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EDUCATION

Ph.D. Applied Economics Expected December 2009

University of Minnesota, St. Paul, MN

Fields: Production and Marketing Economics, International Trade and Development

M.S. Agricultural and Applied Economics January 1997

University of Minnesota, St. Paul, MN

Emphasis: Production and Marketing Economics

B.A. Agricultural Economics February 1994

Korea University, Seoul, Korea

DISSERTATION TOPIC

“Evaluating Weather Derivatives and Crop Insurance for Farm Production Risk Management in Southern Minnesota”

Prof. Glenn Pederson (Advisor), Applied Economics, University of Minnesota

Prof. Clarissa Yeap (Co-advisor), Applied Economics, University of Minnesota

Prof. Robert King, Applied Economics, University of Minnesota

Prof. Qiuqiong Huang, Applied Economics, University of Minnesota

Prof. Frederico Belo, Carlson School of Management, University of Minnesota

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Financial Economics, Agribusiness, Risk Management,

International Trade, Supply Chain Management

TEACHING INTERESTS

Microeconomics, Econometrics, Statistics,

Financial Economics, Managerial Economics, Production Economics

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Research Analyst, Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis, MN February 2009-Present

Analyzing Regional Economy of the Ninth District

Research Assistant, University of Minnesota, St. Paul, MN May 2007-Present
USDA ERS project on Supermarket Operations and Management Practices with Professor Yeap

Economist, Korea Development Bank, Seoul, Korea September 1997-January 1999
Estimating National Economic Indices and Foreign Exchange Rates
Analyzing International Financial Markets and Banking Industry

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Teaching Assistant, University of Minnesota, St. Paul, MN
APEC 1251: Principles of Accounting (Professor Nefstead) Fall, 2006
APEC 4821: Business Economics and Strategy (Professor Yeap) Spring, 2007

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Senior Manager, Korea Development Bank, Seoul, Korea February 1999–July 2005
Senior Trader on Financial Derivative Products (Forward, Options and Swaps)
Financial Risk Manager and Consultant for Major Korean Companies
Operation Manager (Accounting and Settlement)
Senior Loan Officer

Economist, Ministry of Finance and Economy, Seoul, Korea February 2003-February 2004
Member of WTO DDA (Doha Development Agenda) Task Force Team as an Advisor on Korean
Financial Market and Banking Industry
Analyzing New Trade Issues (Investment, Competition Policy, Transparency in Government
Procurement and Trade Facilitation)

PUBLICATIONS

Rob Grunewald and Wonho Chung. "Following a Solid 2008, Will District Manufactured Exports
Grow in 2009?", Fedgazette, v.23, no.3, 2009, Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis (Forthcoming)

Wonho Chung et al. "WTO DDA 2003 Report - From Doha To Cancun", DDA Task Force Team,
Ministry of Finance and Economy, Seoul, Korea, November 2003 (Press No. 11-1190000-000087-01)

Wonho Chung et al. "International Financial Market Review" (Monthly), Department of International
Finance, Korea Development Bank, Seoul, Korea, September 1997-January 1999

Wonho Chung. "The Emerging Factors Affecting the Demand for Fertilizer and Farm Machinery - An
Empirical Analysis", M.S. Plan B Paper, University of Minnesota, MN, December 1996

WORK IN PROGRESS

Wonho Chung, Glenn Pederson, and Qiuqiong Huang. "Evaluating Crop Insurance and Weather
Derivatives in Midwest Crop Agriculture."

Wonho Chung and Clarissa Yeap. "Productivity and Changes in Ownership of Supermarket Stores."

Clarissa Yeap and Wonho Chung. "Supermarket Operations and Management Practices: Evaluating Performance and Competitiveness in the Retail Food Industry."

PRESENTATIONS

Agricultural and Applied Economics Association Annual Meeting, Milwaukee, WI, July, 2009, "Productivity and Ownership Changes in the Supermarket Industry" (Scheduled)

Applied Economics Seminar, Applied Economics, University of Minnesota, MN, March, 2009, "Evaluating Weather Derivatives and Crop Insurance for Farm Production Risk Management in Southern Minnesota"

HONORS AND AWARDS

Travel Award, USDA ERS, 2009

The Heug-Harrison Fellowship, University of Minnesota, 2009-2010

Ministerial Award, Ministry of Finance and Economy, Seoul, Korea, 2003

High Scholarship Award, Korea Banking Institute, Seoul, Korea, 2001

Tuition Fellowship, University of Minnesota, MN, 1996

Scholarship, Samyang-sa Scholarship Foundation, Seoul, Korea, 1995

PROFESSIONAL SERVICES AND MEMBERSHIP

The Korea-America Economic Association, 2009-Present

American Agricultural Economics Association, 2007-Present

Applied Economics Graduate Club Computer Chair, 2006-2007

Financial Risk Manager, Global Association of Risk Professionals, NJ, 2001-Present

Information Technology Qualification, Korea Productivity Center, Seoul, Korea, 2000-Present

OTHER SKILLS

Computer Software:

- Microsoft Office: Excel, Word, Access, Power Point
- Statistical and Mathematical Software: STATA, MATLAB, GAUSS, GAMS, SAS, SPSS

Language:

- Korean(Native), English(Fluent), Chinese(Basic), Deutsch(Basic)

REFERENCES

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