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Current fields of research

- Trade and growth / Dutch Disease
- Human capital, Migration and growth
- Economic growth and regional economic development

University Degree

Ph.D. Université Laval, economics, 1982

B. A. Université Laval, economics 1977

Full time employment

Since 2018 Emeritus professor, University of Ottawa

1999-2018 Full professor, department of economics, University of Ottawa

1989-1999 Associate professor, department of economics, University of Ottawa

1991-1993 Special research advisor, Economic Studies, Department of Finance, Government of Canada

1986 Tenure, University of Ottawa

1982-89 Assistant professor, department of economics, University of Ottawa

1981-82 Visiting assistant professor, Department of Economics, Queen's University, Kingston, Ontario, Canada

Prizes and awards

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| 2009 | 2009 President's Award for Media Relations, University of Ottawa |
| 2009 | Award for Activity in the Media and Community, Faculty of Social Sciences, University of Ottawa |
| 2006-2008 | Member of the John Charles Polanyi Prizes Selection Committee, Ontario Council of Graduate Studies |
| 2006 | Best Referee Award for 2006, Regional Studies journal (UK) |

Main academic and professional activities

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| 2010-2017 | Member of the senate, University of Ottawa |
| 2005-2008 | Senior Research Advisor to the Chief Economist, Industry Canada |
| 1995-1996 | President, National congress of the l'Association des économistes québécois (ASDEQ). |
| 1994-1996 | Vice-président, Société Canadienne de Science Économique |

Evaluations

1) Review since 1995

American Economic Review, Journal of Labor Economics, Journal of Money Credit and Banking, Regional Studies, Environment and Planning A, Berkeley Electronic Press, Journal of Regional Science, Canadian Journal of Economics, Economic Development and Cultural Change, International Regional Science Review, Papers in Regional Science, Canadian Public Policy, Canadian Journal of Political Science, Contemporary Economic Policy, Canadian Journal of Development Studies, Eastern Economic Journal, Recherches économiques de Louvain, Canadian Journal of Regional Science, Économie Internationale, Actualité économique: Revue d'analyse économique, Études Internationales, Revue d'économie régionale et urbaine.

2) Research project

Fonds québécois de la recherche sur la société et la culture, comité visiteur CIREQ and CIRPÉE, 2004.
National Science Foundation (US)
Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada

Scientific Publications

A: Review papers

- “Immigration and Internal Mobility in Canada”, *Journal of Population Economics*, 31: 69-106, with Michel Beine, 2018.
- “Dutch Disease and the Mitigation Effect of Migration: Evidence from Canadian Provinces”, *The Economic Journal*, 125 (December): 1574-1615, with M. Beine and W. Vermeulen, 2015.
- “Quality of Work Experience and Economic Development—Estimates Using Canadian Immigrant Data”, *Journal of Human Capital*, 8.3: 199-234, with G. Grenier and Serge Nadeau, 2014.
- “Human capital quality and the immigrant wage gap”, *IZA Journal of Migration* 3:14, with G. Grenier and Serge Nadeau, 2014
- “Does the Canadian Economy Suffer from Dutch Disease?”, *Resource and Energy Economics*, 34:4: 468-492, with M. Beine, and C. Bos, 2012.
- “Education, Productivity and Economic Growth: A Selective Review of the Evidence”, with J.F. Tremblay, *International Productivity Monitor*, 18 Spring: 3-24. 2009.
- “Migration and skills disparities across the Canadian provinces”, with J.F. Tremblay, *Regional Studies*, 43:1: 5-18, 2009.
- “Skills, Education and Canadian Provincial Disparity”, *Journal of Regional Science*, 47.5: 965-991, with J.F. Tremblay, 2007.
- “Economic Integration and the Diversification of Regional Exports: Evidence from the Canadian-U.S. Free Trade Agreement”, *Journal of Economic Geography* , 7.1: 93-111, with Michel Beine, 2007.
- “Globalization and Regional Disparity: A Canadian Case Study”, *Regional Studies* 41.1: 1-17, 2007.
- “Explaining Cross-Country Differences in Job Related Training: Macroeconomic Evidence from OECD Countries”, *Économie Internationale*, 110: 5-29, with J.F. Tremblay, 2007.
- “Literacy and Growth”, *Berkeley Electronic Journal in Macroeconomics*, 6. 2, article 4, with J.F. Tremblay, 2006.

