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### POSITIONS

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- 2021 - Postdoctoral Fellow, Research School of Economics, The Australian National University  
2015 - 2018 Associate Lecturer, Research School of Economics, The Australian National University  
2017 - 2018 Research Assistant, Crawford School of Public Policy, The Australian National University

### EDUCATION

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The Australian National University, Ph.D. Economics, 2021

(Topic: “Essays in fiscal policy in Australia”. Advisors: Chung Tran, Robert Breunig, Bog Gregory)

Monash University, M.Phil. Economics, 2011, Honours in Economics, 2008.

### RESEARCH AREAS

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Applied Macroeconomics, Public Finance, Public Economics and Labour Economics

### RESEARCH

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#### Working papers

1. “Progressive Pension and Optimal Tax Progressivity” [[Paper](#)]
2. “On the Limits of Fiscal Financing in Australia” [[Paper](#)]
3. “Growth, Redistribution and Inequality: Lessons from Australia’s Three Decades of Uninterrupted Economic Growth” [[Paper](#)]

#### Refereed Journal articles

1. Tran, C., and Zakariyya, N. (2021). [Tax Progressivity in Australia: Facts, Measurements and Estimates](#). The Economic Record, 97(316), 45-77.
2. Kubiszewski, I., N. Zakariyya, R. Costanza and D. Jarvis. (2020). [Resilience of self-reported life satisfaction: A case study of who conforms to set-point theory in Australia](#). PLOS ONE 15(8): e0237161.
3. Kubiszewski, I., D. Jarvis, and N. Zakariyya. 2019. [Spatial variations in contributors to life satisfaction: an Australian case study](#), *Ecological Economics* 164: 106345.
4. Kubiszewski, I., N. Zakariyya, and D. Jarvis. 2019. [Subjective wellbeing at different spatial scales for individuals satisfied and dissatisfied with life](#), *PeerJ* 7: e6502.
5. Kubiszewski, I., N. Zakariyya, and R. Costanza. 2018. [Objective and subjective indicators of life satisfaction in Australia: How well do people perceive what supports a good life?](#) *Ecological Economics* 154: 361-372.
6. Rasheed, A.R., A. Abdulla, and N. Zakariyya. 2016. [Vulnerability of different types of fishers to potential implementation of a management plan in a marine protected area \(MPA\) in the Maldives](#). *Marine Policy* 74: 195-204.

#### Book reviews

1. Zakariyya, N. (2018). [Taxing the Rich: A History of Fiscal Fairness in the United States and Europe](#), by Scheve, Kenneth and Stasavage, Daniel (Princeton University Press, Princeton, NJ, 2016), pp. 259. *Economic Record* 94: 500-501.

## Popular articles

1. N. Zakariyya. (2022). [Budget Forum 2022] [On the Limits of Fiscal Financing in Australia](#), Austaxpolicy: Tax and Transfer Policy Blog, 24 March 2022.
2. N. Zakariyya. (2019). [Budget Forum 2019] [Tax progressivity in Australia: things aren't as simple as they seem](#), Austaxpolicy: Tax and Transfer Policy Blog, 28 March 2019.
3. Kubiszewski, I., D. Jarvis, and N. Zakariyya. (2020). [Labor is right to talk about well-being, but it depends on where you live](#), The Conversation, 21 February 2020.
4. Rasheed, A.R and N. Zakariyya. 2017. [Small, Dispersed, Sustainable and Prosperous – An Alternative Paradigm to Population Consolidation in Maldives](#), *Solutions*, 8(2).

## TEACHING

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### Macroeconomics

- Advanced Macroeconomic Analysis (ANU, Postgraduate, Sem 2, 2021)
- Macroeconomics 2 (ANU, Undergraduate, Sem 1, 2021)
- Intermediate Macroeconomics (Monash, Undergraduate, Sem 1, 2010 – 2011)

### Microeconomics

- Microeconomics 1 (Undergraduate, Sem 2, 2017-2018)
- Microeconomics 2 (Undergraduate, Sem 2, Sem 1, 2018)
- Labour Economics (Monash, Undergraduate, Sem 2, 2009 – 2011)
- Public Finance (Monash, Undergraduate, Sem 1, 2009 – 2011)

