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EDUCATION

- 1978 Ph.D. in Finance, Graduate School of Industrial Administration, Carnegie-Mellon University.
- 1975 M.S. in Industrial Administration, Graduate School of Industrial Administration, Carnegie-Mellon University.
- 1974 M.S. in Computer Science, Rice University.
- 1972 B. Tech Electrical Engineering, Indian Institute of Technology, Kanpur, India.
- 1966-67 St. Stephen's College, University of Delhi, India.

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

- 2010- Present E.N. Basha Arizona Heritage Chair
Professor of Finance and Economics
W.P. Carey School of Business
Arizona State University, Tempe, AZ.
- 1988 - 2010 Professor of Finance
Department of Economics
University of California, Santa Barbara, CA.
- 1987-1989 Visiting Professor of Finance
Sloan School of Management,
Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge, MA.
- 1985-1988 Associate Professor of Finance
Department of Economics
University of California, Santa Barbara, CA.
- 1977-1985 Assistant and Associate Professor
Graduate School of Business,
Columbia University, New York, NY.

SABBATICALS AND SHORT APPOINTMENTS

Spring 2010	Sabbatical at the Graduate School of Business, Columbia University.
2008 - 2009	E.N Basha Arizona Heritage Visiting Professor, Arizona State University.
Fall 2007	Visiting Professor of Finance, London Business School.
1995 – 2006	Visiting Professor of Finance, Graduate School of Business, University of Chicago. (Executive MBA teaching in Barcelona, Chicago, London and Singapore).
Fall 2005	Sabbatical at the Swiss Banking Institute, University of Zurich.
Spring 2005	Sabbatical at the School of Management, Yale University.
Fall 2004	Visiting Professor of Finance, Sloan School of Management, Massachusetts Institute of Technology.
Fall 2000	Sabbatical at the Graduate School of Business, Stanford University.
Fall 1993	Sabbatical at the Research Department International Monetary Fund, Washington D.C.
Fall 1990	Sabbatical at the Wharton School, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA.
Summer 1988	Visiting Scholar, Stockholm School of Economics Stockholm, Sweden.
Fall 1986	Visiting Associate, Institute of Economics and Statistics, University of Oxford, England.
Summer 1982	Visiting Scholar, Norwegian School of Economics and Business Administration, Bergen, Norway.
Summer 1981	Professor Invité, École des Hautes Études Commerciales, University of Lausanne, Switzerland.
Spring 1980	Visiting Assistant Professor, Graduate School of Management, University of California, Los Angeles, CA.
Fall 1979	Visiting Scholar, Graduate School of Business, University of Chicago, Chicago, IL.
1976-1977	Assistant Professor of Finance, School of Business, Queens University, Kingston, Canada.

PUBLICATIONS

“On the Financing and Investment Decisions of Multinational Firms in the Presence of Exchange Risk,” *Journal of Financial and Quantitative Analysis*, July, 1978, pp. 227-244.

“Recursive Competitive Equilibrium: The Case of Homogeneous Households,” (with E.C. Prescott), *Econometrica*, 48, September, 1980, pp. 1365-1379.

Reprinted in *Growth Theory* - ed. by R. Becker and E. Burmeister, Edward Elgar Publishing Ltd., Brookfield, VT 1991.

Reprinted in *Theory of Valuation* by Sudipto Bhattacharya and George M. Constantinides World Scientific 2006

“Stochastic Growth with Correlated Production Shocks,” (with J.B. Donaldson), *Journal of Economic Theory*, 29, April, 1983, pp. 282-312.

“On the Impact of Shock Persistence on the Dynamics of a Recursive Economy,” (with J.P. Danthine and J.B. Donaldson), *European Economic Review*, 22, July, 1983, pp. 147-166.

“Comparative Dynamics of An Equilibrium Intertemporal Asset Pricing Model,” (with J.B. Donaldson), *The Review of Economic Studies*, 51, July, 1984, pp. 491-508.

Reprinted in *Growth Theory* - ed. by R. Becker and E. Burmeister, Edward Elgar Publishing Ltd., Brookfield, VT 1991.

