ADAM I. BIENER

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EMPLOYMENT

Lehigh University, Bethlehem, PA

 $August\ 2015$

Ph.D. Economics

Dissertation: The Impact of Obesity in Children and Adults on Medical Care Expenditures:

A Regression Calibration Instrumental Variables Approach

Committee: Chad Meyerhoefer (Chair), Muhze Yang, Irina Panovska, John Cawley (Cornell)

Ramapo College of New Jersey, Mahwah, NJ B.A. Economics, Minors: Mathematics, Music May 2010

EXPERIENCE

Assistant Professor of Economics

July 2018 - Present

Department of Economics Lafayette College

Economist August 2015 - June 2018

Center for Financing, Access and Cost Trends Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality

Adjunct Professor

January 2017 - May 2018

McCourt School of Public Policy Georgetown University

Adjunct Professor

September 2013 - May 2015

College of Business and Economics Lehigh University

PEER REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

Duffy, E., A. Biener, C. Garmon, E. Trish. 2022 "A Comparison of Estimated No Surprises Act Qualifying Payment Amounts and Payments to In-Network and Out-of-Network Emergency Medicine Professionals." *JAMA Health Forum.* 3(9), e223085-e223085.

Biener, A., B. Chartock, C. Garmon, E. Trish. 2021. "Emergency Physicians Recover a Higher Share of Charges from Out-of-Network Balance Bills than from In-Network Care." *Health Affairs*. 40:4, 622-628.

Cawley, J., A. Biener, C. Meyerhoefer, Y. Ding, T. Zvenyach, BG. Smolarz, A. Ramasamy. 2021. "Job Absenteeism Costs of Obesity in the U.S.: National and State-Level Estimates." *Journal of Occupational and Environmental Medicine*. 63(7):p 565-573.

Cawley, J., A. Biener, C. Meyerhoefer, Y. Ding, T. Zvenyach, BG. Smolarz, A. Ramasamy. 2021. "Direct Medical Costs of Obesity in the U.S. and the Most Populous States." *Journal of Managed Care and Specialty Pharmacy*. Mar;27(3):354-366.

Botros, C, S. Lozo, S. Iyer, A. Warren, R. Goldberg, J. Tomezsko, K. Sasso, P. Sand, A. Gafni-Kane, A. Biener, S. Botros-Brey. 2021. "Methenamine Hippurate Compared with Trimethoprim for the Prevention of Recurrent Urinary Tract Infections: A Randomized Clinical Trial." *International Urogynecology Journal*. 33(3), 571-580.

Biener, A., J. Cawley, C. Meyerhoefer. 2020. "The Medical Care Costs of Obesity and Severe Obesity in Youth: An Instrumental Variables Approach." *Health Economics*. 29(2020):624639.

Biener, A., S. Zuvekas. 2020. "Do Racial and Ethnic Disparities in Mental Health Treatment Vary with Underlying Mental Health?" *Medical Care Research and Review*. 78(4):392-403.

Berdahl T., A. Biener, MC. McCormick, L. Simpson, J. Guevara. 2019. "Annual Report on Children's Healthcare Access and Utilization by Obesity Status in the United States, 2010-2015." *Academic Pediatrics*. 20(2):175-187.

Zuvekas, S., A. Biener, W. Hicks. 2019. "The Effects of Survey Enhancements on the Quality of Reporting in the Medical Expenditure Panel Survey, 2008-2015." Journal of Survey Statistics and Methodology. 8(3):589-616.

Monestime, JP., A. Biener, M. Wolford, P. Mason. 2019. "Characteristics of Office-Based Providers Associated with Secure Electronic Messaging Use: Achieving Meaningful Use." *International Journal of Medical Informatics*. 129(2019):43-48.

Biener, A., S. Zuvekas. 2018. "Do Racial and Ethnic Disparities in Utilization of Medical Care Vary with Underlying Health?" *Health Services Research*. 54(1):64-74.

Biener, A., J. Cawley, C. Meyerhoefer. 2018. "The Impact of Obesity on Medical Care Costs and Labor Market Outcomes in the U.S." *Clinical Chemistry*. 64(1):108-117.

