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## \*\*\* CEA NEWS \*\*\*

### **Goodbye Jim**

Jim Brander leaves the post of CJE Editor in July. When Jim began, we did not know each other very well but we have worked closely throughout his time at the CJE. I have nothing but praise for the excellent hard work that Jim has done.

Since his arrival Jim has been a leader in bringing changes to the CJE. The CJE was re-designed and the role of the co-editors enhanced. Democracy was introduced into the selection of the Harry Johnson Prize and a sustained and successful effort was made to reduce and to hold down the time taken from submission to final decision to publication.

The major change has been our move to Blackwell Publishers. This would not have occurred without Jim's persistence. He insisted that the journal needed to move more rapidly into the electronic publishing areas. This could not be done with UTP.

The transition to Blackwell was not without problems and Jim spent hours working on these. As Jim leaves, our relationship with Blackwell has improved markedly due mainly to his efforts. Thanks Jim – from all of us but particularly from the Treasurer.

We welcome **Michel Poitevin**, Montreal as the new CJE Editor. Michel has been a co-editor in recent years as well as our Innes Lecturer last year. Michel will be joined by two new Co-Editors. We wish Michel all the best with the journal.

### **McGill 2001/McGill 2001**

This is the third CEA Meeting outside of the Congress and promises to be one of the best. **James MacKinnon**, Queen's, has organized an excellent set of sessions for the Meeting at McGill and we thank him for his hard work. Local arrangements are being handled by **Chris Ragan** of McGill who has done a wonderful job.

We would like to acknowledge the wonderful financial support provided to this year's CEA Meetings by the Economics Department, the Dean of Art and the Principal of McGill. In addition, Statistics Canada, the Royal Bank, Pearson Education, the Export Development

Corporation, IRPP and the Bank of Canada made financial contributions. Thanks to everyone for enhancing our Meetings.

### **Calgary in 2002/Calgary in 2002**

In 2002, the CEA Meetings will be in Calgary. **Jean-Marie Dufour**, Montreal, will be organizing the program and Ken McKenzie will provide the local organization. We hope to see you in Calgary next year. The likely dates are May 31, June 1-2, 2002. Final confirmation will follow later.

### **CEA Financial Health/CEA Financial Health**

The transition to Blackwell caused some uncertainty about the CEA's financial situation. Blackwell is more expensive than UTP but Blackwell provides better access to electronic distribution and better marketing.

In 1999, the CEA net income was large because we produced a smaller number of pages. For 2000, net income will be close to zero. This reflects a larger journal and the higher costs at Blackwell. We believe that the transition has been a financial success.

In both 1999 and 2000, the CEA meetings had a very small surplus. Our intent is to break even in most years with some room for losses at expensive locations.

The CEA received a SSHRC Travel grant this year and we have urged SSHRC to continue this program. Whether the program will continue for next year's meeting is unknown.

### **CPP Activities – C. Beach/ CPP Activities - C Beach**

*Canadian Public Policy/Analyse de Politiques* is enjoying a healthy and active period. The number of submitted manuscripts has increased steadily over the last six years and is up to 109 in the year 2000. The finances of the journal are in good shape. The long-time decline in subscription numbers appears to have been arrested in 2000 and subscription revenues took a large step up last year without any change in the subscription rates. The journal also put out two special issues last Fall C one on *Structural Aspects of Unemployment in Canada* in conjunction with the Centre for the Study of Living Standards, and the other of synthesis papers from the Trends Project sponsored by the Policy Research Secretariat of the Privy Council Office. A further special issue is planned for this year on *Linkages Between Economic*

*Growth and Inequality* organized jointly by the Institute for Research on Public Policy (IRPP) and the Centre for the Study of Living Standards. We have also recently added a new section in the journal on *Critical Essays on Canadian Public Policy* of papers that argue a particular policy position based on evidence and alternatives available. The web page of the journal has been enhanced so that the abstracts (English and French) of all papers published since 1996 are available electronically as well as all papers themselves since March 1996 (downloadable as PDF files) with a one-year lag since hard copy publication. All special issue papers are put on the journal web page at the same time as their hard copy publication.

