

## CURRICULUM VITAE

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#### EDUCATION:

Ph.D., Economics, May 1991, Brown University.  
A.M., Economics, May 1987, Brown University.  
B.A., Economics and Computer Science, May 1984, The College of William and Mary.

#### AREAS OF CONCENTRATION:

Labor Economics, Demographic Economics, Applied Econometrics, Microeconomics.

#### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:

Professor, Department of Economics, The University of North Carolina at Greensboro, 2006-present.  
Professor, Department of Economics, The George Washington University, 2003-2006 (Associate Professor 1999-2003; Assistant Professor 1996-1999).  
Research Fellow, International Centre for Economic Research, University of Turin, 2005-2006.  
Research Fellow, The Institute for the Study of Labor (IZA), 2003-present.  
Research Analyst, Office of Planning, Research and Evaluation, Administration for Children and Families, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, 2002-2003.  
Research Fellow, Center for Economic Studies, U.S. Census Bureau, 1999-2000.  
Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, The Pennsylvania State University, 1990-1996.  
Research Assistant, Brown University, 1987-1989.  
Summer Associate, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, 1987.  
Database Specialist, General Telephone and Electric, 1985-1986.  
Research Assistant, Mathematica Policy Research, 1984-1985.

#### HONORS AND AWARDS:

Faculty Scholar, William T. Grant Foundation, 1993-1998.  
Kuznets Prize, *Journal of Population Economics*, 2002.  
Senior Research Excellence Award, Bryan School of Business and Economics, University of North Carolina at Greensboro, 2011.

#### COURSES TAUGHT:

Undergraduate: labor economics, statistics, econometrics, proseminar, markets and morality seminar.  
Graduate: labor economics, applied microeconomic methods, data methods.

## ARTICLES:

- “Financial Stress, Family Conflict, and Australian Youths’ Transitions from Home and School,” with Deborah Cobb-Clark, *Review of Economics of the Household* (accepted for publication).
- “Food Insecurity and Insufficiency at Low Levels of Food Expenditures,” with Craig Gundersen, *Review of Income and Wealth* (forthcoming).
- “How Do Adolescents *Spell* Time Use? An Alternative Methodological Approach for Analyzing Time Diary Data,” with Charlene Kalenkoski and Leslie Stratton, *Research in Labor Economics* (forthcoming).
- “Long-Term Implications of Welfare Reform for the Development of Adolescents and Young Adults,” with P. Lindsay Chase-Lansdale, Andrew Cherlin, Katarina Guttmannova, Paula Fomby and Rebekah Levine Coley, *Children and Youth Services Review* 33:5 (May 2011), 678-88.
- “Do Children’s Behavior Problems Limit Poor Women’s Labor Market Success?” with Rebekah Levine Coley, Elizabeth Votruba-Drzal and Bethany Medeiros, *Journal of Marriage and the Family* 73:1 (February 2011), 33-45.
- “Food Stamp Participation among Adult-Only Households,” with Marilyn Edelhoach and Qiduan Liu, *Southern Economic Journal* 77:2 (October 2010), 244-70.
- “Food Stamps, Temporary Assistance for Needy Families and Food Hardships in Three American Cities,” with Richard A. DePolt and Robert A. Moffitt, *Pacific Economic Review* 14:4 (October 2009), 445-73.
- “The Influence of Wages on Parents’ Allocations of Time to Child Care and Market Work in the United Kingdom,” with Charlene Kalenkoski and Leslie Stratton, *Journal of Population Economics* 22:2 (April 2009), 399-419.
- “Welfare Reform in the mid-2000s: How African-American and Hispanic Families in Three-Cities are Faring,” with Andrew Cherlin, Bianca Frogner and Robert Moffitt, *The Annals of the American Academy of Political and Social Science* 621 (January 2009), 178-201.
- “Watching the Clocks: The Role of Food Stamp Recertification and TANF Time Limits in Caseload Dynamics,” with Marilyn Edelhoach and Qiduan Liu, *Journal of Human Resources* 43:1 (Winter 2008), 208-39.
- “The Effect of Family Structure on Parents’ Child Care Time in the United States and the United Kingdom,” with Charlene Kalenkoski and Leslie Stratton, *Review of Economics of the Household* 5:4 (December 2007), 353-85.
- “Exchange, Role Modeling and the Intergenerational Transmission of Elder Support Attitudes: Evidence from Three Generations of Mexican-Americans,” with Mark O. Wilhelm, *Journal of Socio-Economics* 35:3 (June 2006), 514-31.
- “Parental Child Care in Single Parent, Cohabiting, and Married Couple Families: Time Diary Evidence from the United Kingdom,” with Charlene M. Kalenkoski and Leslie S. Stratton, *American Economic Review: Papers and Proceedings* 95:2 (May 2005), 194-8.
- “Transitions from Welfare and the Employment Prospects of Low-skill Workers,” *Southern Economic Journal* 71:3 (January 2005), 514-33.
- “Transitions in Welfare Participation and Female Headship,” with John M. Fitzgerald, *Population Research and Policy Review* 23:5-6 (December 2004), 641-70.
- “Welfare Reform and Female Headship,” with John M. Fitzgerald, *Demography* 41:2

