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Education

- Ph.D. Economics, University of New Mexico, Spring 2001
Primary Fields: Environmental and Natural Resource Economics
Secondary Fields: Applied Microeconomics, Econometrics
- M.A. Economics, University of New Mexico, Spring 1996
- B.A. Economics, University of Kentucky, Spring 1992

Academic and Administrative Experience

March 2010 – December 2011: Program Coordinator, Introductory Economics Independent Study

January 2006 – December 2013: Core Faculty, Aerospace and Defense MBA, College of Business Administration, University of Tennessee, Knoxville, TN

August 2002 – Present: Full-time Lecturer, Department of Economics, College of Business Administration, University of Knoxville, TN

September 2000 – July 2002: Economic Consultant, Deiter, Stephens and Durham, Tampa, FL

August 1998 – May 2000: Visiting Instructor, Eastern Kentucky University, Richmond, KY

August 1994 – May 1998: Teaching/Research Assistant; Teaching Associate; University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, NM

Courses Taught

Introductory Economics, Honors Introductory Economics, MBA Economics, Aerospace and Defense MBA Economics; Principles of Microeconomics, Principles of Macroeconomics, Intermediate Microeconomics, Managerial Economics, Quantitative Methods of Business I and II, The Firm in the Global Context

Department / College / University Service

University of Tennessee: General Education Social Sciences Subcommittee (2014)

College of Business Administration: Technology Committee; Core Business Committee

Economics Department: Undergraduate Committee (2007 – 2012)

Aerospace and Defense MBA: Core Curriculum Committee (2006-2013)

Office of the Dean of Students: Search Committee for Coordinator I ODS position (2010)

Chancellor's Honors Program:

Senior Thesis adviser: David McDonald (2011), Astrid Emkes and James McDonald (2013);

Laura Bassett (2014)

Curriculum Task Force Review (2013-2014)

Freshman Seminar: Economic Inequality (fall 2014)

Life of the Mind Volunteer (2006)

Faculty Adviser: UT Undergraduate Economics Club (2004 – present)

(winner of the 2013 \$12,000 national iOme Challenge)

Delta Sigma Pi professional fraternity (2006 – present)

FarmHouse Fraternity (2008 – present)

Delta Zeta Sorority (2007 – present)

Omicron Delta Epsilon Economic Honor Society (2008 - present)

Future Business Leaders of America (2011 – present)

Professional /Community Service

Guest speaker for Vonore City Rotary Club (2010)

Prepared online assessment questions for MyEconLab to accompany Macroeconomics, 6th edition by Andrew Abel, Ben Bernanke and Dean Croushore (2007)

Prepared online assessment questions for MyEconLab to accompany Economics by Michael Leeds, Peter von Allmen and Richard Schiming (2006)

Taught special summer class to certify Knox County High School teachers, per No Child Left Behind Act (2004)

Reviewer for Bade and Parkin's Essential Foundations of Economics; Pearson Addison Wesley (2004)

Reviewer for Mateer, Coppock and O'Roark, Survey of Economics, Norton (fall 2014)

Awards, Funded Research and Grants

College of Business Administration

Allen H. Keally Outstanding Teaching Award, 2005 (nominated 2010)

Richard C. Reizenstein Outstanding Commitment to Students Award, 2012

Pan-Hellenic Distinguished Faculty Award, 2008 and 2011

Tennessee Louis Stokes Alliance for Minority Participation, Faculty of the Year, 2012 (nominated)

Phi Eta Sigma Honor Society, Outstanding Faculty Member Award, 2012

UT Alumni Association Outstanding Teacher, finalist 2013

Delta Sigma Pi International Fraternity, Chapter Adviser of the Year, Mid-South Region, 2013-2014

UT Teaching and Learning Center Course Improvement Grant, Summer 2014

Journal Articles and Presentations

Berrens, Robert, Alok Bohara, Amy Baker and Kenneth Baker. "Revealed Preference of a State Bureau: Case of New Mexico's Underground Storage Tank Program." *Journal of Policy Analysis and Management*, 18(2), Spring 1999.
(Presented at the Western Social Science Association annual meetings, April 1998)

Cavlovic, Theres, Kenneth Baker, Robert Berrens and Kishore Gawande. "Environmental Kuznets Curve: Summary and Meta-Analysis." *Agricultural and Resource Economics Review*, 29(1), April 2000.
(Presented at the Southwest social Science Association annual meetings, March 1998)

Baker, Kenneth and Michael McKee. "Increasingly Contested Property Rights and Trading in Environmental Amenities." *Land Economics*, 76(3), August 2000.