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Curriculum Vitae – July 2016

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Academic Appointments

College of Charleston Charleston, SC	Professor of Economics Associate Professor of Economics (Tenured August, 2010)	2012 - present 2007 - 2012
Harvard Medical School, Department of Psychiatry and Cambridge Health Alliance, Division on Addiction Cambridge, MA	Visiting Professor	fall 2014
Georgia College Milledgeville, GA	Associate Professor of Economics Assistant Professor of Economics (Tenured August, 2003)	2003 - 2007 1998 - 2003
Louisiana State University Baton Rouge, LA	Instructor of Economics	1997 - 1998
Auburn University Auburn, AL	Graduate Research/Teaching Assistant Department of Economics	1993 - 1997

Other Positions

Casinonomics Consulting, LLC Charleston, SC	Owner/Consultant	2013 - present
Spectrum Gaming Group Linwood, NJ	Academic Consultant	2008 - present
Nathan Associates Washington, DC	Academic Consultant	2009 - present

Initiative for Public Choice & Market Process College of Charleston	Market Process Faculty Fellowship	2013 - 2016
Asia-Pacific Assoc. for Gambling Studies Taipa, Macau, SAR, China	Vice President	2011 - present

Editorial Appointments

<i>International Gambling Studies</i>	Regional Assistant Editor	2012 - present
<i>Gaming Law Review and Economics</i>	Economics Editor	2010 - present
<i>UNLV Gaming Research and Review Journal</i>	Editorial Board Member	2010 - present
<i>The Brief Addiction Science Information Source</i> (<i>The BASIS</i> , basisonline.org)	Editorial Board Member	2016 - present
<i>Journal of Gambling and Commercial</i> <i>Gaming Research</i> [new journal]	Editorial Board Member	2015 - 2018

Education

Ph.D., Economics, Auburn University, Auburn, AL. March 1998.

Fields: International Economics; Public Economics

Dissertation: *Sin and Growth: The Effects of Legalized Gambling on State Economic Development*

Co-Advisors: John D. Jackson and Robert B. Ekelund

B.S., Business Administration, Kansas State University, Manhattan, KS. May 1993.

Major: Accounting

Awards

“Eadington Award for Excellence in Economics,” 16th International Conference on Gambling & Risk Taking (2016)

“Distinguished Research Award,” College of Charleston, School of Business and Economics (2008-09)

“Honor Professor,” Phi Kappa Phi (2001)

“Economics Teacher of the Year,” Georgia Association of Economics & Finance (1998)

Research

Interests

Economic & social impacts of legalized gambling; Public economics; Applied microeconomics

Books

Casinonomics: The Socioeconomic Impacts of the Casino Industry. New York: Springer (2013)
Reviewed by E. Grinols, *Journal of Economic Literature* 52: 555-557 (2014)
Japanese translation, Nikkei Business Publications, Tokyo, Japan, 2015

The Economics of Casino Gambling. New York: Springer (2007)
Reviewed by E. Goss, *Journal of Economic Literature* 46: 748-749 (2008)
Chinese translation, Yang-Chih Book Co. Ltd., Taiwan, 2008

Research in Progress or Under Review

“Responsible Gambling: Who Uses Win Limits?,” with S. Nelson, D. LaPlante, and H. Shaffer

“The Effect of Casino Proximity on Lottery Sales: Zip Code-Level Evidence from Maryland,” with W. Cummings and C. Cotti

“(How) Would the New Hampshire Model of Free Market Casino Legalization Work?”

Refereed Journal Articles

“Social and Economic Impacts of Gambling” (2016) with R. Sobel. Invited paper, Current Addiction Reports, in press.

“A Review of Regulatory Theory and the U.S. Casino Industry” (2016) with P. Calcagno. Journal of Gambling Business and Economics 10(1): 14-39.

“Setting Win Limits: An Alternative Approach to ‘Responsible Gambling’?” (2015) with S. Litvin, R. Sobel, and R. St-Pierre. Journal of Gambling Studies 31(3): 965-986.

“Stopping When You’re Ahead: Win Limits and Responsible Gambling” (2015) with S. Litvin, R. Sobel, and R. St-Pierre. Responsible Gambling Review 1(2): 1-9.

“How Availability and Accessibility of Gambling Venues Affect Problem Gambling: A Review of the Literature” (2014) with R. St-Pierre, J. Derevensky, and R. Gupta. Gaming Law Review & Economics 18(2): 150-172.

