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Assistant Professor, Queen's University, 1973–1976
Associate Professor, Queen's University, 1976–1980
Instructor, University of Chicago, 1976–1977
Chair of Graduate Studies, Queen's Economics Department, 1977–1979
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Head, Department of Economics, Queen's, 1981–1986, 1993
Sir Edward Peacock Professor of Economic Theory, Queen's, 1991–2008
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HONOURS: Rhodes Scholarship, 1964
Queen Elizabeth II Ontario Scholarship, 1970
Canada Council Doctoral Fellowship, 1972
Post-Doctoral Fellowship, University of Chicago, 1976–77
Harry Johnson Memorial Prizes for best article in the
Canadian Journal of Economics, 1978 and 2002
Fellow of the Royal Society of Canada, 1986
Queen's University Prize for Excellence in Research, 1991
Queen's Economics Department Research Prizes, 2005, 2012
Officer of the Order of Canada, 2008
Distinguished CES Fellow, University of Munich, 2009
Queen Elizabeth II Diamond Jubilee Medal, 2012
Fellow of the Canadian Economics Association, 2014
Doctor Honoris Causa, Uppsala University, 2016
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Professional Positions

Member, CESifo Research Network

Affiliated Member, Norwegian Centre for Taxation

Minister's Advisory Board, Canadian Military Colleges, 1990–4

Executive Committee, International Seminar in Public Economics, 1993–

President, Canadian Economics Association, 1996–7

Board of Management, International Institute of Public Finance, 1998–2004

Associate Member, Centre Interuniversitaire sur le Risque, les Politiques Économiques et l'Emploi (CIRPÉE)

Fellow, Institute of Intergovernmental Relations, School of Policy Studies, Queen's University, 2002–12

Honorary Life Member, Atlantic Canada Economics Association, October, 2004–

Academic Panel, Fiscal Affairs Department, International Monetary Fund, 2005–07

Executive Vice President, International Institute of Public Finance, 2006–09

Scientific Advisory Council, IFO Institute, Munich, 2008–16; Chair, 2013–16

President, International Institute of Public Finance, 2009–12

Honorary President, International Institute of Public Finance, 2012–

Scientific Advisory Board, Max Planck Institute for Tax Law and Public Finance, 2009–15; Chair, 2012–15

Scientific Council, School of Public Policy, University of Calgary, 2018–20

Advisory Board, Intergovernmental Fiscal Relations Commission, 2020–

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Honorary Member of the Ibero-American Association for Local Financing, 2021–

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- Tax Policy: Principles and Lessons*, with Katherine Cuff, Cambridge Elements in Public Economics (Cambridge, UK: Cambridge University Press, 2022), 83 pp.

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Invited Public and Plenary Lectures

- Invited Lecture at Canadian Economics Association Annual Meetings, Halifax, 1981 (“Recent Developments in Regional Economic Policy”).
- Busteed Memorial Lecture at University College, Cork, April 21, 1987 (“The Composition of the Government Budget and Capital Formation”).
- National Science Council of Taiwan Invited Lecturer, Sun Yat-sen Institute, Academia Sinica, Taiwan, April, 1990.
- Public Lecture for Excellence in Research Prize, Queen’s University, September 19 1992, (“Recent Advances in the Theory of the Role of Government in the Economy”).
- E.S. Woodward Lecture at the University of British Columbia, February 23, 1995 (“The Changing Face of Canadian Federalism: The Fiscal Dimension”).
- The Vancouver Institute Lecture, February 25, 1995 (“Reforming Social Policy: Can the Federal Government Deliver”).
- John Graham Lecture at the Atlantic Canada Economics Association meetings, Fredericton, New Brunswick, October 20, 1995 (“The Changing Face of Canadian Federalism: Implications for the Atlantic Provinces”).
- John Graham Memorial Lecture at Dalhousie University, March 14, 1996 (“The Folly of Decentralizing the Federation”).

Presidential Address to the Canadian Economics Association Annual Meetings, Memorial University, June 7, 1997 (“Public Economics and the Theory of Public Policy”).

Invited Lecture to the Canadian Economics Association Annual Meetings, University of British Columbia, June 2, 2000 (“The Theory of Redistribution”).

Invited Lecture at 57th Congress of the International Institute of Public Finance, University of Linz, Austria, August, 2001 (“The Role of Public Choice Considerations in Normative Public Economics”).

Invited Lecture at CESifo Conference on Venture Capital, Entrepreneurship, and Public Policy, Munich, Germany, November 22, 2002 (“Information Problems in Start-Up Entrepreneurship: The Public Finance View”).

Canadian Studies Invited Lecture, Mount Allison University, February 18, 2003 (“In Defence of Equalization”).

Invited Lecture at Area Conference on Public Economics, CESifo, Munich, Germany, May 10, 2003 (“The Theory and Practice of Equalization”).

Invited Lecture at Les Journées du CIRPEE (Centre Interuniversitaire sur le Risque, les Politiques Économiques et l’Emploi), Orford, Quebec, October 17, 2003 (“Financing New Investments under Asymmetric Information: A General Approach”).

