural and Urban Educational Achievement Gap: A Study of the State of Georgia”, *Review of Business Research*, Volume 7(5), pp: 60-66, 2007.
3. Denaux, Z.S. “Endogenous Growth, Taxes and Government Spending: Theory and Evidence” *Review of Development Economics*, Volume 11: No: 1, February 2007, pp: 124-138.
4. Wossink, A. and Z. S. Denaux “Efficiency and Innovation Offsets in Non-point Source Pollution Control and the Role of Education” *International Journal of Agricultural Resources, Governance and Ecology*, Volume 6, No: 1, spring 2007, pp: 79-95.
5. Plumly, W.L, R.C. Allen and Z.S. Denaux “Characteristics Allowing Exportation of County Imposed Taxes” *International Journal of Business and Economics Perspectives*, Volume 1, No: 1, Spring 2006, pp:31-40
6. Wossink, A and Z.S. Denaux “Environmental and Cost Efficiency of Pesticide Use in Transgenic and Conventional Cotton Production” *Agricultural Systems*, Volume 90, Spring 2006, pp:312-328
7. Denaux, Z.S., D.J. Cunningham and R.C. Allen “Spend More or Tax Less? Which way to State Economic Growth? ” *Journal of Business and Public Affair*, Volume 32, No:1, Fall 2005, pp:21-25
8. Denaux, Z.S “A Cross-County Evaluation of Fiscal Policy” *Journal of Business and Public Affair*, Volume 32, No:1, Fall 2005, pp:14-20
9. Denaux, Z.S and M.L. Walden “Complete State and Local Fiscal Policy: Impacts on Local Economic Growth” *The Southern Business and Economic Journal*, Volume 27, NO. 3&4, Summer/Fall 2004, pp: 154-171
10. Walden, M. L and Zulal Sogutlu Denaux “Lags in Real Property Revaluations and Estimates of Shortfalls in Property Tax Collections in North Carolina” *Journal of Agricultural and Applied Economics*, Vol.34, No.1, April 2002, pp.205-213.
11. Walden, Michael L. and Zulal Sogutlu “Determinants of Intrastate Variation in Teacher Salaries” *The Economics of Education Review*, vol. 20 (1), February 2001.

Other Publications:

1. Erisgin N., Z.S. Denaux and O.S. Erisgin “Justice or Efficiency: About Economic Analysis of Law” *Business Research Yearbook* Volume XIII, No.1, 2006, pp.406-410

2. Plumly, W.L, R. Iyer and Z.S. Denaux “An Attribute Approach to Buying “Green/Environmentally Safe” *Business Research Yearbook*, Volume X11, No.1, 2005, pp.463-467

Publications in Conference Proceedings:

1. Tori, C.R and Z.S. Denaux “Is Turkey Ready to Enter into a Fixed Exchange Rate System with the Euro” Proceedings of the 2007 Academy of Economics and Finance Conference.
2. Plumly, W. L, R.C Allen and Z.S. Denaux “Characteristics Allowing Exportation of County Imposed Taxes” Proceedings of the 2006 International Academy of Business and Public Administration Discipline Conference.
3. Wossink, G.A.A., Z. S. Denaux, B. Brown and G. Bullen “Economic Comparison of Cultural Practices in North Carolina Cotton”, Proceedings of the 2002 Beltwide Cotton Conference
4. Blake, B., Z. S. Denaux, Wossink, G.A.A. and G. Bullen “Factors in Yield Variation among NC Cotton Fields in the 2000 Crop Year”, Proceedings of the 2002 Beltwide Cotton Conference

Paper Presentations

1. Denaux, Z, A. Cseh and J. Brogdon “Determinants of Obesity Rates in the South” *International Economic Association, 15th World Congress*, Istanbul, Turkey.
2. Wossink A. and Z.S. Denaux, “Measuring Eco-Efficiency of Cotton Production” *Academy of Economics and Finance*, Nashville, TN, February 2008.
3. Tori, C., and Z.S. Denaux “Does Turkey’s real exchange rate move in the same direction as some or all of the other E.U. member countries?” *Academy of Economics and Finance*, Jacksonville, FL, February 2007.
4. Plumly, W. L, R.C Allen and Z.S. Denaux “Characteristics Allowing Exportation of County Imposed Taxes” *International Academy of Business and Public Administration Discipline*, Orlando, FL, January 2006
5. Plumly, W.L, R. Iyer and Z.S. Denaux “An Attribute Approach to Buying “Green/Environmentally Safe” *International Academy of Business Discipline*, Pittsburgh, PA, April 2005

