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Education

Ph.D., Economics, Indiana University, Bloomington, Indiana, 1993
M.A., Economics, Indiana University, Bloomington, Indiana, 1990
B.S., Economics, Purdue University, West Lafayette, Indiana, 1988
B.A., Sociology, Purdue University, West Lafayette, Indiana, 1988

Employment

Professor and Carol Martin Gatton Endowed Chair in Microeconomics, Department of Economics, University of Kentucky, Lexington, KY, 2002–present

Visiting Scholar, Russell Sage Foundation, New York, New York, September 2015 – January 2016

Visiting Professor, Department of Economics, University College London, February 2016 – June 2016 and January 2009 – June 2009

Visiting Fellow, Brookings Institution, August 2008 – December 2008

Associate Professor, Department of Economics, University of Oregon, Eugene, OR, 1999–2002

Visiting Associate Professor, Department of Economics and Institute for Research on Poverty, University of Wisconsin, Madison, WI, 2000–2001

Visiting Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI, 1997–1998

Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, University of Oregon, Eugene, OR, 1993–1999

Professional Appointments

Founding Director, University of Kentucky Center for Poverty Research, 2002–present

Founding Executive Director, Kentucky Federal Statistical Research Data Center, 2016-present

Co-Editor, *Fiscal Studies*, 2016-present

Research Fellow, Institute for Fiscal Studies, 2016-present

Guest Co-Editor, *The ANNALS*, Special Issue on “The New Rural-Urban Interface, with Daniel Lichter, July 2017

Faculty Affiliate, University of Kentucky Center for Health Equity Transformation, 2018-present

Co-Editor, *Economic Inquiry*, 2012–2015

Co-Editor, *Foundations and Trends in Microeconomics*, 2011–2015

Associate Editor, *Journal of Labor Economics*, 2009–2016

Chair, Board of Overseers, Panel Study of Income Dynamics, 2013–2015; Member 2011-13

Chair, Steering Committee on Research Gaps and Opportunities on the Causes and Consequences of Child Hunger: A Workshop, The National Academies, 2013

Member, Panel to Review and Evaluate the 2014 Survey of Income and Program Participation Content and Design, Committee on National Statistics, The National Academies, 2014-2017

Member, Committee on Examination of the Adequacy of Food Resources and SNAP Allotments, Institute of Medicine, The National Academies, 2012

Special Sworn Status, U.S. Census Bureau, 2012-present

Senior Research Affiliate, National Poverty Center, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI, 2003–present

Research Affiliate, Institute for Research on Poverty, University of Wisconsin, Madison, WI, 2000–present; Research Associate 1999-2000

Visiting Scholar, Andrew Young School of Public Policy, Georgia State University, March 2008

Visiting Scholar, Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland, Summer 2006

Guest Co-Editor, *Journal of Labor Economics*, Special Issue on “Program Evaluation, Human Capital, and Labor Market Public Policy: A Research Conference in Honor of Mark C. Berger,” Volume 24, Issue 3, July 2006

Guest Co-Editor, *Journal of Human Resources*, Supplemental Issue on “Income Volatility and Implications for Food Assistance Programs,” Volume 38, 2003

Research Affiliate, Joint Center for Poverty Research, University of Chicago, Chicago, IL and Northwestern University, Evanston, IL, 1999–2002

Grants and Honors

Principal Investigator, Russell Sage Foundation, “Block Grants and the Welfare State,” with Robert A. Moffitt (Co-PI), 2018, \$34,999

Principal Investigator, Institute for Research on Poverty, University of Wisconsin, “Collaborative of U.S. Poverty Centers,” 2016-2021, \$443,202. Underwritten by the Office of the Assistant Secretary for Planning and Evaluation, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services.

Principal Investigator, Economic Research Service and Food and Nutrition Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture, “Funding Research on Food Security Using the Panel Study of Income Dynamics,” 2016-2019, \$300,000

Principal Investigator, National Science Foundation, “Kentucky Federal Statistical Research Data Center,” 2016-2019, \$299,999

Principal Investigator, Smith Richardson Foundation, Grant to support UKCPR-Brookings Conference *The 20th Anniversary of Welfare Reform: Lessons and Takeaways*, 2016, \$25,000

Principal Investigator, Laura and John Arnold Foundation, Grant to support UKCPR-Brookings Conference *The 20th Anniversary of Welfare Reform: Lessons and Takeaways*, 2016, \$10,000

Visiting Professorship, The Leverhulme Trust, University College London, February 2016 – June 2016

Principal Investigator, Economic Research Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture, “Understanding SNAP and Food Security Among Low-Income Households,” 2015-2018, \$400,000

Principal Investigator, Economic Research Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture, “Understanding SNAP and Food Security Among Low-Income Households,” 2014-2017, \$1,000,000

Principal Investigator, Economic Research Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture, “Understanding SNAP and Food Security Among Low-Income Households,” 2013-2016, \$400,000

Principal Investigator, Economic Research Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture, “Understanding Geographic Factors in Food Consumption Decisions,” Subcontract with University of Illinois, 2013-2016, \$300,000

Principal Investigator, Economic Research Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture, “The New Safety Net: Why SNAP Matters,” 2013-2015, \$50,000.

Principal Investigator, Ford Foundation, Grant to support UKCPR-IRP Conference *Five Decades of Food Stamps*, 2013, \$10,000

Principal Investigator, Annie E. Casey Foundation, Grant to support UKCPR-IRP Conference *Five Decades of Food Stamps*, 2013, \$20,000

Principal Investigator, Food and Nutrition Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture, “Research Program on Childhood Hunger,” with Craig Gundersen, 2010–2015, \$6,499,983

Principal Investigator, Office of the Assistant Secretary for Planning and Evaluation, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Renewal of “University of Kentucky Center for Poverty Research,” 2010–2011, \$600,000

Co-Principal Investigator, The Merck Foundation, Grant to the Center for Poverty Research for “Grandparents, Grandchildren, and Hunger in the U.S.: Assessing Food Insecurity in Multigenerational Households,” with Craig Gundersen, 2010-2012, \$155,824

Co-Principal Investigator, Meals on Wheels Association of America Foundation, Grant to the Center for Poverty Research for “Update on Senior Hunger in America,” with Craig Gundersen, 2008-2009, \$107,804

Principal Investigator, Office of the Assistant Secretary for Planning and Evaluation, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Renewal of “University of Kentucky Center for Poverty Research,” 2008–2010, \$986,016

Principal Investigator, Cabinet for Health and Family Services, Commonwealth of Kentucky, “Child Care Subsidies and the Economic Well-Being of Recipient Families: A Survey and Implications for Kentucky,” 2008, \$21,600

Robertson Faculty Research Leadership Award, Gatton College of Business and Economics, University of Kentucky, 2008

Co-Principal Investigator, Meals on Wheels Association of America Foundation, Grant to the Center for Poverty Research for “The Causes, Consequences, and Future of Senior Hunger in America,” with Craig Gundersen, 2007-2008, \$202,375

Principal Investigator, Office of the Assistant Secretary for Planning and Evaluation, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Supplemental Grant to the Center for Poverty Research for the “HBCU, 1890, and Tribal Colleges and Universities Medicare Part D Grant Program,” 2007, \$150,000

Co-Principal Investigator, Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland, Grant to the Center for Poverty Research for “Understanding Earnings Inequality in Appalachia: Skill Upgrading versus Rising Returns to Skill,” with Christopher Bollinger and Kenneth Troske, 2006-2007, \$79,610

Principal Investigator, Office of the Assistant Secretary for Planning and Evaluation, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Supplemental Grant to the Center for Poverty Research for the “HBCU, 1890, and Tribal Colleges and Universities Medicare Part D Grant Program,” 2006, \$150,000

