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## CURRENT APPOINTMENTS

2017-Present      W.E. Miner Professor of Economics, University of Oregon  
2021-Present      Professor of Economics, University of Oregon  
2014-Present      Research Affiliate, University of Chicago Crime Lab  
2015-Present      Research Associate, National Bureau of Economic Research  
2014-Present      Research Fellow, Institute for the Study of Labor

## PREVIOUS APPOINTMENTS

2015-2021      Associate Professor of Economics, University of Oregon  
2017-2019      Associate Editor, *Journal of Population Economics*  
2016-2017      Visiting Research Scholar, Crime Lab New York  
2014-2015      Faculty Research Fellow, National Bureau of Economics Research  
2010-2014      Assistant Professor of Economics, University of Oregon  
2009-2010      Research Associate, IMPAQ International

## EDUCATION

2009      Ph.D. in Economics, University of California Santa Barbara  
Committee: Peter Kuhn (co-chair), Doug Steigerwald (co-chair), Oliver Deschenes  
2005      M.A. in Economics, University of California Santa Barbara  
2004      B.A. in Economics, Brigham Young University

## PUBLICATIONS IN REFEREED JOURNALS

2021      **Police Force Size and Civilian Race** (with Aaron Chalfin, Emily Weisburt and Morgan Williams, Jr.), *American Economic Review: Insights*

2021      **The Minimum Legal Drinking Age and Victimization** (with Aaron Chalfin and Rachel Ryley), *Journal of Human Resources*

2020      **Reducing Crime Through Environmental Design: Evidence from a Randomized Experiment of Street Lighting in New York City**  
(with Aaron Chalfin, Jason Lerner, and Lucie A. Parker), *Journal of Quantitative Criminology*

## PUBLICATIONS (CONTINUED)

- 2020 “Dude, Where’s My Treatment Effect? Errors in Administrative Data Linking and the Destruction of Statistical Power in Randomized Experiments” (with Sarah Tahamont, Zubin Jelveh, Aaron Chalfin, and Shi Yan), *Journal of Quantitative Criminology*
- 2020 “Federalism, Partial Prohibition, and Cross Border Sales: Evidence from Marijuana Legalization” (with Keaton Miller and Caroline Weber), *Journal of Public Economics*, Vol. 187, No. 7, pp. 104–159
- 2020 “The Unintended Consequences of ‘Ban the Box’: Statistical Discrimination and Employment Outcomes When Criminal Histories Are Hidden” (with Jennifer L. Doleac), *Journal of Labor Economics*, Vol. 38, No. 2 pp. 321–374.
- 2020 “Taxing the Potency of Sin Goods: Evidence from Recreational Cannabis and Liquor Markets” (with Keaton Miller, Boyoung Seo, and Caroline Weber), *National Tax Journal*, Vol. 73, No. 2, pp. 511–544.
- 2020 “Early Evidence on Recreational Marijuana Legalization and Traffic Fatalities” (with Keaton Miller and Caroline Weber), *Economic Inquiry*, Vol. 58 No. 2, pages 547–568.
- 2019 “Marijuana Laws and Teen Marijuana Use: New Evidence From the Youth Risk Behavior Surveys” (with Mark Anderson, Daniel Rees, and Joseph Sabia), *Journal of the American Medical Association: Pediatrics*, Vol. 73 No. 9, pages 879–881.
- 2018 “Caution! Men Not at Work: Gender-Specific Labor Market Conditions and Child Maltreatment” (with Jason M. Lindo and Jessamyn Schaller) *Journal of Public Economics*, Volume 163, No. 7, Pages 77–98
- 2018 “Legal Access to Alcohol and Criminality” (with Glen R. Waddell), *Journal of Health Economics*, Vol. 57, No.1, pages 277–289.
- 2017 “Moving to Job Opportunities: The Effect of ‘Ban the Box’ on the Composition of Cities” (with Jennifer Doleac), *American Economic Review: Papers and Proceedings*, Vol. 107, No. 5, pages 556–559.
- 2016 “Have Cigarette Taxes Lost Their Bite? New Estimates of the Relationship between Cigarette Taxes and Youth Smoking” (with Joseph J. Sabia, Daniel I. Rees), *American Journal of Health Economics*, Vol. 3, No. 1, pages 60–75.
- 2016 “When Good Measurement Goes Wrong: New Evidence That New York State’s Minimum Wage Reduced Employment” (with Joseph J. Sabia, Richard V. Burkhauser), *Industrial and Labor Relations Review*, Vol. 69, No. 2, pages 312–319 .
- 2016 “California’s 2004 Workers’ Compensation Reform: Claims, Costs, and Contingent Workers” *Industrial and Labor Relations Review*, Vol. 69, No. 1, pages 173–198.
- 2015 “Medical Marijuana Laws and Teen Marijuana Use” (with D. Mark Anderson and Daniel I. Rees) *American Law and Economics Review*, Vol. 17, No. 2, pages 495–528.
- 2015 “Punishment and Deterrence: Evidence from Drunk Driving” *American Economic Review*, Vol. 105, No. 4, pages 1581–1617.