6. Wossink A. and Z.S. Denaux, "Environmental and Cost Efficiency of Pesticide Use in Transgenic and Conventional Cotton Production" *Southern Economic Association*, New Orleans, LA, November 2004.
7. Denaux, Z.S., "A New Look at Effect of Fiscal Policies on Economic Growth: GMM-Panel Approach" *Southern Economic Association*, San Antonio, Texas, November 2003.
8. Denaux, Z.S., and Michael L. Walden: "Complete State and Local Fiscal Policy: Impacts on Local Economic Growth" *Eastern Economic Association*, NY, February 2003
9. A. Wossink and Z. S. Denaux, "Environmental Efficiency, Separability and Abatement Cost of Nonpoint-source Pollution" *American Agricultural Economics Association*, Long Beach, CA, July 2003
10. A. A. Wossink, Z. S. Denaux, B. Brown, and G. Bullen (2002) "Economic Comparison of Cotton Cultural Practices in NC" *Beltwide Cotton Conference*, Atlanta, GA, January 2002
11. B. Brown, Z. S. Denaux, A. A. Wossink, and G. Bullen (2002) "Factors in Yield Variation among NC Cotton Fields in the 2000 Crop Year", *Beltwide Cotton Conference*, Atlanta, GA, January 2002
12. Denaux, Z. S., "Taxes, Government Spending and Endogenous Growth: Application to North Carolina", *American Economic Association*, Graduate Student Invited Papers, Atlanta, GA, January 2002
13. Denaux, Z. S., "Taxes, Government Spending and Endogenous Growth: Application to North Carolina", *Southern Economic Association*, Tampa, FL, November 2001.
14. Denaux, Z. S., "Taxes, Infrastructure, and Growth: A GMM-Panel Approach", *Joint Statistical Meeting*, Atlanta, GA, August 2001.
15. Sogutlu (Denaux), Z., "Taxes, Government Spending and Endogenous Growth: Theoretical and Empirical Implication", *Duke University*, Department of Economics, Macroeconomic Seminar, Duke, NC, December 2000
16. Sogutlu (Denaux), Z., "Taxes, Government Spending and Endogenous Growth", *North Carolina State University*, Department of Economics, Macroeconomic Seminar, Raleigh, NC, November 2000

Teaching Experience:

Fall 2002 - Present, Valdosta State University. Teaching Principles of Macroeconomics, Intermediate Macroeconomics, Research and Analytical Methods in Economics, and International Macroeconomics

Fall 2001- Summer 2002. Meredith College. Taught Principles of Microeconomics, Principles of Macroeconomics, Intermediate Macroeconomics and Intermediate Microeconomics. Taught Quantitative Analysis for Management at graduate level.

Spring 2001-Summer 2001. Instructor (while Ph.D. student), North Carolina State University. Taught Principles of Macroeconomics and Intermediate Macroeconomics.

Spring 1998 to Fall 1998. Teaching assistant (while Ph.D. student), North Carolina State University. Taught three sections of Statistics for Business lab.

University, College and Department Service:

- Chair, Pre-Tenure and Promotion Committee, College of Business Administration, 2007.
- Chair, Global Awareness Committee, College of Business Administration, 2007-Present.
- Chair, Internships Committee, College of Business Administration, 2007
- Member, Study Abroad Scholarship Committee, College of Business Administration, 2007-Present
- Member, Scholarship Committee, College of Business Administration, 2006-Present
- Member, General Education Program Review Committee, Valdosta State University, 2005
- Member, Faculty Development and Research Committee, Valdosta State University, 2003- Present
- Member, Marketing and Economics Department Head Search Committee, 2005
- Member, Global Awareness Committee, College of Business Administration, 2004-2007
- Department of Marketing and Economics Leader for 2004 State Charitable Contributions Program
- Member of Econ Department search committee to fill a Tenure track position.
- Member, Strategic Planning Task Force, College of Business Administration, 2004

- Library Liaison, Department of Marketing and Economics, College of Business Administration, 2003-Present
- Member, Assurance of Learning Task Force Committee, College of Business Administration, 2003
- Department of Marketing and Economics Leader for 2003 State Charitable Contributions Program
- Member, COBA's 2003 Freshman-Sophomore Operational Committee, College of Business Administration, 2002

State, National Service:

- Reviewer for Journal of Environmental Management, Annals of Operations Research Journal and Economic Inquiry
- Consultant, Cotton Incorporated, to analyze and to empirical estimations by using Root Health data collected from 7 different locations, Lubbock, Georgia, Ag Cares, California, Louisiana, Mississippi, and North Carolina, from 1996-2000.

Session Chair / Discussants at the Conference

- Judge for Undergraduate Research Competition for two sessions, *Academy of Economics and Finance*, Nashville, TN, February 2008.
- Judge for Undergraduate Research Competition for two sessions, *Academy of Economics and Finance*, Jacksonville, FL, February 2007.
- Discussant in Session 3E: "International Economics 1", *Academy of Economics and Finance*, Jacksonville, FL, February 2007.
- Session Chair in "Economics Session", International Academy of Business and Public Administration Discipline, Orlando, FL, January 2006
- Discussant in Session 41C: "Environmental Management", *Southern Economic Association Meeting*, LA, November 2004
- Discussant in Session 75F: "Exchange Rates, Investment and Economic" Fluctuations, *Southern Economic Association Meeting*, TX, November 2003
- Discussant in Session 132: Financial Liberalization and IMF Policies" *Eastern Economic Association*, NY February, 2003

- Discussant at *American Economic Association*, Graduate Student Invited Papers, Atlanta, GA, January 2002

Undergraduate Student Research Supervision

2007-2008 Academic Year

- *Jamie Brogdon*: “Determinants of Obesity Rates in Georgia”
 - Presentation at the 2008 meetings of the Academy of Economics and Finance, Nashville, TN
 - This paper placed 3rd in the Student Paper Competition
 - Co-authoring of paper in preparation for submission to a refereed journal

2006-2007 Academic Year

- Michael Shiroya: “China vs. U.S Bilateral Trade”
 - Presentation at the 2007 meetings of the Academy of Economics and Finance
 - This paper placed 2nd in the Student Paper Competition and was published in the proceedings

References

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