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Mendoza College of Business
Department of Finance

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EDUCATION

Ph.D., Economics, North Carolina State University, 2008
Dissertation: *Alarming Behavior: Crime Displacement and Observable Private Precaution*
Master of Economics, North Carolina State University, 2004
B.A., Economics/Sociology majors with Math/Psychology minors, Bellarmine University, 2003

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

Teaching Professor, Department of Finance, University of Notre Dame
2023-Present

Associate Teaching Professor, Department of Finance, University of Notre Dame
2014-2023

Assistant Teaching Professor, Department of Finance, University of Notre Dame
2008-2014

ADMINISTRATIVE APPOINTMENTS

Associate Dean for Innovation and Inclusion, Mendoza College of Business, University of Notre Dame
2022-Present

Associate Dean for Specialized Master's Programs, Mendoza College of Business, University of Notre Dame
2019-2022

Director of Special Projects, Mendoza College of Business, University of Notre Dame
2016-2019

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Microeconomics, Economics Education, Financial Literacy, Industrial Organization, Law and Economics

ACADEMIC/TEACHING EXPERIENCE

DEI Grow the Good in Business Case Competition (Founder), University of Notre Dame
2021-Present

Certificate Program (Founder and Faculty), University of Notre Dame
Course: ND Elevate: Women in Leadership
2022-Present

Certificate Program, University of Notre Dame Jerusalem Global Gateway
Course: Reimagining Business Excellence
2023

Pre-College Program Leadership Seminar, University of Notre Dame
Course: The Power of Investing: Financial Literacy and the Miracle of Compound Interest
2021-Present

Executive MBA Program, University of Notre Dame
Course: Economics of the Firm, Programs in South Bend and Chicago
2012-2021

Executive Master of Nonprofit Administration Program, University of Notre Dame
Course: Economics of the NFP Enterprise/Economics
2011-Present

Residential Master of Nonprofit Administration Program, University of Notre Dame
Course: Economics of the NFP Enterprise/Economics
2019-Present

Master of Science in Management Program, University of Notre Dame
Course: Economic Analysis/Managerial Economics
2021-Present

Undergraduate Studies, University of Notre Dame
Course: Managerial Economics (Face-to-Face and Online)
2008-Present

Head Teaching Assistant, Department of Economics, North Carolina State University
Course: Fundamentals of Economics taught by David N. Hyman
2004-2005

Teaching Assistant, Department of Economics, North Carolina State University
Course: Fundamentals of Economics taught by David N. Hyman
2003-2004

Academic Consultant, .learn, Inc., Piscataway, NJ
Study guide and test bank editing for "Economics," 6th Interactive Edition © 2006, written by
David N. Hyman
2006-2007

TEACHING AWARDS

Provost's Award for Academic Support of Student Athletes, 2022
University of Notre Dame MNA Program Outstanding Faculty Award, 2021
University of Notre Dame EMBA Program Outstanding Faculty Award, 2021
University of Notre Dame EMNA Program Outstanding Faculty Award, 2013, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2019,
2020, 2022
James Dincolo Award for Outstanding Teaching in Finance, 2016

Joe and Gina Prochaska Family Outstanding Undergraduate Teacher Award, 2015
University of Notre Dame Rev. P. Joyce, C.S.C., Award for Excellence in Undergraduate Teaching, 2014

GRANTS

Moment to See, Courage to Act, University of Notre Dame, 2022
Grant for Digital and Online Course Development and New Instructional Initiatives, Office of Digital Learning, University of Notre Dame, 2016

OTHER HONORS AND DISTINCTIONS

Faculty Fellow, Notre Dame Deloitte Center for Ethical Leadership, 2023-Present
Top 40 Undergraduate Business School Professors, Poets and Quants, 2017
Michiana Forty Under 40 Class of 2017, South Bend Regional Chamber of Commerce
Kaneb Center Faculty Fellow, 2014
Wakonse Fellow, University of Notre Dame, 2009
John W. Pope Dissertation Fellowship, North Carolina State University, 2007-2008
North Carolina State University College of Agriculture and Life Sciences Outstanding Teaching Assistant Award, 2007
Phi Beta Kappa Scholarship, Bellarmine University, 2003
Valedictorian, Bellarmine University, 2003

PRESENTATIONS AND DISCUSSIONS

“Economics of Online Gaming in MENA.” Conference on the Societal Implications of Gaming in the MENA Region.” June 13-14, 2023.

“Finding and Researching Investment Ideas.” Smart Women Securities. 2017-2021.