- (May 2004), 189-212.
- “County-level Estimates of the Employment Prospects of Low-Skill Workers,” in *Worker Well-being and Public Policy, Research in Labor Economics* vol. 22, edited by Solomon W. Polachek. Amsterdam: JAI, 2003.
- “Economic Restructuring and the Retreat from Marriage,” with Daniel T. Lichter and Diane K. McLaughlin, *Social Science Research* 31:2 (June 2002), 230-56.
- “Altruistic and Joy-of-Giving Motivations in Charitable Behavior,” with Mark O. Wilhelm, *Journal of Political Economy* 110:2 (April 2002), 425-47.
- “The Effects of Local Employment Opportunities on Youths' Work and Schooling,” *Economics of Education Review* 20:4 (August 2001), 401-13.
- “A Siblings Analysis of the Effects of Alcohol Consumption Onset on Educational Attainment,” with Steven F. Koch, *Contemporary Economic Policy* 19:2 (April 2001), 162-74.
- “The Socioeconomic Consequences of Young Women's Childbearing: Reconciling Disparate Evidence,” *Journal of Population Economics* 12:4 (1999), 547-65.
- “The Demand for Welfare Generosity,” with Mark O. Wilhelm, *Review of Economics and Statistics*, 81:1 (February 1999), 96-108.
- “State Abortion Policy, Geographic Access to Abortion Providers, and Changing Family Formation,” with Daniel T. Lichter and Diane K. McLaughlin, *Family Planning Perspectives*, 30:6 (November/December 1998), 281-7.
- “The Decline of Welfare Benefits in the U.S.: The Role of Wage Inequality,” with Robert A. Moffitt and Mark O. Wilhelm, *Journal of Public Economics*, 68:3 (June 1998), 421-52.
- “Welfare and the Rise in Female-Headed Families,” with Daniel T. Lichter and Diane K. McLaughlin, *American Journal of Sociology*, 103:1 (July 1997), 112-43.
- “The Effects of Economic Conditions and Access to Reproductive Health Services on State Abortion Rates and Birthrates,” with Stephen Matthews and Mark O. Wilhelm, *Family Planning Perspectives*, 29:2 (March/April 1997), 52-60.
- “Welfare Generosity: The Importance of Administrative Efficiency, Community Values and Genuine Benevolence,” with Mark O. Wilhelm, *Applied Economics*, 28:8 (August 1996), 1045-54.
- “The Effects of Teenage Fertility on Young Adult Childbearing,” *Journal of Population Economics*, 9:2 (1996), 197-218.
- “A Structural Model of Child Care and the Labor Supply of Married Women,” *Journal of Labor Economics*, 13:3 (July 1995), 558-97.
- “Charitable Contributions to International Relief and Development,” with Mark O. Wilhelm, *National Tax Journal*, 48:2 (June 1995), 229-44.
- “Teenage Fertility and High School Completion,” *Review of Economics and Statistics*, 76:3 (August 1994), 413-24.
- “Alcohol Consumption and Young Adults' Socioeconomic Status,” with Donald S. Kenkel, *Brookings Papers on Economic Activity—Microeconomics*, (Summer 1994), 119-61.
- “A Multinomial Logit Analysis of Teenage Fertility and High School Completion,” *Economics of Education Review*, 12:2 (June 1993), 153-64.
- “Child Care and the Labor Supply of Married Women: Reduced Form Evidence,” *Journal of Human Resources*, 27:1 (Winter 1992), 134-65.

