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EDUCATION

M.S. in Economics; M.S. in Finance West Texas A&M University	2011
B.B.A. in Management West Texas A&M University	2006

EMPLOYMENT

Lecturer of Economics Coordinator of Graduate Instructors and Teaching Assistants Department of Economics, Texas Tech University	August 2023 - present
Adjunct Instructor in Healthcare Economics Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center	August 2019 - present
Assistant Professor of Economics Department of Business Administration, South Plains College	August 2012 - August 2023
Adjunct Instructor in Finance and Economics College of Business, Wayland Baptist University	January 2012 - January 2016
Finance Analyst Wayland Baptist University	May 2011 - August 2012
Commercial Banker and Credit Analyst Wells Fargo Bank	June 2006 - March 2010

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Texas Tech University
ECO 2301, Principles of Economics I: Macroeconomics
ECO 2302, Principles of Economics II: Microeconomics
ECO 2305, Principles of Economics
ECO 3361, Excel for Economists

ECO 4300, Economic Research

Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center

HPHM 4334, Principles of Health Economics and Policy

HPHA 5313, Healthcare Economics and Policy

South Plains College

ECON 2301, Principles of Macroeconomics

ECON 2302, Principles of Microeconomics

Wayland Baptist University

ECON 2301, Principles of Macroeconomics

ECON 2302, Principles of Microeconomics

FINA 3309, Financial Management

TECHNICAL SKILLS

STATA (advanced), Microsoft Excel (advanced), Python (intermediate), LaTeX, HTML, CSS, and R.

HONORS AND AWARDS

Fellow, Teacher Mentoring through Peer Observation (TeMPO) at Texas Tech University	2024 - 2025
Outstanding Faculty of the Year, MSHA program at TTUHSC	2023
Outstanding Faculty of the Year, MSHA program at TTUHSC	2022
Finalist (one of four) for the South Plains College Faculty Excellence Award	2023
Tenured at South Plains College	May 2016
Omicron Delta Epsilon (National Honor Society for Economics)	May 2011

ACADEMIC SERVICE

Texas Tech University

Faculty Mentor, TrUE Scholars Program	2024 - 2025
Faculty Mentor, TrUE Scholars Program	2023 - 2025
Economics Online Course Committee	May 2024 - present
Coordinator, Graduate Teaching Workshop Seminar	August 2023 - present

South Plains College

Senator, Faculty Senate	July 2021 - July 2023
Scholarship Committee	May 2016 - August 2020
Economics Courses Assessment Coordinator	August 2016 - May 2023
Academic Advisory Council	August 2015 - May 2023

Faculty Advisor, Business Club	August 2014 - July 2016
Member of the Curriculum and Assessment Committee	August 2012 - May 2023

SELECTED CONFERENCE AND SEMINAR PRESENTATIONS

Undergraduate Research Symposium (faculty judge), Texas Tech University	October 2023
Lubbock Realtor and Investment Group (main presenter)	March 2023
State of the West Texas Economy (keynote speaker), South Plains College	September 2020
West Texas Assessment Annual Conference (presenter), Texas Tech University	January 2014

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS AND CERTIFICATIONS

Chartered Economist in Healthcare Economics	February 2023
Lubbock Economic Council	August 2014 - August 2023
American Society of Health Economists	July 2019 - July 2023
Quality Matters: Improving Your Online Classroom Certification	July 2015
American Economic Association	August 2013 - present