- “Internal Migration, Asymmetric Shocks, and Interprovincial Economic Adjustments in Canada”, *International Regional Science Review*, 29.2: 199-223, 2006.
- “One Market, One Money: Evidence from Canada–United States Economic Integration”, *World Economy*, 28.7, pp. 985-1003, with Michel Beine, 2005.
- “Trade Diversion, the Canada–United States Free Trade Agreement, and the L Curve”, *Berkeley Electronic Journal in Economic Analysis & Policy*, 4.1, Article 16, 2004.
- “Regional Perspective on Dollarization in Canada,” *Journal of Regional Science*, 43.3, pp. 541-570, with M. Beine, 2003.
- “Human Capital, Urbanization, and Canadian Provincial Growth”, *Regional Studies*, 37.3, pp. 239-250, 2003.
- “Human Capital and Regional Convergence in Canada”, *Journal of Economic Studies*, 28.3, pp. 154-180, with J.F. Tremblay, 2001.
- “New Evidence of Convergence Across Canadian Provinces: The Role of Urbanisation”, *Regional Studies*, 34.8, pp. 713-725, 2000.
- “Fiscal Needs and the CHST Per Capita Division Rule”, *Canadian Tax Journal*, 48.2, pp. 340-355, with M. Mérette, 2000.
- “Economic Growth and Regional Income Disparities in Canada and the Northern United States”, *Canadian Public Policy/Analyse de politiques*, 25.2, pp. 155-178, with K. Day, 1999.
- “Convergence des profils de croissance régionaux de part et d’autre de la frontière américaine”, *Études internationales*, 29.2, pp. 365-390, with K. Day, 1998.
- “Évolution à long terme de la convergence régionale au Canada”, *L’Actualité économique - revue d’analyse économique*, 74.1, pp. 5-27, with F. C. Lee, 1998.
- “Les incidences de la séparation sur le budget québécois – où s’arrête la réalité, où commence la fiction”, *Canadian Public Administration / Administration Publique du Canada*, 38.3, pp. 433-452, 1995.
- “Convergence Across Canadian Provinces: 1961 to 1991”, *The Canadian Journal of Economics*, 28.4a, pp. 886-898, with F.C. Lee, 1995.

- “La dette publique d’un Québec indépendant”, un compte rendu critique d’une publication du Fraser Institute, *Canadian Public Administration / Administration Publique du Canada*, 38.1, pp. 163-169, 1995.
- “Regional Productivity Convergence in Canada”, *Canadian Journal of Regional Science*, 18 N° 1, pp. 39-56, with F. C. Lee, 1995.
- “Performance Differentials in the National Hockey League: Discrimination Versus Style of Play Thesis”, *Canadian Public Policy/Analyse de politiques*, 18.4, pp. 461-469, with G. Grenier and M. Lavoie, 1992.
- “Discrimination versus English Proficiency in the National Hockey League. A Reply”, *Canadian Public Policy/Analyse de politiques*, 15.1, pp. 98-101, with G. Grenier and M. Lavoie, 1989.
- “Le rôle des institutions financières dans le circuit dynamique, l’austérité et le capitalisme rentier public”, *Économie et Sociétés, Monnaie et Production*, 5.9, pp. 85-120, avec A. Parguez, 1988.
- “Discrimination and Performance Differentials in the National Hockey League”, *Canadian Public Policy/Analyse de politiques*, 13.4, pp. 407-422, with G. Grenier and M. Lavoie, 1987.
- “A Note on the Pigou Effect and the Liquidity Trap”, *Journal of Post Keynesian Economics*, 10.1, pp. 163-165, 1987.
- “Dette publique, endettement envers l’étranger et l’effet d’éviction dans une économie ouverte : le cas canadien”, *Économies et Sociétés, Monnaie et Production*, 4.9, pp. 169-184, 1987.
- “Les francophones dans la Ligue Nationale de Hockey : une analyse économique de la discrimination”, *L’Actualité économique : revue d’analyse économique*, 61.1. pp. 73-91, avec M. Lavoie, 1985.
- “Discrimination à l’embauche et performance supérieure des franco-québécois dans la LNH : une mise au point”, *L’Actualité économique : revue d’analyse économique*, 61.4, pp. 526-530, avec M. Lavoie, 1985.
- “Une analyse de la politique fiscale du gouvernement fédéral par l’examen des soldes budgétaires”, *L’Actualité économique : revue d’analyse économique*, 60.2, pp. 240-253, 1984.

