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Positions:

Ford Professor of Economics, MIT

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Chairman, MIT Department of Economics, 2023-2026

President, Eastern Economics Association, 2023

Director, National Bureau of Economic Research's Program on Health Care, 2009-2019

President, American Society of Health Economists, 2016-2018.

Board of Directors of the American Society of Health Economists, 2016-2020

Board of Directors of the Health Care Cost Institute, 2011- 2018

Professor of Economics, MIT, 1997-2014

Margaret MacVicar Faculty Fellow, MIT, 2007-2017

Associate Head, MIT Department of Economics, 2006-2008, 2018-2019

Deputy Assistant Secretary for Economic Policy, U.S. Treasury Department, 1997-1998

Castle Krob Associate Professor of Economics, MIT, 1995-1997

Assistant Professor of Economics, MIT, 1992-1995

Director, National Bureau of Economic Research's Program on Children, 1996-2009

Faculty Research Fellow, National Bureau of Economic Research, 1992-1998

Board of the Commonwealth Health Insurance Connector Authority, 2006-2015

Executive Committee, American Economics Association, 2010-2012

CBO Long Term Modeling Advisory Group, 2000-2010
Member, NIH Center for Scientific Review Study Section on Social Sciences, 1998-2002
Co-Editor, Journal of Health Economics, 1998-2001
Associate Editor, Journal of Health Economics, 2001-2018
Co-Editor, Journal of Public Economics, 2002-2010
Associate Editor, American Economic Journal: Economic Policy, 2009-2015

Fellowships and Honors:

CitiBanamex Research Prize for Best Paper on Mexican Economy, 2022
MITx Prize for Teaching and Learning in MOOCs, 2021
Gugenheim Fellowship, 2020
Elected as a Fellow of the Econometric Society, 2016
MIT Undergraduate Economics Association Teaching Award, 2007 and 2015
2013 American Public Health Association Kenneth Arrow Award for the Outstanding Health Economics Paper of 2012
Named to 100 Most Powerful People in Health Care in the United States, Modern Healthcare Magazine, 2006 and 2012
Winner of National Institute for Health Care Management Foundation Health Care Research Award, 2012.
Named “One of the Top 25 Most Innovative and Practical Thinkers of Our Time” by Slate Magazine, 2011.
Partners Health Care Connected Health Leadership Award, 2011
Winner of 2009 Purvis Prize from Canadian Economic Association for Best Public Policy Publication of the year
Elected to the American Academy of Arts and Sciences, 2008
MIT Undergraduate Economics Association Teaching Award, 2007 and 2015
Inaugural Medal for Best Health Economist Age Forty and Under, American Society of Health Economists, 2006
Elected to the Institute of Medicine, 2004
2003 Richard Musgrave Prize for best paper in National Tax Journal in 2003
Member of the National Academy of Social Insurance, 1996
1995 American Public Health Association Kenneth Arrow Award for the Outstanding Health Economics Paper of 1994
National Science Foundation Presidential Faculty Fellowship, 1995
Sloan Foundation Research Fellowship, 1995
MIT Undergraduate Economics Association Teaching Award, 1994
FIRST Award, National Institute of Aging, 1994
Harvard Chiles Fellowship, 1991
Sloan Foundation Dissertation Fellowship, 1990
National Science Foundation Scholarship, 1987
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Refereed Publications in Journals:

“Managing Intelligence: Skilled Experts and AI in Markets for Complex Products,” *Rand Journal of Economics*, forthcoming (also available as NBER Working Paper #27038, April 2020) (with Ben Handel, Samuel Kina, and Jonathan Kolstad).

“How You Pay Drives What You Choose: Health Savings Accounts versus Cash in Health Insurance Plans,” forthcoming, *Review of Economic Studies* (also available as NBER Working Paper #32331, April 2024) (with Mengyun Lin, Haoming Liu & Junjian Yi)

“Paying Moms to Stay Home: Short and Long Run Effects on Parents and Children,” forthcoming, *Journal of Public Economics* (also available as NBER Working Paper #30931, February 2023) (with Tuomas Kosonen and Kristiina Huttunen).

“Immigration, the Long-Term Care Workforce, and Elder Outcomes in the U.S.,” *American Journal of Health Economics*,
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“Public and Private Options in Practice: The Military Health System,” *American Economic*

- Journal: Economic Policy*, 15(4), November 2023, 37-74 (with Michael Frakes and Timothy Justicz).
- “The Largest Insurance Expansion in History: Saving One Million Lives Per Year in China,” *Journal of Public Economics*, 226 October 2023 (with Mengyun Lin and Junjian Yi).
- “Reducing Frictions in Healthcare Access: The ActionHealth NYC Experiment for Undocumented Immigrants,” *American Economic Review: Insights*, 5(3), September 2023, p. 327-346 (with Adrienne Sabety, Rishi Sood, and Jin Yung Bae).
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- “Behavioral Responses to Wealth Taxes: Evidence from Switzerland,” *American Economic Journal: Economic Policy* 14(4), November 2022, 111-150 (with Marius Brühlhart, Matthias Krapf, and Kurt Schmidheiny).
- “Financing Health Care Delivery,” *Annual Review of Financial Economics*, 14, November 2022, 209-229.
- “Place-Based Productivity and Costs in Science,” *Innovation Policy and the Economy*, Volume 2, Benjamin Jones and Josh Lerner, eds. Chicago: University of Chicago Press, forthcoming (also available as NBER Working Paper #30416, September 2022) (with Enrico Moretti and Simon Johnson).
- “Relabeling, Retirement and Regret,” *Journal of Public Economics* 211, July 2022, 104677 (with Ohto Kanninen and Terhi Ravaska).
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- “Public Insurance and Child Hospitalizations: Access and Efficiency Effects,” *Journal of Public Economics*, 89 (1), January 2005, 109-129 (with Leemore Dafny).
- “Pay or Pray? The Impact of Charitable Subsidies on Religious Attendance,” *Journal of Public Economics*, 88 (12), December 2004, 2635-2655.
- “Is Making Divorce Easier Bad for Children? The Long Run Implications of Unilateral Divorce,” *Journal of Labor Economics*, 22(4), October, 2004, 799-833.
- “Tax Incidence When Individuals are Time Inconsistent: The Case of Cigarette Excise Taxes,” *Journal of Public Economics*, 88(9-10), August 2004, 1959-1988 (with Botond Koszegi).
- “How Elastic is the Firm’s Demand for Health Insurance?,” *Journal of Public Economics*, 88(7), July 2004, p. 1273-1294 (with Michael Lettau).
- “Does the Social Security Earnings Test Affect Labor Supply and Benefits Receipt?,” *National Tax Journal*, 56(4), December 2003, 755-773 (with Peter Orszag).
- “Why Did Employee Health Insurance Contributions Rise?,” *Journal of Health Economics*, 22(6), November 2003, 1085-1104 (with Robin McKnight).
- “Estimating Price Elasticities When There is Smuggling: The Sensitivity of Smoking to Price in Canada,” *Journal of Health Economics* 22(5), September 2003, 821-842 (with Anindya Sen and Mark Stabile).

- “The Retirement Incentive Effects of Canada’s Income Security Programs,” *Canadian Journal of Economics*, 36(2), May 2003, 261-290 (with Michael Baker and Kevin Milligan).
- “Delays in Claiming Social Security Benefits,” *Journal of Public Economics*, 84(3), June 2002, 357-386 (with Courtney Coile, Peter Diamond, and Alain Jousten)
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- “Insuring Consumption Against Illness,” *American Economic Review*, 92(1), March 2002, 51-70 (with Paul Gertler).
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