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EMPLOYMENT

- Clemson University (*Clemson, SC*)
 - Assistant Professor, The John E. Walker Department of Economics (*Since August 2014*)
 - Faculty Scholar, School of Health Research (*Since April 2015*)
- Resolution Economics LLC (*Beverly Hills, CA*)
 - Employment and discrimination litigation consulting
 - Manager (*April 2008 to August 2009 and June 2006 to September 2006*); Senior Consultant (*July 2002 to July 2003*); Consultant (*October 2000 to July 2002*)
- Charles River Associates (*New York, NY*)
 - Finance and intellectual property litigation consulting
 - Associate (*February 2004 to May 2006*)

EDUCATION

- Doctor of Philosophy, Economics, University of California, Irvine (*July 2014*)
 - Committee: Marianne Bitler; Linda Cohen; David Neumark (chair)
- Master of Arts, Economics, University of California, Los Angeles (*December 2007*)
- Bachelor of Arts, *Magna Cum Laude*, Economics/International Area Studies, University of California, Los Angeles (*June 2000*)

RESEARCH

Fields of Interest

- Health Economics, Labor Economics, Econometrics, Industrial Organization

Working Papers

- “The Effect of Specialist Cost Information on Primary Care Physician Referral Patterns”
 - *Summary:* Prices are rarely known by decision makers in health care transactions. In partnership with private medical group, I conduct a field experiment distributing information on costliness of specialist physicians to primary care physicians (PCPs) and observe whether the information leads to different referral choices by PCPs.
- “Does Government Health Insurance Reduce Job Lock and Job Push?” (*Under Review*)
 - *Summary:* I estimate the effects of employment contingent health insurance on job mobility, known as job lock and job push, using a difference-in-differences model where imputed Medicaid eligibility measures variation in the demand for health insurance. I find large estimates of job lock and job push for male workers.

Publications

- “Does Regulation of Physicians Reduce Health Care Spending?”, *Southern Economic Journal*, forthcoming
- “Does Employer-Provided Health Insurance Constrain Labor Supply Adjustments to Health Shocks? New Evidence on Women Diagnosed with Breast Cancer” (with Cathy J. Bradley and David Neumark), *Journal of Health Economics*, September 2013

PRESENTATIONS

- 2017 – SUNY Buffalo (*scheduled*)
- 2016 – American Society of Health Economists Biannual Conference, Kentucky, Midwest Health Economics Conference, National Bureau of Economic Research Summer Institute (Health Care session), Society of Labor Economists Annual Meeting, South Carolina Applied Micro’ Day
- 2015 – Conference on Empirical Legal Studies, Georgia Health Economics Research Day, Georgia State, South Carolina Applied Micro’ Day, Southern Economic Association Annual Meeting
- 2014 – Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality – CFACT, Analysis Group – Los Angeles, The Census Bureau – CES LEHD, Clemson University, Emory University, The Office of the Comptroller of the Currency – CRAD, Precision Health Economics, and RTI International – Health Care Financing and Payment Program, Southern Economic Association Annual Meeting

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

- Journal Referee – *Health Economics* (2015, 2013), *Journal of the European Economic Association* (2016), *Journal of Health Economics* (2015, 2014), *Southern Economic Journal* (2015, 2013)
- Discussant – American Society of Health Economists Biennial Conference (2014), Southeastern Health Economics Study Group Conference (2015, *scheduled* 2016), Southern Economic Association Annual Meeting (2015, 2014)

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- Instructor for Introduction to Econometrics (*Fall 2016, Fall 2015, Fall 2014*) and Principles of Macroeconomics (*Spring 2016, Spring 2015*), Clemson University
- Taught ten quarters as a Teaching Assistant in economics courses at UC-Irvine, including: Applied Econometrics (three quarters), Introductory Economics (three quarters), Intermediate Economics, Health Economics, Probability and Statistics, and Financial Investments