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Research Associate, Boston Health Economics, Waltham, MA, 2014-2015 Research Assistant, Boston Health Economics, Waltham, MA, 2012-2013

Publications Patient experiences of integrated care in Medicare Accountable Care Organizations and Medicare

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Maike Tietschert, Hassina Bahadurzada, Jodi So and Sara J. Singer)

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What does a deductible do to health care spending growth? (with Mark V. Pauly, Claudio Lucarelli, Aliza Gordon and Lynn Hua)

INVITED Conference of the American Society of Health Economists (Virtual), 2020

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Phi Beta Kappa, Macalester College, 2012

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