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Academic Experience

Professor of Economics, University of Virginia, 2016-present
Director of Undergraduate Studies, Department of Economics, 2016- present
Associate Professor of Economics, University of Virginia, 2009-2016
Assistant Professor of Economics, University of Virginia, 2003-2009
William E. Simon Professor of Economics and Public Policy, Hillsdale College, 2000-2003
Assistant Professor of Economics, Hillsdale College, 1994-2000

Awards

UVA Alumni Association Distinguished Professor Award, 2018
Kenneth G. Elzinga Distinguished Teaching Award, Southern Economics Association, 2017
Undergraduate Teaching Award, University of Virginia Department of Economics, 2006, 2017

Education

Ph.D., Economics, George Mason University, 1994
M.A., Economics, George Mason University, 1991

Publications

"Teaching Financial Crises: A Leverage Experiment," With Daniel Harper and Charles Holt, *Southern Economic Journal*, Forthcoming

"The Jamestown/Xiaogang Survival Game: A Class Experiment," with Charles Holt, Cathleen Johnson, and Madison Smither, *Southern Economic Journal*, Forthcoming

"Teaching Macro Principles after COVID-19," *Journal of Economic Education*, (November 2024)

Principles of Economics, with Dirk Mateer, W.W. Norton, (2013, 2018, 2021, 2024)

Essentials of Economics, with Dirk Mateer and Brian O'Roark, W.W. Norton, (2016, 2021)

"Capital Constraints and Asset Bubbles: An Experimental Study," with Daniel Harper and Charles Holt, *Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization*, (2021)

"Teaching Modules for Principles of Economics," with Dirk Mateer, *Journal of Economics Teaching*, (2021)

"The Tax Man Cometh: Constitutional Principles for Tax Enforcement," with Daniel Sutter, *Constitutional Political Economy*, (2003)

"Evaluating the Fisher Effect in Long-Term Cross-Country Averages," with Marc Poitras, *International Review of Economics and Finance*, (2000).

"Why Good Economic News Depressed Stock and Bond Prices in 1996," with Willem Thorbecke, *Economics Letters* (1997)

"Monetary Policy, Stock Returns, and the Role of Credit in the Transmission of Monetary Policy," with Willem Thorbecke, *Southern Economic Journal* (1996)

Work in Progress

"Teaching the Crisis: A Leverage Experiment," with Charles Holt, unpublished manuscript

"Convergence and Growth in U.S. States," unpublished manuscript

"The Lost Highway: The Effect of the Interstate Highway System on State Incomes," with William Russell, unpublished manuscript

"Political Influence at the IRS: An Empirical Analysis," unpublished manuscript

Professional Presentations

"Teaching Macro Principles in the Wake of COVID-19," American Economic Association Annual Meetings, New Orleans, LA, January 2023

"Reaching Today's Students," Robert Morris University, 32nd Annual Teaching Economics Conference, February 2022.

"Innovative Ways to Teach Today's Students," Center for Economics, Business and Entrepreneurship Education at Susquehanna University, March 2021

"Unemployment in the COVID Season," Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio, October 2020.

"Teaching the Solow Model in Principles of Macroeconomics," Texas Community College Teachers Association Meetings, Houston, Texas, February 2020

"Photos and Data Graphics for Macroeconomics," Symposium on Economics Teaching, New Orleans, Louisiana, January 2020

"Using a Class Weblog in Upper Level Economics Courses," Symposium on Economics Teaching, New Orleans, Louisiana, January 2020

"Teaching Truth about Trade and Tariffs," Texas Community College Teachers Association Meetings, Houston, Texas, March 2019

"Rent-Seeking in a Simple Card Game," PPE Society Annual Meetings, New Orleans, Louisiana, March, 2019

"My Secrets for Teaching Principles Classes," American Economic Association Annual Meetings, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, January 2018

"Visual Cues for Your Lectures," AEA CTREE Conference, Atlanta, GA, May 2016

"Graphics for Teaching Macroeconomics," Economics Teaching Workshop, University of Kentucky, March 2014

"Teaching the Crisis: A Leverage Experiment," AEA CTREE Conference, Chicago, IL, June 2013

"How Principles of Macroeconomics Affects Student Opinions," AEA CTREE Conference, Boston, MA, June 2012

"Polling the Audience: Using Opinion Surveys to Assess Economics Principles Education." American Economic Association Meetings (poster presentation), Atlanta, Georgia, January 2010

"Unions and U.S. State Growth," International Atlantic Economic Society Meetings Savannah, GA, October 2007

"Differences in Growth across U.S. States," Association of Private Enterprise Educators Annual Meeting, Cancun Mexico, April 2007

"Class Weblogs as an Instructional Tool," Association of Private Enterprise Educators Annual Meeting, Orlando, April 2005

"The Wealth Effects of Right-to-Work Laws," Southern Economic Association Annual Meeting, November 2003

"IRS audits of Business Tax Returns," Public Choice Society Annual Meeting, March 2003

"The Lost Highway: The Effect of the Interstate Highway System on State Incomes," Public Choice Society Annual Meeting, March 2002

"The Wealth Impacts of the Interstate Highway System," Southern Economic Association Annual Meeting, November 2001

"Cointegration and the Fisher Effect," Western Economic Association Annual Meeting, July 1995.

"Interest Rates and Future Inflation," Virginia Association of Economists Annual Meeting, March 1993

Courses Taught

Public Finance
Investments
Statistics for Business and Economics
Econometrics
Mathematical Economics
Quantitative Methods for Business

Principles of Microeconomics
Principles of Macroeconomics
Intermediate Microeconomics
Intermediate Macroeconomics
Money and Banking
Public Choice