### **BOOK CHAPTERS:**

- “How Families Are Doing Nine Years after Welfare Reform: 2005 Evidence from the Three-City Study,” with Bianca Frogner and Robert Moffitt, in *Welfare Reform and its Long-Term Consequences for America's Poor*, James P. Ziliak (ed.), Cambridge, UK: Cambridge University Press, 2009, pp. 140-171.
- “Earnings Volatility and the Reasons for Leaving the Food Stamp Program,” with Marilyn Edelhoach, in *Income Volatility and Food Assistance in the United States*, Dean Jolliffe and James P. Ziliak (eds.), Kalamazoo, MI: W.E. Upjohn Institute for Employment Research, 2008, pp. 63-102.
- “Variable Effects of Earnings Volatility on Food Stamp Participation,” with Robert A. Moffitt, in *Income Volatility and Food Assistance in the United States*, Dean Jolliffe and James P. Ziliak (eds.), Kalamazoo, MI: W.E. Upjohn Institute for Employment Research, 2008, pp. 35-60.

### **BOOK REVIEWS:**

- Kids at Work: The Value of Employer-Sponsored On-site Child Care Centers*, by Rachel Connelly, Deborah S. DeGraff and Rachel Willis, *Economics of Education Review* 26:2 (April 2007), 257-8.
- Understanding Poverty*, edited by Sheldon A. Danziger and Robert H. Haveman, *Economics of Education Review* 24:1 (February 2005) 126-7, review co-authored with Neal E. Toomey.
- Analysis of Panel Data*, 2<sup>nd</sup> Edition by Cheng Hsiao, *International Journal of Forecasting* 20:1 (2004), 142-3.
- Forecasting the Labour Market by Occupation and Education: The Forecasting Activities of Three European Labour Market Research Institutes*, edited by J. A. M. Heijke, *International Journal of Forecasting* 13 (1997), 297-8.
- Human Capital: A Theoretical and Empirical Analysis with Special Reference to Education*, 3<sup>rd</sup> Edition by Gary S. Becker, *Education Economics* 3:2 (1995), 205-7.

### **OTHER PUBLICATIONS/REPORTS:**

- “Applying for and Staying on the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program in South Carolina,” with Christopher A. Swann, Food Assistance and Nutrition Research Program, Contractor and Cooperator Report No. 65, February 2011.
- “Variable Effects of Earnings Volatility on Food Stamp Participation: Technical Report,” with Robert Moffitt, Food Assistance and Nutrition Research Program, Contractor and Cooperator Report No. 52, May 2009.
- “South Carolina Food Stamp and Well-being Study: Transitions in Food Stamp Participation and Employment among Adult-Only Households,” with Marilyn Edelhoach and Qiduan Liu, Food Assistance and Nutrition Research Program, Contractor and Cooperator Report No. 18, April 2006.
- “South Carolina Food Stamp and Well-being Study: Well-Being Outcomes Among Food Stamp Leavers,” with Marilyn Edelhoach and Qiduan Liu, Food Assistance and Nutrition Research Program, Contractor and Cooperator Report No. 22, September 2006.
- “South Carolina Food Stamp and Well-being Study: Transitions in Food Stamp

- Participation, TANF Participation and Employment among Families with Children,” with Marilyn Edelhoach and Qiduan Liu, Food Assistance and Nutrition Research Program, Contractor and Cooperator Report No. 17, April 2006.
- “Dynamics of Poverty and Food Sufficiency,” with Karen S. Hamrick, Food and Nutrition Research Report No. (FANRR36), September 2003.
- “Introduction to the special issue in honor of Professor John H. Riew,” *Economics of Education Review* 20:4 (August 2001), 309-10.
- “Does a Rising Tide of Small Business Jobs Lift All Boats?” with John M. Fitzgerald, Report to The Office of Advocacy, U.S. Small Business Administration, Burke, VA: David C. Ribar Economic and Statistical Consulting, July 2001.