Principal Investigator, Office of the Assistant Secretary for Planning and Evaluation, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Renewal of “University of Kentucky Center for Poverty Research,” 2005–2008, \$1.75 million

Principal Investigator, Economic Research Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture, “Effective Tax Rates and Guarantees and Food Stamp Program Participation,” 2005–2007, \$156,108

Principal Investigator, Office of the Assistant Secretary for Planning and Evaluation, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, “University of Kentucky Center for Poverty Research,” 2002–2005, \$1.17 million

Principal Investigator, Office of the Assistant Secretary for Planning and Evaluation, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Supplemental Grant to the Center for Poverty Research for the “HBCU, 1890, and Tribal Colleges and Universities Small Grant Program,” 2004, \$100,000

Conference Grant, W.E. Upjohn Institute for Employment Research, “Mark C. Berger Memorial Research Conference,” to Center for Poverty Research, October 2004, \$10,000

Honorable Order of Kentucky Colonels, 2003–present

Conference Grant, Economic Research Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture, Co-organizer of a conference “Income Volatility and Implications for Food Assistance Programs,” through the Institute for Research on Poverty, University of Wisconsin–Madison, May 2002, \$129,000

Member, Expert Panel on Measuring the Extent of Food Stamp Trafficking Using EBT Data, Convened by ORC/Macro International, Inc. and the Economic Research Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture, February 2002

Principal Investigator, Economic Research Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture, “The Evolution of the Food Stamp Program in Consumption Stabilization,” with Craig Gundersen, 2001–2002, \$39,393

Co-Principal Investigator, Office of the Assistant Secretary for Planning and Evaluation, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, “TANF and Household Saving,” with Erik Hurst, 2000–2001, \$92,555

Consultant, Wisconsin Works Child Support Demonstration Evaluation, Principal Investigators: Daniel Meyer and Maria Cancian, 2000, \$24,000

Principal Investigator, Cooperative Research Grant, Economic Research Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture, “Poverty and Macroeconomic Performance Across Space, Race, and Family Structure,” with Craig Gundersen, 2000–2001, \$15,000

Lasker Charitable Trust, “Estimating the Value of Health Improvements in Oregon and Washington,” with Rajiv Sharma and Robert Rosenman

Co-Principal Investigator, Economic Research Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture, “The Impact of Welfare Reform and the Macroeconomy on Food Stamp Caseloads and Expenditures,” with David Figlio, 1999–2000, \$75,000

Summer Research Grant, Office of Research and Sponsored Programs, University of Oregon, 1996

Junior Professorship Development Grant, College of Arts and Sciences, University of Oregon, 1995–1999

Honorable Mention, Outstanding Dissertation Prize, National Tax Association, 1993

Henry Oliver Memorial Prize, Best Student in Economic Theory, Indiana University, 1992

Peer-Reviewed Publications

Bollinger, Christopher R., Barry Hirsch, Charles Hokayem, and James P. Ziliak. 2018. “Trouble in the Tails? What We Know About Earnings Nonresponse Thirty Years After Lillard, Smith, and Welch,” *Journal of Political Economy*, Forthcoming.

Blundell, Richard, Robert Joyce, Agnes Norris Keiller, and James P. Ziliak. 2018. “Income Inequality and the Labour Market in Britain and the US,” *Journal of Public Economics*, <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jpubeco.2018.04.001>.

Hardy, Bradley, Timothy Smeeding, and James P. Ziliak. 2018. “The Changing Safety Net for Low Income Parents and Their Children: Structural or Cyclical Changes in Income Support Policy?” *Demography* 55(1): 189-221. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s13524-017-0642-7>.

Gundersen, Craig, and James P. Ziliak. 2018. "Food Insecurity Research in the United States: Where We Have Been and Where We Need to Go," *Applied Economic Perspectives and Policy* 40(1): 119-135, <https://doi.org/10.1093/aep/px058>.

Burns, Sarah K., and James P. Ziliak. 2017. "Identifying the Elasticity of Taxable Income." *The Economic Journal*, 127(600): 297-329, <https://doi.org/10.1111/eoj.12299>.

Ziliak, James P. 2016. "Temporary Assistance for Needy Families," In *Economics of Means-Tested Transfer Programs in the United States, Volume 1*, Robert A. Moffitt (ed.), National Bureau of Economic Research and University of Chicago Press, 303-393.

Ziliak, James P., and Craig Gundersen. 2016. "Multigenerational Families and Food Insecurity," *Southern Economic Journal* 82(4): 1147-1166.

Hokayem, Charles, Christopher R. Bollinger, and James P. Ziliak. 2015. "The Role of CPS Nonresponse in the Measurement of Poverty." *Journal of the American Statistical Association* 110(511): 935-945.

Gundersen, Craig, and James P. Ziliak. 2015. "Food Insecurity and Health Outcomes." *Health Affairs* 34(11): 1830-1839.

Bartfeld, Judith, Craig Gundersen, Timothy Smeeding, and James P. Ziliak. Editors. 2015 *SNAP Matters: How Food Stamps Affect Health and Well Being*. Redwood City, CA: Stanford University Press.

Ziliak, James P. 2015. "Why Are So Many Americans on Food Stamps? The Role of the Economy, Policy, and Demographics." In *SNAP Matters: How Food Stamps Affect Health and Well Being*. J. Bartfeld, C. Gundersen, T. Smeeding, and J. Ziliak, (eds.), Redwood City, CA: Stanford University Press, 18-48.

Ziliak, James P. 2015. "Income, Program Participation, Poverty, and Financial Vulnerability: Research and Data Needs," *Journal of Economic and Social Measurement* 40(1-4): 27-68.

Islam, Tonmoy, Jenny Minier, and James P. Ziliak. 2015. "On Persistent Poverty in a Rich Country." *Southern Economic Journal* 81(3): 653-678.

Ziliak, James P. 2015. "Recent Developments in Antipoverty Policies in the United States." In *Social Policies in an Age of Austerity*, J.K. Scholz, H. Moon, and S. Lee (editors), Cheltenham, UK: Edward Elgar Publishing, 235-262.

Hokayem, Charles, and James P. Ziliak. 2014. "Health, Human Capital, and Life Cycle Labor Supply." *American Economic Review: Papers & Proceedings 2014*, 104(5): 127-131.

Hardy, Bradley, and James P. Ziliak. 2014. "Decomposing Trends in Income Volatility: The 'Wild Ride' at the Top and Bottom." *Economic Inquiry* 52(1): 459-476.

Kniesner, Thomas J., and James P. Ziliak. 2014. "Panel Econometrics of Labor Market Outcomes," In *The Oxford Handbook of Panel Econometrics*, Badi Baltagi (ed.), Oxford, UK: Oxford University Press, 585-609.

Kniesner, Thomas K., W. Kip Viscusi, and James P. Ziliak. 2014. "Willingness to Accept Equals Willingness to Pay for Labor Market Estimates of the Value of Statistical Life," *Journal of Risk and Uncertainty* 48(3): 187-205.

Kniesner, Thomas J., W. Kip Viscusi, Christopher Woock, and James P. Ziliak. 2012. "The Value of a Statistical Life: Evidence from Panel Data." *The Review of Economics and Statistics* 94(1): 74-87.

Ziliak, James P. 2012. *Appalachian Legacy: Economic Opportunity after the War on Poverty*. Editor, Washington, DC: Brookings Institution Press.

Ziliak, James P. 2012. "The Appalachian Regional Development Act and Economic Change." In *Appalachian Legacy: Economic Opportunity after the War on Poverty*, James P. Ziliak (ed.), Washington, DC: Brookings Institution Press.