“Recursive Competitive Equilibrium: A Parametric Example,” *Economics Letters*, 16, December, 1984, pp. 273-278.

“The Equity Premium: A Puzzle,” (with E.C. Prescott), *Journal of Monetary Economics*, 15, March, 1985, pp. 145-161.

Reprinted in *The Economic Legacy of Robert Lucas, Jr.* - ed. by Kevin D. Hoover, Edward Elgar Publishing Ltd., Brookfield, VT 1998.

Reprinted in *Financial Markets and the Real Economy* - ed. by John Cochrane, Edward Elgar Publishing Ltd., Brookfield, VT 2006

Reprinted in *The International Library of Financial Econometrics*- ed. by Andrew Lo, Edward Elgar: Cheltenham, UK, Nothampton, MA 2007

Reprinted in James Tobin, Franco Modigliani, Finn E. Kydland and Edward C. Prescott - ed. by Howard R. Vane and Chris Mulhearn , Edward Elgar: Cheltenham, UK, Nothampton, MA 2010

“On the Existence and Representation of Equilibrium in an Economy with Growth and Nonstationary Consumption,” *International Economic Review*, 29, February, 1988, pp. 131-135.

- “The Equity Risk Premium: A Solution?” (with E.C. Prescott), *Journal of Monetary Economics*, 22, July, 1988, pp. 133-136.
- “On Some Computational Aspects of Equilibrium Business Cycle Theory,” (with J.P. Danthine and J.B. Donaldson), *Journal of Economic Dynamics & Control*, 13, July, 1989, pp. 449-470.
- “El 'Equity Premium': un Dilema,” *Cuadernos Economicos de ICE*, 42, November, 1989, pp. 123-37.
- “On the Term Structure of Interest Rates,” (with J.B. Donaldson and T. Johnsen), *Journal of Economic Dynamics and Control*, 14, October, 1990, pp. 571-596.
- “El comportamiento de la estructura temporal de los tipos de interés en un modelo de ciclos economicos,” (joint with J.B. Donaldson & T. Johnsen), *Cuadernos Economicos de ICE*, 49, Fall, 1991, pp. 89-120.
- “The Equity Premium and the Allocation of Income Risk,” (joint with J.P. Danthine & J.B. Donaldson), *Journal of Economic Dynamics and Control*, 16, July/October, 1992, pp. 509-532.
- “Auctions: Theory and Applications,” (joint with R.A. Feldman), *IMF Staff Papers*, 40, September, 1993, pp. 485-511.
- “Dynamic Decentralization,” (with J.B. Donaldson), in *Business Cycles, Panics and Depressions*, ed. by David Glassner, Garland Press, New York, 1997.
- “The Equity Premium Puzzle,” in *Business Cycles, Panics and Depressions*, ed. by David Glassner, Garland Press, New York, 1997.
- “The Stock Market Crash of 1987,” (with A.W. Kleidon) in *Business Cycles, Panics and Depressions*, David Glassner, ed., Garland Press, New York, 1997.
- “On the Volatility of Stock Prices: An Exercise in Quantitative Theory,” *International Journal of Systems Science*, 29, November, 1998 pp. 1203-1211.
- “The Equity Premium,” in *The Global Investor Book of Investing Rules* ed. by Philip Jenks and Stephen Eckett, Harriman House Ltd., Great Britain, 2001.
- “Mood Fluctuations, Projection Bias, And Volatility Of Equity Prices,” (with Raaj Sah), *Journal of Economic Dynamics and Control*, 26, May, 2002, pp. 869-887.
- “Junior Can't Borrow: A New Perspective on the Equity Premium Puzzle,” (with G.M. Constantinides and J.B. Donaldson), *Quarterly Journal of Economics*, 117, February, 2002, pp. 269-96.
- “Finance 2001,” *Journal of Economic Dynamics and Control*, 26 6/7, 2002, pp. 1069-1074.
- “The Equity Premium: Why Is It A Puzzle?” *Financial Analysts Journal*, January /February 2003, pp 54-69. Awarded a Financial Analysts Foundation Graham and Dodd Scroll for excellence in financial writing.

