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## Academic Positions and Affiliations

- Troy University
  - *Division of Economics & Finance*
    - Associate Professor of Economics (2015- )
    - Assistant Professor of Economics (2011-2015)
  - *Manuel H. Johnson Center for Political Economy*
    - Associate Director (2015- )
    - Faculty (2011- )
- Mackinac Center for Public Policy, Adjunct Scholar, (2005- )
- Foundation for Economic Education, Faculty Network (2015- )
- Institute for Humane Studies, Adjunct Program Officer in Economics (2013-2014)

## Education

- Ph.D. Economics, George Mason University (2011)
- M.A. Economics, George Mason University (2009)
- B.B.A. Economics, Banking & Finance, and Business Management, Northwood University (2007)

## Editorial and Advisory Board Positions

- Book Review Editor, *Review of Austrian Economics* (2013- )
- Advisory Board, Northwood University Economics (2016- )

## Refereed Journal Articles

- “Education in a Robust Political Economy” (with Scott A. Beaulier and Benjamin G. Tegethoff). *School System Reform Journal*, forthcoming.\*
- “Evolving Views on Monetary Policy in the Thought of Hayek, Friedman, and Buchanan” (with Peter J. Boettke). *The Review of Austrian Economics*, forthcoming.
- “An Episodic History of Modern Federal Reserve Independence” (with Peter J. Boettke). *The Independent Review* 20(1) 2015.
- “Exit, Voice, and Loyalty: A Framework for the Intimate and Extended Orders.” *Studies in Emergent Order* 7 2014: 239-257.
- “Heterogeneity and Exchange: Safe-Conducts in Medieval Spain.” *The Review of Austrian Economics* 27(2) 2014: 183-197.
- “Federal Reserve Independence: A Centennial Review” (with Peter J. Boettke). *The Journal of Prices & Markets* 1(1) 2013: 31-48.
- “Response and Recovery after the Joplin Tornado: Lessons Applied and Lessons Learned” (with Daniel Sutter). *The Independent Review* 18(2) 2013: 165-188.
- “Technology and the Architecture of Emergent Orders” (with Scott A. Beaulier and Daniel Sutter). *Studies in Emergent Order* 5 2012: 157-176.
- “The Impact of Nobel Prize Winners: Mainline vs. Mainstream” (with Peter J. Boettke and Alexander Fink). *American Journal of Economics and Sociology* 71(5) 2012: 1219-1249.

- “Hooligans” (with Peter T. Leeson and Nicholas A. Snow). *Revue d'Économie Politique* 122(2) 2012: 213-231.
- “Norms in Sports Contests: The Tour de France” (with Alexander Fink). *Journal of Sport Management* 26(1) 2012: 43-52.
- “The Evolution of Economics: Where We Are and How We Got Here” (with Peter J. Boettke and Peter T. Leeson). *Long Term View* 7(1) 2008: 14-22.

### **Book Chapters**

- “Been There Done That: The Political Economy of Déjà Vu, 1950 and 2010” (with Peter J. Boettke and Nicholas A. Snow). In, Steven Kates’ (Ed), *Keynesian Economics and its Critics*. Gloucestershire, UK: Edward Elgar Publishing, forthcoming. Reprint of Peter J. Boettke, Daniel J. Smith, and Nicholas A. Snow (2011). “Been There Done That: The Political Economy of Déjà Vu, 1950 and 2010.” In, Steven Kates’ (Ed.) *The Global Financial Crisis: What Have We Learnt?* Gloucestershire, UK: Edward Elgar Publishing, 2011.
- “On Your Mark, Get Set, Develop!” (with Scott A. Beaulier). In, Peter J. Boettke and Christopher J. Coyne’s (Eds.), *Oxford Handbook of Austrian Economics*. New York, Oxford University Press, 2015.
- “The Theory of Social Cooperation Historically Contemplated” (with Peter J. Boettke). In, Robert F. Garnett Jr., Paul Lewis, and Lenore T. Ealy’s (Eds.), *Commerce and Community: Ecologies of Social Cooperation*. London and New York: Routledge, 2015.
- “School Service Privatization in Alabama” (with Robin P. K. Aguiar-Hicks). In, Daniel Sutter’s (Ed.), *Improving Lives in Alabama: A Vision for Economic Freedom and Prosperity*, 2015.\*
- “Reforming Occupational Licensing in Alabama.” In, Daniel Sutter’s (Ed.), *Improving Lives in Alabama: A Vision for Economic Freedom and Prosperity*, 2015.
- “Już tu Byłem, Już to Robiłem: Ekonomia Polityczna Spod Znaku Déjà Vu” (with Peter J. Boettke and Nicholas A. Snow). In, Leszek Balcerowicz’s (Ed.), *Odkrywając Wolność: Przeciw Zniwoleniu Umysłów*. Warszawa, Polska: Zysk I S-Ka Wydawnictwo, 2012. Translation of “Been There Done That: The Political Economy of Déjà Vu, 1950 and 2010.” In, Steven Kates’ (Ed.), *The Global Financial Crisis: What Have We Learnt?* Gloucestershire, UK: Edward Elgar Publishing, 2011.
- “The Impact of Nobel Prize Winners: Mainline vs. Mainstream” (with Peter J. Boettke and Alexander Fink). In, Daniel Sutter’s (Ed.), *Different but Equal: Documenting the Contribution of Dissident Scholars*. United Kingdom: Wiley-Blackwell, 2012. Reprint of “The Impact of Nobel Prize Winners: Mainline vs. Mainstream,” *American Journal of Economics and Sociology* 71(5) 2012: 1219-1249.
- “Been There Done That: The Political Economy of Déjà Vu, 1950 and 2010” (with Peter J. Boettke and Nicholas A. Snow). In, Steven Kates’ (Ed.), *The Global Financial Crisis: What Have We Learnt*, 14-45. Gloucestershire, UK: Edward Elgar Publishing, 2011.
- “Private Solutions to Public Disasters: Self-Reliance and Social Resilience” (with Peter J. Boettke). In, William Kern’s (Ed.), *The Economics of Natural and Unnatural Disasters*. Kalamazoo, MI: W.E. Upjohn Institute, 2010.