Ziliak, James P., Bradley Hardy, and Christopher Bollinger. 2011. "Earnings Volatility in America: Evidence from Matched CPS." *Labour Economics* 18(6): 742-754.

Bollinger, Christopher, James P. Ziliak, and Kenneth R. Troske. 2011. "Down from the Mountain: Skill Upgrading and Wages in Appalachia." *Journal of Labor Economics* 29(4): 819-857.

Ziliak, James P. 2011. "Some Reflections on Teaching the Economics of Poverty." In *International Handbook on Teaching and Learning Economics*, KimMarie McGoldrick and Gail Hoyt (eds.), Chapter 62, Cheltenham, UK: Edward Elgar Publishing.

Kniesner, Thomas J., W. Kip Viscusi, and James P. Ziliak. 2010. "Policy Relevant Heterogeneity in the Value of a Statistical Life: Evidence from Panel Quantile Regressions," *Journal of Risk and Uncertainty* 40(1): 15-31.

Ziliak, James P. 2009. *Welfare Reform and its Long-Term Consequences for America's Poor*, Editor, Cambridge, UK: Cambridge University Press.

Bollinger, Christopher, Luis Gonzalez, and James P. Ziliak. 2009. "Welfare Reform and the Level and Composition of Income." In *Welfare Reform and its Long-Term Consequences for America's Poor*, James P. Ziliak, ed, Cambridge, UK: Cambridge University Press, 59-103.

Ziliak, James P. 2008. "Filling the Poverty Gap, Then and Now." In *Frontiers of Family Economics* Vol. 1, Peter Rupert, ed., Emerald Publishing Group, 39-114.

Jolliffe, Dean, and James P. Ziliak. 2008. *Income Volatility and Food Assistance in the United States*, Co-Editors, Kalamazoo, MI: W.E. Upjohn Institute.

Gundersen, Craig, and James P. Ziliak. 2008. "The Age Gradient in Food Stamp Program Participation: Does Income Volatility Matter?" In *Income Volatility and Food Assistance in the United States*, Dean Jolliffe and James P. Ziliak, eds., Kalamazoo, MI: W.E. Upjohn Institute.

Heflin, Colleen, and James P. Ziliak. 2008. "Food Insufficiency, Food Stamp Participation, and Mental Health." *Social Science Quarterly* 89(3): 706-727.

Kniesner, Thomas J. and James P. Ziliak. 2008. "Evidence of Tax Induced Individual Behavioral Responses." *Fundamental Tax Reform: Issue, Choices, and Implications*, John W. Diamond and George R. Zodrow, eds., Cambridge MA: MIT Press, pp. 375-411.

Ziliak, James P. 2007. "Making Work Pay: Changes in Effective Tax Rates and Guarantees in U.S. Transfer Programs, 1983-2002," *Journal of Human Resources*, 42(3): 619-642.

- Johnson, William R., and James P. Ziliak. 2006. "Introduction," *Journal of Labor Economics*, 24(3): 379–384.
- Hurst, Erik, and James P. Ziliak. 2006. "Do Welfare Asset Limits Affect Household Saving? Evidence from Welfare Reform," *Journal of Human Resources*, 41(1): 46–71.
- Ziliak, James P. 2006. "Understanding Poverty Rates and Gaps: Concepts, Trends, and Challenges," *Foundations and Trends in Microeconomics*, 1(3): 127–199.
- Kniesner, Thomas J., W. Kip Viscusi, and James P. Ziliak. 2006. "Life-Cycle Consumption and the Age-Adjusted Value of Life," *Contributions to Economic Analysis & Policy*, 5(1): Article 4.
- Ziliak, James P., and Thomas J. Kniesner. 2005. "The Effect of Income Taxation on Consumption and Labor Supply," *Journal of Labor Economics*, 23(4): 769–796. Reprinted in *Recent Developments in Labor Economics*, John T. Addison (ed.), UK: Edward Elgar Publishing Ltd, Forthcoming.
- Gundersen, Craig, and James P. Ziliak. 2004. "Poverty and Macroeconomic Performance Across Space, Race, and Family Structure," *Demography* 41(1): 61–86.
- Scholz, John Karl, and James P. Ziliak. 2003. "Introduction to the Special Issue on Income Volatility and Implications for Food Assistance Programs," *Journal of Human Resources* 38(Supplement): 1029–1031.
- Gundersen, Craig, and James P. Ziliak. 2003. "The Role of Food Stamps in Consumption Stabilization," *Journal of Human Resources* 38(Supplement): 1051–1079.
- Ziliak, James P. 2003. "Income Transfers and Assets of the Poor," *Review of Economics and Statistics* 85(1): 63–76.
- Ziliak, James P., Craig Gundersen, and David Figlio. 2003. "Food Stamp Caseloads Over the Business Cycle," *Southern Economic Journal* 69(4): 903–919. Honorable mention for 17th Annual Georgescu-Roegen Prize for Best Paper in the *Southern Economic Journal*.
- Kniesner, Thomas J., and James P. Ziliak. 2002. "Tax Reform and Automatic Stabilization," *The American Economic Review* 92(3): 590–612.
- Kniesner, Thomas J., and James P. Ziliak. 2002. "Explicit Versus Implicit Income Insurance," *Journal of Risk and Uncertainty* 25(1): 5–20.
- Kahn, Charles, Emilson Silva, and James P. Ziliak. 2001. "Performance-Based Wages in Tax Collection: The Brazilian Tax Reform and its Effects," *The Economic Journal* 111(468): 188–205.
- McDowell, John, Larry D. Singell, Jr., and James P. Ziliak. 2001. "Gender and Promotion in the Economics Profession," *Industrial and Labor Relations Review* 54(2): 224–244.
- Ziliak, James P., David Figlio, Elizabeth Davis, and Laura Connolly. 2000. "Accounting for the Decline in AFDC Caseloads: Welfare Reform or the Economy?," *Journal of Human Resources* 35(3): 570–586.
- Figlio, David, Craig Gundersen, and James P. Ziliak. 2000. "The Effects of the Macroeconomy and Welfare Reform on Food Stamp Caseloads," *American Journal of Agricultural Economics*, 82(3): 635–641.

Ziliak, James P., and Thomas J. Kniesner. 1999. "Estimating Life-Cycle Labor Supply Tax Effects," *Journal of Political Economy* 107(2): 326–359.

McDowell, John, Larry D. Singell, Jr., and James P. Ziliak. 1999. "Cracks in the Glass Ceiling: Gender and Promotion in the Economics Profession," *American Economic Review Papers and Proceedings* 89(2): 392–396.

Ziliak, James P., Beth Wilson, and Joe Stone. 1999. "Spatial Dynamics and Heterogeneity in the Cyclicity of Real Wages," *Review of Economics and Statistics* 81(2): 227–236.

Figlio, David, and James P. Ziliak. 1999. "Welfare Reform, the Business Cycle, and the Decline in AFDC Caseloads," In *Economic Conditions and Welfare Reform*, ed. Sheldon Danziger, Kalamazoo, MI: Upjohn Institute For Employment Research, 17–48.

Ziliak, James P. 1999. "Taxes and Labor Supply," In *Encyclopedia of Taxation and Tax Policy*, eds. Joseph Cordes, Robert Ebel, and Jane Gravelle, Washington D.C.: Urban Institute Press.

Ziliak, James P. 1998. "Does the Choice of Consumption Measure Matter? An application to the permanent-income hypothesis," *Journal of Monetary Economics* 41(1): 201–216.

Ziliak, James P., and Thomas J. Kniesner. 1998. "The Importance of Sample Attrition in Life-Cycle Labor Supply Estimation," *Journal of Human Resources* 33(2): 507–530.