Faculty of Science Public Lecture, University of Windsor, November 18, 2003 (“Should the Canadian Federation be Rebalanced?: A Memo for Paul Martin”).

Seminar at the IMF Institute Economics Training Program, Washington, D.C., September 10, 2004 (“The Role of Intergovernmental Grants in Federations”).

Public Lecture at St. Francis Xavier University, Antigonish, Nova Scotia, January 25, 2005 (“Offshore Oil, Equalization, and Flags of Convenience”).

Invited Lecture at the Workshop on Fiscal Federalism, University of Barcelona, June 6, 2005 (“The Theory of Vertical Fiscal Imbalance”).

Invited Lecture at the Ministry of Internal Affairs and Communications, Tokyo, Japan, June 28, 2005 (“Fiscal Decentralization and the Role of Equalizing Transfers”).

Invited Lecture at the Atlantic Canada Economics Association Annual Meetings, Dalhousie University, October 21, 2005 (“Equalization at the Crossroads: Can it Cope with the Emerging Imbalances?”).

Invited Lecture at the XIth Spring Meeting of Young Economists, Universidad Pablo Olavide, Seville, Spain, May 27, 2006 (“Financing and Taxing New Firms under Asymmetric Information”).

Invited Lecture at the Research Council of Norway Research Forum on Taxation — Skatteforum 2006 — Holmsbu, Norway, June 14, 2006 (“Taxation and Entrepreneurship”).

Invited Lecture at the Second Summer School in Public Economics, Andrew Young School of Policy Studies, Georgia State University, Atlanta, Georgia, July 10, 2006 (“Theoretical Research in Public Economics: Issues and Challenges”).

Invited Lecture at the Sixth Journ’ees d’/’conomie publique Louis-André Gérard-

- Varet, Institut d'Économie Publique, Marseille, France, June 14, 2007 (“Commitment and Matching Contributions to Public Goods”).
- Invited Lecture at the Public Economics Theory Conference (PET07), Vanderbilt University, Nashville, Tennessee, July 6, 2007 (“Optimal Tax Design and Enforcement with an Informal Sector”).
- Invited Lecture at the 15th Spanish Public Economics Conference (XV Encuentro de Economía Publica), University of Salamanca, Spain, February 7, 2008 (“Entrepreneurship and Asymmetric Information in Input Markets”).
- Invited Lecture at the 2008 APJAE Symposium on Public Policies and Social Welfare, City University of Hong Kong, May 16, 2008 (“Pigouvian Taxation in a Ramsey World”).
- Inaugural Lecture for the David Chadwick Smith Chair in Economics, Queen’s University, October 23, 2008 (“Universities Policy Ten Years after the Smith Report”).
- McGee Public Policy Lecture, Vanderbilt University, December 1, 2008 (“The Case for Inheritance Tax”).
- The Harry Kitchen Lecture, Trent University, October 8, 2009 (“Canada’s Coming Fiscal Challenges”).
- The Munich Lectures, Centre for Economic Studies, University of Munich, November 17–19, 2009 (“From Optimal Tax Theory to Tax Policy: Retrospective and Prospective Views”).
- Seminar at the IMF Institute Economics Training Program, Washington, D.C., March 29, 2010 (“Fiscal Federalism”).
- The Mundell-Huang Da Lecture, Renmin University, Beijing China, May 17, 2011 (“Reassessment of the Tiebout Model”).
- Invited Lecture at CESifo-IREES Conference on Taxation, Transfers and the Labour Market, Louvain la Neuve, Belgium, June 16, 2011 (“Optimal Income Taxation and the Labour Market: An Overview”).
- Invited Lecture at WZB Conference on Unraveling States? Mergers, Secessions and (De)centralisation, Berlin, Germany, November 9, 2011 (“The Evolution of Fiscal Federalism since Tiebout”).
- Invited Lecture at Vanderbilt Taxation Theory Conference Conference, Nashville, USA, May 18, 2012 (“Optimal Income Tax with Uncertain Earnings”).
- Invited Lecture at Max Planck Institute for Tax Law and Public Finance, Munich, Germany, July 10, 2012 (“Tax Policy for the 21st Century: The Evolution of Tax Reform Principles and Practices”).
- Invited Lecture at the International Institute of Public Finance 69th Annual Congress, Taormina, Italy, August 22, 2013 (“Principles and Practices of of Fiscal Federalism: Lessons from OECD Federations”).
- Special Lecture in Memory of Peter Townley, Atlantic Canada Economics Association 41st Annual Conference, Memorial University of Newfoundland, St. John’s, October 18, 2013 (“Dutch Disease in a Federal Context: Challenges for Canadian Policy-Makers”).
- ITD Global Conference on Tax and Intergovernmental Relations, Marrakech, Mo-

