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## Teaching Experience

**Assistant Professor of Economics** - Virginia Military Institute, Lexington, VA 2020 –

Courses Taught: Principles of Micro, Intermediate Micro, Principles of Macro, Government and Business, Industrial Organization, Economics of Innovation  
Service: Chair - Economics Curriculum Committee, Faculty Co-Advisor to Omicron Delta Epsilon and the Cadet Investment Group, Roberts Research Assistant Grant Committee, Student Undergraduate Research Committee, Assistant Officer-in-Charge

**Assistant Professor of Economics** - Wittenberg University, Springfield, OH 2018 – 2020

Courses Taught: Principles of Econ, Industrial Organization, Intermediate Macro, Intermediate Micro, Urban and Regional Economics  
Service: Faculty Co-Advisor to Economics Club, Committee on Academic Computing and Library Policy

**Instructor**, Florida State University: Business Organization and Market Structure (Summer 2017), Principles of Micro (Summer 2015)

### Teaching Assistant

Florida State University: Government Regulation of Business (Fall 2017), Intermediate Micro (Spring 2017)  
Marquette University: Introduction to Economics (Fall 2010, Spring 2011)

## Education

Ph.D. Economics, Florida State University 2018

*Dissertation:* “Three Essays on Competition in Regional Oligopoly”

M.A. Economics, Florida State University 2015

M.S. Applied Economics, Marquette University 2011

B.A. Economics, St. Norbert College 2010

Study Abroad, American University in Cairo Spring 2009

## Research

### Peer-Reviewed Publications

“Measuring Incumbent Response to Municipal Broadband Opt-out Referenda in Colorado” (2023) *Telecommunications Policy*, 47(10) <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.telpol.2023.102671>

“Entry threats from municipal broadband internet and impacts on private provider quality” (2020), *Information Economics and Policy*, 52, <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.infoecopol.2020.100878>

“Factoring Emerging Markets into the Relationship Between Global Liquidity and Commodities” (with Abdur Chowdhury) (2015) *Journal of Economic Studies*, 42(4) pp. 622 - 640, <https://doi.org/10.1108/JES-11-2013-0171>

### Working Papers

“Spatial Diffusion of Barrel-aging Techniques in the American Craft Beer Industry”

“Two, Three, or Four Providers? Converging to Competition in Broadband Internet”

“Rockets and Feathers in Electricity Generated by Natural Gas? Implications for Market Power”

### Works in Progress

“Reevaluating the Costs and Benefits of Adjustable Rate Mortgages”

“Confederate Iconography and Property Values” (with Tim Murray)

“Risk and Reputation in a Grassroots Peer-to-Peer Online Lending Community” (with Brenden Mason)

“Spatial Effects of the Clark County OH Land Bank Vacant Housing Demolition Program” (with Edward Hasecke and Victor Verdier)

“Agglomeration, Growth, and Survival in Craft Brewing”

### Undergraduate Senior Honors Thesis Involvement

“How Have Economic Crises Shaped U.S. Debt Policy and What Does this Mean for the Future of Government Debt?” (advisor, 2024-25)

“Analysis of Ohio Municipal Income Tax Rates and Tax Revenues” (advisor, Spring 2020)

“Chestertonian Distributism: An Analysis of Economic Thought” (reader, Spring 2020)

## **Fellowships, Grants, & Awards**

<i>Grants-in-Aid of Research</i> , Virginia Military Institute, \$10,000 for the project ”Confederate Iconography and Property Values”	2023
<i>Thomas S. McCaleb Award for Excellence in Upper-Division Teaching</i> , Department of Economics, Florida State University	2017
<i>Lindau Meeting on Economic Sciences Travel Grant</i> , National Science Foundation	2017
<i>Colorado Technology Primer for Economists and Social Scientists Travel Grant</i> , Colorado School of Mines/Sloan Foundation	2017
<i>L. Charles Hilton Center Summer Workshop Fellowship</i> , Florida State University	2016, 2017
<i>James H. Gapinski Award for Outstanding Academic Achievement Among First-year Graduate Students</i> , Department of Economics, Florida State University	2014
Doctoral fellowship, Florida State University Economics Department	2013 – 2018

## Presentations

*Spatial Diffusion of Barrel-aging Techniques in the American Craft Beer*: American Association of Wine Economists Conference (2024)

*Risk and Reputation in a Grassroots Peer-to-Peer Online Lending Community*: Midwest Economics Association Conference (2024), Virginia Military Institute, Roberts Research Luncheon (2024), Virginia Association of Economists Conference (2024)

*Reevaluating the Costs and Benefits of Adjustable Rate Mortgages*: Midwest Economics Association Conference (2023), Southern Economic Association Conference (2023)

*Measuring Incumbent Response to Municipal Broadband Opt-out Referenda in Colorado*: Midwest Economics Association Conference (2023), Southern Economic Association Conference (2021), Virginia Military Institute, Roberts Research Luncheon (2021), Wright State University, Department of Economics Research Workshop (2020)

*Two, Three, or Four Providers? Converging to Competition in Broadband Internet*: Southern Economic Association Conference (2018)

*Rockets and Feathers in Electricity Generated by Natural Gas: Implications for Market Power*: Southern Economic Association Conference (2017)

*Entry Threats From Municipal Broadband Internet and Impacts on Private Provider Quality*: Midwest Economics Association Conference (2017), Southern Economic Association Conference (2016)

*Factoring Emerging Markets into the Relationship Between Global Liquidity and Commodities*: US/International Association for Energy Economics North American Conference (2011), Marquette University, Department of Economics Seminar Series (2011)

## Other Conference Attendance (Competitive Admission)

Lindau Meeting on Economic Sciences (Lindau, Germany, 2017)

Colorado School of Mines Technology Primer for Economists and Social Scientists (2017)

## Professional Activities

Member: American Economic Association, Midwest Economics Association,

Virginia Association of Economists, American Association of Wine Economists

Referee: Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization, Journal of Economic Studies

## Related Experience

Research Assistant, Florida State University

2013 – 2016

Forecast/Operations Analyst, WPPI Energy

2011 – 2013

*Software Experience*: Stata, R, ArcGIS, QGIS, SAS, MATLAB, L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X, and SLURM and PuTTY for supercomputer interfacing