Kniesner, Thomas J., and James P. Ziliak. 1998. *The Effects of Recent Tax Reforms on Labor Supply*, Washington, D.C.: American Enterprise Institute.

Ziliak, James P. 1997. "Efficient Estimation with Panel Data when Instruments are Predetermined: An Empirical Comparison of Moment-Condition Estimators," *Journal of Business and Economic Statistics* 15(4): 419–431. Reprinted in *Recent Developments in the Econometrics of Panel Data*, Volume 1, Badi Baltagi (ed.), UK: Edward Elgar Publishing Ltd, 2002

Ziliak, James P. 1993. "Three Essays on the Effect of Taxes and Tax Reform on Life-Cycle Labor Supply," *National Tax Association: Papers and Proceedings*, 122–128.

McCarthy, Patrick S., and James P. Ziliak. 1990. "The Effect of MADD on Drinking-Driving Activities: an empirical study," *Applied Economics* 22(9): 1215–1228.

Marshall, Harvey, C. Michael Schwartz, and James P. Ziliak. 1988. "Agricultural Export Specialization and Economic Growth," *Sociological Focus* 21(2): 113–126.

Comments, Policy Papers, Reviews, and Technical Reports

Blagg, Kristin, Craig Gundersen, Diane Whitmore Schanzenbach, and James P. Ziliak. 2017. "Assessing Food Insecurity on Campus: A National Look at Food Insecurity among America's College Students," The Urban Institute, URL: <https://www.urban.org/research/publication/assessing-food-insecurity-campus>

Ziliak, James P. 2017. "SNAP Works," *The Huffington Post*, July 12.

Lichter, Daniel T., and James P. Ziliak. 2017. "The Rural-Urban Interface: New Patterns of Spatial Interdependence and Inequality in America." Introduction to special issue of *The ANNALS*.

- Ziliak, James P. 2016. "Modernizing SNAP Benefits." Presented at *Strengthening the Safety Net to Mitigate the Effect of Future Recessions*, The Hamilton Project: Brookings Institution, 1-28.
- Ziliak, James P. 2015. "Investing in America's Working Families with Affordable Child Care," The Hamilton Project, Brookings Institution, Blog post, February 2.
- Gundersen, Craig, and James P. Ziliak. 2014. "Childhood Food Insecurity in the U.S.: Trends, Causes, and Policy Options." *The Future of Children*, Princeton, NJ: Princeton-Brookings.
- Ziliak, James P. 2014. "Supporting Low-Income Workers Through Refundable Child-Care Credits." In *Policies to Address Poverty in America*, Melissa Kearney and Benjamin Harris (eds.), The Hamilton Project: Brookings Institution, 109-118.
- Ziliak, James P. 2012. "Ky. Voices: Poverty growing in state; tax reform a way to change trend," *Lexington Herald-Leader*, January 29, 2012.
- Ziliak, James P. 2011. Review of *Britain's War on Poverty*, by Jane Waldfogel, New York: Russell Sage Foundation, *Journal of Economic Literature* 49(2): 453-455.
- Ziliak, James P. 2011. "Tax Reform is Back on the Table: Will it Help Low-Income Families?" *Spotlight on Poverty and Opportunity*.
- Ziliak, James P., Craig Gundersen. 2011. "Food Insecurity Among Older Adults." Technical Report Submitted to the AARP Foundation.
- Ziliak, James P., and Craig Gundersen. 2009. "Senior Hunger in the United States: Differences across States and Rural and Urban Areas." Technical Report to the Meals On Wheels Association of America.
- Ziliak, James P., and Craig Gundersen. 2009. "The Health Consequences of Senior Hunger in the United States." Technical Report submitted to the Meals on Wheels Association of America.
- Ziliak, James P., Craig Gundersen, and Margaret P. Haist. 2008. "The Causes, Consequences, and Future of Senior Hunger in America," Technical Report submitted to the Meals on Wheels Association of America Foundation.
- Ziliak, James P., Charles Hokayem, and Bradley Hardy. 2008. "Child Care Subsidies and the Economic Well-Being of Recipient Families: A Survey and Implications for Kentucky," Technical Report to Kentucky Youth Advocates and the Kentucky Cabinet for Health and Family Services.
- Bollinger, Christopher, James P. Ziliak, and Kenneth R. Troske. 2007. "Understanding Earnings Inequality in Appalachia: Skill Upgrading versus Rising Returns to Skill," Technical Report to the Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland.
- Meade, Erica, and James P. Ziliak. 2007. "A State Earned Income Tax Credit: Issues and Options for Kentucky." University of Kentucky Center for Poverty Research, Occasional Policy Brief #2.
- Ziliak, James P. 2007. "Human Capital and the Challenge of Persistent Poverty in Appalachia." *Economic Commentary*, Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland.
- Ziliak, James P. 2007. "Poverty and the Promise of Pre-K Programs," *Business Lexington*, April 6, 2007.

Ziliak, James P. 2006. "Rhetoric and Reality of the Minimum Wage: Implications for Kentucky," University of Kentucky Center for Poverty Research, Occasional Policy Brief #1.

Cseh, Attila, Kenneth Troske, and James P. Ziliak. 2006. "Poverty Trends in Kentucky: A Return to Normal?" *Kentucky Annual Economic Report 2006*. CBER, University of Kentucky.

Ziliak, James P. 2005. "Comment: American Agricultural Economics Association Session on Food Assistance Programs and Food Security," *Review of Agricultural Economics*.

Ziliak, James P. 2004. "Filling the Poverty Gap: Is the South Catching Up, or Are Other Regions Falling Behind?," *Insights on Southern Poverty* 2(2): 8–11, Center for Poverty Research, University of Kentucky.

Ziliak, James P. 2003. "A Research Agenda on Poverty in the South," *Insights on Southern Poverty* 1(1): 1–7, Center for Poverty Research, University of Kentucky.

Ziliak, James P. 2002. "TANF Impact Evaluation Strategies in Nine States," *Focus* 22(2): 41–47, Summer 2002 Institute for Research on Poverty, University of Wisconsin-Madison. With panel discussion by Robert Haveman, Bruce Meyer, Joe Hotz, Jeff Smith, Michael Wiseman, Jonah Gelbach, Don Oellerich, Karl Koerper, Lawrence Mead, and Rachel Hickson, 48–54.

Gundersen, Craig, and James P. Ziliak. 2002. "The Role of Food Stamps in Stabilizing Income and Consumption," *Focus* 22(2): 62–63, Summer 2002 Institute for Research on Poverty, University of Wisconsin-Madison.

Ziliak, James P. 2002. "Paving the Road to Self Sufficiency: Reforming Asset Limits in Means-Tested Transfer Programs," *Poverty Research News* 6(1), Joint Center for Poverty Research, University of Chicago and Northwestern University.

Ziliak, James P. 2002. "Social Policy and the Macroeconomy: What Drives Welfare Caseloads?," *Focus* 22(1): 29–34, Special Issue on *Reauthorizing TANF 2002*, Institute for Research on Poverty, University of Wisconsin-Madison. Reprinted in *Social Policy and Society*, 2(2): 133–142, April 2003.

Hurst, Erik, and James P. Ziliak. 2001. "Welfare Reform and Household Saving," with Erik Hurst, in Joint Center for Poverty Research, Policy Brief 3(11).

Ziliak, James P., and Margaret Krecker. 2001. "Nonresponse in the Survey of Wisconsin Works Families," *W-2 Child Support Demonstration Evaluation Final Report*, Institute for Research on Poverty, University of Wisconsin-Madison.

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Jones, Margaret, and James P. Ziliak. 2017. “The Anti-Poverty Impact of the EITC: Comparing Simulated EITC Benefits in the CPS ASEC and NBER TAXSIM to Administrative Tax Records.” In Progress

Moffitt, Robert, and James P. Ziliak. 2017. “Block Grants and the Welfare State,” In Progress.

