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EMPLOYMENT

Assistant Professor of Economics

School of Economics, University of Maine Aug 2021 – Present

EDUCATION

The University of North Carolina at Greensboro

PhD, Economics May 2021

The University of North Carolina at Greensboro

MA, Applied Economics Dec 2016

Davidson College

BA, Economics (Honors) & Religious Studies May 2013

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Applied Microeconomics, Public Economics, Urban Economics, Innovation Economics

PUBLICATIONS AND REPORTS

- Hobbs, K. G., Link, A. N., and Swann, C. A. (2021). The Overcrowding of Zion National Park: Is It a Pricing Problem? *Journal of Environmental Economics and Policy,* forthcoming.
- Hobbs, K. and Wooten, J. (2021). Teaching Principles of Microeconomics with the Economics Media Library. *Applied Economics Teaching Resources*, 3(1): 37 57.
- Sills, S. J., Sheldon, P. G., and Hobbs, K. G. (2018). Greensboro's Eviction Crisis: Qualitative Interviews and Observations, *UNCG Center for Housing and Community Studies Report*.
- Hobbs, K. G., Link, A. N., and Shelton, T. (2018). The Regional Economic Impacts of University Research and Science Parks, *Journal of the Knowledge Economy*, 11: 42 56.
- Hobbs, K. G., Link, A. N., and Scott, J. T. (2017). The Growth of U.S. Science and Technology Parks: Does Proximity to a University Matter?, *The Annals of Regional Science*, 59: 495 511.
- Hobbs, K. G., Link, A. N., and Scott, J. T. (2017). Science and Technology Parks: An Annotated and Analytical Literature Review, *Journal of Technology Transfer*, 42: 957 976.

WORKING PAPERS

The Effect of Unemployment Insurance on Rental Housing Evictions

Unemployment Insurance and Residential Stability: Evidence from the Household Pulse Survey

WORKS IN PROGRESS

The Differences between the Rural and Urban Eviction Landscape

The Price of Eviction: Landlord Responsiveness to Eviction Filing Fees

MEDIA

"Reasons behind Greensboro's High Eviction Rate," WXII, June 2018.

PRESENTATIONS

2021

University of Maine, Abt Associates, #Econ_ProSem, Southern Economic Association Annual Meeting, Heronfield Academy

2020

Eastern Economic Association Conference, Association for Public Policy Analysis & Management Fall Research Conference, Southern Economic Association Annual Meeting

2019

Association for Public Policy Analysis & Management Fall Research Conference

2018

Triad Gentrification Symposium, Innovations in Planning for Better Community Housing & Health Symposium

2017

Technology Transfer Society Annual Meeting

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

The University of North Carolina at Greensboro

International Economics, Principles of Microeconomics Recitation Section, Economics of a Global Sustainable Society, Bryan Abroad in Dublin (TA), The Global Economy (TA)

OTHER EMPLOYMENT

SaveFirst Outreach and Logistics Coordinator 2014 – 2015 AmeriCorps VISTA Member, Impact Alabama Birmingham, AL

Regional Coordinator 2013 – 2014 AmeriCorps State Member, Impact Alabama Birmingham, AL

GRANTS

INTERNAL

Bangor Savings Bank Faculty Development Fund 2021 Recipient: Kelsi G. Hobbs

Sponsor: University of Maine

Amount: \$2,000

AWARDS AND HONORS

Bryan School Medal for Academic Excellence 2021
Bryan School of Business and Economics, UNCG

BB&T Capitalism, Markets & Morality Fellowship Bryan School of Business and Economics, UNCG	2018 – 2019, 2020 – 2021
Wells Fargo Fellow Bryan School of Business and Economics, UNCG	2017 – 2018
Research Development Program Fellow UNCG	2016 – 2017
Bryan School Medal for Academic Excellence Bryan School of Business and Economics, UNCG	2016
Dietrich-Wazenberg Scholar Davidson College	2009 – 2013

ANALYTICAL TOOLS

SAS, Stata, MATLAB, R, Excel

LINGUISTIC SKILLS

English (native), French (intermediate), Korean (basic), Mandarin (basic)

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Reviewer: Journal of Technology Transfer

Memberships: American Economic Association, Eastern Economic Association, Southern Economic Association, Association for Public Policy and Management, European Economic Association, Royal Economic Society, Beta Gamma Sigma, Omicron Delta Epsilon, Omicron Delta Kappa