**PRESENTATIONS AT PROFESSIONAL MEETINGS AND CONFERENCES LAST 5 YEARS:**

- “Universal-Free and Eligibility-Based School Breakfast Programs in Guilford County, North Carolina: Student Outcomes,” with Lauren Haldeman
- Institute for Research on Poverty Summer Workshop, Madison, WI (June 2011)
- “Applying for and Staying on the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program in South Carolina,” with Christopher Swann
- Annual meetings of the European Society of Population Economists, Essen, Germany (June 2010)
- “Financial Stress, Family Conflict, and Youths’ Successful Transition to Adult Roles,” with Deborah Cobb-Clark
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Meeting on the Economics of Risky Behaviors, Stone Mountain, GA (March 2010)
  - Economic Demography Workshop, Population Association of America Annual Meetings, Dallas, TX (April 2010).
  - Southern Economic Association, San Antonio, TX (November 2009)
- “Food Stamps, TANF, and Food Hardships in Three American Cities” (with Richard DePolt and Robert Moffitt)
- Southern Economic Association, Washington, DC (November 2008)
  - Asian Conference on Applied Micro-Economics/Econometrics, Taipei (October 2008)
  - Annual meetings of the European Society of Population Economists, London (June 2008)
- “Food Stamp Participation among Adult-Only Households” (with Marilyn Edelhoach and Qiduan Liu)
- Association of Public Policy Analysis and Management, Los Angeles (November 2008)
- “How Do Adolescents *Spell* Time Use” (with Charlene Kalenkoski and Leslie Stratton)
- Asian Conference on Applied Micro-Economics/Econometrics, Seoul (December 2007)
  - International Association of Time Use Research Annual Conference, Washington, DC (October 2007)
  - Institute for Research on Poverty Summer Workshop, Madison, WI (June 2007)
- “How Families Are Doing Nine Years after Welfare Reform: 2005 Evidence from the Three-City Study” (with Bianca Frogner and Robert Moffitt)
- University of Kentucky Center for Poverty Research conference on “Ten Years

- After: Evaluating the Long-Term Effects of Welfare Reform on Work, Welfare, Children and Families,” Lexington, KY (April 2007)
- “Earnings Volatility and the Reasons for Leaving the Food Stamp Program” (with Marilyn Edelhoeh)
- Annual meetings of the European Society of Population Economists, Chicago, IL (June 2007)
  - National Poverty Center and USDA/ERS Conference on Income Volatility and Implications for Food Assistance Programs II, Washington, DC (November 2006)
  - Southern Economic Association, Charleston, SC (November 2006)
- “Food Stamp Participation and Employment among Adult-Only Households” (with Marilyn Edelhoeh and Qiduan Liu)
- ZEW Conference on Policy Evaluation, Mannheim, Germany (October 2006)
- “The Persistence of Financial Strains among Low-Income Families: An Analysis of Multiple Indicators”
- Annual meetings of the European Society of Population Economists, Verona (June 2006)
- “Breaking Up the Empty Nest: Implications for Grown Children” (with Julie Becher)
- Annual Meetings of the Population Association of America, Los Angeles, CA (March 2006)

**EXTERNAL RESEARCH FUNDING:**

- “Getting Subsidized Food All Over Your Family,” U.S. Department of Agriculture, April 2010 – August 2011.
- “Strengthening South Carolina’s Capacity in Using TANF and Related Administrative Data,” Administration for Children and Families, subcontract with the South Carolina Department of Social Services, October 2008 – September 2011.
- “Universal-Free and Eligibility-Based School Breakfast Programs in Guilford County, North Carolina,” U.S. Department of Agriculture, October 2008 – November 2010.
- “Food Stamps and the Working Poor,” W. E. Upjohn Institute for Employment Research, June 2007 – August 2009.
- “The Processes of Getting and Staying on Food Stamps in South Carolina,” U.S. Department of Agriculture, October 2005 – June 2009.
- “Welfare and Employment Dynamics Using Matched Data,” National Institute for Child Health and Human Development, subcontract with Johns Hopkins University, 2005 - 2010.
- Assisted Housing Research Cadre, U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, 2005 - 2007.
- “The Role of Food Stamps in the Post-Reform Safety Net: The Three-City Study,” U.S. Department of Agriculture, subcontract with Johns Hopkins University, September 2004 - November 2006.
- “Welfare Reform and the Well-Being of Children – Continuation,” National Institute for Child Health and Human Development, subcontract with Johns Hopkins University, April 2004 - March 2007.
- “Welfare Transitions and Food Sufficiency: Evidence from South Carolina,” U.S. Department of Agriculture, October 2002 - December 2004.

