

# KELCE COLLEGE CURRICULUM VITAE

## PERSONAL INFORMATION

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## EDUCATION AND PROFESSIONAL CREDENTIALS

Ph D Oklahoma State University, 1987, International Economics and Development  
MA Wichita State University, 1980, Economics  
BS University of Philippines, 1977, Business Economics

## ADMINISTRATIVE APPOINTMENTS

Department Chairperson, Department. (July 2007 - Present).

## EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

2008 - 2013 Pittsburg State University  
Editor-in-Chief, Journal of Managerial Issues  
2007 - 2013 Pittsburg State University  
University Professor and Department Chair  
June 2012 USAID Iraq Financial Development Project, Baghdad, Iraq  
Faculty Consultant  
June 2009 Chung Yuan Christian University  
Visiting Lecturer

## SCHOLARLY PUBLICATIONS

### Refereed Journal Articles

Cortes, B. S. (2012). Assessing the Undergraduate Business Research Paper: The Capstone Course in Economics Revisited. *National Social Science Journal*, 38(1), 11-17.  
Cortes, B. S. (2010). Impact of Small Business Lending on State-level Economics Performance: A Panel Data Analysis. *International Journal of Business and Finance Research*, 4(3), 55-65.  
Cortes, B. S. (2009). The Regional Effects of Japanese Monetary Policy. *The Keizai Gaku, Annual Report of the Economic Society of Tohoku University, Japan*, 70(1), 1-11.

Lal, A. K., Cortes, B. S. (2008). An Analysis of Attitudes Towards Foreign Trade. *The Journal of Economics and Economic Education Research*, 9(3), 101-115.

### **Conference Proceedings**

Cortes, B. S., McKinnis, M. R. (2012). *Minority-owned Small Businesses, SBA Lending, and State-level Economic Performance* (1st ed., vol. 19). Proceedings of ASBBS.

Cortes, B. S. (2011). *Assessing the Undergraduate Business Research Paper: The Capstone Course in Economics Revisited* (vol. 47, pp. 14-23). Seattle, WA: National Social Science Association.

### **Other**

Cortes, B. S. (2012). In Steven Husted and Michael Melvin (Ed.), *International Economics* (9th ed.). Pearson: Addison-Wesley.

Cortes, B. S. (2012). In Steven Husted and Michael Melvin (Ed.), *International Economics* (9th ed.). Pearson: Addison-Wesley.

Cortes, B. S. (2012). *Report on Iraq Business Finance and Banking Curricula*. USAID Iraq Financial Development Project.

Cortes, B. S. (2009). In Steven Husted and Michael Melvin (Ed.), *International Economics* (8th ed.). Pearson: Addison-Wesley.

### **Work in Progress**

"Micropolitan Area Economic Growth and Fiscal Policy" (On-Going)

"Small Business Credit and Regional Volatility in Taiwan" (On-Going)

"Volatility and County Economic Growth in Kansas" (On-Going)

## **SCHOLARLY PRESENTATIONS**

### **Paper**

Cortes, B. S. (Author & Presenter), McKinnis, M. R., Davidsson, M., Mid-Continent Regional Science Association conference, "Industrial Composition, Fiscal Policy, and Micropolitan Area Economic Growth," Kansas City. (May 2013).

Cortes, B. S. (Author & Presenter), McKinnis, M. R. (Author), Missouri Valley Economic Association, "Regional Volatility, Industry Mix, and Interactive Policy Impact: The Case of Kansas'," Memphis, TN. (October 2012).

Cortes, B. S. (Author & Presenter), "The Role of Government and the Banking Sector in Small Firm Credit Supply," Al Mansour University College, Baghdad, Iraq. (June 28, 2012).

