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Degrees

Ph.D. Economics, University of Wisconsin-Madison, 2015
Dissertation Committee: Steven Durlauf (*chair*), Karl Scholz, Jesse Gregory
M.A. Economics, University of Wisconsin-Madison, 2012
B.A. Economics & Mathematics, *Summa Cum Laude*, Lake Forest College, 2009

Employment History and Affiliations

Assistant Professor, Smith College, Department of Economics, July 2015-present
Leaves: Fall 2016 (parental), Spring 2017 (LWOP), Spring 2019 (parental)
Member, Human Capital and Economic Opportunity (HCEO), “Inequality: Measurement, Interpretation, and Policy” Network, University of Chicago, March 2020-present

Publications

Published/Forthcoming

Mariyana Zapryanova. “The Effects of Time in Prison and Time on Parole on Recidivism.” *Journal of Law and Economics*, Vol. 63, No. 4, pp. 699-727, November 2020. <https://doi.org/10.1086/709585>

Kegon Tan and **Mariyana Zapryanova.** “Peer Effects and Recidivism: The Role of Race and Age.” forthcoming. *Journal of Law, Economics, & Organization*. <https://doi.org/10.1093/jleo/ewab040>

Terry-Ann Craigie and **Mariyana Zapryanova.** “Mandatory Minimum Reforms, Sentencing, and Racial-Ethnic Disparities.” *B.E. Journal of Economic Analysis & Policy*, Vol. 21, No. 4, pp. 1289-1318, September 2021. <https://doi.org/10.1515/bejeap-2020-0215>

Gultekin Gollu and **Mariyana Zapryanova.** “The Effect of Medicaid on Recidivism: Evidence From Medicaid Suspension and Termination Policies.” June 2022, *Conditionally accepted, Southern Economic Journal*

Working Papers

Julia Godfrey, Kegon Tan, and **Mariyana Zapryanova.** “The Effect of Parole Board Composition on Prisoner Outcomes.” February 2022.

Terry-Ann Craigie, Vis Taraz, and **Mariyana Zapryanova**. "Temperature and Court Outcomes: Evidence from India." June 2022.

Mariyana Zapryanova. "Crime and Sunlight: Evidence from the US Time Zone Lines," July 2021.

Work in progress

Stephane Mechoulan and **Mariyana Zapryanova**. "Gender and Racial Differences in Promotion: Evidence from Large Law Firms"

Awards and Honors

Honored Instructor, University Housing, University of Wisconsin, 2012

Philip L. Allen Fellowship Award, University of Wisconsin, 2009

Two-Year University Fellowship, Lake Forest College, 2009 & 2014

Phi Beta Kappa, *junior year inductee*, Lake Forest College, 2008

Grants Received

Smith College Humanities/Social Sciences Lab Grant. \$3,150, Summer 2022

Smith College Jean M. Picker Fellowship, Fall 2021

Smith College Research Course Release, Spring 2023

CFCD Student Research Assistance Grant, Smith College, Summer 2017, Spring 2018, Summer 2018, Spring 2020, Spring 2021, Summer 2021.

Lectures and Presentations

June 2022, "Temperature and Court Outcomes: Evidence from India," Liberal Arts College Public/Labor Economics Conference (online)

March 2022, "The Effect of Parole Board Composition on Prisoner Outcomes," Conference on Empirical Legal Studies, Toronto, Canada (online)

February 2022, "The Effect of Parole Board Composition on Prisoner Outcomes," Five College Seminar on Justice, Law, and Societies, Amherst, MA (online)

February 2022, "The Effect of Parole Board Composition on Prisoner Outcomes," Texas Economics of Crime Workshop (TxECW), Austin, TX

November 2021, "Gender and Racial Differences in Promotion: Evidence from Large Law Firms," Southern Economic Association Meetings, Houston, TX (online)

May 2020 (canceled due to COVID), "Mandatory Minimum Reform, Race, and Recidivism," Washington & Lee University, Lexington, Virginia,

April 2020 (canceled due to COVID), "Mandatory Minimum Reform, Race, and Recidivism," UW-Madison Economics Alumni Conference, Madison, WI

February 2020, "Mandatory Minimum Reform, Race, and Recidivism," Eastern Economic Association Meetings, Boston, MA