- “The Equity Premium Puzzle in Retrospect,” (with E.C. Prescott) *Handbook of the Economics of Finance* ed. by G.M Constantinides, M. Harris and R. Stulz, North Holland, Amsterdam, 2003.
- “Junior Must Pay: Pricing the Implicit Put in Privatizing Social Security,” (with J.B. Donaldson and G.M. Constantinides), *Annals of Finance*, 1, January 2005, pp.1-34.
- “Junior is Rich: Bequests as Consumption,” (with J.B. Donaldson and G.M. Constantinides). *Economic Theory* Volume 32, 2007, pp 125-155.
- “The Equity Premium in India,” *Oxford Companion to Economics in India* ed. by Kaushik Basu, Oxford University Press, 2007.
- “The Equity Premium: ABCs,” (with E.C. Prescott) *The Handbook of the Equity Risk Premium*. ed. by Rajnish Mehra, Elsevier, Amsterdam, 2008, pp 1-36.
- “Risk Based Explanations of the Equity Premium” (with J.B Donaldson) *Handbook of Investments: The Handbook of the Equity Risk Premium*. ed. by Rajnish Mehra, Elsevier, Amsterdam, 2008, pp 37- 100.
- “Non Risk Based Explanations of the Equity Premium” (with E.C Prescott) *Handbook of Investments: The Handbook of the Equity Risk Premium*. ed. by Rajnish Mehra, Elsevier, Amsterdam, 2008, pp 101-215.
- “The Equity Premium Puzzle: A Review” *Foundations and Trends in Finance*: 2008 Vol. 2: No 1, pp 1-81.
- “Recursive Competitive Equilibrium,” *New Palgrave Dictionary of Economics*, 2nd Edition, Macmillan, 2008, pp 35-38.
- “Indian Equity Markets: Measures of Fundamental Value”, *India Policy Forum*, Volume 6, 2010, pp 1-30
- “Costly Financial Intermediation in Neoclassical Growth Theory” (with F. Piguillem and E.C. Prescott), *Quantitative Economics*, Volume 2, March 2011, pp.1-36.

BOOK

The Handbook of the Equity Risk Premium, edited volume in the North Holland Handbook of Finance Series, Elsevier, Amsterdam, 2008

OTHER PUBLICATIONS

- “Equity Risk Premium Forum: Current Estimates and Prospects for Change II,” AIMR On Line Publication, <http://www.aimrpubs.org/ap/issues/v2002n1/toc.html>, June 2002.
- “Finance 2001: New Paradigms in Finance,” Editor, Special Volume of *JEDC*, North Holland, Amsterdam, 26 6/7, 2002.

“Stocks and Bonds in the Portfolio Life-Cycle,” (with S. J. Davis), *Financial Times* June 4, 2001.

Reprinted in *Mastering Investments*, ed. by James Pickford, FT-Prentice Hall, London, 2002.

“Equity Premium Puzzle,” *Financial Times* May 28, 2001.

Reprinted in *Mastering Investments*, ed. by James Pickford, FT-Prentice Hall, London, 2002.

“Applications of Finance,” Editor, Special Volume of *JEDC*, North Holland, Amsterdam, 1992.

“Auctions: A Sampling of Techniques,” (joint with R.A. Feldman), *Finance and Development*, 30, September, 1993, pp. 32-35.

Reprinted in Arabic, Chinese, French, German, Portuguese and Spanish.

“Role of Auctions in Countries Moving to Market Economies,” *IMF Survey* 2, September, 1993, pp. 275-276.

CASE STUDIES

Connecticut's Challenge: Defense Conversion in the 1990s, (joint with Benjamin Cohen), State Legislative Leaders Foundation, 1993.

WORKING PAPERS

“Demographics and Asset Pricing” (with George M. Constantinides and J.B. Donaldson). Working Paper, 2007.