- Cortes, B. S. (Author & Presenter), McKinnis, M. R. (Author), American Society of Business and Behavioral Science International Finance, "Minority-owned Small Businesses, SBA Lending, and State-level Economic Performance'," Las Vegas. (February 2012).
- Cortes, B. S. (Author & Presenter), National Social Science Association conference, "Assessing the Undergraduate Business Research Paper: The Capstone Course in Economics Revisited'," Seattle, WA, USA. (August 2011).
- Cortes, B. S. (Author & Presenter), Chiang, S.-h. (Author), East Asian Economic Association, "Determinants of Regional Employment Volatility in Taiwan'," Seoul, Korea. (2010).
- Cortes, B. S. (Author & Presenter), Global Conference on Business and Finance (IBFR), "Impact of Small Business Lending on State-level Economics Performance: A Panel Data Analysis'," Hawaii, USA. (January 2010).
- Cortes, B. S. (Author & Presenter), Japan Economic Policy Association 7th International Conference, "Regional Heterogeneity and the Effectiveness of Japanese Monetary Policy'," Kyoto, Japan. (December 2008).
- Cortes, B. S. (Author & Presenter), 11th International Convention of the East Asian Economic Association, "The Role of Money in the Monetary Policy of the Philippines'," Manila, Philippines. (November 2008).
- Cortes, B. S. (Author & Presenter), Missouri Valley Economics Association Conference, "The Impact of Small Business Administration Loans on Local Economic Performance in Kansas'," St. Louis, MO, USA. (October 2008).

## **COURSES TAUGHT**

### **Pittsburg State University**

- ECON 200, INTRODUCTION TO MICROECONOMICS, 3 courses.
- ECON 418, INTERMEDIATE MICROECONOMICS, 3 courses.
- ECON 485, 'INDUSTRIAL ORGANIZATION', 3 courses.
- ECON 640, INTERNATIONAL TRADE, 1 course.
- ECON 665, SEMINAR IN APPLIED ECONOMICS, 4 courses.
- ECON 693, TP: 'INDUSTRIAL ORGANIZATION', 3 courses.
- ECON 694, INTERNSHIP IN ECONOMICS, 1 course.
- ECON 805, ECONOMIC ANALYSIS, 5 courses.
- ECON 827, SEM: 'INDUSTRIAL ORGANIZATION', 3 courses.

## **FACULTY/TEACHING DEVELOPMENT ACTIVITIES**

### **Conference Attendance**

- Conference Attendance, "JSTOR/ITHAKA conference," JSTOR/ITHAKA, NYC, NY. (2012).
- Conference Attendance, Missouri Valley Economic Association, Memphis, TN. (October 2012).
- Conference Attendance, Al Mansour University College, Baghdad. (June 28, 2012).

Conference Attendance, American Society of Business and Behavioral Science (ASBBS), Las Vegas, NV. (February 2012).

Conference Attendance, "JSTOR/ITHAKA conference," JSTOR/ITHAKA, NYC, NY. (2011).

Conference Attendance, "National Social Science Association conference," National Social Science Association, Seattle, WA. (August 2011).

Conference Attendance, East Asian Economic Association, Seoul. (2010).

Conference Attendance, "Southeast Kansas International Trade Consortium with Kansas Department of Commerce," IBFR, HI. (January 2010).

Conference Attendance, "Japan Economic Policy Association 7th International Conference," Japan Economic Policy Association, Kyoto. (December 2008).

Conference Attendance, "11th International Convention of the East Asian Economic Association," East Asian Economic Association, Manila. (November 2008).

Conference Attendance, "Missouri Valley Economic Association Conference," Missouri Valley Economic Association, St. Louis, MO. (October 2008).

### **Faculty Fellowship**

Faculty Fellowship, "USAID Iraq Financial Development Project "Current Developments in International Finance", " Al Mansour University College, Baghdad. (June 24, 2012 - June 28, 2012).

### **Seminar**

Seminar, "AACSB Assessment Seminar," AACSB, Atlanta, GA. (2012).

Seminar, "AACSB Assessment Seminar," AACSB, Arlington, TX. (2009).

Seminar, "AACSB Assessment Seminar," AACSB, LA, CA. (2008).

### **Workshop**

Workshop, "Managing Time and Multiple Priorities," PSU-WSU Center for Management Development, KS. (2012).

Workshop, "PSU professional development workshop on Course Redesign; iPad Workshop," Pittsburg State University, Pittsburg, KS. (2012).

Workshop, "PSU-MAMTC-City of Pittsburg workshop on Innovation Engineering University Curriculum," Pittsburg State University, Pittsburg, KS. (2012).