“Casino Revenue Sensitivity to Competing Casinos: A Spatial Analysis of Missouri” (2014) with T. Nesbit. Growth and Change 45(1): 21-40.

“Casinos and Economic Growth: An Update” (2013) with J. Jackson. Journal of Gambling Business and Economics 7(2): 80-87.

“Casinos and Political Corruption in the United States: A Granger Causality Analysis” (2013) with P. Calcagno. Applied Economics 45(34): 4781-4795.

“William R. Eadington and the Economics of Gambling” (2012) with K. Philander. UNLV Gaming Research & Review Journal 16(2): 9-18.

“The Effect of Legalized Gambling on State Government Revenue” (2011) with J. Jackson. Contemporary Economic Policy 29(1): 101-114.

“Financial Returns to Casino Amenities” (2011) with L. Bryant. Journal of Gambling Business and Economics 5(1): 67-84.

“Casino Revenues and Retail Property Values: The Detroit Case” (2011) with J. Wiley. Journal of Real Estate Finance and Economics 42(1): 99-114.

“The Roots of Modern ‘Social Cost of Gambling’ Estimates” (2011) with S. Kelly. Economic Affairs 31(1): 38-42.

“The Impact of Casinos on Fatal Alcohol-Related Traffic Accidents in the United States” (2010) with C. Cotti. Journal of Health Economics 29(6): 788-796.

“Determinants of the Probability and Timing of Commercial Casino Legalization in the United States” (2010) with P. Calcagno and J. Jackson. Public Choice 142(1-2): 69-90.

“The Relationship between Gambling Behavior and Binge Drinking, Hard Drug Use, and Paying for Sex” (2010) with C. Clark and J. Folk. UNLV Gaming Research & Review Journal 14(1): 15-26.

“Does Adolescent Attractiveness Matter? Academic Performance, College Attendance, and Criminal and Delinquent Behavior” (2009) with C. Clark. Southern Business & Economics Journal 32(3&4): 57-78.

“Katrina and the Gulf States Casino Industry” (2009) with J. Jackson. Journal of Business Valuation and Economic Loss Analysis 4(2): article 9.

“Are Gamblers More Likely to Commit Crimes? Evidence from a Nationally Representative Survey of US Young Adults” (2009) with C. Clark. International Gambling Studies 9(2): 119-134.

“Clarification of the Social Costs of Gambling” (2008). Journal of Public Budgeting, Accounting, and Financial Management 20(2): 141-152.

“Evaluating Crime Attributable to Casinos in the U.S.: A Closer Look at Grinols and Mustard’s ‘Casinos, Crime, and Community Costs’” (2008). Journal of Gambling Business and Economics 2(3): 23-52.

“Market-Based ‘Disaster Relief’: Katrina and the Casino Industry” (2008) with J. Jackson. International Journal of Social Economics 35(7): 521-530.

“Do U.S. Gambling Industries Cannibalize Each Other?” (2008) with J. Jackson. Public Finance Review 36(3): 308-333. [Reprinted in *The Economics of Gambling and National Lotteries*, ch. 29. L. Williams, ed. Edward Elgar, 2012.]

“Do Casinos Really Cause Crime?” (2008). Econ Journal Watch 5(1): 4-20. Online, aier.org/ejw

“Do Casinos Cause Economic Growth?” (2007) with J. Jackson. American Journal of Economics and Sociology 66(3): 593-607. [Reprinted in *Perspectives on Gambling: Lotteries, Wagers, and Casinos*, pp. 129-143. L. Moss, ed. Wiley-Blackwell, 2007.]

“Problems with Quantifying the Social Costs and Benefits of Gambling” (2007). American Journal of Economics and Sociology 66(3): 609-645. [Reprinted in *Perspectives on Gambling: Lotteries, Wagers, and Casinos*, pp. 145-181. L. Moss, ed. Wiley-Blackwell, 2007.]

“Additional Evidence on the Relationship between Class Size and Student Performance” (2004) with J. Arias. Journal of Economic Education 35(4): 311-329.

“Methodological Issues in the Social Cost of Gambling Studies” (2003). Journal of Gambling Studies 19(2): 149-184.

“Is Professional Gambling a Directly Unproductive Profit-Seeking (DUP) Activity?” (2001). International Gambling Studies 1: 177-183.