Intergovernmental Personnel Assignment Agreement, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, September 2002 - July 2003.

“An Analysis of Poverty and Food Security Dynamics,” cooperative agreement with the U.S. Department of Agriculture, September 2001 - August 2002.

“Does a Rising Tide of Small Business Jobs Lift All Boats?” Small Business Administration, Office of Advocacy, September 2000 - July 2001.

“Labor Market Participation and Government Assistance Program Participation,” cooperative agreement with the U.S. Department of Agriculture, August 2000 - May 2001.

American Statistical Association/National Science Foundation/Census Bureau Research Fellowship, June 1999 - December 2000.

“Washington Area Population Economists Distinguished Speaker Series,” Consortium of Universities of the Washington Metropolitan Area, July 1998 - June 1999.

“A Dynamic Economic Analysis of Teenage Childbearing and Its Consequences,” William T. Grant Foundation, July 1993 - June 1999.

“An Analysis of Fertility and Education Timing,” National Institute for Child Health and Human Development, September 1994 - August 1997.

“Child Care and the Labor Supply of Married Women,” U.S. Department of Labor, Dissertation Grant, September 1989 - August 1990.

#### **PROFESSIONAL SERVICE:**

Co-editor, *Southern Economic Journal*, 2010-present.

Associate editor, *Journal of Population Economics*, 2007-present.

Associate editor, *Review of Economics of the Household*, 2010-present.

Member, Board of Overseers, Panel Study of Income Dynamics, 2007-present.

Associate editor, *Southern Economic Journal*, 2003-2010.

Editorial board, *Demography*, 2002-2004.

Guest coeditor, special issue of *Population Research and Policy Review* (December 2004) on “Welfare Reform and Demographic Outcomes”

Guest editor, special issue of *Economics of Education Review* (August 2001) in honor of Professor John Riew.

#### **PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS:**

Member, American Economic Association

Member, Population Association of America

Member, Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management

Member, European Society for Population Economics

Member, Southern Economic Association

Member, International Union for the Scientific Study of Population

Member, Committee for the Status of Women in the Economic Profession

#### **UNPUBLISHED RESEARCH:**

“The Effects of the Size Distribution of Establishments on Employment and Earnings,” with John M. Fitzgerald, August 2001.

“What Do Social Scientists Know about the Benefits of Marriage? A Review of Quantitative Findings,” September 2003.

- “Breaking Up the Empty Nest: Implications for Grown Children,” with Julie Becher, June 2005.
- “The Persistence of Financial Strains among Low-Income Families: An Analysis of Multiple Indicators,” August 2005.
- “Women’s and Men’s Work Commitments to Scientific Careers,” with Charlene Kalenkoski, November 2005.
- “Occupational Status and Health Transitions,” with Brant Morefield and Christopher Ruhm, January 2011 (resubmission requested, *B.E. Journal of Economic Analysis and Policy*).
- “Universal-Free and Eligibility-Based School Breakfast Programs in Guilford County, North Carolina: Student Outcomes,” with Lauren Haldeman, February 2011.
- “What Happened to Cash Assistance for Needy Families?” with Carolyn Wolff, July 2011 (draft chapter for *The Economics of Inequality, Poverty and Discrimination in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century*, edited by Robert Rycroft).
- “Process Analysis of Changes in Universal-Free School Breakfast Programs in Guilford County, North Carolina,” with Lauren Haldeman and Sara Himmelrich, August 2011.