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Employment

2017 – Senior Analyst/PhD Economist, Abt Associates
2011 – 2017 Research Assistant to Ann Stevens, Michal Kurlaender, and Scott Carrell, UC Davis
2008 – 2011 Research Associate, Metro Policy Center, Urban Institute

Education

2017 PhD, Economics, University of California, Davis
Dissertation: “Community Colleges and the Labor Market”
Committee: Ann Stevens (chair), Scott Carrell, Michal Kurlaender, Giovanni Peri
2012 MA, Economics, University of California, Davis
2008 BA, Economics, Pomona College

Fellowships and Grants

2017 Job Market Fellowship, UC Davis Economics
2015 National Academy of Education/Spencer Dissertation Fellowship
2015 AERA Minority Fellowship in Education Research (declined)
2014 NBER Disability Research Center, Project NB15-04

Awards and Honors

2018 Emerging Education Policy Scholar, Fordham Institute and AEI
2017 Emerging Scholars Award, University of California Center Sacramento, Honorable Mention
2016 APPAM Poster Session Award, Second Place
2015 Western Economic Association Dissertation Workshop, Invited Participant
2009 Urban Institute President’s Award for Most Outstanding Research Publication

Peer-Reviewed Publications

“The Effect of Local Labor Market Downturns on Postsecondary Enrollment and Program Choice,” with Andrew Foote. Accepted at *Education Finance and Policy*.
“Career Technical Education and Labor Market Outcomes: Evidence from California Community Colleges,” with Ann Stevens and Michal Kurlaender. Forthcoming, *Journal of Human Resources*.
Foote, Andrew, Michel Grosz, and Stephanie Rennane. (2019). The Effect of Lower Transaction Costs on Disability Insurance Application Rates and Participation. *Journal of Policy Analysis and Management*. 38(1), 99-123.
Foote, Andrew, Michel Grosz, and Ann Stevens. (2019). Locate Your Nearest Exit: Mass Layoffs and Local Labor Market Response. *ILR Review*. 72(1), 101-126.

Working Papers

“Labor Market Returns to Community College: Evidence from Admissions Lotteries.” Revisions requested at *American Economic Journal: Economic Policy*.
“In-State Tuition Policies and the College Decisions of Undocumented Students: Evidence from Colorado,” with Annie Hines. Under review.
“Selection into Identification in Fixed Effects Models, with Application to Head Start,” with Doug Miller and Na’ama Shenhav. Under review.

“Do Postsecondary Training Programs Respond to the Labor Market?”

“Majority Builds: Direct Democracy and the Allocation of School Facilities Spending,” with Ross Milton.

Work In Progress

“The Effect of Lottery-Based Admissions on Cohort Composition and Success: Evidence from California”

“Community College Capacity Constraints,” with Michal Kurlaender and Ann Stevens.

“Does Specific Labor Market Information Affect Major Choice?” with Matt Naven.

Seminar and Conference Presentations (including scheduled)

2019	American Economic Association (AEA), Association for Education Finance and Policy (AEFP)
2018	Society of Government Economists, American University, University of Delaware, Southern Economic Association (SEA), Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management (APPAM), DC Econ of Ed Working Group
2017	Southern California Conference in Applied Microeconomics, Center for Analysis of Postsecondary Education and Employment (CAPSEE), Abt Associates, IMPAQ International, Institute for Defense Analyses, Analysis Group, University of Illinois College of Education, US Naval Academy
2016	APPAM, Pomona College, University of Nevada-Reno, All California Labor Economics (poster), American Educational Research Association (AERA), National Academy of Education Spring Retreat, UC Davis Interdisciplinary Graduate/Professional Student Symposium
2015	AEFP, National Academy of Education Fall Retreat, Western Economics Association (WEAI), SEA, UC Davis IFHA Symposium,
2014	APPAM, CAPSEE, WEAI, Society for Research on Educational Effectiveness (SREE)
2013	APPAM, The College Board Forum

Professional Activities

Referee:	Economic Change and Restructuring, Economic Inquiry, Economics of Education Review, Education Finance and Policy (x3), Educational Evaluation and Policy Analysis, Industrial Relations, Journal of Human Resources (x3), Journal of Labor Economics, Journal of Public Economics (x2), Journal of Research on Educational Effectiveness, Journal of the European Economic Association, Oxford Bulletin of Economics and Statistics, Review of Economics and Statistics
Review:	Public Policy Institute of California, UC Davis Center for Poverty Research Small Grants Proposals, Association for Education Finance and Policy Conference

Teaching Experience

Associate Instructor, University of California, Davis
Economics of Education (ECN 152), Summer 2013

Teaching Assistant, University of California, Davis
Principles of Microeconomics (x2), Principles of Macroeconomics (x2), Money and Banking

Service

2015	Mentor, Summer Poverty Research Engagement Experience, UC Davis
2012 – 2014	President, Economics Graduate Student Association, UC Davis
2008 –	IRS-certified Volunteer Tax Preparer, Washington DC, Sacramento, Chicago

Skills and Languages

Skills: Stata, SAS, SQL, Latex, WWC Certified Reviewer

Languages: Spanish (native fluent)

Other Publications

- Grosz, Michel. 2018. "Social Security Disability Insurance: Sometimes Easier is Better." Abt Perspectives Blog.
- Foote, Andrew, Michel Grosz and Ann Stevens. 2015. "How workers exit the labour market after local economic downturns." VoxEU.
- Stevens, Ann, Michal Kurlaender and Michel Grosz. 2015. "Community College Career Technical Education Programs Significantly Increase Earnings." UC Davis Center for Poverty Research Policy Brief, Volume 4, Number 5.
- Comey, Jennifer and Michel Grosz. 2011. "Where Kids Go: The Foreclosure Crisis and Mobility in Washington, D.C." Washington, DC: The Urban Institute.
- Comey, Jennifer and Michel Grosz. 2010. "Smallest Victims of the Foreclosure Crisis: Children in the District of Columbia." Washington, DC: The Urban Institute.
- Comey, Jennifer, Peter Tatian, Rosa Maria Castaneda, Michel Grosz, and Lesley Freiman. 2010. "State of Latinos in the District of Columbia." Report for the District of Columbia Mayor's Office on Latino Affairs. Washington, DC: The Urban Institute.
- Chaudry, Ajay, Juan Pedroza, Heather Sandstrom, Anna Danziger, Michel Grosz, Molly Scott and Sarah Ting. 2011. "Child Care Choices of Low-Income Working Families." Washington, DC: Urban Institute.
- Comey, Jennifer, Kaitlin Franks, David Price, Michel Grosz, and Lesley Freiman. 2010. "Every Kid Counts in the District of Columbia: 16th Annual Fact Book 2009." Washington, DC: Annie E. Casey Foundation.
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- Winkler, Mary Kopczynski, Brett Theodos, and Michel Grosz. 2009. "Evaluation Matters: Lessons from Youth-Serving Organizations." Washington, DC: The Urban Institute.
- Comey, Jennifer, David Price, and Michel Grosz. 2008. "Every Kid Counts in the District of Columbia: 15th Annual Fact Book 2008." Washington, DC: Annie E. Casey Foundation.

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