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EDUCATION:

1980 - 1986	University of Toronto, Ph.D. (Economics)
1978 - 1980	University of Toronto, M.A. (Economics)
1972 - 1976	University of Toronto, B.A. (Political Economy)

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY:

1993 - Present	Professor, Department of Economics, Ryerson
	University, Toronto, Ontario
1988 - 1993	Chair, Department of Economics, Ryerson Polytechnic
	University, Toronto, Ontario.
1986 - 1988	Assistant Professor (tenure track), Department of Economics, University of Windsor, Ontario.
1982 - 1984	Lecturer, Department of Economics, University of Windsor,

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Publications

"Economic Growth and the Public Sector: A Comparison of Canada and Italy, 1870-2013," (with L. Di Matteo) *Review of Economic Analysis*, forthcoming.

"How Powerful Was the National Policy? The Lessons of the Cotton Mills," (with M. Hinton, and M.S. Kim) *Review of Economic Analysis*, Vol.6, No.1, 2014

"How Do Firms Price Their Products," in Seccareccia M, Bougrine, H. and Parker I., *Microeconomic Analysis: Competing Views*. Edmond Montgomery Publications, 2010

"Trade in Capital Goods and International Co-Movements of Macroeconomic Variables," (with K. Yoshimine). *Open Economies Review*, Vol. 20, Issue 1, February 2009

"Low Fertility in Italy and Spain: The Role of Institutions and Identity," (with J.L. Alvarez), in Stroud, H. B. and Corbin, S.E., *Handbook on Social Change*. Hauppage: Nova Science Publishers, 2009.

"Evolution and the Scarcity Problem" (with M. Hadad), *Journal of Social and Evolutionary Systems*, Vol. 19, No. 4, 1996.

"The Economic Decline and Reinfeudation of the State of Milan in the 17th Century", *Studies in Medievalism*, 1993.

"Agriculture, Demand, and Industrial Growth in Lombardy, 1861-1914", *Journal of European Economic History*, Fall, 1991.

"The Role of Agriculture in Industrial Development: Symbiotic Versus Parasitic" (with A. Brown), *The American Economist*, Spring, 1991.

"The Regional Effects of European Integration: Southern Italy and 1992" (with S. Dodaro), Atlantic Canada Economics Association Papers (Proceedings), 1990.

"The Economic Aspects of Feudal Residues in the Agricultural Sector of 19th Century Sicily", *Scripta Mediteranea*, Fall, 1988.

"A Reassessment of Agricultural Production in Italy, 1861-1914: The Case of Lombardy", *Journal of European Economic History*, Spring, 1988.

Curriculum Vitae – Thomas Barbiero, Economics

BOOKS:

- C. McConnell, S. Brue, Flynn, S., T. Barbiero, *Microeconomics*, 15th Canadian edition, Toronto: McGraw-Hill Ryerson, 2019
- C. McConnell, S. Brue, Flynn, S., T. Barbiero, *Macroeconomics*, 15th Canadian edition, Toronto: McGraw-Hill Ryerson, 2019
- C. McConnell, S. Brue, Flynn, S., T. Barbiero, *Microeconomics*, 14th Canadian edition, Toronto: McGraw-Hill Ryerson, 2016
- C. McConnell, S. Brue, Flynn, S., T. Barbiero, *Macroeconomics*, 14th Canadian edition, Toronto: McGraw-Hill Ryerson, 2016
- C. McConnell, S. Brue, Flynn, S., T. Barbiero, *Microeconomics*, 13th Canadian edition, Toronto: McGraw-Hill Ryerson, 2013
- C. McConnell, S. Brue, Flynn, S., T. Barbiero, *Macroeconomics*, 13th Canadian edition, Toronto: McGraw-Hill Ryerson, 2013
- C. McConnell, S. Brue, Flynn, S., T. Barbiero, *Microeconomics*, 12th Canadian edition, Toronto: McGraw-Hill Ryerson, 2010.
- C. McConnell, S. Brue, Flynn, S., T. Barbiero, *Macroeconomics*, 12th Canadian edition, Toronto: McGraw-Hill Ryerson, 2010.
- C. McConnell, S. Brue, T. Barbiero, *Microeconomics*, 11th Canadian edition, Toronto: McGraw-Hill Ryerson, 2007.
- C. McConnell, S. Brue, T. Barbiero, *Macroeconomics*, 11th Canadian edition, Toronto: McGraw-Hill Ryerson, 2007.
- C. McConnell, S. Brue, T. Barbiero, *Microeconomics*, 10th Canadian edition, Toronto: McGraw-Hill Ryerson, 2005.
- C. McConnell, S. Brue, T. Barbiero, *Macroeconomics*, 10th Canadian edition, Toronto: McGraw-Hill Ryerson, 2005.
- C. McConnell, S. Brue, T. Barbiero, *Microeconomics*, 9th Canadian edition, Toronto: McGraw-Hill Ryerson, 2002.
- C. McConnell, S. Brue, T. Barbiero, *Macroeconomics*, 9th Canadian edition, Toronto: McGraw-Hill Ryerson, 2002.
- C. McConnell, S. Brue, T. Barbiero, *Microeconomics*, 8th Canadian edition, Toronto: McGraw-Hill Ryerson, 1999.
- C. McConnell, S. Brue, T. Barbiero, *Macroeconomics*, 8th Canadian edition, Toronto: McGraw-Hill Ryerson, 1999.
- C. McConnell, S. Brue, T. Barbiero, *Microeconomics*, 7th Canadian edition, Toronto: McGraw-Hill Ryerson, 1996.
- C. McConnell, S. Brue, T. Barbiero, *Macroeconomics*, 7th Canadian edition, Toronto:

Curriculum Vitae – Thomas Barbiero, Economics McGraw-Hill Ryerson, 1996.

- C. McConnell, S. Brue, T. Barbiero, *Microeconomics*, 6th Canadian edition, Toronto: McGraw-Hill Ryerson, 1993.
- C. McConnell, S. Brue, T. Barbiero, *Macroeconomics*, 6th Canadian edition, Toronto: McGraw-Hill Ryerson, 1993.
- R. Bingham, W. Walstad, T. Barbiero, *Study Guide to Accompany Economics*, 5th Canadian edition, Toronto: McGraw-Hill Ryerson, 1990.

WORK IN PROGRESS

Spend Less, Get More: Explaining Health Spending and Outcome Differences Between Canada and Italy (With L. Di Matteo)

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS:

"The IMF and the New Governance Reforms: A Public Choice Interpretation,"

(With J.L. Alvarez), Society for the Advancement of Socio-Economics Meeting, San Francisco, 2009

"Wicksteed and the Origins of the Economics of Behaviour," Society for the Advancement of Socio-Economics Meeting, Atlanta, U.S.A., 2002

"The Economics of Social Cohesion," Society for the Advancement of Socio-Economics Meeting (Poster Session), Boston, U.S.A., 2000.

"Evolution and the Scarcity Problem" (with M. Hadad), Society For the Advancement of Socio-Economics Meeting, Geneva, Switzerland, 1996.

"Methodological Individualism and Group Interaction" (with M. Hadad), American Economic Association Meetings, San Francisco, California, 1996.

"The Regional Effects of European Integration: Southern Italy and 1992" (with S. Dodaro), Atlantic Canada Economics Association Meeting, St. John's, Newfoundland, 1990.

"Do Japanese Firms Prefer Joint-Ventures to Direct Investments Abroad? Evidence From Developing nations in the Pacific Rim" (with K. Tsui), Canadian Economic Association, Windsor, 1988.

"The Role of Agriculture in Industrial Development: Symbiotic Versus Parasitic" (with

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A. Brown), American Economic Association, Chicago, 1987

"Medievalism and the Economic Role of Guilds in Renaissance Florence", Studies in Medievalism Association, University of Notre Dame, Notre Dame, Indiana, 1987.

"Agriculture's Market Contribution to Industrial Growth in Italy: The Case of Lombardy, 1861-1914, Economic History Association, San Francisco, 1987.

"Agriculture's Market Contribution to Industrial Growth in Italy: The Case of Lombardy, 1861-1914", Midwestern Economics Association, St. Louis, Missouri, 1987.

"The Persistence of Feudal Economic Institutions in the Agricultural Sector of 19th Century Sicily", Studies in Medievalism Association, University of Notre Dame, Notre Dame Indiana, 1986.

COURSES TAUGHT

Introductory Micro

Introductory Macro

The Economics of Human Behaviour

International Institutions (Graduate Level)

Canadian Economic History
European Economic History
Economics for MBA Students
Contemporary Issues in the Canadian Economy
Economic Development

THESIS SUPERVISION:

Thesis Supervisor: Graduate Theses

Amanbir Heir: "Effect of External Debt on Economic Performance in Argentina and Chile: A Comparative Analysis" (2007)

Oleg Vakhromov: "The Russian Debt Crisis of 1998" (2008)

Carleen Daoust: "The Success of Argentina's Currency Board Arrangement" (2008)

Shaheena Muniruzzaman: "Microfinance, Rural Women and Development" (2009)

Beatrice Nizigiyimana: "The Role of the IMF in the Current Crisis" (2010)

Curriculum Vitae – Thomas Barbiero, Economics
Nauman Ahmad Syed: "Role of Commercial Banks in International Trade" (2009)

