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Charles Ballard is a professor of Economics at Michigan State University.

Biography

An expert in all areas of economics including the Michigan and national economies; trade reform; tax and expenditure policy; state and local public finance; taxation; and poverty and income distribution. He has extensive experience talking with the media about the economy and politics. Ballard also directs MSU's quarterly State of the State Survey, which measures Michigan's consumer confidence and approval ratings of political leaders.

Industry Expertise

Import and Export, Education/Learning, Research, Public Policy

Areas of Expertise

Trade Finance, Public Policy Analysis, Trade Reform, National Economies, Wealth Distribution, Public Finance, Economic Analysis, Voting Behavior

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Stanford University

Ph.D. Economics

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M.A. Economics

Princeton University

A.B. Economics

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