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Education

Ph.D., Economics, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, 2012
Dissertation: "Schedule Flexibility and the Labor Market"
M.A., Economics, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, 2006
B.A., Economics, University of Wisconsin-Oshkosh, 2005

Employment

Assistant Professor of Practice, Economics, University of Nebraska - Lincoln, 2012-present
Economics Instructor, University of Wisconsin-Oshkosh, 2008- 2012
Teaching Assistant, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, 2007-2009

Research

Peer-Reviewed Journal Articles

1. Miller, Laurie A. 2013. "Teams, Wages, and Wage Dispersion." *International Journal of Manpower*, 34(7):716-735.
2. Adams, Scott J., Heywood, John S., and Laurie A. Miller. 2014. "Caregivers, Firm Policies and Gender Discrimination Claims." *Review of Economics of the Household*, 12(2): 359-377.
3. Cotti, Chad D., Haley, M. Ryan, and Laurie A. Miller. 2014. "Workplace Flexibilities, Job Satisfaction and Union Membership in the US Workforce." *British Journal of Industrial Relations*, 52(3):403-425.
4. Haley, M. Ryan and Laurie A. Miller. "Flextime and Other Correlates of Insomnia in the US Workforce." *Empirical Economics* Published online: July 30, 2014.
5. Heywood, John S. and Laurie A. Miller. "Schedule Flexibility, Family Friendly Policies and Absence." *The Manchester School* Published online: July 1, 2014.
6. Jamelske, Eric, Boulter, James, Jang, Wong, Barrett, James, Miller, Laurie and Han, Wen Li. "Examining Differences in Public Opinion on Climate Change between College Students in China and the United States" *Environmental Studies and Sciences*, forthcoming

Teaching Experience

Undergraduate (sole responsibility, 25-240 students)

University of Nebraska –Lincoln, Fall 2012 - Present

- Principles of Microeconomics (6 sections)
- Principles of Macroeconomics (4 sections)
- Intermediate Macroeconomic Theory (8 sections)
- Intermediate Microeconomic Theory (2 sections)

University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, Fall 2007 - Summer 2009

- Principles of Microeconomics (4 sections, **2 online sections**)

University of Wisconsin-Oshkosh, Fall 2006 – Spring 2012

- Principles of Microeconomics (7 sections)
- Principles of Macroeconomics (7 sections)
- Economics and Business Statistics (5 sections)
- Intermediate Microeconomic Theory (2 sections)

Graduate (sole responsibility, 24 students)

University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, Fall 2008

- Statistical Tools for Practitioners – Masters Program in Human Resources and Labor Relations

Student Mentoring

UCARE: Undergraduate Research Mentor

Summer 2014

- Caleb Godsil, “Job Satisfaction in the Pharmaceutical Industry”

Fall 2013

- Tucker Johnson, “Agency Work, Profit Sharing, and Flexible Working Arrangements”

Honors Thesis Adviser

Fall 2014

- Ryan Grassel – “Factors Aiding in the Creation or Identification of the Correct Solution Path in Problem Solving”

Spring 2015

- Kyle Kettler – Title TBA

Honors Contracts

Spring 2015

- O. Beier – Is the No Child Left behind Act working?
- C. Bilyeu - Is the No Child Left behind Act working?
- K. Cronican - Is the No Child Left behind Act working?
- R. Grealish - Is Wal-Mart good for the economy?
- M. McCommick - Is it time to abolish the minimum wage?
- J. Pribnow – Is it time to abolish the minimum wage?
- D. Prodoehl - Is Wal-Mart good for the economy?

- E. Schoonover- Is Wal-Mart good for the economy?
- T. Tingle - Is Wal-Mart good for the economy?
- B. Thompson
- C. Ames

Fall 2014

- B. Grimminger, “Economic Impact of Ebola” Debate
- T. Smith , “Economic Impact of Ebola” Debate
- M. Halfmann, “Economic Impact of Ebola” Debate

Spring 2014

- T. Smith, “Publicly Funded Sports Stadiums and the Local Economy: Boost or Burden?”
- J. Barnes, “Economics of Chick – fil – A”
- C. Loberg, “Supply Side and Reagan”
- A. McIntosh, “Legalization of Gambling”
- B. Grimminger, “Income Inequality”
- C. Coppersmith, “Minimum Wage”
- S. Ronhovde, “Implementing Public Policy Obesity: Is it a “Big” Deal?”