Workshop, "PSU Wrapping Up and Concluding Your Canvas Course," Pittsburg State University, Pittsburg, KS. (November 2012).

Workshop, "PSU Workshop on ANGEL User Group," Pittsburg State University, Pittsburg, KS. (2011).

Workshop, "PSU Workshop on Conflict Management Resolution," Pittsburg State University, Pittsburg, KS. (2011).

Workshop, "Using the PSU Writing Rubric in ANGEL and LiveText," Pittsburg State University, Pittsburg, KS. (2011).

Workshop, "PSU Facebook for Faculty Workshop," Pittsburg State University, Pittsburg, KS. (2010).

Workshop, "PSU Workshop on ANGEL 7.3," Pittsburg State University, Pittsburg, KS. (2009).

Workshop, "Punctuation and Writing Workshop," Pittsburg State University, Pittsburg, KS. (2009).

Workshop, "PSU Writing Workshops: Waldo Workshop on Paper Grading," Pittsburg State University, Pittsburg, KS. (2008).

Workshop, "Using Experiments to Teach Economics Workshop," Fayetteville, AR. (June 2008).

## **PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES**

Member, Academy of Economics and Finance.

Member, American Association of Behavioral and Social Sciences.

Member, American Society of Business and Behavioral Sciences.

Member, Beta Gamma Sigma business honors society.

Member, East Asian Economics Association.

Member, Fulbright Association.

Member, Japan Economic Policy Association.

Mid-Continent Regional Science Association.

Member, Missouri Valley Economic Association.

Member, National Social Science Association.

Regional Science Association International.

## **HONORS**

### **Scholarship/Research**

Outstanding Research Award, IBFR Global Conference on Business and Finance. (2010).

## **SERVICE AND CONSULTING**

### **Department Service**

Committee Member, Economics Department Curriculum Committee.

### **College Service**

Committee Member, Kelce College Assessment Committee.

Committee Member, Kelce College Curriculum Committee.

Committee Member, Kelce College Fund-raising Committee.

Committee Member, Kelce College International Business Committee.

Committee Member, Kelce College Promotion Committee.

Committee Member, Kelce College Strategic Planning Committee.

Committee Member, MBA Program Advisory Committee.

Committee Member, College of Business U.S. Dept. of Education Title VIB grant. (2006 - 2008).

### **University Service**

Committee Member, Faculty Senate and Executive Committee.

Committee Member, Graduate Council.

Committee Member, PSU in Paraguay Committee.

Committee Member, University Assessment Committee.

Committee Member, University Curriculum Committee.

Committee Member, University Institutional Effectiveness Committee.

Committee Member, University Program Review Committee.

Committee Member, University Student Publications Committee.

Committee Member, University Study Abroad Committee.

Task Force Member, University Writing Task Force.

### **Professional Service**

Member, American Association of Behavioral and Social Sciences.

Member, American Society of Business and Behavioral Sciences.

Member, Beta Gamma Sigma business honors society.

Session Chair, Conference.

Member, East Asian Economics Association.

Consultant, Economic impact study.

Member, Fulbright Association.

Member, Fulbright Specialist Program.

Member, Japan Economic Policy Association.

Member, Missouri Valley Economic Association.

Member, National Social Science Association.

Grant Writer.

Reviewer, Conference Paper, Professional Conferences.

Accuracy Checker, Publishing Company.

Reviewer, Book, Review of Industrial Organization.

Reviewer, Book.

Attendee, Meeting, Roundtable Discussion.

Member, Strategic Academic Resource & Policy Team Committee, Kansas Inc.

Member, Sunflower Kiwanis, Pittsburg, KS.

Reviewer, Book, Textbook reviewer (Sage, Pearson, etc.).

Writer, Textbook Supplements (PPT, Instructor's Manual) for Publishing Company (Pearson Higher Education).

Editor, Journal Editor, The Journal of Managerial Issues.

Board of Directors of a Company, Wesley House, Pittsburg, KS.

Officer, Secretary, Wesley House, Pittsburg, KS.

**Consulting**

Government, USAID Iraq Financial Development Project, Baghdad, Iraq. (June 2012).