“The Social Costs of Gambling: An Economic Perspective” (1999) with A. Barnett. Journal of Gambling Studies 15(3): 181-212.

“State Lotteries, Isolation, and Economic Growth in the U.S.” (1999) with J. Jackson. Review of Urban & Regional Development Studies 11(3): 187-192.

“Legalized Casino Gambling and the Export Base Theory of Economic Growth” (1999). Gaming Law Review 3(2/3): 157-163

“New Goods and Economic Growth: Evidence from Legalized Gambling” (1998), with J. Jackson. Review of Regional Studies 28(2): 47-69.

“J.S. Mill on the Income Tax Exemption and Inheritance Taxes: The Evidence Reconsidered” (1996) with R. Ekelund. History of Political Economy 28(4): 559-581.

Comments, Notes, Trade & Other Articles

“Economic Benefits of Casinos Likely to Outweigh Costs” (2014). Invited article, *The Conversation*. Online, <http://theconversation.com/us> (October 28).

“The Social Costs of Gambling” (2014). Invited article, *YGI Newsletter* 14(1). Online, youthgambling.com

“Tribute to the International Conference on Gambling and Risk-Taking” (2012). UNLV Gaming Research & Review Journal 16(2): 85-86.

“Problems Identified by Mäkelä Parallel Those in the ‘Social Cost of Gambling’ Studies” (2012). Nordic Studies on Alcohol and Drugs 29(4): 363-365.

“Are You ‘Hot or Not?’” (2008), with M. Baxter. Atlantic Economic Journal 36(3): 367-368.

“The Diluted Economics of Casinos and Crime: A Rejoinder to Grinols and Mustard’s Reply” (2008). Econ Journal Watch 5(2): 148-155. Online, aier.org/ejw

“Hurdles in Gambling Research: Measuring the Social and Economic Costs of Gambling” (2008). Invited editorial, Canadian Gaming Business 2(6): 33 (August).

“Creating a Standardised Measure of Social and Economic Effects” (2008). Invited editorial, Casino & Gaming International, pp. 99-102 (April).

“Hurdles in Gambling Research” (2008). Invited editorial, BASIS Online. Harvard Medical School, Cambridge Health Alliance, Division on Addictions. February 7. Online, basisonline.org

“Kindt’s Paper Epitomizes the Problems in Gambling Research” (2004). Invited comment, Managerial and Decision Economics 25(4): 197-200.

“A Note on Multiple Choice Exams with respect to Students’ Risk Preference and Confidence” (2001) with J. Thompson. Assessment & Evaluation in Higher Education 26(3): 261-267.

“Response to McGowan’s Comment on ‘The Social Costs of Gambling: An Economic Perspective’” (1999) with A. Barnett. Journal of Gambling Studies 15(3): 217-221.

“Comment on ‘Legal Gambling as a Strategy of Economic Development’” (1998). Economic Development Quarterly 12(3): 214-216.

Book Chapters

“The Debate Over Legal Gambling.” In *Regulating Land Based Casinos*, 2nd ed. A. Cabot and N. Pindell, eds. UNLV Gaming Press, forthcoming 2017. [First published in *Regulating Land Based Casinos*, 2014, pp. 1-20.]

“Gambling Taxes” with C. Hodges. In *Taxing More Choice*. A. Hoffer and T. Nesbit, eds. Mercatus Center, George Mason University, forthcoming 2017.

“Economics” section in *Conceptual Framework of Harmful Gambling: An International Collaboration Revised Edition*. Gambling Research Exchange Ontario (GREO), 2015.

“Mr. Burns’ Casino: The Economics of Casino Gambling” with S. Kelly. In *Homer Economicus: The Simpsons and Economics*, pp. 151-160. J. Hall, ed. Stanford University Press, 2014.

“Overview of the Economic and Social Impacts of Gambling in the U.S.” In *Oxford Handbook on the Economics of Gambling*, pp. 108-129. L. Williams and D. Siegel, eds. Oxford University Press, 2013.

“The Lottery and Casino Gambles in Tennessee.” In *Freedom and Prosperity in Tennessee*, pp. 191-208. J.R. Clark, ed. Probasco Chair of Free Enterprise, 2012.

“Casinos and Crime in the U.S.” In *Handbook on the Economics of Crime*, pp. 488-517. B. Benson and P. Zimmerman, eds. Edward Elgar, 2010.

