**Katlyn Hettinger**

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**Academic Appointment**

Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, Western Kentucky University Fall 2023-

**Education**

Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI Fall 2017-Summer 2023

Ph.D. in Economics

Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI Fall 2017-Fall 2018

Master of Arts in Economics

Hope College, Holland, MI Fall 2013-Fall 2016

Bachelor of Arts in Economics and Mathematics, Management Minor, *summa cum laude*

**Peer-Reviewed Publications**

“Equity in Pre-pregnancy Healthcare Engagement Before and After the Affordable Care Act” with D. Gartner, Heather Howard-Bobiwash, and C. Margerison. *Health Equity*, 8(1), 2024.

“Did the Affordable Care Act promote Racial Equity in Pregnancy-Related Health?: A scoping review” with Colleen MacCallum-Bridges, C. Margerison, D. Gartner, and Y. Zamani-Hanks. *Population Health Management,* 27(3),2024.

"Impacts of the 2021 Child Tax Credit Advance Payments on Low Birth Weight in the United States" with C. Margerison, Tim Bruckner, Ralph Catalano, Yasamean Zamani-Hanks and Tim Michling. *JAMA Network Open,* 6(8), 2023.

“Postpartum Medicaid Eligibility Expansions and Postpartum Health Measures” with C. Margerison. *Population Health Management*, 26(1), 2023.

“Medicaid Expansion Associated with Some Improvements in Perinatal Mental Health” with Claire Margerison, Robert Kaestner, Sidra Goldman-Mellor, and Danielle Gartner. *Health Affairs,* 40(10), 2021.

**Working Papers**

“Impact of Medicaid Policies on Pre-pregnancy Dental Care Utilization” with Nazeeba Siddika and C. Margerison. *Under review.*

“Intertemporal Substitution in Response to Non-Linear Health Insurance Contracts” *Under review.*

“The Effects of State Medical Amnesty Policies on Alcohol Use” *Under review.*

“2021 Child Tax Credit Advanced Payments and Postpartum Mental Health” with C. Margerison

**Other Publications**

"Did Cash Transfers from the 2021 Child Tax Credit Expansion Improve Maternal and Infant Health? A Policy Brief" with E. Vickers, Y. Zamani-Hanks, and C. Margerison

**Honors and Awards**

MSU Dissertation Completion Fellowship Spring 2023

ASHEcon Diversity Scholarship Summer 2022

BCBSM Foundation Student Grant Award Spring 2022

Whitledge Fellowship, MSU Summer 2022

Southern Economic Association Graduate Conference Award Fall 2021, Fall 2022

MSU Department of Economics Excellence-in-Teaching Award Fall 2020

IBM Marketscan Dissertation Support Program Spring 2020

Thompson Endowment Award, MSU Summer 2019

MSU College of Social Science Research Scholars Award Summer 2019

Ruch Fellow Grant, Hope College Summer 2016

**Conference Presentations & Invited Seminars**

2024: Midwest Economic Association, APPAM, Southern Economic Association

2023: Georgia Tech (Public Policy), University of Nevada, Las Vegas, The Lewin Group, the University of Texas at El Paso, Abt Associates, Louisiana State University, Bentley University, Miami University, Washington State University, Western Michigan University, Bates College, Census Bureau, Western Kentucky University, ASHEcon (x2), AcademyHealth ARMHea

2022: American Society of Health Economists (ASHEcon) (x2), Association for Public Policy Analysis & Management Fall Conference 2022 (APPAM), Southern Economic Association (x2)

2021: Southern Economic Association

**Teaching Experience**

Western Kentucky University Fall 2023-

ECON 202 Principles of Microeconomics (in-person, F23, S24, F24)

ECON 203 Principles of Macroeconomics (in-person, F23)

ECON 306 Statistical Analysis (in-person, F24, S25)

ECON 445 & 445G Economics of Healthcare (in-person, S25)

Michigan State University Summer 2019-Fall 2019

Intermediate Microeconomics (in-person, F19)

Economics of Sports (online, Su19)

**Professional & University Service**

Professional Service:

ASHEcon Scientific Review Committee Spring 2025

CSWEP Mentor for Women PhD Students in Health Economics Fall 2023-Spring 2024

University Service:

M.A.S.T.E.R. Plan Cluster Facilitator Summer 2024

GFCB Awards Committee Fall 2023-

**Workshops & Trainings**

CSWEP CeMENT Workshop Summer 2024

CSWEP/ASHEcon Mentoring Workshop for PhD Students in Health Economics Fall 2021

**Referee**

Health Research Policy & Systems, BMC Public Health, Discover Public Health