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**EMPLOYMENT**

University of Chicago Booth School of Business

Professor of Economics, since 2018

David G. Booth Faculty Fellow, since 2018

Associate Professor of Economics, 2017-2018

David G. Booth Faculty Fellow, 2017-2018

Assistant Professor of Economics, 2013-2017

Robert King Steel Faculty Fellow, 2013-2014

Neubauer Family Faculty Fellow, 2014-2015

Harvard University

Robert Wood Johnson Scholar in Health Policy Research, 2011-2012

**EDUCATION**

Stanford University

Ph.D. and M.A. in Economics, 2005-2011

Brown University,

Sc.B. in Applied Mathematics-Economics, honors, *summa cum laude*, 2001-2005

**AFFILIATIONS**

Becker Friedman Institute

Co-director, Health Economics Initiative, since 2018

National Bureau of Economic Research

Faculty Research Fellow, since 2012

**EDITORIAL POSITIONS**

*American Economic Journal: Applied Economics*

Co-Editor, since 2019

**PAST POSITIONS**

Office of Management and Budget

Economist, 2009-2010

McKinsey & Company

Associate, 2008

**PUBLICATIONS IN PEER-REVIEWED JOURNALS**

"Bad Credit, No Problem? Credit and Labor Market Consequences of Bad Credit Reports" (with Will Dobbie, Paul Goldsmith-Pinkham, and Jae Song), *Forthcoming, Journal of Finance*

- “How Do *Americans* Repay Their Debt? The Balance-Matching Heuristic” (with John Gathergood, Neil Stewart, and Jörg Weber), *Economics Bulletin*, 39.2 (2019)
- “How Do Individuals Repay Their Debt? The Balance-Matching Heuristic” (with John Gathergood, Neil Stewart, and Jörg Weber), *American Economic Review*, 109.3 (2019): 844-75
- “Externalities and Taxation of Supplemental Insurance: A Study of Medicare and Medigap” (with Marika Cabral), *Forthcoming: AEJ: Applied Economics*, 11.2 (2019): 37-73
- "Provider Incentives and Health Care Costs: Evidence from Long-Term Care Hospitals" (with Liran Einav and Amy Finkelstein), *Econometrica*, 86.6 (2018): 2161-2219.
- "Mandatory Medicare Bundled Payment Program for Lower Extremity Joint Replacement and Discharge to Institutional Postacute Care: Interim Analysis of the First Year of a 5-Year Randomized Trial" (with Amy Finkelstein, Yunan Ji and Jonathan Skinner), *JAMA*, 320.9 (2018): 892–900.
- "Do Larger Health Insurance Subsidies Benefit Patients or Producers? Evidence from Medicare Advantage" (with Marika Cabral and Michael Geruso), *American Economic Review*, 108.8 (2018): 2048-87.
- “Do Expiring Budgets Lead to Wasteful Year-End Spending? Evidence from Federal Procurement” (with Jeffrey B. Liebman), *American Economic Review*, 107.11 (2017): 3510-3549
- “Do Banks Pass-Through Credit Expansions to Consumers Who Want to Borrow? (with Sumit Agarwal, Souphala Chomsisengphet, and Johannes Stroebel), *Quarterly Journal of Economics*, 133.1 (2018): 129-190
- “Imperfect Competition in Selection Markets” (with E. Glen Weyl), *Review of Economics and Statistics*, 99(4) (2017): 637-651
- "Regulating Consumer Financial Products: Evidence from Credit Cards" (with Sumit Agarwal, Souphala Chomsisengphet, and Johannes Stroebel), *Quarterly Journal of Economics*, 130.1 (2015): 111-64
- “Bankruptcy as Implicit Health Insurance” (sole authored), *American Economic Review*, 105.2 (2015): 710-46
- “A Simple Framework for Estimating Consumer Benefits from Regulating Hidden Fees” (with Sumit Agarwal, Souphala Chomsisengphet, and Johannes Stroebel), *Journal of Legal Studies*, 43.S2 (2014): S239-52
- “Pricing and Welfare in Health Plan Choice” (with M. Kate Bundorf and Jonathan Levin), *American Economic Review*, 102.7 (2012): 3214-48

## **WORKING PAPERS**

- "Long-Term Care Hospitals: A Case Study in Waste" (with Liran Einav and Amy Finkelstein)

## **OTHER PUBLICATIONS**

- “What Does (Formal) Health Insurance Do, And for Whom? (with Amy Finkelstein and Matthew J. Notowidigdo), *Annual Review of Economics*, 10:1 (2018), 261-286
- "Competition Policy in Selection Markets" (with Andre Veiga and E. Glen Weyl), *CPI Antitrust Chronicle*, Sep 2014 (2)
- “Messaging and the Mandate: The Impact of Consumer Experience on Health Insurance Enrollment through Exchanges” (with Natalie Cox, Benjamin Handel, and Jonathan Kolstad), *American Economic Review Papers & Proceedings*, 105.5 (2015): 105-09

## **GRANTS, HONORS, AND AWARDS**

- 2017 J-PAL NA “The Burden of Medical Debt and the Impact of Debt Forgiveness”
- 2017 National Science Foundation Grant SES-1730466: "Empirical Studies of Financial Incentives in Publicly Provided Health Care"
- 2017 Excellence in Refereeing Award, *American Economic Review*
- 2016 Sloan Research Fellowship
- 2015 Excellence in Refereeing Award, *American Economic Review*
- 2014 Excellence in Refereeing Award, *American Economic Review*
- 2012 Eric Zitzewitz Award