The March and June issues this year include papers on technological change and the demand for and availability of skills, redesigning employment equity, policies to stem the Brain Drain, reorganization of science funding in Canada, changes in consumption poverty in Canada, the market for home care, physician shortage in Ontario, and disability insurance and labour force participation. Future papers also look at funding policies for post-secondary education and environmental assessment of nuclear fuel waste management. The studies provide substantial contributions to a wide range of current policy issues in Canada.

The Associate Editors have been doing an excellent job in the handling of the increased volume of papers. The area of most dramatic increase of submission has been on health and related issues. As a result, we have been pleased to add Professor Åke Blomqvist of the University of Western Ontario (currently on leave at Health Canada) as an Associate Editor specializing in the health area. The Editorial Board has been expanded slightly to reflect the readership and broader mix of manuscript submissions. I would especially like to thank Elaine Constant for her excellent work as Journal Assistant over the last six years. This will be my last full year as Editor of the journal, and I look forward to a smooth transition to a new Editor in summer 2002.

## **CEA Nominations/CEA Nominations**

Periodically, it is useful to explain the mysteries of how the CEA is governed. In this section, I will outline the process of selecting members to the CEA Executive Council. The Council is the decision-making body of the CEA. The CEA Constitution describes the process by which CEA Officers and members of the Executive Council are elected. There is a Nominating Committee composed of the President,

President-Elect, Secretary-Treasurer and three members of the Executive Council.

The latter are elected from the Council for three-year terms at the December Council meeting. Currently, we select one new member each year to serve on the Nominating Committee. The Nominating Committee meets at the CEA Meetings and prepares a list of nominees for the following year.

I have been part of this process for ten years and can describe what drives the deliberations. For the Council, three factors are important. First and foremost is geography. We consider four regions: West, Atlantic, Ontario and Quebec. Council members always come from all four regions and as someone leaves they are usually replaced by someone from that region. Within a region over time, there is an attempt to spread the Council members across different universities. Ontario is usually under-represented because it has a very large proportion of total universities and CEA members.

Second we have explicitly recruited female economists to the Council and they have been over-represented relative to their proportion of Canadian economists. In recent years, we have deliberately recruited non-university Council members. They come from the Federal Government, CAFE or the non-profit sector.

Third, the Nominating Committee has recruited younger economists who are potential CEA Presidents to the Council.

Finally, the Constitution permits direct nominations from CEA members. Any five members may submit nominations signed by themselves and the nominee by March 1<sup>st</sup>. Please feel free to contact me about this process.

## **Coming and Going/Coming and Going**

**Lars Osberg, Dalhousie** will be leaving the CEA Executive this year.

Lars organized our first independent Meeting in 1999 at Toronto.

**Curtis Eaton**, Calgary is the new CEA Vice-President. He is joined on the new Council by **Dwayne Benjamin**, Toronto, **France Ste Hilaire**, IRPP, **Peter Burton**, Dalhousie and **John Murray**, Bank of Canada. **Francis Woolley**, Carleton, **Garnett Picot**, Statistics Canada, **Lucie Samson**, Laval and **Peter Townley**, Acadia will leave the Executive Council this year. On behalf of the CEA, we thank them for their help.

# **I Faculty/Corps Professoral**

## **a) New Appointments, Departures/Récentes Nominations, Départs**

### **University of Alberta**

Heather Eckert, formerly Ph.D. candidate UBC, effective July 1, 2001  
Kanhaya L. Gupta, Professor Emeritus, retired on July 1, 2001  
Alexander W. Jenkins, retired on July 1, 2001  
Richard H.M. Plain, retired on July 1, 2001

### **University of Calgary**

William A. Kerr, accepted a tenured Chair at University of  
Saskatchewan, effective July 1, 2001

### **Concordia University**

Sun Bin Kim, formerly Ph.D. candidate University of Pennsylvania,  
effective August 2001  
C. Langinick, accepted a new position at Iowa State, effective  
Summer 2001

### **University of Guelph**

Henry Thille, formerly at Univ. of Winnipeg, effective July 1, 2001  
Todd Mattina, formerly Ph.D. candidate, Queen's University,  
effective July 1, 2001  
Qi Li, resigned, effective December 31, 2001  
Robert Swidinsky, retired on December 31, 2001  
Robert Ankli, retired (early) on August 31, 2001