November 2019, "The Effect of Medicaid on Recidivism: Evidence From Medicaid Suspension and Termination Policies," Association for Public Policy and Management Meetings, Denver, CO

November 2019, "The Effect of Medicaid on Recidivism: Evidence From Medicaid Suspension and Termination Policies," Southern Economic Association Meetings, Fort Lauderdale, FL

November 2019, "The Role of Prisons in Recidivism," (poster), Conference on Empirical Legal Studies, Claremont, CA

November 2018, "The Effects of Time in Prison and Time on Parole on Recidivism," Southern Economic Association Meetings, Washington, DC

September 2018, "The Effects of Time in Prison and Time on Parole on Recidivism," Canadian Law and Economics Association Meetings, Toronto, Canada

October 2017, "The Role of Prisons in Recidivism," Smith College, Economics Department Brown Bag, Northampton, MA

September 2017, "The Effects of Time in Prison and Time on Parole on Recidivism," Bank of Canada, Ottawa, Canada

April 2016, "The Role of Prisons in Recidivism," Bryant University, Smithfield, RI

December 2015, "The Role of Prisons in Recidivism," Smith College, Five College Junior Faculty Economics Seminar, Northampton, MA

September 2015, "The Role of Prisons in Recidivism," Union College, Schenectady, NY

January/February 2015, "The Effects of Time in Prison and Time on Parole on Recidivism," Kansas State University, Manhattan, KS; Smith College, Northampton, MA; Swarthmore College, Swarthmore, PA; Towson University, Towson, MD; University of Wisconsin, Madison, WI

November 2015, "The Effects of Time in Prison and Time on Parole on Recidivism," Lake Forest College, Lake Forest, IL; University of Wisconsin, Madison, WI

Supervision of Student Research

Economics of Crime and Criminal Justice Research Lab, Fall 2020-present

Honors thesis

Katherine Lemiesz, honors thesis (co-advised with Maggie Liu), "Immigration and Voting Patterns: Evidence from the U.S. Presidential and Congressional Elections," Spring 2018.

Emily Liu, honors thesis, "The Effect of State Characteristics and Cybercrime Legislation on Internet Crime," Fall 2019-Spring 2020, awarded the Economics Department Bowles prize for best paper.

Carol Gao, honors thesis, "The Effect of Black Lives Matter Protests on Arrest Rates: Evidence from Chicago," Fall 2021-Spring 2022, awarded the Economics Department Bowles prize for best paper.

Special-study

Rosemary Zhang, two-credit group special study, "Ambient light and crime," Spring 2021

Niya Dai, two-credit group special study, "Ambient light and crime," Spring 2021

Carol Gao, two-credit special study, "Crime displacement," Spring 2021

Emma Ryan, two-credit special study, "Parole board composition and recidivism," Spring 2021

STRIDE

Izzy Zheng, "Prison healthcare," Spring 2021-Spring 2022

Emma Illig, "Prison healthcare," Spring 2021-Spring 2022

Other Professional Activities

Discussant at Annual Conference on Empirical Legal Studies (2022), Liberal Arts College Public/Labor Economics Conference (2021), Southern Economic Association Meetings (2019).

Recommender, Franklin Research Grant, December 2021.

Reviewer for *Journal of Law and Economics*

Participant, NCFDD, Faculty Success Program, Fall 2017

Participant, Committee on the Status of Women in the Economics Profession (CSWEP) CeMENT Workshop on Mentoring for Junior Faculty, June 23-24, 2017

Participant, AEA's Continuing Education Program: The Economics of Crime, January 5-7, 2016

Professional Memberships

American Economic Association

Southern Economic Association

Association for Public Policy and Management

College and Departmental Service

College committees and activities

Inclusion Council, appointed member, 2020-present

Faculty Council, junior faculty liaison, appointed member, 2018-2020

Rhodes Scholarship mock interviewer, 2020

Departmental committees and responsibilities

Economics Department, Visiting Assistant Professor Search Committee, 2021

Economics Department, Student Activities Coordinator, 2017-2022

Economics Department, Departmental Ambassador, 2020-2021

Economics Department, Committee on the Creation of the QEC Major, 2018

Economics Department, Honors thesis reader, 2019, 2021, 2022

Economics Department, ECO and QEC major/minor advisor