April Bahadur: "The IMF and Conditionality" (2009)

Bryce Tonner (MBA Student): "The Economic Crisis and Corporate Profitability Versus Sustainability (2009)

Manjit Virdee (MBA Student):: "The Economic Crisis and Fiscal Policy" (2009)

Mary-Jill Blackman (MBA Student): "The Economic Crisis and the Housing Sector" (2009)

Asuka Yamada (MBA Student): "Banking and Strategic Decision Making" (2009)

Matthew Wierzchowski (MBA Student): "International Banking" (2009)

Perminder Bhogal(MBA Student):: "The Banking Crisis in Canada and Denmark" (2009)

Faisal Mumtaz (MBA Student): The North American IT Industry in Times of Crisis" (2009)

Perminder Bhogal (MBA Student): "The Finacial Crisis and its Impact in the Banking Sectors of Denmark and Canada" (2009)

Hasan Ul Banna: The WTO, Agriculture, and Bagladesh" (2010)

Yang Xia: "The World Bank: An International Puppet Under Supremacy" (2011)

Saniya Tariq: "Pakistan's Mounting Debt Problem: Who is Responsible: The IMF, the Pakistani Government, or Both?" (2011)

Eklimur Raza: "The Role of Post-Quota RMG Sector in Export-Led Growth of Bangladesh" (2012)

Javeria Jameel: Economics of Volunteering: "The Case of the Toronto Muslim Welfare Centre" (2016)

A.N.K. Mizan: "IMF Lending and the Issue of Moral Hazard: An Analysis in Terms of International Debt Maturity" (2016)

Abdullah Ben Khudair: "The High Prevalence of HIV in Sub-Saharan Africa Present a Major Public Health Challenge" (2016)

Muhammad Zahedur Rahman: "A Revisit of IMF Lending, Maturity of International Debt, and Moral Hazard." (2017)

Victoria Muia: "IMF Lending and Moral Hazard During the Global Financial Crisis" (2017)

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Voghor Adella Ojigbo: "IMF Lending: Moral Hazard Effect on Maturity of Debt" (2017)

Dilek Eybek: "IMF Bailouts and Resulting Moral Hazard" (2017)

Michael Virone: "IMF Lending and Moral Hazard: An Examination of Debt Maturity" (2018)

Thesis Supervisor: Undergraduate Supervision

Luigi Iannuccilli: IMF Loan Participation (2015)

Chung Po Tse: Moral Hazard in IMF Lending Programs During the Asian Crisis (2015)

Alexandra Simova: International Financial Institutions in the Context of Global Markets: A Theoretical Overview (2012)

Christina Duhamel: Were IMF Programs Successful in Stabilizing the Economy During the Latin American Crisis of 1998? The Cases of Argentina and Brazil (2012)

Rushain Abbasi: Domestic and Foreign Determinants of IMF Lending Decisions (2012)

Stephanie Sipsis: "Germany, Italy and Greece: Experiences of the Euro-Area" (2010)

Lauren Smith: "The Relation Between Sweet Potatoes and Malnutrition in Sub-Saharan Africa" (2010)

Iryna Pisetska: "Effect of the Euro As a Single Currency on the Economies of the European Union" (2010)

Yuliya Platanov: "The World Trade Organization: Half a Century of Success" (2007)

Raluca Racu: "Being Part of the European Union But Not the EMU" (2007)

Vladimir Zivkovic: The Common Agricultural Policy (CAP) (2007)

Shelisa Persaud "Social Hindrance On the Indian Economy: Castes, Traditions, Religion and Culture" (2007)

Ronney Young: "Analysis of the Factors That Contributed to the Economics Growth in Japan" (2005)

Jose Amaya: "The Causes of Foreign Direct Investment and Its Impact on Mexico's Economy" (2005)

REFEREE WORK:

Journal of Economic Education

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS: American Economics Association, Canadian Economics Association, The Toronto Association of Business Economist (TABE), Rimini Centre for Economic Analysis, The Canadian Institute for Mediterranean Studies.

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Faculty Tenure Committee (2015-2017)

Ryerson Faculty Association (RFA) Department Rep (2014-2016)

External Liaison (2012-2017)

MBA Curriculum Committee (2007-2008)

Departmental Appointments Committee (1989-2006)

Departmental Exchange Coordinator (2001-2008)

Co-organizer for an International Conference on *Small Open Economies in a Globalized World*, University of Bologna, Rimini Campus, August 31-September 2, 2006

Local organizer for the Canadian Economic Association Meetings, Ryerson University, Toronto, June 4-6, 2004.

Co-organizer for an international conference on *Exchange Rates, Economic Integration and the International Economy*, Ryerson University, Toronto, May 17-19, 2002.