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Education

Vanderbilt University, Ph.D., Economics, 2006
Vanderbilt University, M.A., Economics, 2005
Wake Forest University, B.S., Mathematical Economics, 1998

Employment

University of Iowa, Department of Economics, Associate Professor, 2016 – present
Henry B. Tippie Research Fellow, 2016 – present
Assistant Professor, 2013 – 2016
Emory University, Department of Economics, Assistant Professor, 2008 – 2013
University of Michigan, Robert Wood Johnson Scholar in Health Policy Research, 2006 – 2008

Professional Appointments

National Bureau of Economic Research, Research Associate, 2016 – present
Faculty Research Fellow, 2015 – 2016
Institute for Research on Poverty, Faculty Affiliate, 2015 – present
University of Iowa Fraternal Order of Eagles Diabetes Research Center, 2015 – present
University of Iowa Public Policy Center, 2013 – present
Public Policy Center Scholar-in-Residence, 2015 – 2016, 2016 – 2017
University of Iowa Obesity Research and Educational Initiative, 2013 – present
Scholars Strategy Network, 2012 – present
Co-Regional Leader, Iowa chapter, 2016 – present
Co-Regional Leader, Atlanta chapter, 2013

Visiting Positions

Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta, Center for Human Capital Studies, 2011 – 2013, 2015
Cornell University, Institute on Health Economics, Health Behaviors & Disparities, October 2012
University of Wisconsin, Institute for Research on Poverty, April 2011

Honors and Awards

Professional Excellence in the Training of Economists Award for Graduate Student Advising,
University of Iowa, 2015 - 2016
Recognized for making a positive difference by a member of the University of Iowa graduating classes
of 2014, 2015, 2016
Certificate of Excellence in Reviewing, Economics of Education Review, 2014
Phi Beta Kappa Excellence in Teaching Award, 2012, 2013
Emory Global Health Institute Faculty Distinction Fund Award, 2008
Robert Wood Johnson Scholar in Health Policy Research, 2006 – 2008
Kirk Dornbush Research Assistantship, Vanderbilt University, 2004
Household International Best Research Paper Award, Vanderbilt University, 2004

Publications

Peer-Reviewed Journal Articles

- "The Pass-Through of Taxes on Sugar-Sweetened Beverages to Retail Prices: The Case of Berkeley, California," (with J. Cawley), *Journal of Policy Analysis and Management*, forthcoming.
- "The Impact of Social Security Income on Cognitive Function at Older Ages," (with P. Ayyagari), *American Journal of Health Economics*, 2016, 2(4), 463-488.
- "Nutrition and Cognitive Achievement: An Evaluation of the School Breakfast Program," *Journal of Public Economics*, 2015, 124, 91-104.
- "Non-Linear Effects of Soda Taxes on Consumption and Weight Outcomes," (with J. Fletcher and N. Tefft), *Health Economics*, 2015, 24(5), 566-582.
- "Obesity Is Associated with an Increase in Pharmaceutical Expenses among University Employees," (with J. Gazmararian, K. Zhang, and J. Koplan), *Journal of Obesity*, 2015, Article ID 298698.
- "The Long Run Health Returns to College Quality" (with J. Fletcher), *Review of Economics of the Household*, 2014, 12(2), 295-325.
- "The Effect of School Quality on Black-White Health Differences: Evidence from Southern Segregated Schools," (with E. Golberstein), *Demography*, 2013, 50(6), 1989-2012.
- "The Impact of Physical Education on Obesity among Elementary School Children," (with J. Cawley and C. Meyerhoefer), *Journal of Health Economics*, 2013, 32(4), 743-755.
- "School Quality and the Education-Health Relationship: Evidence from Blacks in Segregated Schools" (with E. Golberstein), *Journal of Health Economics*, 2011, 30(6), 1232-1245.
- "College Selectivity and Young Adult Health Behaviors," (with J. Fletcher), *Economics of Education Review*, 2011, 30(5), 826-837.
- "Expanding Exposure: Can Increasing the Daily Duration of Head Start Reduce Childhood Obesity?" (with J. Lumeng), *Journal of Human Resources*, 2011, 46(2), 373-402.
- "The Effects of Soft Drink Taxes on Child and Adolescent Consumption and Weight Outcomes" (with J. Fletcher and N. Tefft), *Journal of Public Economics*, 2010, 94(11-12), 967-974.
- "Investing in Health: The Long-Term Impact of Head Start on Smoking" (with K. Anderson and J. Foster), *Economic Inquiry*, 2010, 48(3), 587-602.
- "Can Soft Drink Taxes Reduce Population Weight?" (with J. Fletcher and N. Tefft), *Contemporary Economic Policy*, 2010, 28(1), 23-35.
- "Taxing Soft Drinks and Restricting Access to Vending Machines to Curb Child Obesity" (with J. Fletcher and N. Tefft), *Health Affairs*, 2010, 29(5), 1059-1066.
- "Changes in Body Mass Index Z Score Over the Course of the Academic Year among Children Attending Head Start" (with J. Lumeng and N. Kaciroti), *Academic Pediatrics*, 2010, 10(3), 179-186.
- "Survey Measures of Classroom Instruction: Comparing Student and Teacher Reports" (with L. M. Desimone and T. M. Smith), *Educational Policy*, 2010, 24(2), 267-329.
- "Higher Education and Health Investments: Does More Schooling Affect Preventive Health Care Use?" (with J. Fletcher), *Journal of Human Capital*, 2009, 3(2), 144-176.
- "Beyond Accountability and Average Mathematics Scores: Relating State Education Policy Attributes to Cognitive Achievement Domains" (with L. M. Desimone, T. M. Smith, and S. Ansell), *Educational Measurement: Issues and Practice*, 2005, 24(4), 5-18.