## **PUBLICATIONS (CONTINUED)**

- 2014 “Life and Death in the Fast Lane: Police Enforcement and Traffic Fatalities” (with G. DeAngelo), *American Economic Journal: Economic Policy*, Vol. 56, No. 2, pages 333–369.
- 2013 “Medical Marijuana Laws, Traffic Fatalities, and Alcohol Consumption” (with D. Mark Anderson Daniel I. Rees) *Journal of Law and Economics*, Vol. 56, No. 2, pages 1581–1617.
- 2013 “Cigarette Taxes and How Youth Obtain Cigarette Taxes” *National Tax Journal* (with Daniel I. Rees and Joseph J. Sabia), Vol. 66, No. 2, pages 371–394
- 2013 “The Minimum Drop Out Age and Student Victimization” *Economics of Education Review*, Vol. 35, No. 8, pages 66–74.
- 2013 “Deterability by Age” (with Shawn Bushway and Greg DeAngelo) *International Review of Law and Economics*, Vol. 36, No. 10, pages 70–81.
- 2012 “Are the Effects of Minimum Wage Increases Always Small? New Evidence from a Case Study in New York” (with Joseph J. Sabia and Richard V. Burkhauser) *Industrial and Labor Relations Review*, Vol. 65, No. 2, pages 350–376 .
- 2011 “Back to School Blues: Seasonality of Youth Suicide and the Academic Calendar” (with Matthew Lang) *Economics of Education Review*, Vol. 30, No. 5, pages 850–861.
- 2010 “Time for School?” (with Dave E. Marcotte) *Education Next*, Vol. 10, No. 1, pages 53–59.

## **BOOK CHAPTERS**

- In Press “Up in Smoke? The Market for Cannabis” (with Keaton Miller and Caroline Weber, edited by Klaus Zimmermann, and Dave Marcotte) *Handbook of Labor, Human Resources and Population Economics*
- 2014 “Quasi-Experimental Methods” (Edited by Dominic J. Brewer and Lawrence O. Picus), *Encyclopedia of Education Economics and Finance*

## WORKING PAPERS

- 2020 **Do State Tobacco-21 Laws Work?**  
(with Calvin Bryan, Drew McNichols, and Joseph Sabia)
- 2020 **Importing the Opioid Crisis? Trade, Smuggling, and Fentanyl Overdoses**  
(with Timothy Moore and William Olney)
- 2020 **Information and the Persistence of the Gender Wage Gap: Early Evidence from California's Salary History Ban**  
(with Drew McNichols), *NBER WP No. 27054*
- 2020 **Getting into the Weeds of Tax Invariance**  
(with Keaton Miller and Caroline Weber), *NBER WP No. 23632*
- 2019 **Are Marijuana and Alcohol Substitutes? Evidence from Neighboring Jurisdictions**  
*CGO Working Paper 2019.016*
- 2017 **Benefit Generosity and Moral Hazard: Evidence from Workers' Compensation**  
(with Tuan Nguyen Glen Waddell), *IZA WP No. 10621*

## **POLICY BRIEFS AND EDITORIALS**

- 2021 “When Cities Add Cops, Black Residents Could Have The Most To Gain and The Most to Lose’ The Niskanen Center
- 2019 “A More Thorough Analysis of Marijuana Use and Homicide in Colorado and Washington” The Incidental Economist
- 2018 “Early Evidence on Recreational Marijuana Legalization and Traffic Fatalities” (with Keaton Miller and Caroline Weber), Cato Research Briefs in Economic Policy No. 125
- 2017 “Taxing Marijuana” (with Keaton Miller and Caroline Weber), VOX CEPR’s Policy Portal
- 2016 “How Hiding Criminal Records Hurts Black and Hispanic Men ” (with Jennifer L. Doleac), Time
- 2016 “Does Ban the Box Help or Hurt Low-Skilled Workers? Statistical Discrimination and Employment Outcomes When Criminal Histories Are Hidden” (with Jennifer L. Doleac), Cato Research Briefs in Economic Policy No. 62
- 2012 “Medical Marijuana Laws and Teen Marijuana Use” (with D. Mark Anderson and Daniel I. Rees), Cato Research Briefs in Economic Policy No. 11

## INVITED SEMINARS

2021	Gonzaga University, Dartmouth
2019	Southern Utah University, University of Hawaii, University of Tennessee Knoxville
2018	American University, Brigham Young University, Georgia State University, San Diego State University, University of Maryland
2017	NYU, Columbia, UC Santa Cruz, University of Essex, UPenn, University of Odense
2016	Cornell, Rutgers, Case Western, CUNY Grad Center, West Point, University of Economics in Prague
2015	University of Wisconsin Madison, Purdue
2014	UPenn, University of Virginia, Montana State University
2013	Cornell, University of Washington, University of Hawaii, RAND, BYU
2012	Washington State University
2010	University of Oregon, UC Davis, UC Boulder
2009	UC Denver

## CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

APPAM	(2008, 2017, 2019)
American Law and Economics Association	(2019)
NBER Summer Institute	(2011, 2013, 2017*, 2018, 2019*, 2021)
Workshop on the Economics of Risky Behaviors	(2012, 2014, 2018, 2019)
Applied Econometrics Workshop, Victoria Wellington	(2018, <i>Keynote</i> )
American Economics Association	(2009, 2010, 2014, 2016*, 2018)
Southern Economics Association	(2009, 2011, 2014, 2015, 2016)
Western Economics Association	(2008, 2010, 2013, 2015, 2016, 2018)
American Society of Health Economists	(2010, 2017)
American Society of Criminology	(2014, 2017)
Conference on Empirical Legal Studies	(2012, 2013)
Violence and Schools IHDSC	(2013)
ONeill Institute Empirical Health Law	(2013)
NBER Health Working Group	(2012)
Trans-Atlantic Economics of Crime	(2012)
Society of Labor Economics	(2008, 2009, 2011)
American Education Finance Association	(2008)
UC Merced Causes and Consequences of Inequality	(2008)

## **FELLOWSHIPS & AWARDS**

2011, 2012 Junior Faculty Development Grant  
2010 Junior Faculty Fellowship, UO  
2010 Smith Chair Research Fellow BYU  
2008 Roe L. Johns Travel Fellow, AEFA  
2008 Central Competitive Graduate Fellowship, UCSB  
2005 Myerson Fellow, UCSB  
2000-2004 University Scholarship, BYU

## **GRANTS EXTERNAL FUNDING**

\$41,500 “USDA Food Assistance Programs (SNAP, the National School Lunch Program, and the School Breakfast Program) and Healthy Food Choices: Quasi-Experimental Evidence from Geographic Variation in Food Prices.” Economics of Food Security, Nutrition, and Health: Insights from FoodAPS grant, NBER.

\$40,000 “Influence of SNAP Participation and Food Environment on Nutritional Quality of Food at Home Purchases,” UKCPR FoodAPS Research Initiative, Economic Research Service.

\$32,000 “How Race Affects Perceptions of Criminality and Thereby Employment.” Russell Sage Foundation.

## **PH.D. STUDENTS SUPERVISED**

In Progress    Melissa Wilson  
2021            Mary Kopriva (University of Alaska, co-chair)  
2021            Kendall Houghton (Census, co-chair)  
2019            Drew McNichols (chair, Amazon)  
2019            Simeon Minard (committee member, Amazon)  
2019            Nathan Biemiller (committee member, FDA)  
2019            Ryan Walch (committee member, Amazon)  
2018            Amani Rashid (committee member, Eastern Michigan University)  
2017            Tuan Nguyen (chair, Central College)  
2017            Bekah Selby (chair, Emporia State University)  
2017            Erica Birk (committee member, Facebook)  
2016            Logan Lee (committee member, Grinnell College)  
2015            Gulcan Cil (committee member, EPA)  
2015            Jon Thompson (committee member, Williamette University)  
2014            Kris Holden (committee member, American Institutes for Research)  
2013            Isaac Swensen (committee member, Montana State University)  
2013            Harold Cuffe (committee member, Victoria University of Wellington)  
2012            Lance Kaufman (committee member, Alaska Department of Law)  
2012            Toni Sipic (committee member, C. Washington University)  
2011            Brian Vander Naald (committee member, Drake University)  
2011            Sandy Tang (committee member, National Taipei University)

## **MASTERS STUDENTS SUPERVISED**

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## **UNDERGRADUATE HONORS STUDENTS SUPERVISED**

Jacob Holcombe, Kevin Frazier, Matthew Dodier, Mitchel Vanvuren, Caryn Peters, Kaitlin Alhart, Jelena Hoffart, Analese Helm,

## **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

Graduate            Econometrics, Health, Crime  
Undergraduate    Intermediate Micro Theory, Health, Crime



## **PROFESSIONAL SERVICE**

Referee: *American Economic Review, Quarterly Journal of Economics, Journal of Political Economy, Economic Journal, American Economic Journal: Applied Economics, American Economic Journal: Economic Policy, Review of Economics and Statistics, Journal of Health Economics, Journal of Labor Economics, Journal of Human Resources, American Journal of Health Economics, Journal of Population Economics, Journal of Human Capital, Industrial and Labor Relations Review, Economics of Education Review, Review of Economics of the Household, American Law and Economics Review, Economic Inquiry, Empirical Economics, Health Economics, Southern Economic Journal, Education Finance and Policy, Journal Policy Analysis and Management, Journal of Risk and Insurance, Contemporary Economic Policy, Journal of Labor Research, Economics and Human Biology, Industrial Relations, Journal of Adolescent Health, Preventing Chronic Disease, and more*

Grant Reviewer: *National Institute of Health, National Science Foundation, Poverty Action Lab*

## **DEPARTMENTAL & UNIVERSITY SERVICE**

2018-Present	Director of Graduate Studies
2018-Present	University Academic Appeals Committee
2018	Big Data Search Committee Chair
2014-2018	University Research Awards Committee
2015-Present	Undergraduate Committee
2012, 2013, 2015	Search Committee
2016, 2017, 2019	Graduate Research Award Committee
2015-2016	Intercollegiate Athletics Committee
2010-2014	Departmental Seminar Committee

## **REFERENCES**

Available upon request