Max Kapustin

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EMPLOYMENT

Cornell University Department of Policy Analysis and Management, Ithaca, NY

Assistant Professor 2020 –

University of Chicago Crime Lab and Education Lab, Chicago, IL

Affiliate 2020 - Senior Research Director 2019 - 2020 Research Director 2016 - 2019

EDUCATION

University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI

Ph.D., Economics, 2016 M.A., Economics, 2011

New York University, New York, NY

B.S., Statistics and Actuarial Science, 2007

FIELDS

Crime, education, health, and labor economics; applied econometrics

RESEARCH

Publications

- 1. "Housing Voucher Take-Up and Labor Market Impacts" (with Eric Chyn and Joshua Hyman), Journal of Policy Analysis and Management, 38(1): 65-98. Winter 2019.
- 2. "The Impact of Housing Assistance on Child Outcomes: Evidence from a Randomized Housing Lottery" (with Brian A. Jacob and Jens Ludwig), *Quarterly Journal of Economics*, 130(1): 465-506. February 2015.

Working Papers

- 1. "Implementation as Intervention: Can Changing Management Practices Strengthen Policing in Chicago?" (with Terrence Neumann and Jens Ludwig)
- 2. "The Effect of Police Spending on Crime: Evidence from a Regression Discontinuity Design" (with Philip J. Cook, Jens Ludwig, and Doug Miller)
- 3. "The Effect of Medicaid on Educational Attainment: Evidence from Chicago"

In Progress

- 1. "Predicting and Preventing Gun Violence: An Experimental Evaluation of READI Chicago" (with Marianne Bertrand, Monica Bhatt, Chris Blattman, and Sara B. Heller)
- 2. "Providing Intensive Wraparound Supports for Disengaged Chicago Youth: A Randomized Evaluation" (with Nour Abdul-Razzak)
- 3. "The Lessons and Limits of Predicting Shooting Victimization" (with Sara B. Heller, Benjamin Jakubowski, and Zubin Jelveh)

4. "Improving Fatherhood Outcomes for Non-Resident Fathers" (with Isaac Ahuvia, Rachael Maguire, and Steve Raphael)

EXTERNAL GRANTS

The Laura and John Arnold Foundation (\$987,634)

2018 - 2022

Project Title: "The Efficacy of Combining Cognitive Behavioral Therapy and Supported Employment as a Violence Prevention Strategy: An Evaluation of READI Chicago."

Principal Investigators: Marianne Bertrand, Monica Bhatt, Chris Blattman, Sara B. Heller, and Max Kapustin

The Laura and John Arnold Foundation (\$281,776)

2019 - 2022

Project Title: "Providing Intensive Wraparound Supports for Disengaged Chicago Youth: A Randomized Evaluation."

Principal Investigators: Max Kapustin and Nour Abdul-Razzak

Institute for Research on Poverty, University of Wisconsin-Madison (\$91,262)

2019 - 2020

Project Title: "Reducing Gun Violence through Precision Policing: An evaluation of the Chicago Police Department's Strategic Decision Support Centers."

Principal Investigators: Max Kapustin, Jens Ludwig, and Terrence Neumann

SELECTED PRESENTATIONS

2020: Cornell University (PAM); University of Notre Dame (Economics); University of Wisconsin-Madison (Ag. & Applied Econ)

2019: University of Pennsylvania (Criminology); University of Wisconsin-Madison (La Follette)

2018: NBER Summer Institute (Crime); APPAM

2016: American Society of Health Economists; APPAM

2015: University of Michigan (Economics)

2013: APPAM; American Society of Criminology