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Positions:

Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, Brigham Young University, Fall 2007 -
Faculty Research Fellow, NBER, 2008 –
Research Fellow, IZA, 2010-

Education:

Ph.D. Economics, Cornell University, August 2007.
B.A. Economics, Brigham Young University, August 2003.

Research Fields:

Applied Micro: Family, Health, Labor, and Education

Publications:

“Racial Discrimination Among NBA Referees” (with Justin Wolfers), *Quarterly Journal of Economics*, forthcoming.

“Changing the Price of Marriage” (with Kasey Buckles and Melanie Guldi), *Journal of Human Resources*, forthcoming.

“Tournament Incentives, League Policy, and NBA Team Performance Revisited” (with Brian Soebbing, David Berri, and Brad Humphreys), *Journal of Sports Economics*, forthcoming.

“Beyond Employment and Income: The Association between Young Adults' Finances and Marital Timing” (with Jeffrey Dew), *Journal of Family and Economic Issues*, forthcoming.

“Education and the Response to Medical Research” (with Kosali Simon), *Journal of Health Economics*, 28(6): 1166–1174, 2009.

“Teenage Time Use” (with Suzanne Bianchi, Bijou Hunt, and Vanessa Wight). *Social Science Research*, 38(4): 792-806, 2009.

“Parent-Child Quality Time: Does Birth Order Matter?” *Journal of Human Resources* 43(1): 240–265, 2008.

“Gender Differences in the Response to Competition” *Industrial and Labor Relations Review*, 61 (3), 320-333, 2008.

“Racial Bias in the NBA: Implications in Betting Markets” (with Tim Larsen and Justin Wolfers) *Journal of the Quantitative Analysis of Sports*, 4(2), article 7, 2008.

“Inside the Black Box of Doctoral Education” (with Ron Ehrenberg, George Jakubson, Jeff Groen, and Eric So) *Educational Evaluation and Policy Analysis*, vol. 29(2): 134-150, 2007.

Working Papers:

“Pay-to-Bid Auctions” (with Brennan Platt and Henry Tappen) *NBER Working Paper #15695*.

“The Gender Gap Cracks Under Pressure: A Detailed Look at Male and Female Performance Differences During Competitions” (with Chris Cotton and Frank McIntyre)

“Interracial Workplace Cooperation: Evidence from the NBA.” (with Lars Lefgren and Henry Tappen) *NBER Working Paper #14749*.

“Educational Gaps in Medical Care and Health Behavior: Evidence from Natality Data.” (with Josh Price and Kosali Simon)

“Marriage and Infant Health” (with Kasey Buckles)

“Using Incentives to Encourage Healthy Eating in Children” (with David Just)

“The Effect of Parental Time Investments: Evidence from Natural Within-Family Variation”

“Pornography, Religion, and Happiness: Does Pornography Affect the Actively Religious Differently.” (with Rich Patterson)

“Made in America (by Immigrants): How Protectionism Spurs Illegal Immigration.” (with Tim Larsen and Val Lambson)

“Consumer Reactions to Drug Information: Response to FDA Warnings on Antidepressants.” (with Kristy Parkinson, Kosali Simon, and Sharon Tennyson)

“Movies and Marriage: Do some Films Harm Marital Happiness?” (with Kirk Doran)

“Racial Bias in Coaching Changes.” (with David Berri and Jason Cook)

“Biased Referees?: Reconciling Results with the NBA’s Analysis” (with Justin Wolfers)

“Performance under Pressure in the NBA” (with Zheng Cao and Dan Stone)

“Sub-game Perfect: Profitable Biases of NBA Referees.” (with Marc Remer and Dan Stone)

Work in progress:

“Racial Bias in US Elections” (with Kerwin Charles, Jon Guryan, and Kyung Park)

“High School Sports and Teenage Births” (with Dan Simon and Betsey Stevenson)

“The Impact of Medical Research” (with Josh Price and Kosali Simon)

“The Effect of Grandchildren on the Well-Being of the Elderly” (with Bob Plotnick)

“Exposure to Cable Television and Youth Violence” (with Sean Nicholson and Dan Simon)