Book Chapters

- "The Costs of Acceleration," in *A Nation Empowered: Evidence Trumps the Excuses Holding Back America's Brightest Students*, volume 1, edited by Susan G. Assouline, Nicholas Colagenlo, Joyce VanTassel-Baska, and Ann Lupkowski Shoplik, 2015.

- “The Potential of Early Childhood Education as a Successful Obesity Intervention,” (with A. Giri) in *Obesity Interventions in Underserved US Populations: Evidence and Directions*, edited by Virginia Brennan, Shiriki Kumanyika, and Ruth Zambrana, Johns Hopkins University Press, 2014.
- “Health Outcomes from Head Start Participation,” (with C. Felix), in *Current Issues in Health Economics (Contributions to Economic Analysis)*, edited by Dan Slottje and Rusty Tchernis, Emerald Group Publishing Limited, 2010.
- “Has NCLB Improved Teacher and Teaching Quality for Disadvantaged Students?” (with L. M. Desimone and T. M. Smith), in *Standards-Based Reform and the Poverty Gap: Lessons for “No Child Left Behind”*, edited by Adam Gamoran, Washington, DC: Brookings Institution Press, 2007.

Non-Peer Reviewed Publications

- “Substitution Patterns Can Limit the Effects of Sugar-Sweetened Beverage Taxes on Obesity,” (with J. Fletcher and N. Tefft), *Preventing Chronic Disease*, 2013, 10: 120195.
- “Are Soft Drink Taxes an Effective Mechanism for Reducing Obesity?” (with J. Fletcher and N. Tefft), *Journal of Policy Analysis and Management*, 2011, 30(3), 655-662.
- “The Proof is in the Pudding: Response to Chaloupka, Powell, and Chirqui,” (with J. Fletcher and N. Tefft), *Journal of Policy Analysis and Management*, 2011, 30(3), 664-665.
- “Attorney Fees in Chapter 13: Do They Influence Chapter Choice?” (with S. B. Lane), *Norton Bankruptcy Law Advisor*, 2003, 9, 1-6.

Policy Reports

- “School Breakfast Program Increases Student Achievement in High-Poverty Schools,” (assisted by Alex Russell), UC Davis Center for Poverty Research Policy Brief, 2015.
- “Physical Education Requirements and Childhood Obesity,” (with J. Cawley and C. Meyerhoefer), *VoxEU*, September 26, 2012.
- “How Head Start Helps to Fight Childhood Obesity,” Scholars Strategy Network Key Findings, September 2012.

Working Papers

- “The Relationship between the School Breakfast Program and Food Insecurity” (with J. Fletcher), revise and resubmit at *Journal of Consumer Affairs*.
- “The Impact of Expanding Medicaid on Health Insurance Coverage and Labor Market Outcomes,” (with Y. Jung).