“Portfolio Horizon and Portfolio Strategy” (with Roger Moon and Yong Bae Moon). Working Paper, 2005.

RESEARCH IN PROGRESS

“Sharing Electronic Value Added in Strategic Alliances,” (with Bala Balachandaran and C. Z. Qin)

“Surplus Sharing Games for Strategic Alliances: The Core and Nucleolus Concept,” (with Bala Balachandaran and C. Z. Qin)

“Market Volatility and Economic Growth,” (with J.B. Donaldson).

“Risk: A New Perspective,” (with J.B. Donaldson).

SEMINARS, LECTURES AND CONFERENCE PARTICIPATION 2005-PRESENT

Yale University, Spring 2005
 Stockholm Institute for Financial Research, Spring 2005
 Keynote Address, Brazilian Finance Association, Sao Paulo, Summer 2005
 India Policy Forum, Delhi Summer 2005
 University of Lausanne, Fall 2005
 University of Zurich, Fall 2005
 Sloan School of Management, MIT, Fall 2005
 University of Mannheim, Fall 2005
 University of Lugano, Fall 2005
 Mannheim Research Institute, OLG Conference, Fall 2005
 USC, Spring 2006
 Yale University, Spring 2006
 Kavli Institute of Theoretical Physics, Spring 2006
 India Policy Forum, Delhi. Summer 2006
 Hebrew University, Jerusalem. Fall 2006
 Norwegian School of Business Admin. & Economics, Winter 2007
 Oxford Finance Symposium, Oxford. Summer 2007
 Economic Theory Conference, Kos. Summer 2007
 India Policy Forum, Delhi. Summer 2007
 University of Virginia, Fall 2007
 Charles University, Prague, Fall 2007
 London Business School, Fall 2007
 London School of Economics Fall 2007
 Peking University, Fall 2007
 20th CRAF Special Lecture University of Tokyo, Fall 2007
 Yonsei University, Korea, Fall 2007
 Bank of Korea, Fall 2007
 Duke University, Winter 2008
 University of New South Wales, Sydney, Spring 2008
 University of Mannheim, Spring 2008
 Arizona State University, Spring 2008
 ESSFM Gerzensee Summer 2008
 Columbia University, Fall 2008
 University of Chicago, Fall 2008
 Reykjavik University, Fall 2008
 University of Zurich, Fall 2008
 Wharton, University of Pennsylvania, Fall 2008
 Economic Forecast Lunch, Arizona State University, Fall 2008
 UCLA, Winter 2009
 Rice University, Spring 2009
 India Policy Forum, Summer 2009
 University of Calgary, Fall 2009
 UCSD, Fall 2009
 India Policy Forum, Summer 2010

ITAM, Mexico City, Fall 2010
Carnegie-Mellon University, Fall 2010
University of Wisconsin, Fall 2010

EDITORIAL BOARD: *Annals of Finance 2004-present*

ASSOCIATE EDITOR: *Journal of Economic Dynamics and Control 1990-2008*
Global Finance Journal 1995- 2005

EDITOR: *Journal of Economic Dynamics and Control, Special Issue on Finance.*
Journal of Economic Dynamics and Control, Finance 2000:New Paradigms in Finance.

ACADEMIC HONORS AND AFFILIATIONS

Chazen Scholar, Columbia University, 2010

Thormahlen Family Fellowship 2009-2010

20th CRAF Special Lecture University of Tokyo, Fall 2007

Keynote Speaker, Norwegian School of Economics, 2007

External Reviewer, Masters Program in Finance, London Business School, 2007

Academic Advisory Council, Great Lakes Institute of Management, Chennai, India

Keynote Address, Brazilian Finance Association, 2005

Scott Scheon Fellow, Yale University, 2005

Distinguished Finance Scholar, University of Sydney, 2004

Keynote Address, Equity Premium Conference, University of Exeter, 2004

Financial Analysts Foundation Graham and Dodd Scroll Award for excellence in financial writing awarded by the *Financial Analysts Journal*, 2003

ISRO-Satish Dhawan Memorial Lecture, Bangalore, Fall 2003

Member, Research Panel, National Council of Applied Economic Research, India

Research Associate, National Bureau of Economic Research.

