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**EDUCATION**

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

**EMPLOYMENT**

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

**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
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