Selected Work in Progress

- “The Habit-Forming Effect of Subsidies: Evidence from WIC,” (with E. Leslie and J. Price).
- “State Merit Aid Programs and Youth Employment,” (with M. Pitts).
- “Does Full-Day Kindergarten Combined with Small Class Size Boost Test Scores?” (with G. Edwards).
- “The Impact of the School Breakfast Program on Childhood Obesity.”

External Grants

- National Institute of Health, National Institute of Diabetes and Digestive and Kidney Diseases, “Understanding the Effect of Calorie Menu Labels on Obesity: Producer and Consumer Responses to the ACA’s Calorie Posting Requirement,” R01, Principal Investigator, 2016-2019, \$1.3 million.
- Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, “Conducting a Multi-City Sugar-Sweetened Beverage (SSB) Tax Evaluation in the United States,” Principal Investigator, 2016-2019, \$2.5 million.

- National Bureau of Economic Research/US Department of Agriculture, "The Role of School Meal Programs in the Food Environment Experienced by Children," co-Principal Investigator (with J. Price), 2016-2017, \$77,656.
- Duke-UNC USDA Center for Behavioral Economics and Healthy Food Choice Research, "Calorie Mandates and Dietary Habits: Understanding How Information Impacts What and Where People Eat," Co-Investigator (PI: M. Price), 2016-2017, \$50,000.
- Iowa Department of Human Services, "Evaluation of the Iowa Health and Wellness Plan," Investigator (co-PIs: N. Askelson and B. Wright), 2015-2017.
- University of California, Davis, Center for Poverty Research, "Habit Formation and the Persistent Impact of WIC," Principal Investigator, 2014-2015, \$34,318.
- University of Kentucky, Center for Poverty Research, Research Program on Childhood Hunger, "Understanding the Relationship between the School Breakfast Program and Food Insecurity," Principal Investigator, 2013-2014, \$74,995.
- Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, Healthy Eating Research, "Examining the Impact of the Federal Reimbursement Rate on the Nutritional Content of School Meals," Principal Investigator, 2011-2013, \$74,996.
- National Institute of Health, Eunice Kennedy Shriver National Institute of Child Health & Human Development, "School Breakfast Program Mandates and Childhood Obesity," R03, Principal Investigator, 2011-2013, \$155,000.
- Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, Healthy Eating Research, "Evaluating the Effects of State Interventions to Combat Childhood Obesity through Decreasing Soft Drink Consumption," co-Principal Investigator (with J. Fletcher), 2008 - 2010, \$146,237.
- University of Wisconsin, Institute for Research on Poverty, IRP-USDA RIDGE Grant, "Nutrition and Cognitive Achievement: An Evaluation of the School Breakfast Program," Principal Investigator, 2008-2010, \$39,966.
- Wisconsin Longitudinal Study Pilot Grant, "Assessing the Causal Effects of Education on Preventive Health Care Choices," co-Principal Investigator (with J. Fletcher), 2007 - 2008, \$10,000.

Internal and Travel Grants

- Old Gold Fellowship, University of Iowa, 2014
- Emory University Research and Travel Funds, 2011, 2012, 2013
- University Research Committee Grant, "Full-Day Kindergarten and Student Achievement," Emory University, 2009-2010
- Instrumentation, Bridge, Instruction, and Seed Funding, "Full-Day Kindergarten and Student Achievement," Emory College, 2009-2010
- Woodruff Funds, Emory University, 2009, 2010
- Econometric Society World Congress Bursary, 2005
- Household International Research Support Award, Vanderbilt University, 2004, 2005
- Travel Grant, Vanderbilt University, 2003, 2005
- Roe L. Johns Travel Grant, American Education Finance Association, 2004
- Graduate Student Council Travel Grant, Vanderbilt University, 2004
- Summer Research Grant, Department of Economics, Vanderbilt University, 2002

Seminar and Conference Presentations

- 2016: Georgia State University, University of Illinois, Robert Wood Johnson Scholars in Health Policy Research Conference at the University of Michigan, University of Iowa, University of California Davis, American Society of Health Economists Biennial Conference, University of Nebraska