“Economics and Investment Fundamentals.” Girls Who Invest. 2018-2019.

“Does Departmental Location Impact Student Perception of the Economics Major?” with Mary Flannery. SEA Annual Conference, November 2017.

“Does Departmental Location Impact Student Perception of the Economics Major?” with Mary Flannery. Michigan Academy of Science Arts and Letters, March 2017.

“Alarming Behavior: The Social Consequences of Home Burglar Alarms.” Michigan Academy of Science Arts and Letters, March 2016.

“The Five-Minute Presentation: Using Real-World Economics to Improve Information Literacy.” AEA Conference on Teaching Economics and Research in Economic Education, May 2014.

“The Effectiveness of Online Collaborative Learning and Implications of Free-Riding Behavior.” 25th Annual Robert Morris University, McGraw-Hill/Irwin Teaching Economics: Instruction and Classroom Based Research, February 2014.

“Assessing Student Understanding of Price and Opportunity Cost Through a Hybrid Test Instrument.” AEA Conference on Teaching Economics and Research in Economic Education, May 2013. Presented with Ross Guest.

"Leprechaunomics: Blog, Read, Discuss - Using Creative Written Work and Classroom Discussion to Introduce Real-World Applications of Economics." SEA Annual Conference Teaching Panel on Alternative Media and the Economics Classroom, October 2012.

"The Effectiveness of Online Collaborative Learning and Implications of Free-Riding Behavior." AEA Conference on Teaching Economics and Research in Economic Education, June 2012.

"Observable Private Precautionary Measures and Their Effects on Crime: The Case of Burglar Alarms." Applied Microeconomics/Industrial Organization Workshop, North Carolina State University, November 2007.

PUBLICATIONS

Collett-Schmitt, K. (2021) *Managerial Economics: Applications for the Modern Firm*. Great River Learning.

Collett-Schmitt, K., Davis, P. & Guest, R. (2015) Assessing Student Understanding of Price and Opportunity Cost Through a Hybrid Test Instrument. *Journal of Economics and Economic Education Research*, 6.

Collett, K. (2003) The Relative Effectiveness of Tax Policy When Considering Mitigating Factors Influencing Tobacco Consumption of American Youth. *Issues in Political Economy*, 12.

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

College Board, AP Economics Standard Setting, 2023

Kaneb Center Course Design Academy, University of Notre Dame, 2019-2020

National Conference on Teaching Economics and Research in Economic Education,
AEA Committee on Economic Education, 2011-2018

Seeking Educational Equity and Diversity (SEED) Training, 2014-2015

College Board AP Reading/Scoring of AP Microeconomics Exam in Cincinnati, OH, 2012-2014

AEA Continuing Education Program 2012: Workshop on Advanced Interactive Teaching Methods in Economics, January 2012

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

National Association of Diversity Officers in Higher Education, 2022-Present

American Economic Association, 2008-Present

Academy for Economics and Economic Education, 2014-2015

Association for Research on Nonprofit Organizations and Voluntary Action, 2014-Present

Southern Economic Association, 2012-2013; 2017-2018

UNIVERSITY, COLLEGE AND DEPARTMENTAL AND SERVICE

University of Notre Dame Office of Transformational Leadership DEI Practitioners Group, 2022 - Present

Numerous responsibilities associated with appointment as associate dean, 2019-present

KRISTEN E. COLLETT-SCHMITT

Member and Chair, Undergraduate Curriculum Committee, 2015-2019
Committee for the Review of the Dean of the Mendoza College of Business, 2017-2018
College Representative, University Committee for Academic Technologies, 2015-2018
Faculty Advisor, MoneyThink ND, 2013-Present
Faculty Representative for University Admissions Events, 2009-2013
Mentor, Building Bridges Program of University of Notre Dame, 2009-Present
Admissions and Curriculum Committees, MNA Programs, Mendoza College of Business, 2013-Present
Admissions Committee, Executive MBA Program, Mendoza College of Business, 2014
College Council Representative, Mendoza College of Business, 2009-Present
Directed Student Learning, Mendoza College of Business, 2009-2013
Senior Awards Selection Committee, Finance Department, 2009-2019

COMMUNITY SERVICE

USA Fencing Women's Empowerment Community Council (Empower HER), 2022-Present
Junior Achievement, 2013-Present
Wishes for Preemies (Nonprofit Organization), Founder, 2012-Present
NICU Parent Advisory Group, Beacon Health System, 2011-Present