### **University of Guelph, Dept. of Agricultural Econ. & Business**

John Cranfield, formerly at Univ. of Manitoba, effective July 1, 2001  
Spencer Henson, formerly at University of Reading, U.K., effective  
August 1, 2001  
Truman Phillips, retired (30 years) on April 1, 2001  
Kevin Parton, accepted a new position at University of Sydney,  
Orange, effective April 30, 2001

### **Lakehead University**

Danny Leung, formerly Ph.D. candidate at University of Western  
Ontario, effective August 1, 2001

### **University of Lethbridge**

Chris Nicol, formerly at University of Regina, effective July 1, 2001

Peter Ibbott, resigned effective July 1, 2001

Trevor Dick (retired July 1, 2000) passed away suddenly at his home on January 28, 2001. He was known as a world-class economic historian and will be missed

### **University of Manitoba**

Tatiana Kornicko, formerly Ph.D. Candidate from University of Pittsburgh, effective August 1, 2001

Ian Hudson, formerly at University of Winnipeg, effective July 1, 2001

Cy Gonick, retired on August 31, 2001, appointed Senior Scholar effective September 1, 2001

### **McGill University**

Nurlan Turdaliev, formerly at Federal Reserve Bank, Minneapolis, Minnesota, USA, effective September 1, 2001

### **McMaster University**

Yorgos Papageorgiou, retired on July 1, 2001

### **Memorial University of Newfoundland**

Ratna Shrestha, effective May 1, 2001

Anastasia Lintner, resigned effective December 31, 2001

### **Université de Montréal**

Lars Ehlers, formerly Ph.D. candidate University of Maastricht, effective 1er juin 2001

Jennifer Hunt, formerly Yale University, effective 1er juin 2001

William McCausland, formerly Ph.D. candidate University of Minnesota, effective 1er juin 2001

Jean-Guy Loranger, retraite, 1er juin 2001

Marcel Degenais (Professeur émérite) décédé, 14 février 2001

### **(Université de Montréal) École des Hautes Études Commerciales**

*Institut d' économie appliquée*

Benoit Dostie, effective June 1, 2001

Michel Normandin, formerly at UQAM, effective June 1, 2001

Bernard Sinclair-Desgagné, formerly at École Polytechnique, effective September 1, 2001

### **University of New Brunswick**

Ted McDonald, formerly at University of Tasmania, effective August 1, 2001

Peter Sephton, accepted at new position effective July 1, 2001

**University of New Brunswick – Saint John**

David Paul-Émile, formerly at Université de Moncton, effective January 2, 2001

Muhammed Kabir, appointed Associate Vice-President (UNBSJ), effective July 1, 2001

**University of Ottawa**

Gamal Atallah, formerly at Univ. of Montréal, effective July 1, 2001

Ronald G. Bodkin, retired on July 1, 2001

**Université du Québec à Montréal**

Olivier Donni, auparavant chercheur post-doctoral à l'Université Laval, depuis le 1er juin 2001

Douglas J. Hodgson, auparavant Professeur à l'Université de Rochester, depuis le 1er Juin 2001

Louis Gill, retraite, depuis le 1er juillet 2001

Michel Normandin, demission, depuis le 1er juin 2001

**Queen's University**

Martin Gervais, formerly at Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond, effective July 1, 2001

Melanie Cao, resigned to accept new position at Schulich School of Business York University, effective July 1, 2001

Shouyong, Shi, resigned to accepted position at Dept. of Economics, Indiana University, effective July 1, 2001

Jan Zabochnik, resigned to accept position at Marshall School of Business, Univ. of Southern California, effective July 1, 2001

**University of Regina**

Sung-chul Lee, formerly at University of Western Ontario, effective July 1, 2001

Christopher Nicol, new Position, Dean of Arts & Science University of Lethbridge, effective July 1, 2001

**University of Saskatchewan, Dept. of Agricultural Economics**

William Martin, effective January 1, 2001

Richar Wharton, resigned effective April 30, 2001

**Simon Fraser University**

Kenneth Kasa, formerly at Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco, effective January 1, 2001

