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Education

Ph.D. in Economics, Yale University, 1998
M.S. in Economics, Florida State University, 1991
B.A. in Economics and Political Science with distinction, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, 1988

Professional Experience

Associate Professor: 2004 – present, University of South Carolina
Assistant Professor: 1998 - 2004, University of South Carolina
Lecturer: 1997-1998, University of South Carolina
Visiting Assistant Professor: Spring 1995, Florida State University

Research Grants

2002-2005: National Science Foundation, Directorate for Social, Behavioral and Economic Sciences, Award # SES-0214290 “Choosing Among Risky Alternatives: An Experimental Analysis of the Impact of Insurance Markets on Decision-Making Biases” (with Susan Laury)

1998: Category I Research and Productive Scholarship Grant from University of South Carolina, “Information and Insurance: An Experimental Investigation” (with Susan Laury)

1998: The Moore School of Business Small Grant, “Information and Insurance: An Experimental Investigation” (with Susan Laury)

Honors and Awards

2004: Mortar Board Excellence in Teaching Award, University of South Carolina
1998: Mortar Board Excellence in Teaching Award, University of South Carolina
1989-93: Academic Fellowship, Yale University
1988-89: Department of Economics Fellowship, Florida State University
1988: Phi Beta Kappa, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
1986-87: Rotary International Fellowship, University of Sussex, U.K.

Publications

“What is the Economic Cost of Overweight Children?” *Eastern Economic Journal*, 32(1), Winter 2006, pp. 171-187. (with Eric Johnson and Judith A. Shinogle)

“Risk Aversion and Incentive Effects: Comment” *American Economic Review*, 95 (3),

- June 2005, 897-901. (with Glenn W. Harrison, Eric Johnson, and E. Elisabet Rutsröm)
- “Temporal Stability of Estimates of Risk Aversion” “Temporal Stability of Estimates of Risk Aversion,” *Applied Financial Economics Letters*, 1, 2005, 31-35. (with Glenn W. Harrison, Eric Johnson, and E. Elisabet Rutsröm)
- “The Influence of Malpractice Claims Experience on Rates of Cesarean Delivery: A Physician Level Analysis” *Inquiry*, Vol. 41, No. 2, pp. 170–188 (with Darren Grant)
- “Bobbing for Widgets: Compensating Wage Differentials” forthcoming in the *Journal of Economic Education* (with Cathy Eckel, Jean Ensminger, Roland Fryer, Ronald Heiner, Gavin Samms, Katri Sieberg, Sara Solnick, Rick Wilson)
- “Information and Insurance: An Experimental Investigation” *Journal of Risk and Insurance*, Vol. 70, No. 2, 2003 (with Susan Laury)
- “The Effects of Managed Care on Referrals and the Quality of Physicians: Theory and Evidence” *Journal of Industrial Economics*, Vol. L(4), December 2002 (with Gary Fournier)
- “Evaluating the Tobacco Settlement: Are the Damages Awards Too Much or Not Enough?” *American Journal of Public Health*, Vol. 92 (6), June 2002 (with Maribeth Coller and Glenn Harrison)
- “The Case for Experience Rating in Medical Malpractice Insurance” *Journal of Risk and Insurance*, Vol. 68(2), June 2001 (with Gary Fournier)
- “Medical Board Regulation of Physician Licensure: Is Excessive Malpractice Sanctioned?” *Journal of Regulatory Economics*, Vol. 12(2), September 1997 (with Gary Fournier)

Book Chapters and Non-refereed Publications

- “Controls for Risk Aversion in the Laboratory” (with Glenn W. Harrison, Eric Johnson, and E. Elisabet Rutsröm) in *Measurement in Economics, A Handbook*, Michael Boomans, ed., Elsevier Press, forthcoming.
- “Cents on the Tobacco Dollar” *Business and Economic Review*, Vol. 48, No. 2, January, 2002 (with Maribeth Coller and Glenn Harrison)

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Health Economics
Experimental Economics
European Economic Review
Quarterly Review of Economics and Finance
Economics of Education Review
Health Economics Letters
Southern Economic Journal
 National Science Foundation