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Employment:

Clinic Assistant Professor, University of South Carolina, Fall 2013-present

Education:

Ph.D. Economics. *University of Nebraska-Lincoln*. Lincoln, Nebraska. May 2013

Fields: Economic Education and Public Finance

B.A. Mathematics & B.A. Business Administration–Finance. *Clarke University*. Dubuque, Iowa. May 2008.

Other Academic Experience:

Graduate Research Assistant, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, Fall 2008-2013.

Graduate Teaching Assistant, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, Fall 2009-Summer 2012

Other Work Experience:

Commercial Credit Analyst, American Trust and Savings Bank, August 2007-August 2008

Analyzed financial statements of existing and potential customers (both personal and business)

Performed analysis (quantitative and qualitative) of requests for loans and lines of credit

Courses Taught:

Introduction to Economics (one semester introductory course), Principles of Microeconomics, Principles of Macroeconomics, Intermediate Microeconomics, Health Economics, Senior Seminar.

Publications:

Review of New Developments in Economic Education. *International Review of Economics Education*. August 2014.

Financial Literacy and Banking Affiliation: Results for the Unbanked, Underbanked, and Fully Banked (with Bill Walstad), *Perspectives on Economic Education Research*, December 2014.

Working Paper:

“Young Women and Personal Finance”

“Financial Literacy of Young Adults in the United States: How much do they know and does it influence behavior?” Working Paper with Bill Walstad.

“The Movement to Online Course Evaluations: Is it easier to complain? Working paper with Chandini Sankaran and Jamie Wagner.

“The Financial Literacy of Incoming College Freshman: What they don’t know. Working paper with Jamie Wagner.

“Financial Literacy and Education in the First Semester of College: What do students know and learn? Working paper with William Walstad and Jamie Wagner.

Other Publications:

Test Bank III for use with McConnell, Brue, and Flynn: Economics 20th Edition.

National Tests for Personal Finance, forthcoming.

Selected Presentations:

National Conference on Teaching and Research in Economic Education, May 2015
South Carolina Council for Economic Education Teaching Economics Webinar, March & April 2015.
American Economic Association Annual Meeting, January 2014.
Council for Economic Education Annual Financial Literacy and Economic Education Conference, October 2013.
American Economic Association Poster Session, January 2013.
Missouri Economics Conference, October 2012.
Missouri Valley Economics Association, October 2012.

Conferences/Seminars/Workshops Attended:

HSTS Database Training Seminar. Department of Education. Washington D.C. July 2013.
AEA Conference on Teaching. American Economic Association. Chicago, IL. May 2013
Annual Financial Literacy and Economic Education Conference. Council on Economic Education. Kansas City, KS. October 2012.
AEA Conference on Teaching. American Economic Association. Boston, MA. May 2012.
National Financial Capability Study Academic and Policy Roundtable. George Washington University and FINRA. Washington D.C. May 2012.
Continuing Education Workshop: Advanced Interactive Teaching Methods in Economics. Chicago, IL. January 2012.
2012 Annual Meeting. American Economic Association. Chicago, IL. January 2012.
NAEP Database Training Seminar. Department of Education. Washington D.C. August 2011.

Selected Academic Service:

Undergraduate Economics Advisor, University of South Carolina
Financial Literacy Consultant, South Carolina National Guard.
Journal Referee, Journal of Economic Education.
Campus Partner Presentation on Financial Literacy, University 101 Program, 2015.
Second Reader for Student Thesis Project, University of South Carolina Honors College, 2014-2015.
Outside Expert Advisor for Student Thesis Project, Healthwood Hall, 2014-2015.
Associate, South Carolina Council for Economic Education, 2013-2015.
Associate, Nebraska Council on Economic Education, 2008-2012
Member, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, Economics Department Search Committee, 2011-2012
Member, College of Business Administration, Economics Strategic Planning Committee, MBA Taskforce, 2011

Selected Awards and Grants:

Flipped Classroom Development Grant, Center for Teaching Excellence, 2015.
Philip Saunders Best Economic Education Paper Award, Council for Economic Education, 2013.
UNL Parents' Recognition Award, 2012.
Department Award for Excellence in Teaching by a Graduate Assistant, 2012.
Robert C. and Patricia N. Bingham Economics Fellowship, 2011.
UNL Outstanding Graduate Teaching Assistant Award Honorable Mention, 2010 & 2011.
UNL CFA Scholarship, 2010.
CBA Outstanding Graduate Teaching Assistant Award Honorable Mention, 2010.