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**EDUCATION**

Ph.D., Economics, University of Virginia, 1983  
B.S., Economics, Towson State University, 1976

**EMPLOYMENT**

University of Nebraska-Lincoln, Lincoln, NE  
Associate Professor, Department of Economics (August 1994 – present)  
Assistant Professor, Department of Economics (August 1992-1994)

Georgia State University, Atlanta, GA.  
Assistant Professor, Department of Economics (August 1985 - June 1992)

Loyola College in Maryland, Baltimore, MD,  
Assistant Professor, Department of Economics (August 1982 – June 1985)

**COURSES TAUGHT**

Graduate: Econometrics I, Econometrics II,  
Advances Topics in Econometrics: Time-Series,  
Advanced Topics in Econometrics: Cross-section/ Panel Data  
Macroeconomics I, Macroeconomics II

Undergraduate: Introduction to Econometrics  
Statistics  
Applied Policy Analysis  
Intermediate Macroeconomics  
Introductory Economics

## PUBLICATIONS

### PEER-REVIEWED JOURNAL ARTICLES

“Are Disagreements among Male and Female Economists Marginal at Best?: A Survey of AEA Members and their Views on Economics and Economic Policy,” with Ann Mari May and Robert Whaples, *Contemporary Economic Policy* (2014) 32,111-132.  
<http://onlinelibrary.wiley.com/doi/10.1111/coep.12004/pdf>

“Local and Statewide Smoke-Free Laws in Nebraska: the Effects on Keno Establishments,” with Bree Dority, Eric Thompson, and Jyosthna Sainath, *Contemporary Economic Policy* (2013) 31 (3), 549-564.  
<http://onlinelibrary.wiley.com/doi/10.1111/j.1465-7287.2012.00326.x/abstract>

“Marketing Foods and Beverages in Schools: The Effect of School Food Policy on Students’ Overweight Measures,” with Bree Dority and Patricia Kennedy, *Journal of Public Policy & Marketing* (2010) 29 (2), 204–218.  
<http://www.journals.marketingpower.com/toc/jppm/29/2>

“Animal-Companion Depictions in Women’s Magazine Advertising,” with Patricia F. Kennedy, *Journal of Business Research* (2008) 61, 424-430.

"Selection Bias in Validation Studies of Academic Performance," with Matthew Cushing, *Economic Inquiry* (2004) 42 (2), 319-322.

"The Efficiency of Race- and Gender-Targeted Income Transfers," with Matthew J. Cushing, *Public Finance Review* (2003) 31 (5), 455-486.

"The Persistence of Shocks to Macroeconomic Time Series: Some Evidence from Economic Theory," with Matthew J. Cushing, *Journal of Business and Economic Statistics* (1996) 14 (2), 179-188.

"Filtering as a Test of Specification," with Matthew J. Cushing, *International Economic Review* (1992) 33 (1), 129-135.

"Mortgage Credit Availability, Housing Starts and the Integration of Mortgage and Capital Markets: New Evidence Using Linear Feedback," with Mark Meador, *Real Estate Economics* (1991) 19 (1), 25-40.

"The Neutrality Implications of Competing Relative Price Models: Tests Using Linear Feedback," *Journal of Business and Economic Statistics* (1991) 9 (1), 15-25.

"Feedback between Wholesale and Consumer Prices: A Reexamination of the Evidence," with Matthew J. Cushing, *Southern Economic Journal* (1990) 56 (4), 1059-1072.

"Identification by Disaggregation," with Matthew J. Cushing, *American Economic Review* (1985) 75 (5), 1165-1167.

"U.S. Evidence on Linear Feedback from Money Growth Shocks to Relative Price Changes, 1954-1979," *Review of Economics and Statistics* (1985) Vol. LXVII, No. 4, 1985, 675-680.

