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EDUCATION

Ph.D., Economics, University of Michigan, 2002
M.A., Economics, University of Michigan, 1999
B.S. with Honors, Economics, University of Wisconsin at Madison, 1995

FIELDS OF SPECIALIZATION

Labor Economics, Economics of Education

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Bureau of Labor Statistics

- Director, National Longitudinal Surveys, May 2015 to present
- Research Economist, Employment Research and Program Development Staff, August 2004 to May 2015

Faculty Associate, Cornell Higher Education Research Institute, August 2004 to present

Post-Doctoral Fellow, Cornell Higher Education Research Institute, 2002-2004

Research Assistant for John Bound, University of Michigan, 2000-2001

Teaching Assistant, Principles of Microeconomics, University of Michigan, Fall 1999 and Winter 2000

Assistant Analyst, Congressional Budget Office, Tax Analysis Division, 1995-1997

PUBLICATIONS (see my website for links to papers)

Books

Educating Scholars: Doctoral Education in the Humanities (with Ronald Ehrenberg, Harriet Zuckerman, and Sharon Brucker), 2009, Princeton University Press.

Journal Articles

“The Impact of Labor Demand on Time to the Doctorate,” 2016, *Education Finance and Policy*, Vol. 11, No. 1 (Winter), 43-69.

“Sources of Error in Survey and Administrative Data: The Importance of Reporting Procedures,” 2012, *Journal of Official Statistics*, Vol. 28, No. 2 (June), 173-198.

“Building Knowledge Stocks Locally: Consequences of Geographic Mobility for the Effectiveness of State Higher Education Policies,” 2011, *Economic Development Quarterly*, Vol. 25, No. 4 (November), 316-329.

“Going Home after Hurricane Katrina: Determinants of Return Migration and Changes in Affected Areas,” 2010, *Demography* [lead article], Vol. 47, No. 4 (November), 821-844 (with Anne Polivka). [Reprinted in *Migration and Climate Change*, edited by Graeme Hugo, Edward Elgar Publishing, 2013.]

“The Effect of Hurricane Katrina on the Labor Market Outcomes of Evacuees,” 2008, *American Economic Review*, Vol. 98, No. 2 (May), 43-48 (with Anne Polivka).

“Hurricane Katrina Evacuees: Who They Are, Where They Are, and How They Are Faring,” 2008, *Monthly Labor Review*, Vol. 131, No. 3 (March), 32-51 (with Anne Polivka).

“Program Design and Student Outcomes in Graduate Education,” 2008, *Economics of Education Review* [lead article], Vol. 27, No. 2 (April), 111-124 (with George Jakubson, Ronald Ehrenberg, Scott Condie, and Albert Liu).

“Inside the Black Box of Doctoral Education: What Program Characteristics Influence Doctoral Students’ Attrition and Graduation Probabilities?” 2007, *Educational Evaluation and Policy Analysis*, Vol. 29, No. 2 (June), 134-150 (with Ronald Ehrenberg, George Jakubson, Eric So, and Joseph Price).

“PhD Attainment of Graduates of Selective Private Academic Institutions,” 2007, *Education Finance and Policy*, Vol. 2, No. 1 (Winter), 100-110 (with Matthew Nagowski and Ronald Ehrenberg).

“Occupation-Specific Human Capital and Local Labor Markets,” 2006, *Oxford Economic Papers*, Vol. 58, No. 4 (October), 722-741.

“In-State versus Out-of-State Students: The Divergence of Interest between Public Universities and State Governments,” 2004, *Journal of Public Economics*, Vol. 88, Nos. 9-10 (August), 1793-1814 (with Michelle White).

“The Effect of College Location on Migration of College-Educated Labor,” 2004, *Journal of Econometrics*, Vol. 121, Nos. 1-2 (July-August), 125-142.

“Trade in University Training: Cross-State Variation in the Production and Stock of College-Educated Labor,” 2004, *Journal of Econometrics*, Vol. 121, Nos. 1-2 (July-August), 143-173 (with John Bound, Gabor Kezdi, and Sarah Turner).