- 2011 National Tax Association Outstanding Doctoral Dissertation Award, First Runner-up
- 2010-2011 Kapnick Fellowship, Stanford University
- 2009 Outstanding Teaching Assistant Award, Stanford University
- 2008-10 Ric Weiland Graduate Fellowship (University-wide Award), Stanford University
- 2008-09 Shultz Scholar, Stanford University
- 2005-07 Graduate Fellowship, Stanford University
- 2005 Samuel C. Lamport Prize for the best undergraduate thesis in economics, Brown University
- 2003 Undergraduate Research Fellowship, Brown University

### **CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS AND INVITED SEMINARS**

- 2019: AEA Meetings, University of Chicago Friedman Forum, Michigan State University, UCSD, Georgetown (economics), NYU Stern UC-Bolder, Tel Aviv University, Hebrew University, Wharton (Health Care Management)
- 2018: Chicago Booth IGM Policy Lunch, Wisconsin-Madison, Federal Reserve Board, Dartmouth, Chicago Booth (micro), London School of Economics, University of Chicago Medicine (OBGYN Grand Rounds), Chicago Booth Scholes Global Market Forum, University of Chicago Medicine (Center for Healthcare Delivery Science & Innovation), Tilburg University, Erasmus University
- 2017: AEA meetings, Brown, Harvard economics, Chicago economics, NBER Public Finance-Insurance, UT Austin, Washington University in St. Louis, BEA, Yale University (Cowles), Applied Microeconomics Workshop in Oslo, Macro/Micro Inequality Workshop in Oslo, Berkeley Haas, Luxembourg School of Finance, FDIC, Chicago Booth (behavioral), Philadelphia Federal Reserve Bank, Chicago Booth (micro)
- 2016: Junior Health Economics Summit, London School of Economics, Yale Economics, Northwestern, ITAM, Bank of Italy, Clemson, Consumer Financial Protection Bureau, IO Fest, Northwestern (Kellogg), Princeton, Carlos Alberto
- 2015: AEA meetings, NBER Insurance, NBER IO, Junior Health Economics Summit, WEIA meetings, iHEA meetings, NBER Household Finance, Philly Fed, Brown University, Advances in Price Theory conference, Financial Conduct Authority, Bank of England, University of Naples.
- 2014: AEA meetings, NBER IO, Chicago Fed, UCSB Health Economics Conference, Harvard economics, Utah Winter Business Economics Conference, Texas A&M, UVA, Michigan economics, Boston Fed economics of payments conference, Chicago Harris, UIUC, Duke, Penn State, MIT, NBER PF, UBC.
- 2013: AEA meetings, Yale economics, Berkeley economics, UIC, RWJ annual meetings, SED annual meeting, BCA for financial regulation meetings.
- 2012: AEA meetings, Harvard economics, Chicago Booth, BU-Harvard-MIT health economics seminar, EIEF, RWJ annual meetings, Maryland-World Bank applied economics conference, ASHEcon meetings, Northwestern (M&S), National Tax Association annual meetings.
- 2011: NYU Stern, Yale SOM, Harvard economics, Columbia (GSB and economics), Chicago Booth, Wharton, Wisconsin-Madison, Cornell (economics and PAM), UCSD, Naval Postgraduate School, Stanford, Brown University, MIT Sloan, National Tax Association annual meetings.
- 2010: LSE, UCL, Executive Office of the President, International Industrial Organization Conference, SITE Theory-Based Micro-Econometric Modeling.

### **DISCUSSIONS**

- 2019: Ho and Lee (AEA Meetings); Bhattacharya, Illanes, and Padi (AEA Meetings), Preger and Schmitt (UWBEC)
- 2017: Alexandrov, Bedre-Defolie, and Grodzicki (Chicago Fed), Handel Kolstad Lavetti (AEA meetings), Arglyle Nadauld Palmer (NYU), Handel Hendl and Whinston (UWBEC), Gross Noto and Wang (Kellogg)

- 2016: Handel, Kolstad, and Spinnewijn (AEA meetings)  
2015: Handel, Hendel, Kolstad, and Whiston (AEA meetings), Melzer and Schroeder (MFA)  
Decarolis, Polyakova and Ryan (WEAI meetings), Starc and Sinkinson (iHEA)  
2014: Wang and Keys (NBER BF), Stenbacka and Tombak (IIOC), Duggan (Jahnsson Foundation  
60th Anniversary Symposium), Albanesi and Nosal (NBER HF)  
2013: Handel, Hendel and Whinston (UWBEC), Clemens and Gottlieb (IO of Healthcare  
Conference), Ericson and Starc (NBER HC)  
2012: Anderson (ASHEcon), Clemens and Gottlieb (NTA), Handel (AEA Meetings)

**REFEREEING**

*American Economic Journal: Applied Economics, American Economic Journal: Economic Policy, American Economic Review, Econometrica, Quarterly Journal of Economics, Journal of Health Economics, Journal of Political Economy, Journal of Public Economics, Review of Economics and Statistics, Review of Economic Studies*