B: Other scientific publications

- “Moving Parts: Immigration Policy, Internal Migration and Natural Resource Shocks”, with M. Beine and R. Boadway, *Commentary No 446*, C.D.Howe Institute, Toronto, 2016.
- “The Dutch Disease and the Canadian Economy: Challenges for Policy-Makers”, *School of Policy Studies*, Queen’s University, with R. Boadway, and J.F. Tremblay, in *Thinking Outside the Box*, ed. K.G. Banting, R.P. Chaykowski, and S. Lehrer. Kingston: School of Policy Studies, Queen’s University 2015.
- “Terms-of-trade changes, the Dutch disease, and Canadian provincial disparity” in *Canada: The State of the Federation 2012, Regions, Resources, and Resiliency (Queen’s Policy Studies)* ed. Loleen Berdahl, André Juneau, and Carolyn Hughes Tuohy, McGill-Queen’s University Press, Chapter 3, pp: 23-35, June 2015.
- “Le mal hollandais, le fédéralisme fiscal et l’économie du Québec” in *Le Québec économique - Volume 5, Les grands enjeux de finances publiques* ed. Luc Godbout and Marcelin Joanis, Presses de l’Université Laval, chapter 6 : 177-205, 2014.
- “Canadian Policy Prescriptions for Dutch Disease”, *IRPP Insight*, No. 3 (October), Institute for Research on Public Policy, Montreal, 2013, with R. Boadway and J.F. Tremblay, 2013.
- “The Canadian Dollar and the Dutch and the Canadian diseases”, *The School of Public Policy Research Papers 6 (30)*, University of Calgary, 2013.
- “Lagging Behind: Productivity and the Good Fortune of Canadian Provinces”, *Commentary No 331*, C.D.Howe Institute, Toronto, 2011.
- “Smart human capital policy: An alternative perspective”, in J. Leonard, C. Ragan and F. St-Hilaire eds., *A Canadian Priorities Agenda: Policy Choices to Improve Economic and Social Well-Being*, The Institute for Research on Public Policy (IRPP), Montreal, pp. 57-65, 2007.
- “Migration, human capital, and skills redistribution across the Canadian provinces”, Skills Research Initiative/Initiative de recherche sur les compétences HRSDC-IC-SSHRC Working Paper 2006-D07, with Jean-François Tremblay, 2006.

