

# Alexander N. Taylor

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## Academic Appointments

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**University of Evansville**, Schroeder School of Business  
*Assistant Professor of Economics*

**Evansville, IN**  
Aug 2024–Present

## Education

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**George Mason University**  
*PhD, Economics, Award for Outstanding Achievement*

**Fairfax, VA**  
May 2024

**George Mason University**  
*MA, Economics*

**Fairfax, VA**  
May 2021

**Hillsdale College**  
*BA, Economics, Minor in Mathematics, cum laude*

**Hillsdale, MI**  
May 2019

## Teaching Experience

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**University of Evansville**  
*ECON 101: Principles of Macroeconomics*  
*ECON 102: Principles of Microeconomics*  
*ECON 300: Regression Analysis*

Fall 2024, Spring 2025  
Spring 2025  
Fall 2024

**George Mason University**  
*ECON 385: International Economic Policy*  
*ECON 360: Economics of Developing Areas*

Spring 2022  
Fall 2021

## Research

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### Peer-Reviewed Publications

- [1] Taylor, Alexander N. (2024). “Monumental Effects: Confederate Monuments in the Post-Reconstruction South,” *forthcoming, [Explorations in Economic History](#)*

### Working Papers

- [1] Johnson, N. D., Taylor, A. T., and Thomas, A. (2024). “The Impact of the Black Death on the Adoption of the Printing Press,” Working Paper

### Work in Progress

- [4] Taylor, Alexander N. (2024). “The Word of God or Man? Bibles and the Vernacular Shift”  
[3] Stratmann, T., Taylor, A. N., and Crepelle, A. (2023) “Institution Building in Indian Country: Tribal Courts”  
[2] Hall, J. H. and Taylor A. N. (2022). “The King’s French”

### Non-Peer Reviewed Work

- [3] Taylor, Alexander. 2024. “Confederate Monuments in the Post-Reconstruction South” *Cato Institute Research Briefs in Economic Policy*. No. 384. May 22.  
[2] Taylor, Alexander. 2023. “When Confederate-glorifying monuments went up in the South, voting in Black areas went down.” *The Conversation*. August 8.  
[1] Balko, Radley. 2022. “Code Snitching: Nashvillians Are Weaponizing Metro Codes Against ‘Undesirable’ Neighbors”. *The Nashville Scene*. July 28.

## Professional Activities

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### Conference & Seminar Presentations (Including Planned)

#### – 2024

- ASSA Meetings, Centre College (invited seminar), ASREC, University of Evansville (invited seminar), Public Choice Society, Virtual Workshop in Historical Political Economy (discussant, cancelled), Markets & Society Conference (session organizer & chair), GMU Computational & Data Sciences Seminar (invited seminar), SEA Meetings

- **2023**
  - Public Choice Society Meetings, Mason Graduate Interdisciplinary Conference, Virginia Association of Economists Meetings, ACEI Meetings, World Cliometric Conference, Werner Troesken Memorial Conference, EHA Meetings, Markets & Society Conference, SEA Meetings
- **2022**
  - Yale Economic History Graduate Student Conference, Mason Graduate Interdisciplinary Conference, World Economic History Congress, GMU Economic History Group, SEA Meetings
- **2021**
  - Public Choice Society

### Memberships

Economic History Association, Southern Economic Association

## Skills

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**Software:** R & RStudio (GIS, Web Scraping, Textual Analysis), Stata, QGIS, L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X, Python

**Languages:** English (Native), French (Beginner)

## Fellowships, Grants, and Awards

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<b>Snavelly Award for Outstanding Achievement in Graduate Studies in Economics</b> <i>Department of Economics, George Mason University</i>	2024
<b>PhD Fellowship, Mercatus Center</b> <i>George Mason University</i>	2023–2024
<b>Presidential Fellowship</b> <i>George Mason University</i>	2019–2023
<b>Student Fellows Program (\$470)</b> <i>Public Choice Society</i>	2023
<b>Conference Accelerator Grant (\$2,000)</b> <i>Institute for Humane Studies</i>	2022
<b>Humane Studies Fellowship (\$3,000)</b> <i>Institute for Humane Studies</i>	2021–2022

## References

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