Biener, A., T. Selden. 2017. "Public and Private Payments for Physician Office Visits" *Health Affairs*. 36(12):2160-2164.

Biener, A., S. Zuvekas, S. Hill. 2017. "Impact of Recent Medicaid Expansions on Office-Based Primary Care and Specialty Care among the Newly Eligible" *Health Services Research*. 53(4):2426-2445.

Cawley J., C. Meyerhoefer, A. Biener, M. Hammer, N. Wintfeld. 2015. "Savings in Medical Expenditures Associated with Reductions in Body Mass Index Among Adults with Obesity, by Diabetes Status" *Pharma-coEconomics*. 33(7):707-722.

BOOK CHAPTERS

Biener, A., J. Cawley and C. Meyerhoefer. The Economic Costs of Obesity. Chapter 6 in Volume II of *Handbook of Obesity*, 5th Edition, George A. Bray, Claude Bouchard and Peter T. Katzmarzyk (eds.) Routledge, Nov. 30, 2023.

AHRQ-JAMA INFOGRAPHICS SERIES

Biener, A., S. Decker, F. Rohde. 2019. "Prevalence and Treatment of Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease (COPD) in the United States" *JAMA*. 322(7):602. (AHRQ-JAMA Infographic Series)

Biener, A., S. Decker, F. Rohde. 2019. "Sources of Increased Health Care Spending in the United States" *JAMA*. 321(12):1147. (AHRQ-JAMA Infographic Series)

Biener, A., S. Decker. 2018. "Medical Care Use and Expenditures Associated with Adult Obesity in the United States" *JAMA*. 319(3):218. (AHRQ-JAMA Infographic Series)

REPORTS

Biener A. "Prosecutorial Case Backlog Project: Survey Findings Report." Association of Prosecuting Attorneys. January, 2024.

Hoskins, D., A. Biener "Building the Table: Advancing Race Equity in the Criminal Legal System." JustLead-

ershipUSA and Association of Prosecuting Attorneys. February, 2023.

Biener, A. "Prosecutor Workplace and Compensation Study: Report of Findings." Association of Prosecuting Attorneys. November, 2021.

Zewde, N., A. Biener. "State Insurance Reforms and the Tradeoffs of a Public Option" Roosevelt Institute. June, 2020.

OP-EDS AND BLOGS

Zewde, N., C. Drake, A. Biener. "Basic Health Programs: An Alternative to Public Options?" Issue Brief. Commonwealth Fund. March 27, 2024. https://doi.org/10.26099/xdgv-xz53

CONFERENCE PROCEEDINGS AND OTHER PUBLICATIONS

Garmon, C., A. Biener, B. Chartock, E. Duffy, E. Trish. 2023. "The Impact of the No Surprises Act on Physician-Insurer Negotiations" SSRN Working Paper

Mitchell, E., J Anderson, A. Biener. 2020. "Undercounting of Healthcare Utilization in the Medical Expenditure Panel Survey" AHRQ Working Paper 20001

Biener A., J. Cawley, C. Meyerhoefer. 2017. "The Medical Care Costs of Youth Obesity: An Instrumental Variables Approach" NBER Working Paper #23682

Anderson J., E. Mitchell, A. Biener. 2017. "Evaluation of Health Care Event Reporting in a National Household Survey" Joint Statistical Meetings, 2017 Proceedings

Biener, A., C. Meyerhoefer, J. Cawley. 2017. "The High and Rising Costs of Obesity to the U.S. Health Care System" *Journal of General Internal Medicine*. 32(Suppl 1):6-8. (Research Editorial)

IN PROGRESS

"Non-Classical Measurement Error in Instrumental Variables Estimation: An Application to the Medical Care Costs of Obesity"

Biener, A., C. Meyerhoefer, J. Cawley

Revised and Resubmitted at Health Economics, Second R&R

"Enrollment in Medicare is Associated with Fewer Outpatient Mental Healthcare Visits Among Those with Severe Psychological Distress"