“The Economics of Gambling.” In *21st Century Economics: A Reference Handbook*, pp. 677-685. R. Free, J. Ankom, R. Bartlett, K. Case, and W. Stock, eds. Sage, 2010.

“Gambling.” In *Encyclopedia of the Life Course and Human Development*, pp. 155-158 (vol. 2). D. Carr, ed. Macmillan Reference, 2009.

“Ongoing Challenges in Research on the Social Costs of Gambling.” In *Economic Aspects of Gambling Regulation: EU and US Perspectives*, pp. 13-29. T. Coryn, et al., eds. Martinus Nijhoff, 2008.

Public Speaking/Testimony on Research/Consulting

Georgia House and Senate Study Committees on the Preservation of the HOPE Scholarship Program. “Expanded Gambling in Georgia: Social and Economic Impacts to Consider.” Atlanta, GA. (December 10, 2015)

Kansas Lottery Gaming Facilities Review Board. “Forecasting County-Level Economic Impacts of a New Casino in Southeast Kansas.” Topeka, KS. (June 10, 2015)

Kansas Lottery Gaming Facilities Review Board. “Estimating the Competitive Impacts of Casinos in Northeast Oklahoma on the Casinos Proposed for Southeast Kansas.” Topeka, KS. (June 10, 2015)

Maryland Department of Budget and Management. “The Impacts of the Introduction of Casinos on the Sales of Traditional Lottery Products in Maryland”, report with Cummings Associates. Baltimore, MD. (August 15, 2014)

Maryland State Lottery and Gaming Control Agency. “The Impacts of the Introduction of Casinos on the Sales of Traditional Lottery Products in Maryland”, report with Cummings Associates. Baltimore, MD. (August 14, 2014)

Florida House of Representatives. Testimony on Spectrum Gaming Group’s gaming study for Florida legislature. Tallahassee, FL. (October 9, 2013)

Florida Senate. Testimony on Spectrum Gaming Group’s gaming study for Florida legislature. Tallahassee, FL. (October 7, 2013)

Massachusetts Gaming Commission. “Public Forum on the economic impacts of casinos in Massachusetts.” Invited panelist. Worcester, MA. (June 13, 2012)

Consulting and Funded Research

Government Projects

Gambling Research Exchange Ontario (with Strategic Science). “State of Problem Gambling Evidence: Societal and Economic Impact of Gambling.” (Summer 2015)

Kansas Lottery Gaming Facilities Review Board (with Union Gaming Analytics, et al.). “Forecasting County-Level Economic Impacts of a New Casino in Southeast Kansas.” (Summer 2015)

Kansas Lottery Gaming Facilities Review Board (with Union Gaming Analytics, et al.). “Estimating the Competitive Impacts of Casinos in Northeast Oklahoma on the Casinos Proposed for Southeast Kansas.” (Summer 2015)

Maryland State Lottery & Gaming Control Agency (with Cummings Associates). The Impacts of Introduction of Casinos on the Sales of Traditional Lottery Products in Maryland. (Summer 2014)

Iowa Racing & Gaming Commission (with Spectrum Gaming Group). Literature review. (March 2014)

State of Florida Legislature (with Spectrum Gaming Group). Florida Gaming Study. (Summer 2013)

French Embassy, Department of Economic Affairs, Washington, DC. Claire Meyer. The U.S. Gambling Industry. (November 2009; pro bono)

State of Missouri, Office of the Attorney General. Social Cost of Gambling Literature. (June 2008)

State of Massachusetts (with Spectrum Gaming Group). Economic Impact Study for Casinos. (May 2008)

Canadian Centre on Substance Abuse. "A Simple Model to Explain and Illustrate the Definition of 'Social Cost'" (May 2000)

Industry Projects

Casino Association of Indiana (with Spectrum Gaming Group). "Responding to Competition, New Challenges: Regulatory, Tax Reform in Indiana." (August 2014)

New York Gaming Association (with Spectrum Gaming Group). "New York Gaming Analysis: Potential Impact of Commercial Casinos on Lottery Ticket Sales and Video Gaming Machine Revenues." (June 2013)

Pauma Band of Mission Indians (with Williams & Cochrane). "Declaration in support of Pauma's Supplemental Memorandum Regarding Amount of Restitution." (June 2013)

Clairvest Group, Inc. (with Spectrum Gaming Group). "Casinos and Crime: Analyzing the Relationship and the Record." (July 2012)