### Econometrics and Applied Microeconometrics

- Advanced Econometrics I (ANU, Postgraduate, Sem 1, 2020)
- Applied Microeconometrics (ANU, Postgraduate, Sem 1, 2020)
- Case Studies in Applied Economic Analyses and Econometrics (ANU, Postgraduate, Sem 1, 2020)
- Advanced Topics in Poverty, Public Policy Development (Postgraduate, Sem 1, 2015 – 2017, Sem 2, 2018)
- Case studies in Applied Economic Analysis and Econometrics (Postgraduate, Sem 1, 2017)

### Mathematical economics

- Introduction to Economic Models (Postgraduate, Sem 1, 2017-2018)

### Politics, philosophy, and economics

- Issues in International Political Economy (ANU, Undergraduate, Sem 2, 2021)
- Politics, philosophy, and economics III (ANU, Undergraduate, Sem 2, 2020)
- Topics in Economic History (Monash, Undergraduate, Sem 1, 2010)
- Economic Growth (Monash, Undergraduate, Sem 2, 2010)
- History of Economic Thought (Monash, Undergraduate, Sem 2, 2010 -2011)

### Guest lectures

- Empirical Public Finance (Crawford School of Public Policy, 30 July 2019)

## CONFERENCES AND SEMINARS

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### Invited Seminars/Talks

- Monash Business School, Economics Seminar, Monash University (June 2022) - “On the Limits of Fiscal Financing in Australia”
- Australian Treasury (July 2022) - “On the Limits of Fiscal Financing in Australia”
- Deakin Business School Seminar (August 2022) - “Progressive Pension and Optimal Tax Progressivity”

## Conferences

- 2022 2<sup>nd</sup> Australian Workshop on Public Finance, Canberra, Australia  
*Oral presentation: "Growth, Redistribution and Inequality: Lessons from Australia's Three Decades of Uninterrupted Economic Growth"*
- 2022 Society for the Advancement of Economic Theory (SAET) Conference, Canberra, Australia  
*Oral presentation: "Progressive Pension and Optimal Tax Progressivity"*
- 2022 Econometric Society Australasia Meeting, Online  
*Oral presentation: "On the Limits of Fiscal Financing in Australia"*
- 2021 Workshop of the Australasian Macroeconomics Society, Online  
*Oral presentation: "Tax Progressivity in Australia, a Dynamic General Equilibrium Analysis"*
- 2021 Colloquium on Pensions and Retirement Research, ARC Centre of Excellence in Population Ageing Research (CEPAR), Sydney, Australia.  
*Oral presentation: "On the Limits of Fiscal Financing in Australia"*
- 2020 33<sup>rd</sup> PhD Conference in Economics and Business, Monash University, Melbourne, Australia  
*Oral presentation: "Tax progressivity in Australia: a dynamic general equilibrium analysis"*
- 2019 Colloquium on Pensions and Retirement Research, ARC Centre of Excellence in Population Ageing Research (CEPAR) 2019, Sydney, Australia.  
*Oral presentation: "Tax progressivity in Australia: a dynamic general equilibrium analysis"*
- 2018 Econometrics Society Australasian Meeting 2018, Auckland, New Zealand  
*Oral presentation: "Tax progressivity in Australia: facts, measurements and estimates"*

## MEDIA

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- ['If you were satisfied with your life before, you'll probably bounce back'](#), by Mariella Attard. *Forbes*. 22<sup>nd</sup> August 2020.
- ['Don't trust pollies to tell you the truth about tax'](#), by Ross Gittins. *Sydney Morning Herald*. 11th May 2019.

## AWARDS AND SCHOLARSHIPS

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- 2015 Australian Postgraduate Awards. Australian Government. PhD Scholarship. AU ~\$112,000
- 2018 Monash Postgraduate Research Scholarship. Monash University. AU~\$60,000

## COMPUTING SKILLS

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**Programming:** MATLAB, R, STATA, Python, Fortran. **Quantitative:** Structural modelling, econometrics, machine learning.

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

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- 2012 - 2015 Consultant, World Bank Pension and Social Administration Project, Maldives

## REFERENCES

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- Professor Chung Tran, Research School of Economics, ANU ([chung.tran@anu.edu.au](mailto:chung.tran@anu.edu.au))
- Professor Robert Breunig, Director, Tax and Transfer Policy Institute, ANU ([robert.breunig@anu.edu.au](mailto:robert.breunig@anu.edu.au))
- Dr. Dana Hana, Associate Dean (Education), College of Business and Economics, ANU ([dana.hanna@anu.edu.au](mailto:dana.hanna@anu.edu.au))