- 2015: Wake Forest University, Vanderbilt University, Middle Tennessee State University, Research Program on Childhood Hunger Symposium, Comparative International Research Based on the HRS Family of Data Conference, University of Iowa, Southern Economic Association Annual Conference
- 2014: War on Poverty Conference at UC Davis, University of Iowa, American Education Finance and Policy Annual Conference, University of Kentucky Center for Poverty Research Food Insecurity Conference, Penn State Census Research Data Center Conference, Iowa Academy of Education, American Society of Health Economists Biennial Conference, Agricultural and Applied Economics Association Conference, University of Minnesota, Iowa State University, Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management Fall Conference
- 2013: Wayne State University, Syracuse University, Emory University, University of Georgia, Georgetown University, Robert Wood Johnson Foundation Healthy Eating Research Conference, Washington and Lee University, Virginia Commonwealth University, Georgia Health Economics Research Day, Population Association of America, University of New Hampshire, University of Iowa, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management Fall Conference, Southern Economics Association Annual Conference
- 2012: Robert Wood Johnson Foundation Healthy Eating Research Conference, American Education Finance and Policy Annual Conference, Georgia Tech University, NBER Health Economics Program Spring Meeting, Society of Labor Economists Annual Conference, American Society of Health Economists Biennial Conference, North Carolina State University, Clemson University, Cornell University, ACRDC Consortium Research Conference, University of Texas-Dallas, Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management Fall Conference, Georgia State University, Southern Economics Association Annual Conference, George Washington University, University of Maryland Baltimore County
- 2011: American Economic Association Annual Conference, American Education Finance and Policy Annual Conference, University of Wisconsin, NBER Children's Program Spring Meeting, UCLA/UC-Berkeley Miniconference on Census Microdata and Applications, Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta, University of Alabama-Birmingham, Southern Economic Association Annual Conference
- 2010: Annual Meeting on the Economics of Risky Behaviors, American Society of Health Economists Biennial Conference, Lehigh University, Southeastern Health Economics Study Group Annual Conference, Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management Fall Conference, Southern Economic Association Annual Conference
- 2009: Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta, Emory University, University of Wisconsin IRP-RIDGE Workshop, NBER Children's Program Spring Meeting, Administration for Children and Families Office of Planning, Research and Evaluation, Research Innovation and Development Grants in Economics (RIDGE) conference, Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management Fall Conference
- 2008: University of North Carolina Greensboro, University of Houston, Georgia State University, University of Missouri, Emory University, Yale University, Robert Wood Johnson Scholars in Health Policy Research Annual Conference, American Society of Health Economists Biennial Conference, Southern Economic Association Annual Conference
- 2007: American Economic Association Annual Conference, Eastern Economic Association Annual Conference, Robert Wood Johnson Scholars in Health Policy Research Annual Conference, Sam Houston State University, University of Michigan, Vanderbilt University, Southeastern Health Economics Study Group Annual Conference, University of Iowa

- 2006: Baylor University, University of North Carolina Greensboro, CNA Corporation, Government Accountability Office, Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management Fall Conference
- 2005: American Economic Association Annual Conference (poster), Society of Labor Economists Annual Conference, Western Economic Association International Annual Conference, Econometric Society World Congress, Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management Fall Conference, Southern Economic Association Annual Conference
- 2004: American Education Finance Association Annual Conference
- 2003: Southern Economic Association Annual Conference

Discussant

- 2016: American Society of Health Economists Biennial Conference, Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management Fall Conference
- 2015: Southeastern Health Economics Study Group, Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management Fall Conference, Southern Economic Association Annual Conference
- 2014: Midwest Health Economics Conference, American Society of Health Economists Biennial Conference, Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management Fall Conference
- 2013: Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management Fall Conference, Southern Economic Association Annual Conference
- 2012: American Society of Health Economists Biennial Conference, Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management Fall Conference, Southern Economic Association Annual Conference, Workshop on Inclusive Growth and Poverty in Asia
- 2011: Research Innovation and Development Grants in Economics (RIDGE) Conference at University of Wisconsin, Southern Economic Association Annual Conference
- 2010: Annual Meeting on the Economics of Risky Behaviors, American Society of Health Economists Biennial Conference, Southern Economic Association Annual Conference
- 2009: Government Programs, Distribution, & Equity Conference at Georgia State University; Reducing Poverty: Assessing Recent State Policy Innovations and Strategies Conference at Emory University
- 2008: Southern Economic Association Annual Conference
- 2007: Eastern Economic Association Annual Conference, Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management Fall Conference
- 2006: Southeastern Health Economics Study Group Annual Conference
- 2005: American Education Finance Association Annual Conference, Western Economic Association International Annual Conference, Southern Economic Association Annual Conference

