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EDUCATION

Ph.D	Economics	Colorado State University	2017
M.A.	Economics	Colorado State University	2012
M.S.	Physics	University of Arkansas	2007
B.S.	Mathematics	University of Arkansas	2005
B.S.	Physics	University of Arkansas	2005

ACADEMIC POSITIONS

Clinical Assistant Professor, University of South Carolina	2017-present
Graduate Instructor, Colorado State University	2013-2017
Instructor, Front Range Community College	2009-2014

RESEARCH INTERESTS

public policy; cannabis policy; risky decisions

TEACHING

Courses taught: Introduction to Economics, Principles of Microeconomics, Intermediate Microeconomics, Intermediate Macroeconomics, Introduction to Mathematical Economics, Environmental Economics, Quantitative Methods for Economists

PAPERS

Uncertainty, Learning, and Local Opposition to Hydraulic Fracturing, Resource and Energy Economics, 2019

Higher Education: The Impact of Recreational Marijuana on Colorado College Students (with Danna Thomas and Christopher Blake) [Accepted at Contemporary Economic Policy]

The Effects of College Student and the Ski Industry on Colorado's Marijuana Sales [in progress]

The Child Tax Credit and Demand for Recreational Marijuana (with Jason DeBacker) [in progress]

Colorado Marijuana Legalization, School Finance, & Student Outcomes (with Jessica Goldstein and Josh McGee) [in progress]

SERVICE

Director for DMSB Center of Economic Excellence Carolina Judicial Council Hazing Prevention and Education Committee Academic Advisor for $AE\Pi$ High School Econ Day Planning Committee **AWARDS AND HONORS** The Moore School Research Grant Program Recipient 2022 The Moore School Research Grant Program Recipient 2021 The Moore School Research Grant Program Recipient 2019 The Moore School Research Grant Program Recipient 2018 Outstanding Graduate Teaching Nominee (Dept. of Economics) 2017 Outstanding Graduate Research Award (Dept. of Economics) 2016 Chapman Graduate Workshop in Experimental Economics 2015 Departmental Research Assistantship Award 2014 Front Range Community College Master Teacher Nominee 2011 **PRESENTATIONS** The Effects of College Students and the Ski Industry on Colorado's Marijuana Sales Southern Economic Association 92nd Annual Meeting Ft. Lauderdale FL 2022 The Whole Fracking Story Oxford College of Emory University Lyceum Lecture Series Oxford GA 2019 An Investment-timing Approach to Local Fracking Policy Southern Economic Association 87th Annual Meeting Tampa FL 2017 Option Values, Learning, and Local Opposition to Hydraulic Fracturing Association of Environmental and Resource Economists Fifth Annual Summer Conference Breckenridge CO 2016