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### **ACADEMIC & RESEARCH POSITIONS**

*Professor*, Indian Institute of Management, Kolkata, India. August 2009 to Current. Courses: Ph. D. Seminar on Money and Banking, Graduate level courses in: Corporate Finance, Financial Institutions and Markets, Financial Management, International Finance, Money and Banking.

Developed and delivered several stand-alone modules for teaching in MDPs, including Investment Decisions, Project Finance, Risk Management, Foreign Direct Investment (FDI) Strategies, Financial Decision Making, Bond Markets, Dividend Policy, Developing Leaders for Global Frontiers, Influencing Stakeholders in FDI, FDI, Global Strategic Positioning, Energy Finance, .

*Programme Director*, Management Development programs (MDPs) and Long Duration programs, Indian Institute of Management Calcutta, 2010 to present. Programme Design, budgeting, delivery and implementation of several programs to executives and officers of highly regarded companies and academies, especially in the public sector, such as NSSTA, BEL, ONGC, GAIL, VIOM, NTPC. Designed and implemented both Domestic and Overseas Learning Modules.

Empaneled by the Government of Maharashtra, 2016

*Panel Member*, Independent International Board for Quality Assurance and Accreditation of Executive Financial Education based in the Netherlands. Appointed August 2015.

*Visiting Professor*, Rotterdam School of Management, Erasmus Graduate School of Business, Rotterdam. Fall 2005.

### Federal Reserve Bank of New York

Capital Markets Function and International Finance Department, New York, 1986-2000: Senior Economist (1991 to 1993; 1995 to 2000) and Economist A (1987 to 1991).

Extensive and intensive research. Analytical assistance to other areas of the bank including Bank Supervision and Development Studies. Projects related to deposit and credit disintermediation, banking trends, and enhanced transparency and disclosure requirements. Presentations to Bank senior management included: Asset deflation and financial distress in Japan; Japanese disinvestment abroad?; The bank credit crumble and the capital crunch

in Japan; Credit conditions: the role of foreign banks; The adjustment by Japanese banks to international capital requirements; Financial effects of East Asian surpluses.

Other projects included: Market-based risk indicators and fundamentals in debtor countries; Pacific Rim financial markets, capital flows and Euromarket linkages; Baker 15 debt flows; Effects of higher dollar interest rates on Brazil, Mexico, and Argentina; Selected issues in privatization.

Economist B (1986 to 1987). Followed developments in Japanese financial markets, identifying sources of discrepancies between Japanese and US data on Japanese purchases of US securities. (Findings were used by the Bank's statistics department in discussions with broker-dealers.)

Visiting Research Fellow, Department of Economics, University of Basel, Switzerland, Winter 1994/95.

Visiting Associate Professor, Department of Economics, San Francisco State University, San Francisco, California. Spring 1990.

Visiting Scholar, Research Department, Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco, San Francisco, California. 1989 to 1990.

Assistant Professor, Vassar College, 1985-1886.

# INTERNATIONAL FINANCE & ECONOMIC ANALYSIS

" Feasibility Study of Microfinancing in the Sunderbans," Government of West Bengal, 2014-2015.

"Report on West Bengal Police Culture," Government of West Bengal, 2012-2014

Writing on International Financial and Capital markets, WCAP, 2013.

Evaluation of the Investment Completion Report for financial sector projects in Afghanistan, South Sudan and Mali. *World Bank*, May 2012 to 2014.

Background report on the recent increase in level and volatility of commodity prices. Summarizing and reviewing the different strands in academic and policy thinking with regard to causes, likely consequences and possible policy responses at a macro level to high and volatile food prices. *World Bank Institute*, April-June 2008.

Participated in a TA mission to improve implementation of monetary policy by the Azerbaijani National Bank. In particular, identified deficiencies in market infrastructure,

and provided recommendations for increasing money market activity and efficiency. *International Monetary Fund*, August 2006

Completed paper on the linkages between financial development, growth and poverty, including the Microfinance sector. Paper included discussion of policy options and tradeoffs. *World Bank Institute*, May-June 2005.