McCormack G., E. Duffy, J. Rohrer, A. Biener

Under Review at Health Services Research

"Recent Cohorts Aging into Medicare Use More Counseling and Psychotherapy than Past Cohorts" McCormack G., E. Duffy, A. Biener

Under Review at American Journal of Managed Care

"Wage Gaps and Health"

Averett, S., A. Biener, O, Ogrokhina

"No Surprises Act Independent Dispute Resolution Outcomes" Adler, L., A. Biener, B. Chartock, E. Duffy, C. Garmon, E. Trish

"Accounting for Insurer and Provider Market Concentration in No Surprises Act Arbitration" Garmon, C., A. Biener, B. Chartock, E. Duffy, E. Trish

"Financial Strain Associated with Out-of-Network and Surprise Bills" Meille G., A. Biener, C. McClellan, S. Zuvekas

"Weighing In: Does Reliance on Body Mass Index Exacerbate Racial and Ethnic Disparities in Obesity Treatment?"

Biener, A.

"Racial and Ethnic Disparities in Health Insurance Coverage Among Young Adults" Biener A., E. Duffy

GRANTS AND CONTRACTS

Analytic Support to MEPS Medical Provider Component,

September 2023 - December 2023

Professional Services Contract

Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality - AHR315075: \$15,200

Consultant: Academic Policy Researcher, X-Grant to Advance Race Equity

January 2022 - June 2022

MacArthur Grant No. 21-2112-156156-CJ: \$7,500

Expertise on Infographics and Data Products, Professional Services Contract Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality - AHR256503: \$20,000

May 2020 - October 2020

REFEREED CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

American Society of Health Economists 13th Annual Research Conference, San Diego, CA.

June 2024

- "Racial and Ethnic Disparities in Health Insurance Coverage Among Young Adults" Biener, A., E. Duffy.
- "Enrollment in Medicare is Associated with Fewer Outpatient Mental Healthcare Visits Among Those with Severe Psychological Distress"
 McCormack G., E. Duffy, J. Rohrer, A. Biener
- "Financial Strain Associated with out-of-Network and Surprise Bills" Meille G., A. Biener, C. McClellan, S. Zuvekas.

Eastern Economic Association 50th Annual Conference, Boston, MA.

March 2024

"Weighing in: Does Reliance on Body Mass Index Exacerbate Racial and Ethnic

Disparities in Obesity Treatment?"

Biener, A.

American Society of Health Economists 12th Annual Research Conference, St. Louis, MO.

June 2023

- "The Financial Burden of Balance Billing and Equity Effects of the No Surprises Act" Biener, A.
- "Wage Gaps and Health" Averett, S., A. Biener, O, Ogrokhina

Eastern Economic Association 49th Annual Conference, New York, NY.

February 2023

"Wage Gaps and Health"

Averett, S., A. Biener, O. Ogrokhina

American Society of Health Economists 11th Annual Research Conference.

June 2022

October 2021

"The Impact of the No Surprises Act on Physician-Insurer Negotiations"

Garmon, C., A. Biener, B. Chartock, E. Duffy, E. Trish

Missouri Valley Economic Association Fifty-Eighth Annual Meeting. (virtual)

The Impact of the No Surprises Act on Physician-Insurer Negotiations

Garmon, C., A. Biener, B. Chartock, E. Trish

American Association of Public Opinion Research. (virtual)

May 2021

Impact of Survey Design Changes on the Quality of Health Care Utilization Estimates.

Evidence From the Medical Expenditure Panel Survey and the National Health Interview Survey Chevarley, FM., A. Biener, S. Chowdhury

Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management Fall Research Conference. (virtual) November 2020 "State Insurance Reforms and the Trade-Offs of a Public Option" Zewde, N., A. Biener

AcadamyHealth 2020 Annual Research Meeting. (virtual)

July 2020

- "State Insurance Reforms and the Trade-Offs of a Public Option." (virtual poster) Zewde, N., A. Biener
- "The Job Absenteeism Costs of Obesity in the U.S." (virtual poster) Cawley, J., <u>A. Biener</u>, C. Meyerhoefer, Y. Ding, T. Zvenyach, BG. Smolarz, A. Ramasamy
- "The Direct Medical Care Costs of Obesity in the U.S." (virtual poster) Cawley, J., A. Biener, C. Meyerhoefer, Y. Ding, T. Zvenyach, BG. Smolarz, A. Ramasamy

