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# VLADIMIR HLASNY

Citizenship: Czech Republic, European Union Born: 1st December, 1979 in Prague, Czech Republic

#### **EDUCATION**

Michigan State University

E. Lansing, MI

2000-present

Fall 2004

PhD in Economics (expected May 2005)

MA in Economics in Summer 2002

Specialization: Industrial Organization, Econometrics

PhD Dissertation: Three Essays on Regulation in the Energy Industry

University of Michigan Ann Arbor, MI

Traveling Scholarship, Specialization: Natural Resources Economics

University of Chicago Chicago, IL Spring-Summer 2002

Two-semester stay under a Traveling Scholarship, Specialization: Empirical Microeconomics, and Ind. Org.

Lyon College Batesville, AR 1997-2000

BA in Economics, Magna cum Laude in May 2000, Specialization: Public and Corporate Finance

# **CURRENT RESEARCH**

Restructuring and optimal regulation of public utilities, environmental regulation under uncertainty, control and management of invasive species. Applied microeconomics, microeconometrics.

#### **AWARDS**

Omicron Delta Epsilon Irving Fisher Graduate Monograph Award, 2003

Committee on Institutional Cooperation Traveling Scholarship to University of Chicago (2002) and University of Michigan (2004)

MSU Council of Graduate Students and the Graduate School Travel Grants, 2004

Social Science Research Council Applied Economics Workshop Travel Grant, 2001

MSU Distinguished Fellowship, 2000-2001

Lyon College Dean's Scholarship, 1997-2000

# **PUBLICATIONS & PRESENTATIONS**

The Value of Information in SO<sub>2</sub> Emissions Regulation. PhD dissertation essay. Presented at American Econ. Assoc. Meetings, Philadelphia, January 2005.

Contributions to <u>Business, Economics</u>, and <u>Finance with Matlab</u>, <u>GIS</u>, and <u>Simulation Models</u>, Patrick Anderson, CRC Press, 2004.

The Impact of State Deregulation and Restructuring on Gas Rates. PhD dissertation essay. Presented at MSU Economic Theory Seminar, May 2004, and Missouri Valley Econ. Assoc. Meetings, October 2004.

Do Gas Cost Incentive Mechanisms Work? A Nation-Wide Study. The American Economist, forthcoming. Also presented at Red Cedar Conference, MSU, April 2003.

Testing for the Occurrence of Shill Bidding in Internet Auctions. Presented at University of Chicago Industrial Organization Seminar, March 2002.

The Impact of the Intellectual Property Protection System on Firms in the Czech Republic. Jointly with D. Hlasna. Presented as a poster at the Applied Econometrics Association Meeting, Brussels, November 2001, and the Social Science Research Council Applied Economics Workshop, Arlington, August 2001.

Michigan Development Policies and County Income Growth, jointly with D. Nizalov and A. Reda. Microeconometrics seminar term paper, 2002.

#### WORK EXPERIENCE

Economic Research Service, US Dept. of Agriculture Washington, DC

June-Sep. 2004

Economist interning in the Resource Economics Division, Production Management & Technology Branch, studying the pattern and causes of invasion of exotic arthropods.

Anderson Economic Group

E. Lansing, MI

Jan. 2001-May 2004

Research Associate, working on financial, economic and demographic analyses for corporate and public sector clients

Dept. of Economics, MSU

E. Lansing, MI

Spring 2001-Fall 2004

Instructor of college microeconomics, responsible for 200 students

Teaching Assistant; Supervisor of a department help room

Teaching Assistant Program, MSU

E. Lansing, MI

Jan.-Dec. 2001

Academic assistant organizing student orientations, webmaster

Regions Investments, Inc.

Little Rock, AR

May-Aug. 2000

Intern

Upward Bound Program, Lyon College

Batesville, AR

Sep. 1997-May. 2000

Mathematics tutor, counselor, academic assistant

# PUBLIC PROFESSIONAL REPORTS (ANDERSON ECONOMIC GROUP)

Life Science Industry in Michigan: Employment, Economic and Fiscal Contributions to the State's Economy, 2004.

Economic Enhancement and Feasibility Study: Schoolcraft County, Michigan, 2004.

The City of Grayling Downtown Market Study, 2004.

The Village of Roscommon Downtown Market Study, 2004.

Restaurant Market Study: Historic Goodloe House, Bowie University, Maryland, 2004.

Northeast Blackout Likely to Reduce US Earnings by \$6.4 Billion, 2003.

Industrial Market Analysis and Economic Assessment: Cass County, Michigan, 2003.

The City of Beaverton Downtown Development Feasibility Study, 2003.

Critical Review: Gun Lake Band of Potawatomi Indians Environmental Impact Study; Economic and Community Impact Analysis, 2003.

Strategies for Economic Enhancement in the Red Arrow Corridor, 2002.

#### **MEMBERSHIPS**

International Tax and Public Finance Journal, reviewer (2004)

Camp NARUC (National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners) discussant, East Lansing, August 2003.

CEPII (Center for International Prospective Studies) Sustainability Impact Assessment Policy Workshop, participant, Brussels, November 2002.

MSU Council of Graduate Students Vice-president of Internal Affairs (2003-present), Interim President (Summer 2003), and department representative (2001-2002), leading the 8,000-head graduate student body

**LANGUAGES** Czech – native, English, Russian, Slovak – fluent

**SOFTWARE** MapInfo and ArcView, Stata, MS Access, EViews

#### REFERENCES

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