“Can Permanent-Income Theory Explain Cross-Sectional Consumption Patterns?” 2000, *Review of Economics and Statistics*, Vol. 82, No. 3 (August), 431-438 (with John Sabelhaus).

Other Publications

“Choosing Size Classes for Industry Employment Estimates by Firm-Size Class,” 2012, in *JSM Proceedings*, Section on Government Statistics (American Statistical Association), 1927-1941 (with Lowell Mason).

“Do Merit-Aid Programs Help States Build Skilled Workforces?” 2011, *Change*, Vol. 43, No. 6 (November/December), 33-37.

“Educating Scholars: Implications for Graduate Deans,” 2010, *Communicator*, Council of Graduate Schools, Vol. 43, No. 1 (January/February), 5-6 (with Ronald Ehrenberg, Harriet Zuckerman, and Sharon Brucker).

“How to Help Graduate Students Reach Their Destination,” 2009, *Chronicle of Higher Education*, October 16, A38 (with Ronald Ehrenberg, Harriet Zuckerman, and Sharon Brucker).

“Reconciling Employment Differences between Administrative and Survey Data,” 2008, in *JSM Proceedings*, Survey Methods Research Section (American Statistical Association), 913-920 (with Margaret Applebaum, Kristin Fairman, and Polly Phipps).

“Changing the Education of Scholars: An Introduction to the Andrew W. Mellon Foundation’s Graduate Education Initiative,” 2008, in *Doctoral Education and the Faculty of the Future*, edited by Ronald Ehrenberg and Charlotte Kuh (Cornell University Press), 15-34 (with Ronald Ehrenberg, Harriet Zuckerman, and Sharon Brucker).

“The Changing Composition of U.S.-Citizen Ph.D.s,” 2007, in *Science and the University*, edited by Ronald Ehrenberg and Paula Stephan (University of Wisconsin Press), 177-196 (with Michael Rizzo).

WORKING PAPERS AND WORK IN PROGRESS

“Storms and Jobs: The Effect of Hurricanes on Individuals’ Employment and Earnings over the Long Term” (with Mark Kutzbach and Anne Polivka). U.S. Census Bureau Center for Economic Studies Working Paper No. CES 15-21R, May 2016.

“Snooze or Lose: High School Start Times and Academic Achievement” (with Sabrina Wulff Pabilonia). BLS Working Paper 484, October 2015.

“The Impact of Labor Demand on the Size and Quality of Cohorts Entering PhD Study.”

HONORS AND AWARDS

BLS Eminent Achievement Award (for work on CES-QCEW Response Analysis Survey Team), 2010

BLS Time-Off Award (for work on CES-QCEW Response Analysis Survey Team), 2008

BLS Eminent Achievement Award (for work on Predecessor-Successor Improvement Team), 2007

Milken Institute Award for Distinguished Economic Research (for “Trade in University Training”), 2002

John E. Parker Memorial Prize in Labor Economics and Human Resources (for dissertation), 2002

Michael J. Moore Dissertation Research Prize, 2001

Economic Demography Training Fellowship, National Institutes of Health, 2001-2002

Invited Participant, Summer Workshop in Applied Economics, Social Science Research Council, 1998

Summer Research Grant, 1998

Regents’ Fellowship for Graduate Study, 1997-1999

Phi Beta Kappa, 1994

INVITED PRESENTATIONS

Conferences: ASSA meetings, Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management, Joint Statistical Meetings, National Bureau of Economic Research, Population Association of America, Society of Government Economists, Society of Labor Economists, Southern Economic Association, UNECE/OECD/Eurostat Meeting of the Group of Experts on Business Registers

Academic: American University, Binghamton University, Cornell University, Indiana University, Pennsylvania State University, Syracuse University, University of Houston, University of Maryland, University of Michigan, University of Toledo