American Association of Public Opinion Research. (virtual)

June 2020

"The MEPS Medical Organizations Survey: Extending Survey Data with Matched Data from Records and Commercial Sources"

M. Wolford, A. Moriya, A. Biener

American Society of Health Economists 9th Annual Research Conference. (virtual)

June 2019

June 2019

"The Financial Burden of Surprise Medical Bills"

Biener, A., C. Garmon, B. Chartock, E. Trish

American Society of Health Economists 8th Annual Research Conference, Washington, DC.

"Characteristics of Office-Based Providers Associated with Secure Electronic Messaging Use:

Achieving Meaningful Use"

JP. Monestime, A. Biener, M. Wolford, P. Mason

American Society of Health Economists 7th Biennial Research Conference, Atlanta, GA.

June 2018

"Preventive Care Access and Use as a Driver of Racial and Ethnic Disparities in Medical Care" (poster)

A. Biener, S. Zuvekas

FedCASIC 2018 Workshop, Suitland, MD.

April, 2018

- "MEPS Provider Look-up Enhancement" A. Biener, M. Stagnitti, W. Hicks
- "The Effects of Survey Enhancements on Reporting in the Medical Expenditure Panel Survey" S. Zuvekas, A. Biener, W. Hicks

Federal Committee on Statistical Methodology Research and Policy Conference, Washington DC

March, 2018

Washington DC.
"Evaluation of Health Care Event Reporting in a National Household Survey Using Medical

Provider Data"

J. Anderson, E. Mitchell, A. Biener

Second Annual Federal Behavioral Health Economics and Services Research Meeting, September 2017 Washington, DC.

"Do Racial and Ethnic Disparities in Utilization of Mental Healthcare Vary with Underlying Mental Health?"

A. Biener, S. Zuvekas

Joint Statistical Meetings, Baltimore, MD.

July 2017

 "The MEPS Medical Organizations Survey: Lessons Learned on Non-Response and Data Quality from a Linked Survey Data Collection Strategy"
 M. Wolford, A. Biener, M. Stagnitti • "Evaluation of Health Care Event Reporting in a National Household Survey" J. Anderson, A. Biener, E. Mitchell

International Health Economics Association 12th World Congress, Boston, MA.

July 2017

"The Medical Care Costs of Youth Obesity"

A. Biener, J. Cawley, C. Meyerhoefer

AcadamyHealth 2017 Annual Research Meeting, New Orleans, LA.

June 2017

"Do Racial and Ethnic Disparities in Utilization of Medical Care Vary with Underlying Health?"

A. Biener, S. Zuvekas

American Society of Health Economists 6th Biennial Research Conference, Philadelphia, PA.

"Measurement Error Correction in Impact of Obesity Studies"

June 2016

A. Biener, C. Meyerhoefer, J. Cawley

Eastern Economic Association Annual Conference, Washington, DC.

February 2016

"Practical Considerations when Error-Correcting BMI in Impact of Obesity Studies"

A. Biener, C. Meyerhoefer, J. Cawley

AEA/ASSA Annual Meeting, Boston, MA.

January 2015

Contributed Papers in the Economics of Hospitals, Public Insurance, and Medical Expenditures

"Estimating the Medical Care Costs of Youth Obesity in the Presence of Proxy Reporting Error"

A. Biener, C. Meyerhoefer, J. Cawley

Obesity Week 2014 (The Obesity Society's Annual Scientific Meeting), Boston, MA.

November 2014

"Savings in Medical Expenditures Associated with Reductions in Body Mass Index Among

Adults with Obesity, by Diabetes Status"

J. Cawley, C. Meyerhoefer, A. Biener, M. Hammer, N. Wintfeld

American Society of Health Economists 5th Biennial Research Conference, Los Angeles, CA.

"The Medical Care Costs of Childhood Obesity" (poster)

A. Biener, C. Meyerhoefer, J. Cawley

Eastern Economic Association Annual Conference, New York, NY.