Fall 2013

- S. Stephan, “Costs and Benefits of Legalizing Marijuana”
- B. Boehne, “Game Operating Systems”
- B. Klintworth, “Changing the Minimum Wage”
- M. Ziga, “Roses on the Rise”
- J. Heisel, “The Elasticity of Disney”
- D. Schroeder, “Game Theory”
- S. Ronhovde, “An Economic Look at Abortion”
- Y. Minami, “National Debt Problem: From Economic and Political Perspectives”
- T. Siffering, “The New Normal: Can America Restore Growth to Pre-Crisis Levels?”

Spring 2013

- J. Heisel, “Fiscal Cliff”
- J. Rinchen, “Sports and the Great Recession: Predictions and Outcomes”
- V. Simonsen, “Costs and Benefits of Migratory Birds”
- A. Wirth, “Chinese Currency Manipulation”

Fall 2012

- K. Kettler, “Growth and FDI: Determinants and Policy”
- K. Kudron, “Underrepresentation of Women in Math Related Fields”

Service

Faculty Representative

- Search Committee - Professor of Practice, Economics Department, 2014-2015
- CBA New Building Committee – Classroom Sub Committee, UNL 2014-2015
- Economics Day for Students, Economics Department Representative, UNL 2014
- Dream Big, Economics Department Representative, UNL 2014
- Search Committee - Professor of Practice, Economics Department, 2013-2014
- Search Committee - Council President/Professor of Practice, Economics Department, 2014

- Seminar Series Co-Organizer, Economics Department, 2013-Present
- Chat and Chow – Business Connections Community Event, UNL 2014
- Dean's Reception - Freshman Recruitment Even for CBA, UNL 2013
- Nebraska Achievement Banquet, CBA Representative, UNL 2013, 2014
- New Faculty Orientation, Panel Discussant, UNL, Fall 2013
- Take a Parent to Lunch, CBA Representative, UNL Summer 2013
- Teaching-Learning for the 21st Century Action Group, Large Lecture Hall Subcommittee Co-chair, UNL 2012-2013
- Chat and Chow – Business Connections Community Event, UNL 2013
- Dessert with the Dean - Freshman Recruitment Event for CBA, UNL 2012
- SECC Panel, UNL 2012

Faculty Advisor

- Delta Sigma Pi Business Fraternity, UNL 2012 - Present

Presentations

- Conference on Teaching and Research in Economic Education, Teaching with Technology Panelist, "Virtual Office Hours through Adobe Connect", 2014
- Conference on Teaching and Research in Economic Education, Discussant, 2013
- UNL Economics Graduate Student Association (EGSA), 2013
- UWM Labor Economics Workshop, 2010
- Wisconsin Economics Association, 2007

Journal Reviewer

- Economics of Education Review
- Relations Industrielles/Industrial Relations (RI/IR)
- Journal of Economic Education
- Journal of Reviews on Global Economics

Honors and Awards

Awards Received

- College of Business Administration College Excellence in Teaching Award – UNL, 2014-2015
- Certificate of Recognition for Contributions to Students – UNL Teaching Council and Parents Association, 2015
- Certificate of Recognition for Contributions to Students – UNL Teaching Council and Parents Association, 2013
- Dean's Coin Award – UNL, Spring 2013
- Perlman Prize for Outstanding Paper in Labor Economics - UWM, 2011
- Chancellor's Graduate School Award (Fellowship), 2007-2008

Award Nominations

- ASUN Outstanding Educator Award Finalist for classes over 60 students – UNL, 2013-2014
- College of Business Administration College Excellence in Teaching Award - UNL, 2013-2014

Honors

- Greek System Professor Recognition – UNL, Kappa Alpha Theta (E. Thayer), Fall 2014
- Greek System Professor Recognition – UNL, Alpha Xi Delta (E. Heduiger, R. Adams, K. Morgan and E. Nemec), Spring 2013
- Greek System Professor Recognition – UNL, Beta Theta Pi (K. Kaluza), Fall 2013
- Greek System Professor Recognition – UNL, Chi Omega (L. Yen and T. Lane), Fall 2013
- Greek System Professor Recognition – UNL, Kappa Alpha Theta (R. Linder), Spring 2013
- Greek System Professor Recognition – UNL, Alpha Xi Delta (C. Ochsner), Fall 2012

Professional Memberships

- American Economic Association
- Committee on the Status of Women in the Economics Profession

References

Prof. Scott J. Adams	(414) 229-4212	sjadams@uwm.edu
Prof. Scott Drewianka	(414) 229-2730	sdrewian@uwm.edu
Prof. John Heywood	(414) 229-4437	heywood@uwm.edu
Prof. M. Kevin McGee	(920) 424-7155	mcgee@uwosh.edu