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Research Associate, NBER, 1992-present.

Positions

Heinz Riehl Professor of Economics, Stern School of Business, New York University; Chair, Economics, 2006-2010; Chair, Accounting, 2004-06; Vice Dean of Faculty, 1998-2003; Chair, International Business, 1995-97; Associate Professor, 1990-95.

Economist, Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis, 1988-1990.

Associate Professor of Finance, University of British Columbia, 1987-88.

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