Additional Presentations

- Lunch and Learn Policy Series, Food Assistance Programs and Child Development, Public Policy Center, University of Iowa, September 2016
- Legislative Lunch and Learn seminar, Public Policy and Obesity, Iowa State Capital, March 2015
- Hawkeye Lunch and Learn community seminar, Public Policy and Personal Health: Effective Tools for Combating Obesity, November 2014
- Panelist, What If? Session on a Sustainable Economy, Public Policy Center, University of Iowa, April 2014
- Featured Speaker, Baltimore Public Policy Forum, The Public Policy Implications of Reducing Childhood Obesity, October 2013
- Moderator, Roundtable Discussion, Pricing Strategies to Promote the Purchase of Healthier Foods, Robert Wood Johnson Foundation Healthy Eating Research Conference, February 2012

Panelist, Roundtable Discussion, Policy and Economics of Public Health and Health Behaviors, Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management Fall Conference, November 2011
Core Participant, Global Health Law and Policy Project Roundtable on Clean Water and Sanitation Systems, Emory University, November 2011
Lead Presentation, Global Health Law and Policy Project Roundtable on Childhood Obesity, Emory University, November 2010
Moderator, Coming to the Table: Critical Perspectives on Food, Health, and Justice, Emory University, September 2010
Panelist, National Panel Discussion on Health Care Reform at Emory University, July 2009
Policy Briefing on Head Start and Early Childhood Education to Dennis Lockhart, President of the Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta and co-Chair of the United Way of Metro Atlanta's Early Education Commission, March 2009

Teaching

University of Iowa

Health Economics, Fall 2013, Spring 2015
Policy Analysis, Spring 2014, Fall 2014, Fall 2015, Fall 2016
Health Economics (Ph.D. course), Spring 2015, Spring 2016
Economics of Poverty, Spring 2016
Topics in Labor Economics (Ph.D. course), Spring 2017

Emory University

Public Finance, Fall 2008, Fall 2010, Fall 2011
Economics of Poverty, Spring 2009, Spring 2010
Dissertation Workshop, Spring 2009
Health Economics (Ph.D. course), Fall 2009, Spring 2011, Spring 2013
Health Policy and Economics, Spring 2010, Fall 2010, Spring 2012, Spring 2013

Vanderbilt University

Economic Statistics, Summer 2003, Fall 2003, Summer 2004

Graduate Student Advising at Iowa

Dissertation Advisor: Chelsea Crain (current), Emily Leslie (current), Lianjun Li (current), Younsoo Jung (current)
Dissertation Committee Member: Fan Liu (current), Marilyn Pease (current), Chander Kochar (2016), Cenk Cetin (2015), Dohyoung Kwon (2015)
Second Year Paper Advisor: Chelsea Crain (2016), Lianjun Li (2015), Younsoo Jung (2014), Emily Leslie (2013)

Graduate Student Advising at Emory

Dissertation Advisor: Animesh Giri (Economics, 2014); Maria Vyshnya (Economics, 2014)
Dissertation Committee Member: Lorenzo Almada (Economics, Georgia State University, 2014); Jing Xu (Economics, 2013); Handie Peng (Economics, 2013); Carolina Felix (Economics, 2012); Erik Nesson (Economics, 2012); Josh Robinson (Economics, 2012); Griffin Edwards (Economics, 2011); Mary Schroeder (Economics, 2011); Laura Lessard (Behavioral Sciences and Health Education, 2011); Deliana Kostova (Economics, 2010)
Master's Thesis Advisor: Eliska Repkova (2014)
Field Paper Advisor: Eliska Repkova (2013), Animesh Giri (2012), Maria Vyshnya (2011), Griffin Edwards (2009)

Undergraduate Student Advising at Iowa

Honors Thesis: Emily Legel (current), Tyler Shearer (current), Natalie Veldhouse (2015, co-advisor)

Undergraduate Student Advising at Emory

Honors Thesis Advisor: Rebecca Morris (2013), Kathryn Lee (2012), David Adler (2011), Jennifer Feinberg (2011), Adam Waxman (2011), Ben Helfand (2009)

Honors Thesis Committee Member: Jamie Landman (2013), Vikram Bishnoi (2011), Rishi Sekar (2010)

Scholarly Inquiry and Research at Emory Mentor: Roma Bhatia (2011)

Directed Studies: Matthew Jackiewicz (Fall 2011), Christopher Dean (Spring 2009)

