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Professional Experience

University of Notre Dame, Assistant Professor, 2013 - present
National Bureau of Economic Research, Faculty Research Fellow, Health Care program, 2019 - present
Wilson Sheehan Lab for Economic Opportunities, Faculty Affiliate, 2015 – present
Becker Center on Chicago Price Theory, Research Associate, University of Chicago, 2004 - 2006

Education

Ph.D. Economics, University of Chicago, 2013
M.A. Economics, University of Chicago, 2008
B.A. Economics, University of Chicago, 2004

Research Interests

Health economics, public economics, industrial organization

Publications

- “Regulating Markups in U.S. Health Insurance” with Steve Cicala and Victoria Marone, forthcoming at *American Economic Journal: Applied Economics*. Previously circulated as “Cost of Service Regulation in Health Care: Minimum Medical Loss Ratios”
- “Targeting with In-kind Transfers: Evidence from Medicaid Home Care” with Lee Lockwood, *American Economic Review*, 2019, 109(4): 1461-1485.
- “How the Reformulation of OxyContin Ignited the Heroin Epidemic” with Bill Evans and Patrick Power, *Review of Economics and Statistics*, 2019, 101(1): 1-15
- “Peer Effects in Financial Decision-Making” with Bill Skimmyhorn, *Journal of Public Economics*, 2018, 163: 37-59
- “Does Insurance Coverage Fall when Nonprofit Insurers Become For-Profits?” *Journal of Health Economics*, 2018, 57: 75-88
- “Does it Pay to Know Prices in Health Care?” *American Economic Journal: Economic Policy*, 2017, 9(1): 154-179
- “Medical Malpractice Reform, the Supply of Physicians, and Adverse Selection” *Journal of Law and Economics*, 2014, 57(2): 501-527
- “Online vs. Offline Competition” with Chad Syverson in M. Peitz and J. Waldfogel (eds.), *Oxford Handbook of the Digital Economy*, Oxford University Press, 2012
- ## Working Papers/Works in Progress
- “Drug Firms’ Payments and Physicians’ Prescribing Behavior in Medicare Part D” with Colleen Carey and Sarah Miller, revisions requested at *American Economic Journal Economic Policy*
- “Who Benefits from Health Insurance Benefit Mandates?”
- “The Origins of the Opioid Epidemic” with Abby Alpert, William N. Evans, and David Powell

Teaching Experience

University of Notre Dame:

Econometrics, undergraduate
Principles of Microeconomics, undergraduate
Industrial Organization, graduate
Micro Research Seminar, graduate

University of Chicago:

Intermediate Microeconomics I, undergraduate, Teaching Assistant
Human Capital, graduate, Teaching Assistant
Intro to Empirical Microeconomics Research, graduate, Teaching Assistant

Recent Seminar and Conference Presentations

- 2019:** International Health Economics Association Meetings, Health Economics Mini-Conference at Notre Dame (scheduled), University of Illinois-Gies Business (scheduled), Informing Policy with Empirical Evidence Conference at UCSB (scheduled)
- 2018:** ASSA Annual Meeting, BU/Harvard/MIT Health Economics, H2D2 Conference (Michigan), SDU Workshop on Applied Microeconomics, NBER/Max Planck Institute Ageing Conference, American Health Economics Conference
- 2017:** The Wharton School (University of Pennsylvania), Schaeffer Center at University of Southern California, CUNY Hunter College, Northwestern Healthcare Markets Conference, NBER Summer Institute Health Economics group, Health Economics Mini-Conference at Notre Dame, Caribbean Health Economics Symposium

Awards

ISLA Mini-conference grant, 2019
ISLA International Conference travel grant, 2016, 2018, 2019
Beryl W. Sprinkel Research Award, 2012
Henry Morgenthau, Jr. Memorial Dissertation Fellowship, 2012
NIA pre-doctoral Training Fellowship, 2010-2011
University of Chicago Fellowship, 2006-2009

Refereeing

American Economic Review, Journal of Political Economy, Quarterly Journal of Economics, American Economic Journal, Economic Policy, Review of Economics and Statistics, Journal of Health Economics, American Journal of Health Economics, Journal of Public Economics, Journal of Labor Economics, Journal of Human Resources, RAND Journal of Economics, Journal of Law and Economics, Economic Inquiry, Inquiry, Contemporary Economic Policy, Journal of Industrial Economics, Journal of Empirical Legal Studies