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Areas of Specialization

Applied microeconomics with emphasis in health, labor and public economics

Education

Ph.D., Economics, University of Virginia, Charlottesville, VA, August 2005.
M.A., Economics, University of Virginia, Charlottesville, VA, May 2002.
Dissertation Title: Employee Choice of Health Plan and Consumption of Health Care under Employer-Provided Plans.
Dissertation Advisor: William Johnson.
Honors and Awards: Presidential Fellowship (University of Virginia, 2000-2003);
Bankard Pre-Doctoral Fellowship (University of Virginia, 2003-2004); DuPont Fellowship (University of Virginia, 2000-2003).

B.A., Economics, Barnard College, Columbia University, New York, NY, May 1996.
Honors and Awards: Graduated *cum laude*, Dean's list, Distinction awarded for Senior Honors Thesis.

Employment

Principal Senior Lecturer, August 2019 – Present

Senior Lecturer, August 2011 – 2019

Lecturer, August 2007 – 2011

Department of Economics, Vanderbilt University, Nashville, TN

Undergraduate Classes Taught: Intermediate Microeconomics, Economic Statistics, Health Economics, Comparative Health Care Systems, Health Care Policy, Economics and Legal Institutions

Masters Level Classes Taught: Microeconomic Theory

Honors and Awards: Harriet S. Gilliam Award for Excellence in Teaching (September 2013)

Assistant Professor, August 2005 – June 2007

Department of Economics, Saint Joseph's University, Philadelphia, PA

Undergraduate Classes Taught: Principles of Microeconomics, Economics of Health Care, Public Economics

Honors and Awards: Saint Joseph's University Summer Research Grant (Summer 2006)

Adjunct Professor, January 2004 – December 2004

Department of Economics, Drexel University, Philadelphia, PA

Undergraduate Classes Taught: Principles of Microeconomics, Economics of Health Care

Teaching Assistant, August 2000 – December 2003

Department of Economics, University of Virginia, Charlottesville, VA

Undergraduate Classes: Principles of Microeconomics, Principles of Macroeconomics, Public Economics

Research Assistant for Dr. Luann Lynch, Summer 2001

Darden Graduate School of Business, University of Virginia, Charlottesville, VA

Analyst, August 1999 – August 2000

Mercer Human Resource Consulting, New York, NY

Financial Analyst, January 1997 – August 1999

Investment Banking General Industry Group, Bear, Stearns & Co. Inc., New York, NY

University Service

Vanderbilt University

Academic Advising, Fall 2010 – Present

Undergraduate Senior Honors Thesis Advising

Spencer Barrett, 2012, Specialty Choice among Physicians

Betsy Thorne, 2014, Healthcare Costs of Smoking

Katie Greaves, 2016, Impact of Government Spending on Healthcare Quality

Molly Gupta, 2018, Impact of Changes in School Financing on Student Performance in Tennessee

Faculty Lecturer, Health Policy Certificate Program, Robert Wood Johnson Foundation Center for Health Policy at Meharry Medical College, Spring 2010

Committee Member, Department of Economics Immersion Committee, Fall 2018 – Present

Panelist for Freshman Orientation, August 2019

Committee Member, University Library Committee, Fall 2019 – Present

Saint Joseph's University

Academic Advising, August 2005 – June 2007

Internal Board of the Catholic Bioethics Institute, Fall 2006

Elections Committee for Faculty Senate, Fall 2006

Faculty Discussion Leader for Freshman Orientation, Summer 2006

Panelist for New Faculty Orientation, Summer 2006

SJU Reads Discussion Leader, Fall 2005

Publications

Productivity” (with Shari Barkin, Michael Warren and William Heerman). Journal of Business and Psychology, Vol. 25 No. 2. (2010): 239-245.

“The Impact of Health Care Costs on Firm Entry Decisions” (with Adam Rennhoff). Southern Business and Economic Journal, Vol. 30 No. 3 (2008): 111-120.

“An Analysis of Health Care Utilization Controlling for Selectivity of Health Plan Choice.” Journal of Applied Economics and Policy, Vol. 26 No. 1 (2007): 28-41.

“The Impact of Mental Health Care Utilization on Worker Absence.” Pennsylvania Economic Review, Vol. 15 No. 2 (2007): 1-15.

Presentations

“An Analysis of Health Care Utilization Controlling for Selectivity of Health Plan Choice,”

University of Virginia, Charlottesville, VA, October 2004

Drexel University, Philadelphia, PA, May 2004

Pennsylvania Economic Association, Pittsburgh, PA, June 2004

Mathematica Policy Research Institute, Princeton, NJ, February 2005

St. Joseph’s University, Philadelphia, PA, February 2005

“The Impact of Mental Health Care Utilization on Worker Absence,”

Southern Economic Association, Washington D.C., November 2005

Eastern Economic Association, Philadelphia, PA, February 2006

Professional Service and Memberships

Refereed for *Journal of Applied Economics and Policy*, *Journal of General Internal Medicine*