May 2013

July 2014

"The Medical Care Costs of Childhood Obesity"

A. Biener, C. Meyerhoefer, J. Cawley

INVITED PRESENTATIONS

CFACT Seminar, Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, Rockville, MD.

May 18, 2023

"The Financial Burden of Balance Billing and Equity Effects of the No Surprises Act"

A. Biener

Major County Prosecutors Council Summer Meeting, Nashville, TN

July 30, 2021

"Prosecutor Office Staffing and Workload Survey Findings Report"

A. Biener

Kansas Health Economics Conference, Lawrence, KS.

March 23, 2020

"The Financial Burden of Surprise Medical Bills"

A. Biener, B. Chartock, <u>C. Garmon</u>, E. Trish

CFACT Seminar, Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality

October 2019

"AHRQ-JAMA Infographic Series"

A. Biener, S. Decker

Lafayette College Marquis Scholar seminar series

October 2018

The Role of Health Economics in Evaluating Healthcare Policy

A. Biener

CFACT Seminar, Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, Rockville, MD.

February, 2018

"Evaluation of Health Care Event Reporting in a National Household Survey Using Medical Provider Data"

J. Anderson, E. Mitchell, A. Biener

CFACT Seminar, Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality

October 2016

"Do Racial and Ethnic Disparities in Utilization of Medical Care Vary with Underlying Health?"

A. Biener, S. Zuvekas

CFACT Seminar, Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality

 $\mathrm{May}\ 2016$

"Stata and Excel"

A. Biener

The XIII International Congress on Obesity, Vancouver, Canada.

May 2016

"The Medical Care Costs of Youth Obesity"

A. Biener, C. Meyerhoefer, and J. Cawley

National University of Ireland Galway, Galway, Ireland.

October 2015

Department of Economics, Finance and Accounting seminar

"Estimating the Medical Care Costs of Youth Obesity"

A. Biener, C. Meyerhoefer, J. Cawley

National University of Ireland Maynooth, Maynooth, Ireland.

October 2015

Department of Economics seminar

"Estimating the Medical Care Costs of Youth Obesity"

A. Biener, C. Meyerhoefer, J. Cawley

CFACT Seminar, Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality

September 2015

"The Medical Care Costs of Youth Obesity"

A. Biener, C. Meyerhoefer, J. Cawley

OTHER CONFERENCE ACTIVITIES

American Society of Health Economists 13th Annual Research Conference, San Diego, CA. June 2024 Session organizer: "Insurance Networks, Payment Regulations, and Patient Out-of-Pocket Spending" Discussant (one paper)

Eastern Economic Association 50th Annual Conference, Boston, MA. Discussant (three papers)

March 2024

NBER Summer Institute 2023

July 2023

Invited attendee: Health Economics; Methods Lectures: Linear Panel Event Studies

Eastern Economic Association 49th Annual Conference, New York, NY.

February 2023

Discussant (one paper) Session Chair: "Obesity, Diabetes and Mortality"; "Physician and

Healthcare Services: Supply and Demand"

American Society of Health Economists 12th Annual Research Conference, St. Louis, MO.

June 2023

Discussant (one paper)

Eastern Economic Association 49th Annual Conference, New York, NY.

February 2023

Discussant (one paper)

American Society of Health Economists 11th Annual Research Conference, Austin, TX.

June 2022

Session Chair: "Innovations in Health Econometrics and Identification"

Discussant (one paper)

NBER Summer Institute 2021, Health Economics Workshop

July 2021

Invited Attendee: Health Economics

American Society of Health Economists 10th Annual Research Conference (Virtual). Session Chair: "Emerging Scholar Session - Competition in Health Care Markets and June 2021

Insurer and Hospital Behaviors"

Discussant (one paper)

NBER Health Economics Program Meeting Spring 2021

May 2021

Invited Attendee: Health Economics

NBER Health Economics Program Meeting Fall 2020

December 2020

Invited Attendee: Health Economics

American Society of Health Economists 8th Annual Research Conference, Washington, DC.