Philip Curry, former Ph.D. candidate University of Western Ontario,



effective September 1, 2001

**University of Toronto**

Eugene Choo, formerly Yale University, effective July 1, 2001  
Stéphane Mechoulan, formerly Northwestern University, effective July 1, 2001  
Johannes Van Biesebroeck, formerly Stanford University, effective July 1, 2001  
Scott Eddie, retired on June 30, 2001  
Len Waverman, retired on December 31, 2000  
Tom Wilson, retired on June 30, 2001

**Trent University**

Byron Lew, from sessional to tenure tract, effective July 1, 2001

**University of Victoria**

Graham Voss, formerly Reserve Bank of Australia & University of New South Wales, Australia, effective July 1, 2001  
Herbert Schuetze, formerly Dartmouth College, New Hampshire, effective July 1, 2001

**University of Western Ontario**

Igor Livshits, formerly Ph.D. candidate at University of Minnesota, effective July 1, 2001  
Jeff Smith, accepted new position at University of Maryland, effective June 30, 2001  
Gustavo Ventura, accepted new position at Pennsylvania State, effective December 31, 2001

**Wilfrid Laurier University**

Steffen Ziss, formerly of University of Sydney, Australia, effective January 1, 2002

**University of Winnipeg**

Ambrose Leong, formerly Ph.D. candidate at Carleton University, effective September 1, 2001  
Debbie Draker, formerly Ph.D. candidate at Simon Fraser, effective September 1, 2001  
Robert Fenton, retired effective September 1, 2001  
Henry Thille, accepted new position at Guelph University effective June 30, 2001

## **b) Visiting Appointments/Professeur(e)s Invité(e)s**

### **University of Alberta**

Hafiz Akhand, University of Regina, 2001 – 2002

### **McMaster University**

Vincent Hildebrand, York University, August 2001 – July 31, 2003  
Jennifer Steward, National University of Ireland, Galway, August 1, 2001 – July 31, 2003

### **Université de Montréal**

Touhami Abdelkhalek, Institut National de Statistique et d'Economie Appliquée, Maroc, Automne 2001  
Christian Courrieroux, C.R.E.S.T., France, Hiver 2002

### **Queen's University**

Patrick Coe, University of Calgary, Sept. 2001 to April 30, 2002  
Ugurhan Berkok, RMC, Kingston, July 2001 to June 30, 2002  
Byron Lew, Trent University, Sept. 2001 to Dec. 31, 2001  
Neil Swan, Ottawa, Sept. 2001 to Dec. 31, 2001  
Bagala Biswal, Memorial Univ. of Nfld. Jan. 2002 to Apr. 30, 2002

### **University of Winnipeg**

Takeshi Niguchi, Haran University, April 1, 2001 – March 30, 2002

## **c) Awards & Other News/Distinctions & Autre Nouvelles**

### **University of Alberta**

Paul M. Boothe returns from two-year secondment as Minister of Finance, Government of Saskatchewan  
A.D. O'Brien, Fellow, Institute for Public Economics appointed as Acting Vice-President (Finance & Administration)  
Robin Lindsey, 2001-2002 McCalla Professorship  
Rick Szostak, 2001 – 2002 McCalla Professorship

### **University of Calgary**

James D. Gaisford, Faculty of Social Sciences Distinguished Teacher Award for 2000  
Kenneth J. McKenzie, Faculty of social Sciences Distinguished Research Award for 2000  
Gillian R. Currie received a three-year AHFMR Heritage Population Health Investigator Award

### **University of Manitoba**

Clarence Barber (Professor Emeritus) awarded Order of Manitoba,  
May 2001

**Université de Montréal**

Michel Poitevin, Rédacteur en chef du *Canadian Journal of  
Economics*, à partir du 1er juillet 2001

**Université du Québec à Montréal**

Philip Merrigan, Prix d'excellence en recherche de l'Université du  
Québec, 2001

**Queen's University**

James Bergin, Canada Research Chair, (Tier I) effective July 1, 2001  
Charles M. Beach, SMAO invited Lecturer at Wilfrid Laurier Univ.,  
June 2000