Spectrum Gaming Group. "Substitution Effect between Online Gambling and Lotteries." (April 2012)

Pauma Band of Mission Indians (with Rosette & Associates). "Declaration in support of Pauma's motion for preliminary injunction to prevent enforcement of compact payment provisions." (March 2010)

Spectrum Gaming Group (with Nathan Associates). "The Likely Effect of VLTs on the Pennsylvania Lottery." (April 2009)

Canadian Gaming Association. "The Social and Economic Impacts of Gambling Report: Comments and Considerations." (August 2008)

American Gaming Association. "Challenges that Confront Researchers on Estimating the Social Costs of Gambling." 10th Anniversary White Paper Series. (September 2007)

Amazing Taiwan Co., Ltd. (with W. Eadington). Paper: "Economic Implications of Casino Gambling in Taiwan." (September 2006)

Casino Association of Indiana. Paper: "Review of PolicyAnalytics' 'A Benefit-Cost Analysis of Indiana's Riverboat Casinos for FY 2005'." (March 2006)

Nevada Resort Association. Paper: "Review of Schwer, Thompson, and Nakamuro, 'Beyond the Limits of Recreation: Social Costs of Gambling in Las Vegas'." (March 2003)

Academic Projects

College of Charleston, Center for Public Choice & Market Process Research Grant. "Should Governments Mandate or Nudge 'Responsible Gambling' Behavior?" (Summer 2016)

College of Charleston, Initiative for Public Choice & Market Process Research Grant. "U.S. Casino Industry Saturation and Optimal Tax Rates." (Summer 2015)

College of Charleston, Initiative for Public Choice & Market Process Research Grant. "Have State Gaming Commissions Been Captured by the Casino Industry?" (Summer 2014)

College of Charleston, School of Business Research Grant. "Market Concentration and Hotel Room Prices in Las Vegas." (Summer 2013)

College of Charleston, School of Business Research Grant. "Casino Revenue Sensitivity to Competing Casinos." (Summer 2012)

College of Charleston, School of Business Research Grant. "Casinos and Corruption." (Summer 2011)

College of Charleston, Initiative for Public Choice & Market Process Research Grant. "Casino Tax Rates and the Economic Impact of Casinos at the State Level." (Summer 2010)

South Carolina Policy Council and the Initiative for Public Choice & Market Process Research Grant, "Regulatory Reform Principles for South Carolina." In *Unleashing Capitalism: How to Increase South Carolina's Economic Prosperity*, pp. 151-169. P. Calcagno, ed. (2009)

South Carolina Policy Council and the Initiative for Public Choice & Market Process Research Grant, "Specific Tax Reforms to Increase Economic Growth in South Carolina," with S. Arsenault. In *Unleashing Capitalism: How to Increase South Carolina's Economic Prosperity*, pp. 89-107. (2009)

Harrah Hospitality Research Center Grant. "Profitability and Return-on-Investment from Casino Amenities," with L. Bryant. (2009-10)

College of Charleston, Initiative for Public Choice & Market Process Research Grant. "R.I.P. Social Cost of Gambling Studies." (Summer 2009)

DeVoe Moore Symposium for the Handbook on the Economics of Crime, Florida State University. Research Grant. "Casinos and Crime." (Spring 2009)

College of Charleston, Faculty Research Grant. "Do Gambling Taxes Over-Burden the Poor?: The Case of Casino Taxes." (Summer 2008)

College of Charleston, Carter Real Estate Center Research Grant. "Casino Revenues and Retail Property Values: The Detroit Case." (Summer 2008)

College of Charleston, SURF Grant. "An Experiment on Small Changes in Appearance, Academic Performance, and Attractiveness Ratings," with C. Blair and A. Colao. (Summer 2008)

Invited or Externally Funded Presentations

British Columbia Lottery Corporation, New Horizons in Responsible Gambling Conference. "Should 'Win Limits' Become a Part of 'Responsible Gambling'?" Vancouver, B.C., Canada. (February 2016)

Ethics and Economics Education of New England. "Big Idea Conference on Gambling Legalization" invited panelist. Concord, NH. (November 2015)

International Masters of Gambling Law. "An Inconvenient Tax" panel participant. Lima, Peru. (October 2015)

Bastiat Society. "The Economics of Addiction." Charleston, SC. (July 2015)

"The Impacts of the Introduction of Casinos on the Sales of Traditional Lottery Products in Maryland" (November 2014)

La Fleur's 2014 Conclave & Interactive Summit, Austin, TX.