Teaching Grants and Activities

Panelist, Interdisciplinary Panel Discussion on Health for the Emory College Alumni Board, Feb. 2011
Emory University, Office of University-Community Partnerships Mini Grant, "Economics of Poverty,"
Spring 2009, Spring 2010

Emory University, Piedmont Project participant, 2010

University Service

University of Iowa: Davies-deBoer Seminar in Health Economics Coordinator (2013-present), CIC Health Equity Working Group (2015-present), Recruiting Committee for Department Chair (2016-present), College Strategic Plan Review Committee (2016-present), Graduate Program Committee (2016-present), Recruiting Committee (2013-2014, 2014-2015, 2015-2016), Research Steering Committee (2015-2016)

Emory University: Atlanta Health Economics Seminar Coordinator (2012-2013), Undergraduate Committee Member (2010-2013), Pedagogy Research Lunches Co-Coordinator (2010-2013), Fundraising Committee Member (2010-2013), Grant Writing Committee Member (2008-2013), Global Health Institute Liaison (2008-2013), Honor Council Appeals Panel (2010-2012), IRB Reviewer (2008-2013)

Conference Organization

Midwest Health Economics Conference Steering Committee, 2015 – present

Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management Conference Program Committee, Health, 2016

American Society of Health Economists Biennial Conference Scientific Review Committee, 2016

Midwest Health Economics Conference, Lead Organizer, 2015

American Society of Health Economists Biennial Conference Scientific Review Committee, 2014

Georgia Health Economics Research Day, Co-Organizer, 2013

Robert Wood Johnson Healthy Eating Research Conference, Planning Committee, 2013

Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta, Employment and Education Conference, Co-Organizer, 2011

Southeastern Health Economics Study Group Annual Conference, Planning Committee, 2009

Advisory Positions

Great Plains Federal Statistical Data Research Center Advisory Board, 2015 – present

USDA Food and Nutrition Service Advisory Panel on Measuring Erroneous Payments for the School Meal Programs, 2015

Journal Referee

American Economic Journal: Economic Policy, American Economist, American Journal of Agricultural Economics, American Journal of Health Economics, American Journal of Preventive Medicine, Applied

Economics, AERA Open, B.E. Journal of Economic Analysis & Policy, Demography, Early Childhood Research Quarterly, Econometric Reviews, Economica, Economic Journal, Economic Inquiry, Economics and Human Biology, Economics Bulletin, Economics of Education Review, Education Finance and Policy, Educational Administration Quarterly, Educational Evaluation and Policy Analysis, Educational Policy, Empirical Economics, European Economic Review, European Journal of Health Economics, Explorations in Economic History, Food Policy, Forum for Health Economics & Policy, Health Affairs, Health Economics, International Journal of Health Care Finance and Economics, International Journal of Obesity, JAMA Pediatrics, Journal of Agricultural and Resource Economics, Journal of Applied Econometrics, Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization, Journal of Gerontology: Social Sciences, Journal of Health Care for the Poor and Underserved, Journal of Health Economics, Journal of Human Capital, Journal of Human Resources, Journal of Policy Analysis and Management, Journal of Political Economy, Journal of Population Economics, Journal of Public Economics, Journal of the Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics, Labour Economics, Medical Care, Preventing Chronic Disease, Public Finance Review, Review of Economics of the Household, Review of Educational Research, Social Science and Medicine, Social Service Review, Southern Economic Journal

Grant and Report Reviewer

Duke-UNC USDA Center for Behavioral Economics and Healthy Food Choice Research, Emory Global Health Institute Programs of Excellence in Tobacco Control, Enhancement Grant for Research for Sam Houston State University, National Institutes of Health: National Institute of Diabetes and Digestive and Kidney Diseases (NIDDK) special emphasis study section, National Science Foundation, Public Policy Institute of California, Research Grant Council of Hong Kong, Research Innovation and Development Grants in Economics Center at Institute for Research on Poverty, Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, US Census Bureau, US Department of Agriculture, University of Kentucky Center for Poverty Research

Professional Memberships

American Economic Association, American Society of Health Economists, Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management

Selected Media Coverage

Atlanta Journal Constitution, CBS News, Chronicle of Higher Education, Economist, Forbes, LA Times, NPR and local affiliates, NY Times, Philadelphia Inquirer, Time, US News and World Report