- “Human capital and Canadian provincial standards of living”, Statistics Canada Catalogue no. 89-552-mpe-14, with Jean-François Tremblay, Également disponible en version française, 2006.
- “Research and Development Composition and Labour Productivity Growth in 16 OECD Countries”, Industry Canada Working Paper 2006-02, Ottawa, with Ram Acharya, 2006.
- “Public Investment in Skills: Are Canadian Governments Doing Enough?” *Commentary No 217*, C.D.Howe Institute, Toronto, with Jean-François Tremblay, 2005.
- “Border Effects and North American Economic Integration: Where Are We Up To?” in *Social and Labour Market Aspects of North American Linkages*, ed. R.G. Harris and T. Lemieux, University of Calgary Press, pp. 83-112. Également disponible en version française 2005.
- “Literacy scores, human capital and growth across fourteen OECD countries”, Statistics Canada Catalogue no. 89-552-mpe, no. 11, with Jean-François Tremblay and Sylvie Marchand. Également disponible en version française, 2004.
- “Comments: Does the debt matter?” in C. Ragan and W. Watson eds., *Is the Debt War Over*, IRPP, McGill, Montreal, pp. 197-204, 2004.
- “International Trade, Interprovincial Trade, and Canadian Provincial Growth” Industrie Canada Working Paper Number 40. Également disponible en version française, 2003.
- “The Canada-U.S. Productivity Growth Paradox”, in *Productivity Issues in Canada*, edited by S. Rao and A. Sharpe, The Industry Canada Research Series, University of Calgary Press, chapter 4, pp. 117-136. Également disponible en version française, 2002.
- “Capital humain et convergence régionale : l'exemple du Canada”, in « *capital humain et dualisme sur le marché du travail* », edited by D. De la Croix, F. Docquier, C. Mainguet, S. Perelman and E. Wasmer, collection « Economie, Société et Régions », De Boeck, Bruxelles, Belgique, chapter 21, pp. 413-432, with J.F. Tremblay, 2002.
- “The Contribution of Human Capital and Urbanization to Canadian Regional Growth”, in *The Contribution of Human and Social Capital to Sustained Economic Growth and Well-Being*, International Symposium Report, OECD/HRDC, edited by John Helliwell, chapter 10, pp. 203-220, Également disponible en version française, 2001.

- “Capital humain et croissance économique régionale au Canada”, in *Les conditions de la croissance régionale*, Conference Proceedings of the 14th Congrès des économistes belges de langue française, with J.F. Tremblay, 2000.
- “The Canada-U.S. Productivity Growth Paradox”, Industry Canada Working Paper Number 32, Également disponible en version française., 2000.
- “Le fédéralisme fiscal a-t-il un avenir avec une division par habitant du TCSPS? Réponse : non”, in *Les défis de la gouvernance à l'aube du XXI^e siècle*, Montréal, ASDEQ, 2000.
- “Les disparités économiques régionales au Canada: une analyse de certaines covariances”, dans *L'après déficit zéro: les choix de sociétés*, Montréal, ASDEQ, Janvier 1999.
- “Economic Growth and Provincial Disparity - A New View of an Old Canadian Problem”, *Commentary No 122*, C.D.Howe Institute, Toronto, 1999.
- “A Non-Paradoxical Interpretation of the Gibson Paradox”, Bank of Canada, Working paper 98-22, 1998.
- “The Intertemporal Nature of Information Conveyed by the Price System”, dans *Price Stability, Inflation Targets and Monetary Policy*, Bank of Canada, pp. 3-28, Également disponible en version française, 1998.
- “Regional Disparities in Canada: Characterization, Trends and Lessons for Economic Policy”, Industry Canada, Working paper Number 18, Également disponible en version française, 1997.
- “Long-run Perspective on Canadian Regional Convergence,” Industry Canada, Working Paper Number 11, Également disponible en version française, 1996.
- “Discours d'ouverture”, in *La réinvention des institutions et le rôle de l'État*, ASDEQ, Montréal, pp. 1-2, 1996.
- “Le débat sur la convergence : le cas des provinces canadiennes”, in *Défis de la croissance et de la création d'emploi*, ASDEQ, Montréal, 1995, pp. 25-38.
- “Équilibre budgétaire et cycles de la conjoncture”, in *La crise des finances publiques et le désengagement de l'État*, ASDEQ, Montréal, 1993.