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Employment

2025– Assistant Teaching Professor (*Healthcare Administration*), Department of Economics, University of Massachusetts Dartmouth
2024–2025 Adjunct Lecturer, Department of Economics & Finance, North Central College

Education

2019–2025 Ph.D. University of Illinois Chicago, Economics
Thesis: "Essays on Health & Economics of Tobacco Control Policies"
Advisor: Dr. John A. Tauras
2016–2019 M.S. Drexel University, Economics
2011–2015 B.S. La Salle University, Mathematics

Research Interests

Health Economics, Unhealthy Behaviors, Public Finance, Applied Microeconomics

Technical Reports

- [1] Tauras, J. A., Chaloupka, F. J., & **Esposito, C. A.** (October 2023). *Report on the vaping epidemic in Indiana and Marion County*. Report commissioned by the Richard M. Fairbanks Foundation.
- [2] Tauras, J. A., Chaloupka, F. J., & **Esposito, C. A.** (April 2023). *An examination of the economic impact of tobacco in Indiana and Marion County*. Report commissioned by the Richard M. Fairbanks Foundation.
- [3] Tauras, J. A., Chaloupka, F. J., & **Esposito, C. A.** (February 2023). *The cost of smoking employees in Indiana and Marion County*. Report commissioned by the Richard M. Fairbanks Foundation.

Working Papers

- [1] "Assessing the Public Health Effects of Tobacco 21 Laws on Maternal and Infant Outcomes"
- [2] "Optimal Cigarette Taxation and Macroeconomic Implications: A Case Study of Indiana"

Research in Progress

"Anti-LGBTQ Laws and Risky Youth Behaviors" with Miranda Mendiola & Miranda Dominguez

Courses Taught

University of Massachusetts Dartmouth, College of Arts & Sciences, 2025–

Introduction to Health & Society

Special Topics: Economics of Risky Behaviors

Special Topics: Public Health & Tobacco Control

University of Illinois Chicago, College of Liberal Arts & Sciences, 2021-2025

Health Economics

Labor Economics

Research & Writing in Economics

North Central College, School of Business & Entrepreneurship, 2024-2025

Principles of Microeconomics

Sports Economics

Data Analytics

Honors & Awards

[1] *George I. Treyz Award* for excellence in economic & demographic analysis, REMI, October 2024

[2] *Mitch Krask Award* for excellence in teaching, UIC, April 2024

Conferences & Invited Talks

November 2024 UIC Economics Research Luncheon

October 2024 REMI Users' Conference; UIC Economics Club

August 2024 AEA CSQIEP Mentoring Conference (*Mentee*)

November 2023 UIC Economics Club

July 2022 UIC Economics Research Luncheon

Service & Membership

North Central College

Spring 2025 Faculty Participant & Organizer, Illinois Economics Challenge

University of Illinois Chicago

2022–2023 Graduate Student Representative, Senate & Educational Policy Committee

2021–2023 Economics Department Representative, Graduate Student Council

Undergraduate Research Advising

2025 Miranda Dominguez, Independent Study (North Central College, *outside reader*)

Memberships

(1) AEA, (2) ASHEcon, (3) APHA, (4) SRNT

Doctoral Experience at UIC

2022–2023	Research Assistant for Dr. John A. Tauras, Department of Economics
2021–2022	Research Assistant for Dr. Marcus Dillender, School of Public Health
2021	Research Assistant for Dr. Marcus Casey, Department of Economics (<i>summer</i>)
2021–2025	Graduate Student Instructor, Department of Economics
2019–2025	Graduate Teaching Assistant, Department of Economics

Pre-Doctoral Employment

2021–2022	AP Calculus Instructor, Sacred Heart Academy Bryn Mawr (<i>virtual</i>)
2018–2019	Mathematics Instructor, Sacred Heart Academy Bryn Mawr
2018	Policy & Data Fellow, Economy League of Greater Philadelphia (<i>summer</i>)
2017–2021	Economics Instructor, Johns Hopkins Center for Talented Youth (<i>summer</i>)
2016–2019	Honors Math Teacher, Merion Mercy Academy, St. Katharine Drexel Program
2016–2018	Advanced Math Teacher, The Crefeld School
2015–2016	Algebra Teacher, St. Basil Academy

Skills

Statistical Software

Stata, R/R-Studio, Mathematica, E-Views, Excel

Data Visualization & Document Preparation

L^AT_EX, Microsoft Office, Tableau

Learning Management System

Canvas, Blackboard, Blackbaud, Moodle