Student-Mentored Research:

“Competition Between Doctors and Midwives.” (with Angie Fairchild)

“Student Achievement in Charter Schools: A Cross State Analysis” (with Dan Argyle)

“Television and Fertility” (with Nolan Pope)

“Ratings and Movie Revenues: Evidence from an F-word Discontinuity” (with Craig Palsson Jared Shore)

Grants and Awards:

Benjamin Miller Research Grant, ILR, Cornell (\$2,500), 1/2007

Bronfenbrenner Life Course Center Innovative Research Project Grant (w/ Kosali Simon),
Cornell (\$3,330), 6/2007

Institute for Social Science Seed Grant (w/ Kosali Simon), Cornell (\$6,500), 7/2007

Women’s Research Institute, BYU (\$3,000), 11/2007

Family Studies Center, BYU (\$6,000), 11/2007

Mentored Environment Grant, BYU (\$13,000), 4/2008

Small Grants Program in Behavioral Economics (w/ David Just), USDA ERS (\$30,000),
8/2008

Gerontology Program, BYU (\$3,400), 2/2009

Witherspoon Institute, Princeton (\$1,275), 10/2009

Mentored Environment Grant, BYU (\$13,090), 12/2009

Family Studies Center, BYU (\$3,400), 12/2009

USDA ERS grant (\$150,000), 8/2010

Professional Activities:

Referee for:

Agricultural and Resource Economics Review, American Economics Review, Biodemography, Demography, Economics and Human Biology, Economic Inquiry, Economica, Economic Journal, Economics Bulletin, Economics of Education Review, Educational Finance and Policy, Health Economics, Interfaces, Journal of Human Resources, Journal of Economic Behavior and Organizations, Journal of Labor Economics, Journal of Marketing Research, Journal of Policy Analysis and Management, Journal of Population Economics, Journal of Public Economics, Journal of Quantitative Analysis in Sports, Journal of the Scientific Study of Religion, Labour Economics, Oxford Economic Papers, Political Research Quarterly, Quarterly Journal of Economics, Review of Economic Studies, Social Science Research, Southern Economic Journal

Discussant: SEA (2006, 2007), APPAM (2006), WEA (2007, 2009), AEA (2008, 2010), SWEA (2008), PAA (2008), Social Costs of Pornography (2008)

Conference Presentations:

NBER summer institute, Children's workshop: 2005
Society of Labor Economics: 2006 (poster), 2007, 2008 (poster)
American Society of Health Economists: 2008, 2010
APPAM research conference: 2005, 2006
Population Association of America: 2006-2010
Southern Economic Association: 2006, 2007, 2009, 2010
Western Economic Association: 2007, 2009, 2010
National Poverty Center Conference on Religion: 2007
American Time Use conference: 2005 (poster), 2009
Mellon Foundation Graduate Education Initiative Conference: 2005
Intl. Assoc. of Sports Economists Conference: 2005
Child Development Conference (Norway): 2009
Intl. Association of Agricultural Economists: 2009
USDA ERS conference: 2010
Gijon Conference on Sports Economics (Spain): 2010

Seminars:

LSU (Spring 2011); University of Michigan (Jan 2011); Case Western (Nov 2010); UC Riverside (Oct 2010); UC Denver (April 2010); Washington University (March 2010); Utah Valley University (March 2010); U. British Columbia (Dec. 2009); U. Victoria (Dec. 2009); U. Utah (Dec. 2009); Virginia Tech (Nov. 2009); Florida State (April 2009); U. Washington (Feb 2009); Oregon State (Nov 2008); Baylor (Oct 2008); U. Miami (Oct 2008); UT-Arlington (April 2008); RAND (Nov 2007); Wharton (May 2006); Cornell (April 2006); U. of Oregon (August 2005)

Brigham Young University: Sociology: (Oct 2007); Statistics (March 2008); Family Studies: (April 2008); Women's Research Institute: (Jan 2009); EIME (March 2010), Nutrition (Oct 2010)

Classes Taught

Econ 380- Intermediate Microeconomics I
Econ 382- Intermediate Microeconomics II