Bollinger, Christopher, Charles Hokayem, and James P. Ziliak. 2018. “Trends in Earnings Volatility using Linked Administrative and Survey Data,” In Progress.

Conference Presentations and Participation

Society of Labor Economists Twenty-Third Annual Meeting, May 3-5, 2018, Toronto, Canada (presenter)

American Economic Association Annual Meeting, January 5–7, 2018, Philadelphia, PA (discussant)

Association of Public Policy and Management, November 2–4, 2017, Washington, DC

(panelist/discussant)

Low Wages, Labour Market Policy, and the Safety Net, October 26-28, 2017, London School of Economics, London, England (co-organizer and presenter)

Rural Poverty in America, October 19, 2017, American Enterprise Institute, Washington, DC (plenary speaker)

Deep Poverty in the United States, June 27-28, 2017, Office of the Assistant Secretary for Planning and Evaluation, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Washington, DC (co-organizer and moderator)

XIII Summer School in Public Economics, June 26, 2017, Georgia State University, Atlanta, GA (speaker)

2017 Policy Summit on Housing, Human Capital, and Inequality, June 22, 2017, Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland, Cleveland, OH (presenter)

The Welfare State and the Labour Market Micro meets Macro, March 23-25, 2017, Institute for Fiscal Studies, London, England (discussant)

American Economic Association Annual Meeting, January 6–8, 2017, Chicago, IL (presenter)

Advancing Food Insecurity Research in Canada, November 17-18, 2016, University of Toronto, Toronto, Canada (plenary speaker)

Association of Public Policy and Management, November 3–5, 2016, Washington, DC

(presenter/discussant)

Economic Self-Sufficiency Policy Research Institute, Workshop, October 27-28, 2016, University of California at Irvine (speaker)

The New Rural-Urban Interface, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, September 29-30, 2016 (co-organizer)

The 20th Anniversary of Welfare Reform: Lessons and Takeaways, Brookings Institution, Washington, D.C., September 22, 2016 (co-organizer and moderator)

Macro and Micro Perspectives on Taxes and Transfers, Barcelona GSE Summer Forum, Barcelona, Spain, June 9-10, 2016 (presenter)

Strengthening the Safety Net to Mitigate the Effect of Future Recessions, The Hamilton Project, Brookings Institution, Washington, DC, May 23, 2016 (presenter)

Understanding Household Finance Through Better Measurement, ISER, University of Essex, March 7, 2016 (presenter)

Reflecting on 20 Years of Measuring Household Food Security, Economic Research Service, USDA, October 21, 2015, Washington, DC (presenter)

Symposium on Promoting Child Health, Children’s of Alabama, Birmingham, AL, July 9, 2015 (plenary speaker)

Fourth SOLE/EALE World Conference/Twentieth Annual Meeting of the Society of Labor Economists, June 26–28, 2015, Montreal, Quebec (Member of program committee/co-author)

Expert Meeting on Income, Poverty, and Health Insurance, U.S. Census Bureau, March 20, 2015, Suitland, MD (panelist)

Author's Conference on *Means-Tested Transfer Programs in the United States*, National Bureau of Economic Research, December 5-6, 2014, Boston, MA (presenter)

Aspen Institute Dialogue on U.S. Food Insecurity & Healthcare Costs, Aspen, CO, November 19-21, 2014 (panelist)

Association of Public Policy and Management, November 6–8, 2014, Albuquerque, NM (program committee/chair/discussant)

International Association of Applied Econometrics 2014 Annual Conference, Queen Mary University, June 26-28, 2014, London, UK (presenter)

Addressing America's Poverty Crisis, Brookings Institution, The Hamilton Project, June 19-20, 2014, Washington, DC (presenter)

Assessing the Need for a New Nationally Representative Household Panel Survey in the United States, a Conference sponsored by the National Science Foundation, June 5-6, 2014, Washington, DC (presenter)

American Economic Association Annual Meeting, January 3–5, 2014, Philadelphia, PA (presenter/discussant)

Supporting America's Lower-Middle-Class Families, Brookings Institution, The Hamilton Project, December 4, 2013, Washington, DC (panelist)

Rural Poverty Research Symposium, Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta, December 2-3, 2013, Atlanta, GA (presenter)

Association of Public Policy and Management, November 7–9, 2013, Washington, DC (presenter/chair/discussant)

Five Decades of Food Stamps, Co-Sponsored by UKCPR and IRP, September 20, 2013, Brookings Institution, Washington, DC (organizer/presenter)

Eighteenth Annual Meeting of the Society of Labor Economists, May 3-4, 2013, Boston, MA (co-author/participant)

New Directions in Consumption Research with the PSID, March 18, 2013, Ann Arbor, MI (presenter)

American Economic Association Annual Meeting, January 4–6, 2013, San Diego, CA (discussant)

Association of Public Policy and Management, November 8–10, 2012, Baltimore, MD (chair/discussant)

Labour Markets and the Welfare State, University College London, June 19-20, 2012, London, England (discussant)

IZA Workshop on Recent Advances in Labor Supply Modeling, May 18-19, 2012, Dublin, Ireland (presenter)

Population Association of America, 2012 Annual Meeting, May 3-5, 2012, San Francisco, CA (presenter)

National Tax Association, 2011 Annual Conference on Taxation, November 17-19, 2011, New Orleans, LA (co-author/participant)

Association of Public Policy and Management, November 3–5, 2011, Washington, DC (presenter)

International Poverty Solutions Collaborative Methodology Conference, October 20, 2011, Ohio State University, Columbus, OH (panelist)

Nutrition and Healthy Aging in the Community: A Workshop, Institute of Medicine, National Academies of Science, October 5-6, 2011, Washington, DC (presenter)

Workshop on Developing a Measure of Medical Care Economic Risk, Committee on National Statistics and Institute of Medicine, National Academies of Science, September 8, 2011, Washington, DC (discussant and panelist)

2011 Korean Development Institute /East-West Center Conference, August 18-19, 2011, Honolulu, Hawaii (presenter)

Institute for Research on Poverty Summer Workshop, University of Wisconsin, Madison, June 20–23, 2011 (presenter)

Bank of Portugal Conference on Wages, Job Turnover, and Education, June 4-5, 2011, Porto, Portugal (presenter)

University of Kentucky Center for Poverty Research Conference on *Cost of Living and the Supplemental Poverty Measure*, April 28, 2011, Brookings Institution, Washington, DC. Co-Sponsored with Brookings Institution and U.S. Census Bureau (Conference organizer)

Population Association of America, 2011 Annual Meeting, March 31–April 2, 2011, Washington, DC (presenter)

American Economic Association Annual Meeting, January 7–9, 2011, Denver, CO (session chair)

Association of Public Policy and Management, November 4–6, 2010, Boston, MA (discussant, presenter, and session organizer)

10th World Congress of the Econometric Society, August 17–21, 2010, Shanghai, China (presenter)

Fifteenth Annual Meeting of the Society of Labor Economists, June 17–19, 2010, London, England (presenter and member of scientific committee)

Institute for Research on Poverty Summer Workshop, University of Wisconsin, Madison, June 7–10, 2010 (presenter)

University of Kentucky Martin School of Public Policy and State Treasurer of Kentucky Symposium on *An Economic Perspective on Kentucky's Tax Structure*, January 13, 2010, Frankfort, Ky. (presenter)

Association of Public Policy and Management, November 5–7, 2009, Washington, DC (discussant)

Brookings/Census Bureau Conference on Improved Poverty Measurement, October 20, 2009, Washington, DC (panelist)