Discussant (one paper)

June 2019

American Society of Health Economists 7th Biennial Research Conference, Atlanta, GA.

June 2018

Discussant (two papers)

American Society of Health Economists 6th Biennial Research Conference, Philadelphia, PA. June 2016

Session Organizer: "Treatment Effect Estimation Methods with Misreported or Missing Data"

NBER Summer Institute for Health Economics

July 2013

Invited Attendee: Health Economics

Eastern Economic Association Annual Conference, New York, NY.

May 2013

Session Chair, "The Economics of Obesity"

Discussant (one paper)

OTHER RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Center for Financing, Access and Cost Trends, Agency for Healthcare

July 2018 - July 2019

Research and Quality Guest Researcher

Institute on Health Economics, Health Behaviors, and Disparities, Cornell University

August 2014

Visiting scholar

Lehigh University / LVHN EHR Evaluation

Summer 2012, Summer 2013

Research Assistant

HONORS AND AWARDS

Outstanding reviewer: Annals of Internal Medicine

2023, 2020, 2019, 2018

Director's award of merit, AHRQ Honor Award

October 2018

"Hands-on programming team for MEPS data user workshop"

Peer recognition award for value excellence, AHRQ Honor Award

March 2018

Elizabeth V. Stout dissertation award, Lehigh University

August 2016

Presidential fellowship, Lehigh University

Fall 2010 - Spring 2011

Sebastian J. Raciti endowed scholarship for undergraduates majoring in Economics

2009

Ramapo College of New Jersey

SELECTED MEDIA CITATIONS

Tradeoffs, "Ozempic Hype Forces Employer Calls on Obesity Coverage, September 28,	
	2022
Medscape Medical News, "Emergency Out-of-Network Payments Were Twice the, September 22,	
Benchmark Level"	
Health Policy Today, "Why Don't Insurers Take Obesity Seriously?" June 30,	2022
ABA Journal, "Prosecutor pay isn't keeping up with inflation even as some November 24,	2021
case backlogs grow, study author says"	
US News and World Report, "AHA News: Another Barrier for Black and Hispanic October 6,	2021
People: Good Mental Health Care"	
Wall Street Journal, "Patients to Be Protected From Surprise Billing Under New Rule" July 1,	2021
Healthcare Dive, "Patients Hit with Surprise Medical Bills Paid ER Docs 10 Times More April 13,	2021
than others"	
Wall Street Journal, "Don't Let Them Eat Cake: Bosses Sugar-Shame Office Treats" September 17,	2018
Forbes, "Trump To The Poor: Here's What Will Be On Your Dinner Plates" February 13,	2018
Healthcare Finance, "How Much Does Obesity Cost the Healthcare System? February 12,	2018
It Differs by State"	
Brookings, "The Essential Scan: Top Findings in Health Policy Research" September 21,	2017
The Downey Obesity Report, "Treat Those with Severe Obesity to Save Serious Money" July 31,	2015
Vox, "A New Study Reveals Something Important About Obesity and Health Costs" July 17,	2015
BloombergBusiness, "Obesity is Hurting the U.S. Economy in Surprising Ways" March 5,	2015

OTHER MEDIA

ASHEcon Newsletter, "Careers in Health Economics: Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality"

Fall 2018

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Statistical Reviewer

JAMA Network Open

July 2019 - Present

Referee

American Journal of Preventive Medicine, American Journal of Public Health, Annals of Internal Medicine, BMC Public Health, Bulletin of Economic Research, Clinical Opthalmology, Childhood Obesity, Contemporary Economic Policy, Eastern Economic Journal, Economic Journal, Economics and Human Biology, European Journal of Sport Science, Health Affairs, Health Economics, Health Economics Review, Health Services Research, International Journal of Obesity, IZA Journal of Development and Migration, JAMA Network Open, JAMA Pediatrics, Journal of Business and Economic Studies, Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization, Journal of Economic Surveys, Journal of Health Economics, Journal of Policy Analysis and Management, Journal of Racial and Ethnic Health Disparities, Labour Economics, Obesity, PLOS One, Simulation in Medicine, Value in Health