### **PEER-REVIEWED BOOK CHAPTERS AND ABSTRACTS**

Dority, Bree and Mary G. McGarvey "The Effect of School Food Policy on Adolescent Obesity," Abstract in *Asia-Pacific Advances in Consumer Research*, Vol. 7, eds. Margaret Craig Less, Tera Davis, and Gary Gregory, Sydney, Australia: Association for Consumer Research, 2006, 34-35.

"Covariance Matrix Estimation," with Matthew Cushing, Chapter 3 in *Generalized Method of Moments*, edited by Laszlo Matyas, 1999 (London: Cambridge University Press), 63-94.

### **RECENT WORKING PAPERS**

"Gender and Economic Policy Making in EU Countries: Implications of Gender Diversity at Various Levels of Decision Making," with Ann Mari May and David Kucera, (2015).

"Occupational Segregation and the Cultural Divide: Are Red States Different than Blue States," with Ann Mari May, (2014).

"The Importance of Marital Status in the Maternal Employment and Child Overweight Relationship," with Bree Dority, (2014).

### **GRANTS AND FUNDED RESEARCH**

Investigator, "Valuation of Personal Property," with Eric Thompson through the Bureau of Business Research, Nebraska Department of Revenue Property Assessment Division, \$75,000, May 2007 – June 2012.

Investigator, "The Economic Impact of the Nebraska Early Care and Education Industry," with Eric Thompson through the Bureau of Business Research, Nebraska Children and Family Foundation, \$16,000, March 2006 – September 2006.

Co-Principal Investigator, "The Effect of a Smoke-Free Ordinance on Eating and Drinking Places in Lincoln, Nebraska," with Eric Thompson through the Bureau of Business Research, Nebraska Health and Human Services System, Office of Disease Prevention and Health Promotion, Tobacco Free Nebraska., \$16,110, July 2005 – July 2006.

Co-Principal Investigator, “Socially Constituted Food Consumption of Adolescents,” with Patricia F. Kennedy, National Research Initiative of the U.S. Department of Agriculture Cooperative State Research, Education and Extension Service, Grant No. 2005-35215-15598, \$350,000, (May 2005 – November 2008).

## **REPORTS**

“Estimate of the January 1, 2009 Market Value of Taxable Commercial Value of Taxable Commercial and Agricultural Machinery in Nebraska Excluding the Air Transportation Industry,” with Pavel Jeutang, Final Report prepared for the Nebraska Department of Revenue Property Assessment Division, January 20, 2010.

“Estimate of the January 1, 2009 Market Value of Taxable Commercial Value of Taxable Commercial and Agricultural Machinery in Nebraska Excluding the Rail Industry,” with Pavel Jeutang, Final Report prepared for the Nebraska Department of Revenue Property Assessment Division, January 20, 2010.

“Report on the Influence of Revisions: The Effect of Revisions in U.S. Equipment, U.S. Employment, and Nebraska Employment Data on the January 1, 2007 Estimate of the Market Value of Taxable Commercial Machinery in Nebraska Excluding the Rail Industry,” with Pavel Jeutang, Final Report prepared for the Nebraska Department of Revenue Property Assessment Division, January 20, 2010.

“The Economic Impact of the Nebraska Early Care and Education Industry,” with Eric Thompson, Matthew Cushing, Randy Cantrel, Seth Freudenberg and Travis Heller, Final Report prepared for the Nebraska Children and Family Foundation, February 28, 2007.

“The Effect of a Smoke-Free Ordinance on Eating and Drinking Places in Lincoln, Nebraska,” with Eric Thompson, Bree Dority and Jyothsna Sainath, Final Report prepared for The Nebraska Health and Human Services System, Office of Disease Prevention and Health Promotion, Tobacco Free Nebraska., October 6, 2006.

“Enrollment Projections for Nebraska’s Medicaid Insurance for Workers with Disabilities (Medicaid Buy-In) Program”, Report to the Nebraska Department of Health and Human Services in conjunction with the University of Nebraska Public Policy Center, March 2003.