2009 Annual Meals On Wheels Association of America Conference, September 2-4, 2009, San Diego, CA (plenary speaker)

National Association for Welfare Research and Statistics Annual Conference, July 12–15, 2009, Rochester, NY (panelist)

Conditional Cash Transfers: Reducing Present and Future Poverty, Institute for Fiscal Studies and World Bank, London, England, May 26, 2009 (panelist)

Shepherd Program for the Interdisciplinary Study of Poverty and Human Capability Poverty Program, Washington and Lee University, Lexington, VA, November 6, 2008 (keynote speaker)

Conference on the Survey of Income and Program Participation: Research on Health Insurance, Welfare, and Child Support, National Poverty Center and U.S. Census Bureau, Washington, DC, October 3, 2008 (discussant)

Brookings-Mott Panel on Poverty Reduction Strategies, Brookings Institution, Washington, DC, September 29, 2008 (moderator)

The New Poverty Agenda: Reshaping Policies in the 21st Century, Queens University, School of Policy Studies, Kingston, Ontario, Canada, August 18-20, 2008 (plenary speaker)

Shepherd Program for the Interdisciplinary Study of Poverty and Human Capability Poverty Program, Washington and Lee University, Berea, KY, June 6, 2008 (keynote speaker)

Changing Poverty Conference, Institute for Research on Poverty, University of Wisconsin, Madison, May 29–30, 2007 (session chair)

Thirteenth Annual Meeting of the Society of Labor Economists, May 9–10, 2008, New York, NY (presenter)

2008 Marburg Memorial Lecture, Marquette University, April 14, 2008 (keynote speaker)

Association of Public Policy and Management, November 8–10, 2007, Washington, DC (presenter and session organizer)

Pathways to Self Sufficiency, Institute for Research on Poverty, University of Wisconsin, Madison, September 6–7, 2007 (discussant)

National Association for Welfare Research and Statistics, August 20–23, 2007, Charleston, WV (keynote speaker)

Institute for Research on Poverty Summer Workshop, University of Wisconsin, Madison, June 18–21, 2007 (presenter)

Ten Years After: Evaluating the Long Term Effects of Welfare Reform on Children, Families, Welfare, and Work, University of Kentucky Center for Poverty Research, April 12–13, 2007, Lexington, KY (Conference organizer and presenter)

American Economic Association, January 5–7, 2007, Chicago, IL (discussant)

Universities Research Conference, National Bureau of Economic Research, December 8–9, 2006, Boston, MA (presenter)

Southern Economic Association, November 18–21, 2006, Charleston, SC (Presidential session organizer & presenter)

Income Volatility and Food Assistance Programs II, National Poverty Center and Economic Research Service, November 16–17, 2006, Washington, DC (co-author & discussant)

Association of Public Policy and Management, November 2–4, 2006, Madison, WI (presenter)

2006 Community Development Policy Summit: The Challenge of Concentrated Poverty, Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland, June 22–23, 2006, Cleveland, OH (plenary speaker)

Institute for Research on Poverty Summer Workshop, University of Wisconsin, Madison, June 19–22, 2006 (co-author)

Eleventh Annual Meeting of the Society of Labor Economists, May 5–6, 2006, Boston, MA (discussant)

Is it Time for Fundamental Tax Reform? The Known, The Unknown, and the Unknowable, James A. Baker Institute for Public Policy, Rice University, April 27–28, 2006, Houston, TX (presenter)

9th World Congress of the Econometric Society, August 19–24, 2005, London, UK (presenter)

Tenth Annual Meeting of the Society of Labor Economists, June 3–5, 2005, San Francisco, CA (presenter)

Panel Session on Economic Liberty, Security, and Justice, Transylvania University, February 7, 2005 (plenary speaker)

American Economic Association, January 3–5, 2005, Philadelphia, PA (discussant and co-author)

Southern Economic Association, November 21–23, 2004, New Orleans, LA (presenter and discussant)

Association of Public Policy and Management, October 28–30, 2004, Atlanta, GA (presenter)

National Association for Welfare Research and Statistics, August 22–25, 2004, Oklahoma City, OK (plenary speaker)

Institute for Research on Poverty Summer Workshop, University of Wisconsin, Madison, June 21–24, 2004 (presenter)

National Welfare Reform Conference, Administration for Children and Families, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, May 26–28, 2004, Washington, DC (presenter)

American Economic Association, January 3–5, 2004, San Diego, CA (discussant)

Association of Public Policy and Management, November 6–8, 2003, Washington, D.C. (presenter)

Eighth Annual Meeting of the Society of Labor Economists, September 26–27, 2003, Toronto (presenter)

National Welfare Reform Conference, Administration for Children and Families, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, May 28–30, 2003, Washington, DC (guest)

Helping Kentucky's Diverse Families Work: Research to Practice Partnerships, April 7–8, Kentucky Cabinet for Families and Children, Frankfort, KY (presenter)

American Economic Association, January 3–5, 2003, Washington, D.C. (discussant)

Society of Government Economists, Allied Social Science Association, January 3–5, 2003, Washington, D.C. (co-author)

NBER Trans-Atlantic Public Economics Seminar, May 15–17, 2002, London (co-author)

IRP/ERS Conference on Income Volatility and Implications for Food Assistance, May 2–3 2002, Washington, D.C. (co-organizer)

Conference on State Evaluations of Welfare Reform, Institute for Research on Poverty, University of Wisconsin, April 4–5, 2002, Madison (presenter)

American Economic Association Meeting, January 4–6, 2002, Atlanta (presenter and session organizer)

Institute for Research on Poverty Summer Workshop, University of Wisconsin, Madison, June 25–28, 2001 (presenter)

8th World Congress of the Econometric Society, August 11–16, 2000, Seattle (presenter)

Rural Dimensions of Welfare Reform: A research conference on poverty, welfare, and food assistance,

Washington D.C., May 4–5, 2000 (presenter)
American Agricultural Economics Association section of the Allied Social Science Association Meeting,
Boston, January 7–9, 2000 (Co-author)
Institute for Research on Poverty Summer Workshop, University of Wisconsin, Madison, June 14–17,
1999 (presenter)
Winter Meetings of the North American Econometric Society, January 3–5, 1999, New York (presenter
and discussant)
American Economic Association Meeting, January 3–5, 1999, New York (Co-author)
Welfare Reform and the Macro-Economy, Joint Center for Poverty Research, November 19–20, 1998,
Washington, D.C. (presenter)
Winter Meetings of the North American Econometric Society, January, 3–5, 1997, Chicago (co-author)
Association of Public Policy and Management, November 7–9, 1997, Washington, D.C. (co-author)
Sixth Biennial International Conference on Panel Data, June 27–28, 1996, Amsterdam (presenter)
First Annual Society of Labor Economists Meetings, May 3–4, 1996, Chicago (presenter)
7th World Congress of the Econometric Society, August 23–29, 1995, Tokyo (presenter)
Fifth Biennial International Conference on Panel Data, June 16–18, 1994, Paris (presenter)
Conference on Attrition in Longitudinal Surveys, February 24–25, 1994, Washington, D.C. (presenter)
Winter Meetings of the North American Econometric Society, January 3–5, 1994, Boston (presenter)
National Tax Association—Tax Institute of America Annual Meetings, November 7–10, 1993, St. Paul
(presenter)
Midwest Economics Association Meetings, April 2–3, 1993, Indianapolis (presenter)