2nd Annual Conference on Non-Traditional Lottery Games and Casino Games, Baltimore, MD.

Macao Polytechnic Institute, Seminar on Gaming Management Series. "Socioeconomic Impacts of Casinos." Macao, SAR, China. (November 2013)

Georgia State University, Center for the Economic Analysis of Risk. "Win Limits as a Component of 'Responsible Gaming'." Invited workshop participant. Atlanta, GA. (April 2013)

"The Socioeconomic Impacts of the Casino Industry" (March 2013)

Kenyon College, Shepherd Lecture, Gambier, OH.

Capital University, Columbus, OH.

The Ohio State University, Columbus, OH.

Bastiat Society. "Is Legalized Casino Gambling Good for the Economy?" Charleston, SC. (January 2011)

Macao Polytechnic Institute, Global Gaming Management Seminar Series. "The Economic Effects of Casino Gambling: A Perspective from the U.S." Macao, SAR China. (October 2009)

DeVoe Moore Symposium on Critical Issues: The Economics of Crime. For the *Handbook on the Economics of Crime*. "Casinos and Crime." Florida State University, Tallahassee, FL. (March 2009)

Harvard Medical School, Cambridge Health Alliance, Division on Addictions. 9th Annual NCRG Conference on Gambling and Addiction. "Analyzing the Costs and Benefits of Gambling: Cultural, Historical, and Economic Perspectives." Las Vegas, NV. (November 2008)

Nathan Associates. "The Economics of Casino Gambling." Washington, D.C. (November 2008).

Center for the Study of Political Economy, Hampden-Sydney College. "Virtues of the U.S. Gambling Vice." Hampden-Sydney, VA. (October 2008)

Canadian Gaming Summit. "Hurdles in Gambling Research: Social & Economic Costs." Montréal, Canada. (May 2008)

NCRG, 21st Annual Conference on Prevention, Research and Treatment of Problem Gambling. "The Weak Link Between Gambling Research and Policy: Cost-Benefit Analysis." Kansas City, MO. (June 2007)

Special Issue Workshop for *Economica*. "The Effect of Legalized Gambling on State Tax Revenue," with J. Jackson. University of California, Riverside. Palm Desert, CA. (May 2007)

College of Charleston, Department of Economics & Finance. "The Economics of Casino Gambling." Charleston, SC. (February 2007)

University of Alberta, Department of Economics. "The Economics of Casino Gambling." Edmonton, Canada. (February 2007)

Dutch State Lottery. Colloquium on the European and National Perspectives of the Regulation of Gambling. "Ongoing Challenges in Cost-Benefit Analyses of Casino Gambling." Tilburg University, The Netherlands. (November 2006)

U.K. Casino Scoping Study, Economic Impact Module, Lancaster University, UK. Invited virtual workshop participant. Tilburg, The Netherlands. (November 2006)

Harvard Medical School, Cambridge Health Alliance, Division on Addictions. 7th NGRG Conference on Gambling and Addiction. "What Happens When We Ignore Science? Risks to Public Policy and Public Health." Las Vegas, NV. (November 2006)

Harvard Medical School, Cambridge Health Alliance, Division on Addictions. 7th NGRG Conference on Gambling and Addiction. "The Real Costs: How to Effectively Measure Social and Economic Impacts." Las Vegas, NV. (November 2006)

Alberta Gaming Research Institute. 5th Annual Conference: Social and Economic Costs and Benefits of Gambling. "Quantification of the Social Costs and Benefits of Gambling." Banff, Canada. (April 2006)

Maryland League of Women Voters. "Complicating Issues on the Social Costs of Gambling and Slot Machines in Maryland." Annapolis, MD. (December 2003)

Canadian Centre on Substance Abuse. 1st International Symposium on the Social Costs of Gambling. "A Simple Model to Illustrate the Definition of 'Social Cost'." Whistler, Canada. (September 2000)

Television / Radio Presentation or Guest

Aljazeera America, *Inside Story*. "The winners and losers of casino gambling." TV show guest (Washington, DC, September 16, 2014)

NPR, *OnPoint with Tom Ashbrook*. "Is the gamble on casinos paying off?" Radio show guest (Boston, June 24, 2014)

NPR, *OnPoint with Tom Ashbrook*. "Casino cannibalization." Radio show guest (Boston, April 17, 2012)

C-SPAN Radio. "The Real Costs: How to Effectively Measure Social and Economic Impacts." Presentation at 7th NGRG Conference on Gambling and Addiction (Las Vegas, November 2006). Aired Sunday, 10 December 2006, 10.00 a.m.

