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Current positions:

President, Trade Partnership Worldwide, LLC, 2001 to present.

President, The Trade Partnership, 1991 to present.

Selected past positions:

Senior Economist, C & M International Ltd., Washington, DC, 1988 to 1991. Senior Economist, Mudge Rose Guthrie Alexander & Ferdon, Washington, DC, 1984 to 1988.

Economist, National Planning Association, Washington, DC, 1978 to 1984.

Education:

M.A. in economics, 1978, Columbia University.B.S.F.S. in international economics 1977, Georgetown University, School of Foreign Service.

Selected research projects:

- Classic Domino Effect: Imposition of New Duties on Imports of Tin Mill Products Will Hurt American Workers. Washington, DC: April 2023 (with J. Francois).
- Impacts of Section 301 Tariffs on Imports from China: Case Studies of Apparel,
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 Retailers of America, National Retail Federation, Retail Industry Leaders
 Association, United States Fashion Industry Association
- The Digital Trade Revolution: How U.S. Workers and Companies Can Benefit from a Digital Trade Agreement. Washington, DC: United States Chamber of Commerce, 2022.
- Trade and American Jobs: The Impact of Trade on U.S. and State-Level Employment: 2022 Update. Washington, DC: the Business Roundtable, February 2022 (with J. Francois).
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- The U.S. Foreign-Trade Zones Program: Economic Benefits to American Communities. Washington, DC: February 2019, prepared for National Association of Foreign-Trade Zones.
- Estimated Impacts of Tariffs on the U.S. Economy and Workers. Washington, DC: February 2019, prepared for Tariffs Hurt the Heartland (with J. Francois).
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- The Economic Impact of U.S.-Canada Supply Chains. Washington, DC: Embassy of Canada, 2016.

- The Impact of a U.S.-Brazil Trade Agreement on the U.S. Economy. Washington, DC: Brazil-U.S. Business Council, February 2016 (with J. Francois)
- Rethinking "Made in America" in the 21st Century. Washington, DC: National Retail Federation, May 2014.
- Today More than Ever: Oregon and Portland/Vancouver Depend on International Trade and Investment. Portland, OR: The Portland Business Alliance, October 2013.
- Imports Work for America. Washington, DC: Consumer Electronics Association, National Retail Federation, U.S. Chamber of Commerce, American Apparel and Footwear Association, May 2012. (with J. Francois)
- "Technical Assistance for Intellectual Property Rights Protection: Effects on U.S. Exports." Report prepared for the International Intellectual Property Institute and U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, May 2012. (with C. A. Schwartz, J. Francois and C. McDaniel)
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