

# Jonathan Michael Leganza

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## **Education**

2021 Ph.D., Economics, University of California San Diego  
2015 B.A., Economics, Indiana University, high distinction  
2015 B.S., Mathematics, Indiana University, high distinction

## **References**

Gordon Dahl, University of California San Diego, [gdahl@ucsd.edu](mailto:gdahl@ucsd.edu)  
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## **Fields of Interest**

Public Finance, Labor Economics, Health Economics

## **Relevant Positions Held**

2017–2019 Research Assistant for Itzik Fadlon

## **Honors, Awards, Fellowships, and Grants**

2020–2021 NBER Pre-Doctoral Fellowship in Retirement and Disability Policy Research  
2020 RAND Summer Institute Scholarship  
2019 Clive Granger Research Fellowship, UCSD Economics  
2017 Graduate Summer Research Fellowship, UCSD Economics  
2016 Graduate Summer Research Fellowship, UCSD Economics  
2015 Regents Fellowship, UCSD Economics  
2014 Carroll L. Christenson Prize, Indiana University Department of Economics  
2014 Carrington Scholarship, Indiana University Department of Economics  
2014 Phi Beta Kappa, Gamma of Indiana Chapter, 2014  
2011–2015 IU Excellence Scholarship, Indiana University

## **Working Papers**

“Public Pensions and Private Savings” (with Esteban García-Miralles)

“Joint Retirement of Couples: Evidence from Discontinuities in Denmark” (with Esteban García-Miralles)

“Health Professional Shortage Areas and Physician Location Decisions” (with Stephanie Khoury and Alex Masucci), *Submitted*

“Family Health Shocks and Charitable Giving”

## **Research in Progress**

“The Effect of Required Minimum Distributions on Intergenerational Transfers”

“Tax Code Spillovers: Evidence from Retirement Savings Decisions in Denmark” (with Esteban García-Miralles)

“Plugging Gaps in Payment Systems: Evidence from the Take-Up of New Medicare Billing Codes” (with Jeffrey Clemens and Alex Masucci)

## **Conference Presentations**

Scheduled: NBER Summer Institute (Economics of Social Security)

## **Invited Seminars**

2021: Boston College Center for Retirement Research, Charles River Associates, Clemson University, Federal Reserve Bank of Boston, Federal Trade Commission, George Washington University Global Financial Literacy Excellence Center, Institute for Fiscal Studies, Mississippi State University, Office of the Comptroller of the Currency, Università della Svizzera italiana, U.S. Census Bureau, U.S. Treasury Office of Economic Policy, U.S. Treasury Office of Tax Analysis

2020: University of California San Diego

## **Referee Service**

Reviewer: *Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization*, *Journal of Public Economics*