Government: American Folklife Center (Library of Congress), BLS–Census Research Workshop, Bureau of Labor Statistics, Census Bureau, Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland, Federal Reserve Bank of New York, Federal Reserve Board

Other: Andrew W. Mellon Foundation, Association of Graduate Schools, Brookings Institution, Council of Graduate Schools

SERVICE AND OTHER PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Referee: American Economic Journal: Economic Policy Journal of Labor Economics
American Economic Review Journal of Official Statistics
American Journal of Political Science Journal of Policy Analysis and Management
B.E. Journal of Economic Analysis & Policy Journal of Public Economics
China Economic Review Journal of Regional Science
Demography Monthly Labor Review
Economics of Education Review National Tax Journal
Education Economics Papers in Regional Science
Education Finance and Policy Population and Environment
Industrial and Labor Relations Review Population Research and Policy Review
International Review of Economics and Finance Regional Studies
Journal of Econometrics Social Science Research
Journal of Economic Education Southern Economic Journal
Journal of Human Resources Urban Studies

Reviewer: Center for Economic Studies (Census Bureau), National Science Foundation

Organizer: “Economic Impacts of Natural Disasters”
AEA Session at 2014 ASSA Meetings
“Measurement Issues in the Labor Market”
SGE Session at 2010 ASSA Meetings
“The Impact of Hurricanes on Residents and Local Labor Markets”
AEA Session at 2008 ASSA Meetings (chosen for Papers and Proceedings)

Discussant: “Household Finance after a Natural Disaster: The Case of Hurricane Katrina”
Southern Economic Association Conference, 2015
Paper by Justin Gallagher and Daniel Hartley
“New Orleans’ Post-Katrina Population”
Session at 2013 Population Association of America Meeting
Papers by Elizabeth Fussell, Michael Rendall, Mary Waters, and Edward Chervenak
“Who Creates Jobs? Small vs. Large vs. Young”
BLS–Census Research Workshop, 2011
Paper by John Haltiwanger, Ron Jarmin, and Javier Miranda
“Higher Education: Cross-Country Comparisons and Mobility”
Session at 2011 Population Association of America Meeting
Papers by Mary Arends-Kuenning, Osborne Jackson, and Mary Kritz
“Labor Mobility in a Transatlantic Perspective”
Joint Seminar Sponsored by OSA Institute for Labour Studies, the U.S. Department of Labor, the European Foundation for the Improvement of Living and Working Conditions, and the German Marshall Fund of the United States, 2009
Papers by Brett Theodos and Hubert Krieger

“Successfully Earning a Ph.D. in Economics: Letting the Data Speak”
Session at 2008 Southern Economic Association Meetings
Paper by Wendy Stock, T. Aldrich Finegan, and John Siegfried
“Research on Ph.D. Programs in Economics”
Session at 2006 American Economic Association Meetings
Papers by Wendy Stock, John Siegfried, and T. Aldrich Finegan
“Assessing Public Higher Education at the Start of the 21st Century”
Research Conference, Cornell Higher Education Research Institute, 2005
Papers by Stephen DesJardins, David Olien, and F. King Alexander
“The Complex Community College”
Research Conference, Cornell Higher Education Research Institute, 2003
Papers by Alicia Dowd, Richard Romano, and Amy Schwartz

Advisor: Council of Graduate Schools (May 2015)
“Understanding PhD Career Pathways for Program Improvement”
National Center for Education Statistics (October 2015)
Technical Review Panel, 2016-17 Baccalaureate and Beyond Longitudinal Study

Member: American Economic Association, Population Association of America, Society of
Government Economists, Society of Labor Economists

CITATIONS IN POPULAR MEDIA

Ann Arbor News (Ann Arbor, MI), Associated Press, *Business Week*, *Chronicle of Higher Education*,
Daily Tar Heel (Chapel Hill, NC), *Inside Higher Ed*, *Lansing State Journal* (Lansing, MI),
New York Times, *News & Observer* (Raleigh, NC), *State News* (East Lansing, MI), *Washington Post*

REFERENCES

Available upon request