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Academic Appointments and Affiliations

Postdoctoral Researcher

Jul 2023-Present

Vanderbilt University

Nashville, TN

Dept. of Economics; LGBTQ+ Policy Lab; Center for Research on Inequality & Health

Visiting Assistant Professor (while ABD)

Jan. 2022 - May 2023

Berry College

Mt. Berry, GA

Dept. of Accounting, Economics & Finance

Education

Ph.D. Economics

Aug. 2018 - Jun. 2023

West Virginia University

Morgantown, WV

B.S. Economics (Phi Beta Kappa)

Aug. 2013 - May 2017

Oklahoma State University

Stillwater, OK

Research Fields

Applied Microeconomics

Primary: Labor, Health

Secondary: Urban, Household, Sports

Research

Publications

Sexual Orientation, Sexual Attraction, and Income (with Christopher S. Carpenter and Hasan Shahid) Journal of Economics, Race & Policy, 2024.

Information Shocks and Celebrity Exposure: The Effect of "Magic" Johnson on AIDS Diagnoses and Mortality in the U.S. (with Alexander Cardazi and Zachary Rodriguez) *Health Economics*, 2023.

Determinants of Voting on Education Savings Accounts: Evidence from Tennessee (with Ben Luikart and Joshua C. Hall) *Journal of School Choice*, 2022.

The Impact of the New York City Marathon on Hotel Demand (with Joshua C. Hall) *Economies*, 2020.

Working Papers

Peer Health Shocks and Labor Supply Job Market Paper.

The Effect of Same-Sex Marriage Legalization on Adoptions and Family Formation (with Zachary Rodriguez) *Under Review*.

Does Love Kill Speed? The Effect of Marriage on Formula One Driver Performance (with Clay Collins) *Under Review*.

Spatial Endogenity and Learning Modalities during the COVID-19 Pandemic Work in Progress.

Chasing Rainbows: Social Acceptance & Housing Prices in Gayborhoods (with João Tampellini) Work in Progress.

Do Childcare Costs Reduce Adoptions? Evidence from Marriage Equality Work in Progress.

Teaching

Instructor of Record

Applied Economic ResearchFall 2021Urban & Regional EconomicsSpring 2022Intermediate Microeconomic TheoryFall 2021Principles of MicroeconomicsSpring 2021, Summer 2020Markets & Society(8x) Spring 2022-Spring 2023

Teaching Assistant

Advanced Economic Theory I (PhD)

Advanced Economic Theory II (PhD)

Intermediate Microeconomic Theory

Principles of Macroeconomics

Fall 2019

Principles of Microeconomics

Fall 2018

External Presentations

2025: American Society of Health Economists; Southeastern Micro Labor Workshop

2024: Lafayette College (*Dept. of Economics*); University of Georgia (*Dept. of Sports Management & Policy*); Vanderbilt University (*Dept. Department of Leadership, Policy, & Organizations*); Southeastern Micro Labor Workshop; Workshop on the Econ. & Crime Impacts of the Opiate Epidemic; Western Economic Association

2023: Florida Gulf Coast University (*Dept. of Economics*); Discrimination & Diversity Workshop; Economic Demography; NBER Economics of Health; Public Policy & Child Well-Being

2022: American Society of Health Economists; Association of Policy Analysis & Management; Association of Private Enterprise & Education; Public Choice Society; Southern Economic Association

2021: AEA's Economics of LGBTQ+ Individuals; American Society of Health Economists; Society of the Economics of the Household; Southern Economic Association

2020: Vanderbilt University (*LGBTQ+ Policy Lab*); SOGI Economics Early Career Workshop

Professional Activities

Invited Referee: Review of the Economics of the Household, Contemporary Economic Policy (3x), Public Finance Review, Journal of Regional Analysis & Policy (2x), Journal of Economics & Finance Education, BMC Health Services Research

Service: AEA Committee on the Status of LGBTQ+ Individuals in the Economics Profession (CSQIEP)

References

Kitt Carpenter

E. Bronson Ingram Professor of Economics
Vanderbilt University

Brad Humphreys

Professor of Economics
West Virginia University

Joshua Hall

Milan Puskar Dean and Professor of Economics
West Virginia University

Marcus Dillender

Asst. Professor of Economics Vanderbilt University