**University of Saskatchewan, Dept. of Agricultural Economics**

Tom Allen, NACTA Teaching Award of Merit, 1999  
W. Hartley Furtan, A.W. Johnson Chair in Public Policy, 1999-2000  
Richard Gray, Honourable Mention, Best M.Sc. Thesis, Supervisor for  
Danial Monchuk, Canadian Agricultural Economics Society, 2000  
Richard Gray, The Canadian Transport Research Forum, 3<sup>rd</sup> Prize for  
Best Conference Paper (with M. Khakbazan & James Nolan), 1999  
James Nolan, The Canadian Transport Research Forum 3<sup>rd</sup> Prize for  
Best Conference Paper (with M. Khakbazan & Richard Gray), 1999

**Simon Fraser University**

Rick Harris honoured by the C.D. Howe Institute with the position of a  
Dobson Resident Fellow  
Jock Munro awarded the David Boyce Service Award of the North  
American Regional Science Association

**University of Toronto**

Matthew Turner was awarded a National Fellowship at the Hoover  
Institution at Stanford University for the 2001-2002 academic  
session.  
In honour of Noah Meltz's retirement, The Centre for Industrial  
Relations, U of T, held a conference, (Apr. 30 – May 1, 2001) "The  
International Conference on Union Growth", with respect to union  
growth and decline around the globe.  
On May 24, 2001 Professor Emeritus Gerry Helleiner delivered the  
William G. Demas Memorial lecture at the annual meetings of the  
Caribbean Development Bank, Castries, St. Lucia.  
On December 11, 2000, Professor Emeritus Gerry Helleiner delivered

the Raul Prebisch Memorial lecture at the United Nations  
Conference on Trade and Development, Geneva.

**University of Western Ontario**

Ron Wonnacott (Professor Emeritus) received a Doctor of Laws degree  
on June 8, 2001

**II Short-Term Visitors/Futurs Visiteurs**

**Bank of Canada**

Nicholas Rowe, Carleton University, July 2, 2001 – December 31, 2001  
Christian Zimmerman, UQAM, June 1, 2001 – May 31, 2002

**University of Calgary**

Elena Escudero, Universidad de Valladolid, Spain, July 15 – Sept. 15,  
2001

**McMaster University**

Peter Diamond, M.I.T., Distinguished Hooker Visiting Professor,  
Week of September 17, 2001  
David Pines, Tel Aviv University, October 1, 2001 – January 31 2002

**Université du Québec à Montréal**

Jules Vanie, chercheur post-doctoral en économie de la santé, juillet 2001  
– juin 2002

**Queen's University**

Scott Gordon, Indiana University, May – September, 2001  
Laurence Jacquet, Université Catholique de Louvain, September –  
October 2001  
Gerard Van den Berg, Free University of Amsterdam (David C. Smith  
Visitorship), Fall 2001

**Simon Fraser University**

Toru Kikuchi, Kobe University, Japan, May 2001 - 2002

**University of Toronto**

Mohammed Rafiquzzaman, Industry Canada, January – March, 2002

### III Miscellaneous Information/Divers

#### a) Conferences

**August 24-27, 2001:** “Atlantic Canada Studies Workshop”. To be held at St. Francis Xavier, Antigonish, Nova Scotia.

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Jim Bickerton, Dept. of Pol. Sci.: [jbickert@sstfx.ca](mailto:jbickert@sstfx.ca)

Nancy Forestel, Dept. of History: [nforeste@stfx.ca](mailto:nforeste@stfx.ca)

**September 5-8, 2001:** “Poverty, Development and Natural Capital”. To be held at the Munk Centre for International Studies, University of Toronto. Sponsored by the Institute for Environmental Studies, University of Toronto, Munk Centre for International Studies, University of Toronto, Faculty of Forestry, University of Toronto, World Bank, Environment Canada and IDRC.

**Contact:** [Horton@chass.utoronto.ca](mailto:Horton@chass.utoronto.ca) or [adam.fenech@ec.gc.ca](mailto:adam.fenech@ec.gc.ca). There will be a call for papers shortly and there will be a poster session.