University/Research Institution Presentations

Administration for Children and Families in the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Arizona
State University, Bowling Green State University, Brookings Institution, Bureau of Labor Statistics,
Congressional Budget Office, U.S. Census Bureau, Centre de Recherche en Economie et Statistique
(CREST), Columbia University, Duke University, East Carolina University, Economic Research Service
in U.S. Department of Agriculture, Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago, Federal Reserve Board of
Governors, Georgetown University, Georgia State University, Georgia Tech University, Indiana
University, Institute for Fiscal Studies (London), Institute for Social and Economic Research (Essex),
Lancaster University, London School of Economics, Michigan State University, National Bureau of
Economic Research, Ohio State University, Office of Assistant Secretary for Planning and Evaluation in
U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Office of Tax Analysis in U.S. Department of Treasury,
Oregon State University, Queen's University, Research Triangle Institute, Russell Sage Foundation,
Rutgers University, Stanford University, Syracuse University, Texas A&M University, University of
California–Davis, University of California–San Diego, University of Cincinnati, University College
Dublin, University College London, University of Florida, University of Georgia, University of Illinois,
University of Illinois at Chicago, University of Kentucky, University of Michigan, University of New
Hampshire, University of Notre Dame, University of Oklahoma, University of Oregon, University of
Oxford, University of Tennessee, University of Washington, University of Wisconsin–Madison,
University of Wyoming, Upjohn Institute for Employment Research, VATT Institute for Economic
Research, Washington and Lee University

Professional Activities

Member of: The American Economic Association, Econometric Society, Society of Labor Economists

Referee for: *The American Economic Journal: Economic Policy*, *The American Economic Review*, *B.E. Journals in Economic Analysis & Policy*, *Contemporary Economic Policy*, *Demography*, *Econometrica*,

Economica, Economic Inquiry, Economic Journal, Economics of Education Review, European Economic Review, International Economic Review, The Journal of Applied Econometrics, The Journal of Business and Economic Statistics, The Journal of Econometrics, The Journal of Human Resources, The Journal of Labor Economics, The Journal of Policy Analysis and Management, The Journal of Political Economy, The Journal of Public Economics, The Journal of Risk and Uncertainty, Labour Economics, The MIT Press, The National Science Foundation, The National Tax Journal, The Quarterly Journal of Economics, The Quarterly Review of Economics and Finance, Research in Labor Economics, Review of Economics and Statistics, Review of Economic Studies, Social Service Review, Social Science Quarterly, Sociological Methods & Research, The Southern Economic Journal

Service:

Co-Chair, External Review Team, Georgia State University, Department of Economics, April 8-10, 2018
Co-Organizer, UKCPR, IRP, and Urban Institute *Deep Poverty in the United States*, June 27-28, 2017, Office of the Assistant Secretary for Planning and Evaluation, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Washington, DC
Co-Organizer, UKCPR and Brookings Institution Conference on *The 20th Anniversary of Welfare Reform: Lessons and Takeaways*, September 22, 2016, Brookings Institution, Washington, D.C.
Co-Organizer, UKCPR and Cornell University Conference on *The New Rural-Urban Interface*, September 29-30, 2016, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia.
Member, Economics Study Review Panel, National Science Foundation, Spring 2016.
Member, Program Committee, Fourth SOLE/EALE World Meetings, Montreal, Quebec June 26-28, 2015.
Member, Program Committee, 2014 Fall Research Conference, Association of Public Policy and Management, Albuquerque, NM, November 6-8, 2014.
Co-Organizer, UKCPR and IRP Conference on *Five Decades of Food Stamps*, September 20, 2013, Brookings Institution, Washington, D.C.
Co-Organizer, New Directions in Consumption Research with the PSID, March 18, 2013, Ann Arbor, MI
Chair, UKCPR Conference on *Cost of Living and the Supplemental Poverty Measure*, Brookings Institution, Washington, DC, April 28, 2011.
Member, Scientific Committee, Third SOLE/EALE World Meetings, University College London, June 17-19, 2010.
Chair, UKCPR Conference on *Appalachia and the Legacy of the War on Poverty: A Research Conference*, Lexington, KY, October 2, 2009.
Advisor, Poverty Task Force, Commonwealth of Kentucky, Legislative Research Commission, Fall 2009.
Member, Poverty Teleconference hosted by the Office of Senator Edward Kennedy, U.S. Senate Subcommittee on Health, Education, and Welfare, May 19, 2008.
Member, Roundtable discussion on revising the poverty measurement in New York City, co-hosted by the Office of the Deputy Mayor of New York City and the Brookings Institution, Washington, DC, January 8, 2008.
Chair, UKCPR Conference on *Ten Years After: Evaluating the Long Term Effects of Welfare Reform on Work, Welfare, Children, and Families*, Lexington, KY, April 12-13, 2007
Chair, Mark C. Berger Memorial Research Conference (with special issue of the *Journal of Labor Economics*), Lexington, KY, October 7-8, 2004
Member, Advisory Board, University of Kentucky Appalachian Center, 2006-2009
Member, Scientific Advisory Committee, UK Center for Prevention Research, Markey Cancer Center, 2003-2006
Co-Chair, IRP-ERS Conference on Income Volatility and Implications for Food Assistance Programs, Washington, DC, May 2-3, 2002
Member, Planning Committee, RUPRI Rural Poverty Research Agenda Setting Conference, Washington, DC, June 4-5, 2003

Member, Expert Panel on Measuring the Extent of Food Stamp Trafficking Using EBT Data, Convened by ORC/Macro International, Inc. and the Economic Research Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture, Washington, DC, February 2002

Member, Planning Committee, Conference on Welfare Reform and Economic Conditions, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services and the Joint Center for Poverty Research, Washington, DC, January 1998

University of Kentucky Teaching and Service

Courses Taught

E450G Economics of Poverty and Welfare Programs (Undergraduate)
E731 Labor Economics I (Graduate)

Departmental and College Committees

Chair, Applied Microeconomics Workshop Committee, 2011–2014
Applied Microeconomics Workshop Committee, Member, 2002–2011
Chair, Search Committee for Director of School of Management, 2006–2007
Chair Advisory Committee, Member, 2002–2006, 2009, 2011–2012
Chair, Poverty Studies Search Committee, 2007–2008
Gatton College Dean Search Committee, Member, 2011
Gatton Endowed Chair Search Committee, Chair, 2003–2006, 2009
Gatton Professorship Review Committee, Member, 2002–2003
Gatton Promotion and Tenure Review Committee, Member, 2003–2007, 2009
Gatton Research Excellence Team, 2016–2017
Gatton Strategic Planning Committee, Member, 2004
Gatton Summer Research Grant Committee, Member, 2002–2003
Journal Ranking Committee, 2006–2007
Junior Faculty Search Committee, Member, 2002–2003
Merit Review Committee, Member, 2007, 2009

University Committees

Academic Area Advisory Committee for the Social Sciences, Member, 2007–2008; 2016–2018
Provost Search Committee for Vice President of Research, Member, 2006–2007
Provost Workgroup on Opportunities for International Affairs and Public Policy, Member, 2004–2005
University Research Advisory Committee, 2004–2007

Dissertation Committees (first appointment)

Sunayan Acharya (School of Management), Member, defended July 2012
Preston Brashers, Chair, defended June 2014 (PwC, PriceWaterhouseCooper)
Valerie Bryan (College of Social Work), Member, defended July 2005
Sarah Burns, Chair, defended June 2013 (Institute for Defense Analysis)
Chris Clark, Member, defended June 2005
Zekeriya Eser (School of Management), Member, defended February 2007
Luis Gonzalez, Chair, defended July 2009 (The Analysis Group)
Bradley Hardy, Chair, defended June 2011 (American University)