- rocco, December 3, 2013 (“Principles and Practices of Fiscal Federalism: Lessons from OECD Federations”).
- Invited Lecture at the Tenth Summer School in Public Economics, Andrew Young School of Policy Studies, Georgia State University, Atlanta, Georgia, July 7, 2014 (“Optimal Income Taxation and Policy”).
- Purvis Luncheon Address, Canadian Economics Association Annual Meetings, Ryerson University, Toronto, May 30, 2015 (“Tax Policy for a Rent-Rich Economy”).
- Invited Lecture at the Public Economics Theory Conference (PET15), University of Luxembourg, Luxembourg, July 3, 2015 (“Cash-Flow Business Taxation Revisited: Bankruptcy, Risk Aversion and Asymmetric Information”).
- Invited Lecture at CORE@50 Conference, Université catholique de Louvain, Belgium, May 23, 2016 (“A Critical Appraisal of Optimal Income Tax Methodology”).
- Invited Lecture at Norwegian Center of Taxation and NHH Fall Conference, Bergen, Norway, October 2, 2017 (“Cash Flow Corporate Taxation in a Second-best Setting”).
- Invited Lecture at the Joint Workshop on Fiscal Federalism, Universidade Católica de Brasília, Brazil, May 10, 2018 (“Fiscal Federalism Issues in Resource-Rich Federations”).
- Eric J. Hanson Lecture, Institute for Public Economics, University of Alberta, October 11, 2018 (“An Agenda for Tax Reform in Canada”).
- Invited Lecture at the Collaborative Applied Research in Economics, Memorial University, November 14, 2018 (“Implementing a Basic Income Guarantee in Canada: Prospects and Problems”).
- Invited Lecture at the Annual Conference of the Japan Institute for Public Finance, Yokohama National University, October 20, 2019 (“A Critical Appraisal of Optimal Tax Methodology”).

Other Activities

- Invited to deliver two-week course for University teachers by Yrho Jahnsen Foundation, Helsinki Finland, August, 1988
- Invited to give a series of lectures on “Fiscal Aspects of Pensions and Social Security” to the Netherlands Graduate School of Economics, Tinbergen Institute, Rotterdam, December, 1993
- Invited to give a series of lectures on “The Public Provision of Private Goods” at Uppsala University, Sweden, May, 1995
- Invited to deliver one-week course on fiscal federalism to the Finnish Postgraduate Programme in Economics, University of Helsinki, Finland, June, 1999
- Invited to deliver a short course on “The Theory of Redistribution under Imperfect Information,” May, 2000, CES, University of Munich
- Canadian Studies Visiting Scholar, Mount Allison University, February, 2003
- Invited to deliver a two-week course on Public Economic Theory at the Institute for Advanced Studies, Wuhan University, China, April-May, 2004
- Participated in IMF High-Level Workshop on Fiscal Federalism for Iraqi Officials, Beirut, Lebanon, December, 2004
- Invited to deliver a course on Public Economics to PhD students at the University of Barcelona, Spain, June, 2005
- Invited to give a series of lectures on Research in Public Economics, National Taiwan University, June, 2007
- Invited to deliver a course on Public Economics to Swiss PhD students at the University of Fribourg, Switzerland, April, 2008
- Member of the Independent Expert Group of the Commission on Scottish Devolution, 2008–09
- Invited to deliver a course on Public Economics to Norwegian PhD students at the Norwegian School of Economics and Business Administration, Bergen, Norway, April, 2009
- Invited to deliver a course on Public Economics to Swiss and Italian PhD students at the University of Lugano, Switzerland, June, 2010
- Invited to deliver a course on Public Economics to Graduate students at the Central University of Finance and Economics, Beijing, China, May, 2011, 2012, 2013
- Invited to deliver lectures on Public Economics to PhD students at the University of Tokyo, Japan, December, 2011
- Invited to deliver lectures on Fiscal Federalism to PhD students at the ERSA 2012 Summer School, Umeå University, Sweden, July, 2012
- Invited to deliver a course on Public Economics to Graduate students at the Southwestern University of Finance and Economics, Chengdu, China, October, 2012
- Invited to deliver a course on Public Economics to Nordic PhD students at Oslo Fiscal Studies, the University of Oslo, Norway, March, 2014
- Invited to deliver a short course on Optimal Income Taxation and Policy to PhD students at the University of Luxembourg, May, 2014

Editorial Responsibilities

Editor, *Elements of Public Economics Series*, Cambridge University Press, 2016–23
Contributing Editor, Current Tax Readings, *Canadian Tax Journal*, 2015–21
Editor, *Journal of Public Economics*, 2003–08
Co-Editor, *Journal of Public Economics*, 1999–2002
Co-Editor, *German Economic Journal*, 1999–2002
Managing Editor, *Canadian Journal of Economics*, 1987–93
Editorial Board, *American Economic Review*, 1991–94
Editorial Board, *International Taxation and Public Finance*, 1992–2002
Associate Editor, *Journal of Public Economic Theory*, 1998–2000
Editorial Advisory Board, *National Tax Journal*, 1998–2017
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Editorial Board, *e-Journal of Tax Research*, 2003–
Editorial Board, *Regional Science and Urban Economics*, 2004–10
Panel member, *Economic Policy*, 2009–20
Advisory Board, *FinanzArchiv*, 2009–13
Editorial Board, *American Economic Journal: Economic Policy*, 2010–16
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