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### **Research Interests:**

Industrial Organization, Econometrics, Applied Microeconomics

### **Education:**

Ph.D., Economics, University of Maryland, 2009  
M.Sc., Economics, London School of Economics, 2002  
B.A., Economics & Statistics, Kenyon College, 2001

### **Professional/Research Experience:**

8/09 – present	Economist, Federal Trade Commission
8/05 – 7/09	Graduate Research Assistant, University of Maryland
6/07 – 8/07	Dissertation Intern, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve
6/06 – 8/06	Research Intern, Department of Justice, Antitrust Division
7/02 – 7/04	Research Assistant, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve

**Papers:** (Most papers are available for download at [www.chesnes.com](http://www.chesnes.com))

#### **Submitted**

Chesnes, Matthew (2009), “Capacity and Utilization Choice in the US Oil Refining Industry.”  
(*revise-and-resubmit at the Journal of Applied Econometrics*)

#### **Working papers**

Chesnes, Matthew (2010), “Asymmetric Pass-Through in U.S. Gasoline Markets.”

Chesnes, Matthew and Ginger Jin (2010), “Consumer Search for Online Drug Information.”

Chesnes, Matthew (2009), “Drug Information via Online Search Engines.”

Chesnes, Matthew, Sung-Jin Cho, and John Rust (2009), “Sequential Automobile Auctions.”

### **Professional Activity:**

*Presentations:* Federal Trade Commission (11/09), La Pietra-Mondragone Economics Workshop - Florence, Italy (7/08), Federal Reserve Board of Governors (6/07).

*Conferences:* International Industrial Organization Conference (2009), Federal Trade Commission & Northwestern University Microeconomics Conference (2008, 2009).

*Refereed manuscripts for:* The International Journal of Industrial Organization.

*Member of:* American Economic Association.

**Teaching Experience:**

7/10 – 8/10 Adjunct professor, Department of Economics, Johns Hopkins University, Game Theory, graduate level (planned)  
1/06 – 6/08 Instructor, Department of Economics, University of Maryland, Game Theory, undergraduate level (6 semesters)  
8/05 – 12/05 Teaching Assistant, Department of Economics, University of Maryland, Intermediate Microeconomics

**Awards:**

2008 Dissertation Prize, Journal of Applied Econometrics  
2008 Doctoral Research Fellowship, Economic Club of Washington  
2008 Departmental Teaching Award, Game Theory, University of Maryland  
2006 Departmental Teaching Award, Game Theory, University of Maryland  
2004 Graduate Fellowship, University of Maryland  
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