Robert Paul Hartley, Chair, defended July 2017 (post-doc Columbia University)
Charles Hokayem, Chair, defended July 2010 (U.S. Census Bureau)
TM Tonmoy Islam, Chair, defended July 2012 (University of Wisconsin-Green Bay)
Numkrit Jeraputtiruk, Member, defended April 2005
Do-Jin Jung (School of Accountancy), Member, defended July 2004
Di Kang (Dept of Finance), Member, defended May 2014
Alice Koech (Dept of Family Studies), Member, defended June 2010
Nicholas Moellman, Chair, in progress (Winthrop University)
Nola Ogunro, Member, defended August 2009
Dana Patrick (Martin School), Member, defended May 2014
Pinky Rusli (School of Accountancy), Member, defended 2016
Anthony Setari (College of Education), Member, defended 2016
Michelle Smith (Department of Statistics), Member, defended June 2003
Christopher Staple (Department of Sociology), defended April 2012
Megan Streams (Martin School of Public Policy), Member, defended April 2007
Jen-Ruey Tsaur, Member, defended May 2008
Cody Vaughn, Chair, in progress
Lewis Warren, Chair, defended June 2016 (U.S. Census Bureau)
Chris Woock, Chair, defended June 2006 (The Conference Board)
Pei Xu (Department of Management), defended July 2014

University of Oregon Teaching and Service Courses Taught

E201	Principles of Microeconomics
E204	Honors College Principles of Microeconomics
E350	Labor Market Issues
E450/550	Labor Economics
E451/551	Topics in Labor Economics: Poverty and Income Inequality
E607	Seminar in Cross-Sectional and Panel-Data Econometrics
E607	Seminar in Labor Economics II

Dissertation Committees

Davis, D. Member, Defended May, 1998
Haag, J. Member, Defended July, 1996
Klasa, S., Member, Defended May, 2002
Lee, B.Y. Member, Defended February, 1997
Russell, J. Member, Defended June, 2000
Taylor, D. Member, Defended June, 1995
Wilson, B. Co-Chair, Defended February, 1995 (Humboldt State University)

Departmental and University Committees

Director of Ph.D. Studies, 2001–2002
Salary Review Committee, 2001–2002
Affirmative Action Liaison Officer, 1996–97
Committee on Outside Funding, Member, 1996–97, 1998–99
Computer Committee, Chair, 1995–96, 1996–97, 1999–00; Member, 1994, 1998
Graduate Teaching Fellow Instructional Advisor, Chair, 1994–95, 1995–96, 1996–97
Ph.D. Admissions and Awards Committee, Member, 1995–96, 1999–00, 2001–2002

Ph.D. Program Committee, Member, 1994–95, 2001–2002
Search Committee, Member, 1994–95, 1995–96, 1998–99, 1999–00
Social Science Instructional Lab Committee, 1999–00, 2001–02
Undergraduate Program Committee, 1998–99

Press, Testimony, and Other Activities

- “Under Trump Proposal, Some Will Switch From Food Money To Food Box,” by Lisa Gillespie, wfpl.org, February 13, 2018, <http://wfpl.org/trump-proposal-would-move-half-of-snap-to-delivery-food-box/>
- “Do Work Requirements Lead to Self Sufficiency?” by Jon Greenberg, *Politifact*, January 26, 2018, <http://www.politifact.com/punditfact/statements/2018/jan/26/heartland-institute/do-work-requirements-lead-self-sufficiency/>
- “With Benefits Already Skimpy, Food Program Advocates Fear Cuts In Kentucky,” by Lisa Gillespie, wfpl.org, January 10, 2018, <http://wfpl.org/with-benefits-already-skimpy-food-program-recipients-fear-cuts-in-kentucky/>
- “GOP Rhetoric Shows Just How Much We Disdain the Poor,” by Alfred Lubrano, *The Philadelphia Inquirer*, December 7, 2017, <http://www.philly.com/philly/news/politics/chuck-grassley-estate-tax-hate-poor-booze-women-movies-20171207.html>
- “Republican Officials Say Targeting Welfare Programs Will Help Spur Economic Growth,” by Jeff Stein, *The Washington Post Wonkblog*, December 6, 2017, https://www.washingtonpost.com/news/wonk/wp/2017/12/06/house-republicans-welfare-restrictions-are-needed-for-the-economy-to-grow/?utm_term=.15fd4d651a9
- “Congressional Republicans are Laying the Groundwork to Overhaul Welfare Programs for the Poor,” by Jeff Stein, *The Washington Post Wonkblog*, December 6, 2017, https://www.washingtonpost.com/news/wonk/wp/2017/12/06/congressional-republicans-are-laying-the-groundwork-to-overhaul-welfare-programs-for-the-poor/?utm_term=.81c65e1b2d77
- “Why So Many Older Americans are Going Hungry,” by Dan Gorenstein, *National Public Radio Marketplace Morning Report*, November 23, 2017, <https://www.marketplace.org/shows/marketplace-morning-report/11232017-us-edition>
- “Number of older Americans “facing hunger” has doubled to more than two million, U.S. figures show.” By Peter Whoriskey, *The Washington Post*, August 17, 2017. https://www.washingtonpost.com/news/wonk/wp/2017/08/17/hunger-abated-after-the-recession-but-not-for-the-elderly-u-s-figures-show/?utm_term=.6336725c60b2
- “Conservative lawmakers think cuts to food stamps won’t hurt anyone. Evidence says that’s wrong.” By Tara Golshan, *Vox.com*, July 7, 2017, <https://www.vox.com/policy-and-politics/2017/7/7/15894168/conservative-cut-food-stamp-evidence>
- “The Return of Welfare Reform,” by Tara Golshan, *Vox.com*, June 30, 2017, <https://www.vox.com/policy-and-politics/2017/6/30/15829998/return-welfare-reform-budget>
- “Medicaid Overhaul Faces Tough Test in Trump Country,” by Rachana Pradhan, *Politico.com*, June 18, 2017, <http://www.politico.com/story/2017/06/18/medicaid-overhaul-kentucky-matt-bevin-trump-country-239655>
- “Trump’s Budget Represents his Administration’s Plan for Solving America’s Economic Ills,” by Dwyer Gunn, *Pacific Standard Magazine*, May 31, 2017, <https://psmag.com/economics/trumps-budget-represents-his-administrations-plan-for-solving-americas-economic-ills>
- “Defending Cuts, Mulvaney Misleads on Food Stamps and Big Bird,” by Linda Qiu, *New York Times*, May 26, 2017 <https://www.nytimes.com/2017/05/26/us/politics/budget-cuts-mulvaney-food-stamps-big-bird.html>
- “Is it Fair to Ask People to Work for Government Benefits?” by Sabri Ben-Achour, *National Public Radio Marketplace Morning Report*, May 22, 2017, <https://www.marketplace.org/2017/05/22/economy/it-fair-ask-people-work-government-benefits>

- “Food Stamps Reduce Hunger and Make Kids Healthier. Trump Wants to Gut Them,” by Julia Belluz, *Vox.com*, May 23, 2017, <https://www.vox.com/policy-and-politics/2017/5/23/15675892/food-stamps-snap-evidence-health-poverty-hunger>
- “The War on the Poor: Donald Trump’s win opens the door to Paul Ryan’s vision for America,” by Dylan Matthews, *Vox.com*, November 22, 2016, <http://www.vox.com/policy-and-politics/2016/11/22/13641654/paul-ryan-trump-poverty-safety-net>
- “How a Middle-Class Tax Cut May Help America’s Poor,” by Dwyer Gunn, *Pacific Standard Magazine*, October 24, 2016, <https://psmag.com/how-a-middle-class-tax-cut-may-help-americas-poor-68fadfd74f64#.crkzwkajz>
- “The Major Flaw in President Clinton’s Welfare Reform that Almost No One Noticed,” by Max Ehrenfreund, *The Washington Post Wonkblog*, August 30, 2016, <https://www.washingtonpost.com/news/wonk/wp/2016/08/30/how-president-clintons-welfare-reform-failed-millennials/>
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