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FIELDS and CURRENT RESEARCH INTERESTS

Economics of the Family • Economic Development & Growth • Political Economy • Cliometrics

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Book

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- “Adaptive Skills, Technological Progress, and Growth,” (with Ann L. Owen) *European Economic Review*, 50(3) 565-79, April 2006.
- “On the Efficacy of Reforms: Policy Tinkering, Institutional Change, and Entrepreneurship,” (with Dani Rodrik) in *Institutions and Economic Growth*, (T.Eicher and C.G. Penalosa, eds) MIT press, December 2005.
- “The Export Technology Content, Learning by Doing and Specialization in Foreign Trade,” (with Galina An) *Journal of International Economics*, 64:2, December 2004.
- “Income Inequality and Macroeconomic Fluctuations,” (with Ann L. Owen) *Economic Journal*, 114:495, 352-376, 2004.
- “Timing of Childbearing and Economic Growth,” *Journal of Development Economics* 61(1) 257-271, 2000.
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