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CURRENT POSITION **Principal Economist** 2015–present
Federal Reserve Board of Governors Washington, DC
Labor Markets section, Division of Research and Statistics

Senior Economist 2014–2015
Federal Reserve Board of Governors Washington, DC
Labor Markets section, Division of Research and Statistics

Economist 2009–2014
Federal Reserve Board of Governors Washington, DC
Macroeconomic Analysis section, Division of Research and Statistics

EDUCATION **Ph.D., Economics** 2002–2008
University of California, San Diego La Jolla, CA
Dissertation title: “Measuring U.S. Labor Market Dynamics”

B.A., Economics 1996–2000
University of California, Berkeley Berkeley, CA
With highest honors

JOURNAL PUBLICATIONS Forthcoming “The Dynamics of Disappearing Routine Jobs: A Flows Approach” with Matias Cortez, Nir Jaimovich, and Henry E. Siu, *Labour Economics*, special issue on “Technology and the Labour Market”.

Dec. 2012 “The Ins and Outs of Forecasting Unemployment: Using Labor Force Flows to Forecast the Labor Market”, with Regis Barnichon, *Brookings Papers on Economic Activity*

Jan. 2011 “Industry Evidence on the Effects of Government Spending”, with Valerie A. Ramey, *American Economic Journal: Macroeconomics*

WEB PUBLICATIONS Oct. 2014 “The Who and How of Disappearing Routine Jobs”, with Matias Cortes, Nir Jaimovich, and Henry E. Siu *VoxEU*

Oct. 2014 “Updating the Labor Market Conditions Index”, with Hess Chung and David Ratner, *FEDS Notes*

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WEB PUBLICATIONS May 2014 “Assessing the Change in Labor Market Conditions”, with Hess Chung, Bruce Fallick, and David Ratner, *FEDS Notes*

Apr. 2014 “Why is Involuntary Part-Time Work Elevated?”, with Tomaz Cajner, Dennis Mawhirter, and David Ratner, *FEDS Notes*

WORKING PAPERS Mar. 2020 “The Cyclical Behavior of the Price-Cost Markup”, with Valerie A. Ramey; under review at *Journal of Money, Credit, & Banking*.

Dec. 2014 “Assessing the Change in Labor Market Conditions”, with Hess Chung, Bruce Fallick, and David Ratner (FEDS Paper no. 2014-109)

June 2009 “Understanding Unemployment Dynamics: The Role of Time Aggregation”

May 2009 “A Longitudinal Analysis of the Current Population Survey: Assessing the Cyclical Bias of Geographic Mobility”

Dec. 2008 “Weekly Time Series of the U.S. Labor Market”

Jan. 2007 “The Cyclical Behavior of Worker Flows: New Evidence from the SIPP”, with Shigeru Fujita and Garey Ramey

RELEVANT POSITIONS HELD **Research Assistant** 2006–2008
Valerie A. Ramey, Professor of Economics La Jolla, CA
UC San Diego and National Bureau of Economic Research

Research Assistant 2000–2002
George L. Perry, Senior Fellow Washington, DC
The Brookings Institution

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES **Statistical Associate Editor** 2000–2002
Brookings Papers on Economics Activity Washington, DC
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Professional Affiliations
American Economic Association

Reviewer for
American Economic Journal: Macroeconomics; International Economic Review; Journal of Applied Econometrics; Journal of Economic Dynamics and Control; Journal of the European Economic Association; Journal of Monetary Economics; Journal of Money, Credit, & Banking; Quarterly Journal of Economics; Review of Economics and Statistics; and various other journals