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Lafayette College

ECON 215: Health Economics SP 2023, FL 2023, SP 2024 ECON 251: Intermediate Microeconomics FL 2018, SP 2021, FL 2021 ECON 253: Fundamentals of Econometrics SP 2019, SP 2020, FL 2020, SP 2023, FL 2023, SP 2024 ECON 401: Economics of the US Healthcare System (Senior Capstone) SP 2020, FL 2021

Georgetown University - McCourt School of Public Policy

Market Failure and Public Economics SP 2017, SP 2018

Lehigh University

Statistical Methods Summer 2014, FL 2014, SP 2015 Intermediate Microeconomics FL 2013, SP 2014, FL 2014

Money and Banking and	${\bf Financial}$	Systems	(Teaching	Assistant)
Principles of Economics	(Teaching	Assistant)	

SP 2013 FL 2011, SP 2012, FL 2012

RESEARCH ADVISING

Doctor of philosophy in economics, outside dissertation committee member

• Pei-Chuan Ho (Lehigh University)	2020 - 2021
• Yue Yuan (Lehigh University)	2018-2019

• Bita Fayaz Farkhad (Lehigh University) 2017-2019

Honor's thesis advising

• Kate Kinder ('21) - Government and Law (Outside reader)

AY 2020-2021

- "Rising Partisan Polarization in the United States: Its Causes, and Views from the Left and Right"

• Aurie Greenberg ('22) - Math and Economics (Primary advisor)

AY 2021-2022

- "State-Run COVID-19 Vaccination Incentive Programs and Vaccination Decisions among Vaccine-Hesitant Individuals"

• Masha Nguyen ('22) - Math and Economics (Co-primary advisor)

AY 2021-2022

- "The Gender Wage Gap and its Effect on Mental Well-Being of Women in Russia"

• Hannah Spitzer ('22) - Policy Studies (Primary advisor)

AY 2021-2022

 "Decriminalization of Mental Health Through Pre-Booking Diversion Policies Benefit All"

• Meghan Haddad ('22) - Policy Studies (Second reader) AY 2021-2022

- "Bridge the Gap for Medicare Recipients: Acute Hospital Care at Home Programs"

• Marjana Tafader ('22) - Neuroscience (Outside reader)

AY 2021-2022

 "Childhood SES and Age-Related Cognition and Age-Related Cortical Thickness in Racially/Ethnically Diverse Older Adults"

• Alexa Sadowski ('24) - Economics (Primary advisor)

AY 2023-2024

- "An Analysis of the Efficiency of Hospital Pricing"

• Emily Tesbir ('24) - Economics (Second reader)

AY 2023-2024

- "Effect of State Paid Maternity Leave Policies on Womens' Health"

Research Assistantships

• Wenxin (Cyndia) Chen ('22) - "Prosecutor Workload and Compensation Survey" Fall 2020

• Emma Chen ('24) - X-Grant to Advance Race Equity

MacArthur Grant No. 21-2112-156156-CJ

Summer 2022

EXCEL Scholars

Wenxin (Cyndia) Chen ('22) - "Prosecutor Workload and Compensation Survey" Winter 2020
 Masha Nguyen ('22) - "Racial and Ethnic Disparities in Hospital Care" Summer 2021
 Ran Peng ('22) "Racial and Ethnic Disparities in Hospital Care" Fall 2021

• Ainsley Carlson ('24) "Mental Healthcare Disparities by Race/Ethnicity, Gender Spring 2024 and Sexual Orientation"

Independent Study

• Cameron ONeil ('21)	Spring 2021
• Ainsley Carlson ('24)	Fall 2023
• Olivia Bamford ('24)	Spring 2024

COLLEGE SERVICE

High Performance Computing Cluster Advisory Group	2019 - Present
Policy Studies Advisory Board	2021 - Present
Institutional Review Board	2022 - Present
Health Professions Advisory Committee	2022 - Present
Board of Trustees Audit Committee	2023 - Present

SKILLS AND CREDENTIALS

STATA, SAS, R, $\mbox{\sc label{eq:states}}$, Adobe Illustrator, Sworn Special Status