**September 15-16, 2001:** “Economic Science and Visual Representation” (7<sup>th</sup> European Conference on the History of Economics). To be held at Université du Québec à Montréal. Sponsored by Le Département des science économiques, l'École des sciences de la gestion et le Centre inter-universitaire de recherche su la science et la technologie de l'Université du Québec à Montréal.

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Email: [Leonard.Robert@uqam.ca](mailto:Leonard.Robert@uqam.ca)

**September 28-30, 2001:** “The 30<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the Atlantic Canada Economics Association. “Regional Disparities and Federalism”. To be held at Fredericton, NB. Sponsored by the Economics Department, University of New Brunswick.

**Contact:** Joe Ruggeri, Dept. of Economics, UNB, P.O. Box 4400, Fredericton, NB E3B 5A3. Email: [ruggeri@unb.ca](mailto:ruggeri@unb.ca)

**September 28-30, 2001:** “Eighteenth Canadian Econometric Study Group Conference 2001. To be held at The Waterloo Inn, 475 King Street North, Waterloo, Ontario N2J 2Z5. Sponsored by Wilfrid Laurier University, Department of Economics and School of Business and Economics.

**Contact:** Baldev Raj, Department of Economics, Wilfrid Laurier Univ.  
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**September 2001 (TBA):** “Labour Market Discrimination Against Ethnic Minorities in Canada”. To be held in Vancouver, BC.

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**November 23-24, 2001:** “Empirical Studies in Canadian Education” Conference (organized by Arthur Sweetman and Tom Courchene). To be held at Statistics Canada, Ottawa. Sponsored by Statistics Canada & John Deutsch Institute for the Study of Economic Policy.

**Contact:** Sharon Sullivan, John Deutsch Institute for the Study of Economic Policy: Email: [sullivas@qed.econ.queensu.ca](mailto:sullivas@qed.econ.queensu.ca)

**December 2001:** “Financial Regulation” Conference (organized by Edwin Neave and Frank Milne). To be held at School of Policy Studies, Queen’s University. Sponsored by John Deutsch Institute for the Study of Economic Policy.

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## **b) Other/Autres**

### **University of Calgary**

Elizabeth A. Wilman has been appointed the Head of the Department of Economics for a five-year term, as of July 1, 2001

Robert L. Mansell has been appointed Dean of the Faculty of Graduate Studies/Associate Vice-President (Graduate and Post-Degree Programs) for a five-year term, as of April 1, 2001

### **University of Guelph, Dept. of Agricultural Economics & Bus.**

Glenn Fox has been appointed Acting Chairman of the Department of Agricultural Economics & Business as of May 1, 2001

### **Queen’s University**

Beverly Lapham was appointed Associate Head of the Department of Economics, effective July 1, 2001

**Books Authored:** Thomas Courchene, *A State of Minds, Toward a Human Capital Future for Canadians* (Montreal: Institute for Research on Public Policy), 2001

The Canadian Law and Economics Association (CLEA) has its annual

meetings in Toronto, U of T Faculty of Law, on 28-29 September 2001. Contact Kristin Demuth at (416) 978-6767 or Kristin.demuth@utoronto.ca

## **IV Doctoral Theses/Thèses de Doctorat**

### **University of Alberta**

Michael D. Hoffman, (Spring 2001) “International Taxation and the Income Shifting Behaviour of Multinational Enterprises”

### **University of Guelph**

Audrey Sattelberger-Laporte, (October 2000), “Essays on the socioeconomic Determinants of Population Health”

Patrick Martin, (June 2001), “Essays on the Intertemporal Allocation of Natural Resources in the Presence of Environmental Amenities”

Mark Raymond, (June 2001) “Three Essays on Regulatory Issues in Environmental Economics”

### **University of Guelph, Dept. of Agricultural Economics**

Anne-Juliane Huennemeyer, (February 2001) “Private Resource Management and Public Trust: Optimal Design of Forest Conservation Contracts in Ontario”

### **University of Manitoba**

Gary Russell, (February 2001) “Analytical Extensions for Developing and Testing Urban Location Models”

### **(Université de Montréal) École des Hautes Études Commerciales**

Carolyn Boivin, (December 19, 2000) “Le partage de la technologie : plus qu’une solution de rechange”

