James Kemper

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EDUCATION

M.S. in Economics, West Texas A&M University, 2011 M.S. in Finance, West Texas A&M University, 2011

BBA Management, West Texas A&M University, 2006

EMPLOYMENT

Lecturer of Economics and Coordinator of Graduate Instructors

September 2023 - present

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 - February 2010

Wells Fargo Bank

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Texas Tech University

- ECO 2302, Principles of Economics II: Microeconomics
- ECO 2302, Principles of Economics I: Macroeconomics
- ECO 2305, Principles of Economics
- ECO 3361, Excel for Economists

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

Outstanding Faculty of the Year, MSHA program at TTUHSC	2022 and 2023
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

TrUE Transformer Faculty Mentor, Texas Tech University	2024 - 2025
Economics Online Course Committee, Texas Tech University	May 2024 - present
Graduate Teaching Workshop Seminar, Texas Tech University	August 2023 - present
Faculty Senate, South Plains College	July 2021 - July 2023
Scholarship Committee, South Plains College	May 2016 -August 2020
Academic Advisory Council, South Plains College	August 2015 - May 2023
Business Club Faculty Advisor, South Plains College	August 2014 - July 2016
Curriculum and Assessment Committee, South Plains College	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