Research Presentations at Professional Conferences or Seminars

"(How) Would the New Hampshire Model of Free Market Casino Legalization Work?"

11th European Conference on Gambling Studies and Policy Issues. Lisbon, Portugal. (September 2016)

16th International Conference on Gambling and Risk-Taking. Las Vegas, NV. (June 2016)

"Responsible Gambling: Who Uses Win Limits?," with S. Nelson, D. LaPlante, and H. Shaffer.

85th Annual Southern Economic Association Conference. New Orleans, LA. (November 2015)

80th International Atlantic Economic Conference. Boston, MA. (October 2015)

"Responsible Gambling, Casino Taxes, and Policy," sabbatical presentation. College of Charleston Department of Economics Seminar Series. Charleston, SC. (October 2015)

"The Effect of Casino Proximity on Lottery Sales: Zip Code-Level Evidence from Maryland," with W. Cummings. 10th European Conference on Gambling Studies and Policy Issues. Helsinki, Finland. (September 2014)

"Setting Win Limits: An Alternative Approach to 'Responsible Gambling'?" with S. Litvin, R. Sobel, and R. St-Pierre.

77th International Atlantic Economic Conference. Madrid, Spain. (April 2014)

University of Nevada, Reno, Department of Economics Seminar (January 2014)

College of Charleston, Department of Economics Seminar Series. (January 2014)

15th International Conference on Gambling and Risk-Taking. Las Vegas, NV. (May 2013)

"Market Concentration and Hotel Prices in Las Vegas" with Brumby McLeod. 15th International Conference on Gambling and Risk-Taking. Las Vegas, NV. (May 2013)

"Casinos and Economic Growth: An Update" with J. Jackson. Southern Economic Association Conference. New Orleans, LA. (November 2012)

"Missouri Casino Revenue Sensitivity to Competing Casinos" with T. Nesbit.

37th Annual Conference, Association of Private Enterprise Education. Las Vegas, NV. (April 2012)

51st Annual Meeting, Southern Regional Science Association. Charlotte, NC. (March 2012)

Discussant: "Economic Education." American Economic Association Conference. Chicago, IL. (January 2012)

"The Casino Industry and the Corruption of Public Officials" with P. Calcagno.

36th Annual Conference, Association of Private Enterprise Education. Nassau, Bahamas. (April 2011)

70th International Atlantic Economic Conference. Charleston, SC. (October 2010)

84th Annual Western Economic Association International Conference. Vancouver, Canada. (July 2009)

14th International Conference on Gambling and Risk-Taking. Lake Tahoe, NV. (May 2009)

“The Ill-Formed and Rotten Roots of the ‘Social Cost of Gambling’ Estimates in the Literature.” 35th Annual Conference, Association for Private Enterprise Education. Las Vegas, NV. (April 2010)

“Tax Reforms for Growth in South Carolina.” Association for Private Enterprise Education, 35th annual conference. Las Vegas, NV. (April 2010)

“Casinos and Crime: What is the Evidence?”

14th International Conference on Gambling and Risk-Taking. Lake Tahoe, NV. (May 2009)

Southern Economic Association Conference. New Orleans, LA. (November 2007)

“What Are the Social Costs of Gambling?” 7th European Conference on Gambling Studies and Policy Issues. European Association for the Study of Gambling. Nova Gorica, Slovenia. (July 2008)

“The Regressivity of Gambling Taxes: The Case of Casinos.”

74th International Atlantic Economic Conference. Montréal, Québec, Canada. (October 2012)

7th European Association for the Study of Gambling conference. Nova Gorica, Slovenia. (July 2008)

“Are You ‘Hot or Not’? (And if Not, What Can You Do About It?)” with C. Blair and A. Colao. College of Charleston Department of Economics & Finance Seminar Series. Charleston, SC. (April 2008)

“Katrina and the Gulf States Casino Industry” with J. Jackson. Southern Economic Association Conference. New Orleans, LA. (November 2007)

“Do Casinos Cause Economic Growth?” with J. Jackson.