### **University of Ottawa**

Milan Jayasinghe, (October 22, 2000) “Political Economy, Cost and Efficiency Aspects of Market-Based Regulation: The Case of Tradeable Permits Under the Clean Air Act Amendments of 1990”

### **Université du Québec à Montréal**

Véronique Flambard, (juin 1999) “Théorie et économétrie des enchères : une application aux contrats de déneigement”

Emmanuel Nyemere, (décembre 1999) “Application de la théorie de l’investissement irréversible en incertitude au problème d’adoption d’un nouveau médicament dans un système centralisé d’approvisionnement sanguin”

Ali Dib, (septembre 2000) “Essais sur la monnaie et le cycle économique”  
Nasri Harb, (décembre 2000) “Trois essais sur les Politiques de stabilisation dans les pays semi-industrialisés”  
Abdalla Mansour, (mai 2001) “Analyse économique du crime”

#### **Queen’s University**

Stuart Wilson, (June 2001) “Demographic & Institutional Influences on Canadian Savings Behaviour”  
Colin Telmer, (June 2001) “Unobservable Information Within the Term-Structure of Interest Rates”  
Nadia Massoud, (June 2001) “Three Essays on Financial Markets”  
Horn-Chern Lin, (June 2001) “Funding Government Services Under Incomplete Information”  
Alexandra Lai, (June 2001) “Three Papers in Applied Microeconomic Theory”

#### **University of Saskatchewan, Dept. of Agricultural Economics**

Hemal Kularatna, (2000) “Analysis of Alternative Coordination Mechanisms for the Saskatchewan Cow-Calf Sector”

#### **Simon Fraser University**

Vilhjalmur Wium, (February 5, 2001) “Discarding of Fish and Fisheries Management: An Economic Perspective”

#### **University of Toronto**

Chun Susan Zhu, (May 15, 2001) “Technical Change, International Trade & Inequality”

## **V Recent Working Papers/Récents Cahiers de Recherche**

*To order individual copies of the working papers contact the institution*

#### **University of Alberta**

A. Buse, “The History of Extraneous Estimation”  
Andrew Eckert, “Retail Price Cycles and the Presence of Small Firms”

#### **Bank of Canada**

Seamus Hogan, Marianne Johnson, and Thérèse Laflèche, “Core Inflation”  
Allan Crawford, “How Rigid Are Nominal-Wage Rates?”  
Allan Crawford and Geoff Wright, “Downward Nominal-Wage



Rigidity: Micro Evidence from Tobit Models”

David Amirault and Brian O’Reilly, “The Zero Bound on Nominal Interest Rates: How Important Is It?”

Toni Gravelle and Richhild Moessner, “Reactions of Canadian Interest Rates to Macroeconomic Announcement: Implications for Monetary Policy Transparency”

Maral Kichian, “On the Nature and the Stability of the Canadian Phillips Curve”

Kevin Clinton, “On Commodity-Sensitive Currencies and Inflation Targeting”

Richard Luger, “Exact Non-Parametric Tests for a Random Walk with Unknown Drift under Conditional Heteroscedasticity”

James F. Dingle, “The Elements of the Global Network for Large-Value Funds Transfers”

Nikola Gradojevic and Jing Yang, “The Application of Artificial Neural Networks to Exchange Rate Forecasting: The Role of Market Microstructure Variables”

David Dupuis and David Tessier, “Une analyse empirique du lien entre la productivité et le taux de change reel Canada-E-U”

Lise Pichette, “Les effets reels du cours des actions sur la consommation”

Younes Bensalah, “Steps in Applying Extreme Value Theory to Finance: A Review”

René Lalonde, “Le modele USM d’analyse et de projection de l’économie américaine”

Brian O’Reilly and Mylène Levac, “Inflation and the Tax System in Canada: an Exploratory Partial-Equilibrium Analysis”

Uri Ron, “A Practical Guide to Swap Curve Construction”

Shafiq K. Ebrahim, “Volatility Transmission Between Foreign Exchange and Money Markets”

Jeannine N. Bailliu, “Private Capital Flows, Financial Development, and Economic Growth in Developing Countries”

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