Reviewed and commented on the Handbook of Financial Sector Assessment. World Bank Institute, March/April 2005.

Participated in a FSAP mission to Kazakhstan. Conducted a factual update of the relevant IOSCO standards and co-wrote a technical note on investment opportunities for pension funds. *World Bank*, February 2004.

Completed paper on rationale for, current phase of, and policy recommendations for developing a regional bond market in Asia. *World Bank*, July-August 2003.

Completed paper on regulatory assessment of asset-backed securities, with policy recommendations for developing ABS markets. *World Bank*, May-June 2003.

Research and analysis in the area of international banking and capital markets. Published extensively internally and externally. *Federal Reserve Bank of New York*, 1986-2000.

Paper on present-day use of interventionist policies in financial markets of developing countries in the context of highly integrated global financial markets. The report formed part of the investment chapter in the 1995 Annual Report. *United Nations*, 1995.

Steering Committee member of a bankruptcy project in eleven East European countries. Examined written and practiced procedures for bankruptcy and restructuring in the countries. Formulated methodology for comparative analysis and provision of recommendations. *Deloitte & Touche*, winter 1994/spring 1995.

Examined settlement issues related to non-dollar collateral loans for the Payments and Settlements Committee. *Bank for International Settlements*, Basel, 1993/94.

Provided technical assistance for a financial sector review of Kenya. World Bank, December 1992/January 1993.

Examined prospects for restored capital inflows into Costa Rica under various scenarios of debt relief and trade liberalization. Country Policy Department, *World Bank*, 1984/1985.

Prepared material for a background paper on labor migration and population pressure. World Development Report, *World Bank*, 1983.

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"Central Bank Target Rates and Term Structure of Interest Rates: A Study of Six Asian country," Forthcoming, *IIM Management Review*, With Rai A. and White N.

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"How do firms finance investments in markets with business groups? Evidence from acquisitions by India's listed firms", Auckland Finance Meeting, Queenstown, New Zealand, 2017, With Jindhal V.

"Nascent VC Firm Entry Strategy and Long Term Survivability: Evidence from the US", 30th Australasian Finance and Banking Conference, Sydney, Australia, December 13-15, 2017.

"Financial Development, Growth and Poverty Reduction: Linkages and Policy Options", Fourth SITES-IDEAs Annual Conference on Development Topics, Rome, Italy, September 28-30, 2017.

"Role of Collateral in Mitigating Adverse Selection: Evidence from a Natural Experiment in India", European Financial Management Association, Athens, Greece, June 28-July 1, 2017, With Allen Berger and Taluja P.

"Effect of Oil Prices on Credit Growth and Credit Quality: Evidence from India", accepted at the 8th RMUTP International Conference, Bangkok, Thailand, June 22-23, 2017, With Mulay H.R.

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# **EXECUTIVE EDUCATION (PROGRAM DIRECTOR)**

In-Company Training Programme "Leadership Development Program- II" for Senior ONGC Officers, ONGC, Number of Participants: 25, August 14-25, 30-September 5, 2017. (Domestic and Overseas Modules)

Management Development Programme "Bank Management" Number of Participants: 12, August 8-11, 2017

Management Development Programme "Creating Impact through Powerful Presentations and Interpersonal Communication Skills" Number of Participants: 21, July 3-6, 2017, With Prof. Apoorva Bharadwaj.

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In-Company Training Programme "Foundation Course in General Management" for NTPC ER-II officers, newly promoted in E4 grade, NTPC, Batch 3, Number of Participants: 34, March 27-April 6, 2017.

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In-Company Training Programme "Management Techniques" for Probationary Officers of the Indian Statistical Service, NSSTA, Batch 2, Number of Participants: 28, January 9-20, 2017.

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