Senior Member, Institute of Electrical & Electronic Engineers.

William Larimer Mellon Fellowship from GSIA, Carnegie-Mellon University - 1974-76.

Fellowship from Carnegie-Mellon University - 1973-74.

Tau Beta Pi - 1972.

Fellowship from Rice University - 1972-73.

RESEARCH GRANTS

National Science Foundation Grant: “Stochastic Properties of Dynamic Economies,” (with J.B. Donaldson).

National Science Foundation Grant: “Recursive Competitive Equilibrium: Some Theoretical Extensions,” (with J.B. Donaldson).

National Science Foundation Grant: “Dynamic Economics: Some Applications,” (with J.B. Donaldson).

Academic Senate Grant, University of California: “Dynamic Finance: Some Applications.”

Academic Senate Grant, University of California: “Monetary Models in Finance: A Framework for Policy Evaluation.”

Academic Senate Grant, University of California: “Dynamic Equilibria in the Presence of Efficiency Wage and Contracting Considerations.”

Academic Senate Grant, University of California: “On the Volatility of Stock Market Prices and Growth.”

GRADUATE STUDENTS SUPERVISED

Francisco Azeredo (Chairman); Antonio Bonnet (Chairman, Sloan MS); Enrique Casanueva (Chairman, Sloan MS); Wei Cui (Chairman); Aarne Dimanlig (Chairman); Edward Dumas; Rong Gao (Chairman); Seok-Kyun Hur (Chicago); Alok Khare (Chairman); William Lee (Columbia); Apollo Lupescu (Chairman); Yongbae Moon (Chairman); Oddegir Ottesen; Vikram Pandit (Columbia); Joao Rosario (Chairman); Kenji Wada (Chicago); Wan-Ru Yang (Chairman); Yijuan Zheng (Chairman)

GRADUATE STUDENTS (IN-PROGRESS)

Dennie Lim (Chairman)

SELECTED UNIVERSITY SERVICE

Director, Center for the Advanced Study in Economic Efficiency, Arizona State University
2008-09

Chairman, Department of Economics UCSB, 2001- 2004

Member, Faculty Advisory Board of the Center for Entrepreneurship and Engineering
Management (CEEM)

Member, Board of Directors UCSB Economic Forecasting Project

Director, Joint Engineering/Economics Program

Member, Ad Hoc Committee for Implementing an MBA program

Director, MAE/BE Program

Member, Recruitment Committee

Member, Faculty Review Committee

Member, Graduate Committee

Chair, MA Committee

Member, Intercampus Ad Hoc Faculty Review Committee

Member, Various University Search Committees

Planned, organized and conducted conference on “Restructuring America: The Challenge of
Defense Conversion.” A colloquium for state legislators and corporate leaders, focused
on public policy in the post cold war era.

Chairman, Engineering/Economics Committee for the joint BS (Eng)/MA (Bus Econ) Program
Conceived, initiated and successfully implemented a 5-year joint degree program in
Engineering and Business Economics. This interdisciplinary program graduates students
with Bachelors in Engineering and a Masters in Business Economics.

MAJOR CONSULTING APPOINTMENTS

Vega Asset Management, New York NY.: Advisor for Quantitative Strategies.

HFR Asset Management: Member Index Committee.

Sonnenschein, Nath & Rosenthal, Chicago IL.: Expert Testimony for IPO Valuation.

Salomon Smith Barney, London.: Consultant to the Fixed Income Arbitrage Group on Proprietary Trades, Hedging and Valuation Techniques.

International Monetary Fund, Washington D.C.: Pension Fund Asset /Liability management.

International Monetary Fund, Washington D.C.: Auctions and Privatization in Eastern Europe

International Monetary Fund, Washington D.C.: Portfolio Hedging in the Presence of Price Jumps

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

American Finance Association, American Economic Association, Econometric Society, Institute of Electrical & Electronic Engineers.