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ACADEMIC POSITIONS

Virginia Tech
Center for Public Administration and Policy
2018- Assistant Professor
2017-2018 Visiting Assistant Professor and Co-Chair of CPAP
2015-2017 Visiting Assistant Professor

The George Washington University
Trachtenberg School of Public Policy and Public Administration
2010-12 Lecturer

EDUCATION

The George Washington University
Ph.D., Public Policy and Public Administration

Harvard University
M.P.P., John F. Kennedy School of Government

Amherst College
B.A., Anthropology and Economics, *Summa cum Laude, Phi Beta Kappa*

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

The George Washington University
Director, Governing in the Global Age
Conducted research and produced educational programs for legislators, secretaries of state, mayors, and other senior officials from over 40 states.

The Greater Washington Board of Trade
Director, International Business Council
Founded an international business center and ran a leadership council.

World Bank
Latin America and the Caribbean III Department, Private Sector Development and Public Sector Management Division
Advised senior policy-makers on reforms, co-authored reports, and evaluated loans to support export, private sector, and microenterprise development.

AWARDS

2018 LERA (Labor and Employment Relations Association) Best Paper Award for “Implications of ‘Injury Tax’ Incentives: Workers' Compensation Claims by Temporary Help Services Workers and Traditional Employees”

2016-17 Department of Labor Scholar award of \$30,000 to carry out scholarly research relevant to Department of Labor policy

George Washington University Public Policy Fellow award of five year full tuition and stipend without assistantship work requirement for doctoral studies at The George Washington University

PUBLICATIONS

The Effect of Unemployment Insurance on Temporary Help Services Employment. *Journal of Labor Research* (2016) 37: 484.

Responding to Manufacturing Job Loss: What Can Economic Development Policy Do? The Brookings Institution. June 2011. Co-authored with P. Atkins, H. Wolman, et al.

Global Activities by U.S. States: Findings of a Survey of State Government International Affairs. U.S. Agency for International Development. July 2008.

PRESENTATIONS

“Implications of ‘Injury Tax’ Incentives: Workers' Compensation Claims by Temporary Help Services Workers and Traditional Employees,” Labor and Employment Relations Association Annual Conference, June 2018.

“Market Lacunae, the Information Axis, and Complexity: Updating the Morphology of Employment Relations,” ILR Review and MIT Institute for Work and Employment Research-sponsored “Toward New Theories in Employment Relations” Conference (for which 16 papers accepted out of over 70 papers submitted,) May 2018.

“Workers Compensation: More than Moral Hazard at Work,” Department of Labor Scholars Presentation, June 2017.

“States Workers’ Compensation Costs and Temporary Help Services Employment,” Seminar, Department of Labor Chief Evaluation Office, 2016.

“Policy and Job Quality: State Unemployment Insurance Effects on Temporary Help Services Employment,” Unemployment Insurance Panel, Association for Public Policy and Management Fall Research Conference, 2015.

Invited Discussant. Impacts of Programs and Policies to Increase Employment and Wages Panel, Association for Public Policy and Management Fall Research Conference, 2016.

MEMBERSHIPS

Pi Alpha Alpha Honor Society
Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management
Labor and Employment Relations Association

COURSES TAUGHT

Public Policy Processes and Analytical Approaches (for M.P.A. students)
Public Administration and Policy Inquiry: Quantitative Methods (for M.P.A. students)
Public Administration and Policy Inquiry: Research Methods (for Ph.D. students)
Project and Report (M.P.A. Capstone course)
Cross-Sector Governance in the U.S. Federal System (for M.P.A. students)