Southern Economic Association Conference. Charleston, SC. (November 2006)

13th International Conference on Gambling and Risk-Taking. Lake Tahoe, NV. (May 2006)

“Different Perspectives on Estimating the Social Costs and Benefits of Gambling.” 13th International Conference on Gambling and Risk-Taking. Lake Tahoe, NV. (May 2006)

“Do U.S. Gambling Industries Cannibalize Each Other?” with J. Jackson. Southern Economic Association Conference. New Orleans, LA. (November 2004)

“Gambling as a Rational Addiction.” 12th International Conference on Gambling and Risk-Taking. Vancouver, BC, Canada. (May 2003)

“Maximizing Gambling Tax Revenues: The Optimal Mix of Gambling in a State.” 12th International Conference on Gambling and Risk-Taking. Vancouver, BC, Canada. (May 2003)

“The Relationships among Gambling Industries in the U.S.” with J. Jackson.

Southern Economic Association Conference. New Orleans, LA. (November 2002)

11th International Conference on Gambling and Risk-Taking. Las Vegas, NV. (June 2000)

“Unemployment Insurance as a Stability Policy in a Common Market.” Southern Economic Association Conference. New Orleans, LA. (November 2002)

“Is Gambling a DUP Activity?” 11th International Conference on Gambling and Risk-Taking. Las Vegas, NV. (June 2000)

Reviewer: *Addison Wesley | Alberta Gaming Research Institute | Cengage/Thomson | Elsevier | Gambling Research Exchange Ontario | Rockefeller Institute of Government | McGraw-Hill/Irwin | Worth*

Membership in Professional Organizations

<i>Leadership Position</i>	Asia Pacific Association for Gambling Studies (Vice President, 2011-2015)
<i>Current Memberships</i>	Association for Private Enterprise Education (2000-01, 2010-present) International Atlantic Economic Association (2007-2010, 2012, 2014-17) National Council on Problem Gambling (2015-16) Southern Economic Association (1996-present; lifetime member) Western Economic Association (2008-2012, 2015-17)
<i>Previous Memberships</i>	American Association of University Professors (1998-2004) American Economic Association (1996-2000, 2006-08) Society for the Advancement of Behavioral Economics (2003-04) Southern Regional Science Association (1998-2000, 2012)

Teaching

Interests

Microeconomics (Principles and Intermediate), Socioeconomics of Gambling, Public Economics, Senior Research Seminar, International Trade, Intermediate Macroeconomics

Courses Taught

Principles classes from 12 to 120 students; upper-level classes from 7 to 40 students. Teaching evaluations available upon request.

Introductory-level:	Freshman Seminar for Economics Honors Survey of Economics	Principles of Microeconomics Survey of Economics
Upper-level:	Controversial Economics Issues Drugs and Society (Honors Seminar) Economics/Socioeconomics of Gambling Intermediate Macroeconomics	Intermediate Microeconomics Public Finance Senior Seminar in Economics
Graduate-level:	International Trade Theory	Managerial Economics

Student Advising/Supervision

Independent Study (Elizabeth Mandell, spring 2016)
College of Charleston Political Economy Club (founding faculty advisor, spring 2011)

Economics & Investment Club (Georgia College, founding faculty advisor, 2001-07)
Market Scholars (College of Charleston, individual student research supervision, 2015-present)
Omicron Delta Epsilon (faculty advisor, College of Charleston, 2012-present; Georgia College, 2001-07)

Administrative Experience

Interim Director, Initiative for Public Choice & Market Process, College of Charleston (spring 2010)

Selected Public Service Activities

St. Andrews School of Math and Science: volunteer for various events; exam proctor
“Westie Award 2011,” for public service in the West Ashley (SC) community
Lowcountry Senior Center lectures: Economic impacts of legal casinos (June 2009; August 2011)

Business Experience

Walker Brothers Co., Olathe, KS. Co-owner, 1988-1993. The family business includes six car-washes in Kansas City and distributorships for Hydro-Spray equipment and Blue Coral Systems chemicals. The company has an annual gross income of over \$1 million.

International Travel

Austria	China (Hong Kong; Macao)	India	Spain
Bahamas	Finland	Italy	Switzerland
Belgium	France	Mexico	Thailand
Belize	Germany	Netherlands	Turkey
Canada	Greece	Peru	
Cayman Islands	Honduras	Slovenia	

Other Interests

College football; fine dining; scuba diving; skiing (snow and water); Stoic philosophy; tennis; travel