### **Academic Book Reviews**

- “Jocelyn Pixley and G. C. Harcourt, Financial Crisis and the Nature of Capitalist Money.” *The Journal of the History of Economic Thought*, forthcoming.
- “Mark Toma, Monetary Policy and the Onset of the Great Depression,” *EH.Net*, 2015.
- “Mark Pennington, Robust Political Economy: Classical Liberalism and the Future of Public Policy.” *Journal of Value Inquiry* 46(4): 519-522, 2012.

## **Policy Papers**

- “Gauging the Perception of Cronyism in the United States” (with Daniel Sutter). *Mercatus Center Policy Paper*, 2012.
- “Survey 2007: More Growth in School Support Service Privatization” (with Michael LaFaive). *Policy Brief*. Midland, MI: Mackinac Center for Public Policy, 2007.

## **Amici Curiae**

- Sensational Smiles, LLC, DBA Smile Bright v. Jewel Mullen, “Brief of Public Choice Economics Scholars as Amici Curiae in Support of Petitioner.” (2015, U.S. Supreme Court, Andrew D. Prins and Andrew P. Tamayo).
- North Carolina Board of Dental Examiners v. Federal Trade Commission, “Brief of Amici Curiae Scholars of Public Choice Economics in Support of Respondent.” (2014, U.S. Supreme Court, Institute for Justice, William H. Mellor, Dana Berliner, and Paul M. Sherman).

## **Popular Publications**

- “Alabama’s Income Tax is Inhibiting Economic Growth, Should Be Eliminated,” *Yellowhammer News*. January 20<sup>th</sup>, 2016.
- “Liberal Faculties Nationwide are Blocking Students from Well-Rounded Education,” *The Daily Caller*. January 18<sup>th</sup>, 2016. Reprint of “Liberal Faculties Nationwide are Blocking Students from Well-Rounded Education,” *Yellowhammer News*. January 11<sup>th</sup>, 2016.
- “Liberal Faculties Nationwide are Blocking Students from Well-Rounded Education,” *Yellowhammer News*. January 11<sup>th</sup>, 2016.
- “2016 Could Be a Breakout Year for Alabama’s Economy,” *The Montgomery Independent*. December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2015. Reprint of “2016 Could Be a Breakout Year for Alabama’s Economy,” (with Stephen C. Miller). *AL.com*. December 28<sup>th</sup>, 2015.
- “2016 Could Be a Breakout Year for Alabama’s Economy,” (with Stephen C. Miller). *AL.com*. December 28<sup>th</sup>, 2015.
- “The Government isn’t Santa Claus,” *Yellowhammer News*. December 9<sup>th</sup>, 2015.
- “Democratic Candidates’ ‘Free College’ Plans Will Leave Both Students and Taxpayers Worse Off,” (with Sean P. Alvarez) *Yellowhammer News*. November 9, 2015.\*
- “Alabama Chooses Liquor Stores Over Driver’s License Offices,” *Yellowhammer News*. October 16<sup>th</sup>, 2015.
- “Immigration Restriction is a Red Herring ‘Solution’ to Poverty,” *The Daily Caller*. September 8<sup>th</sup>, 2015.
- “Incentives Don’t Make Sense, Economically or Morally,” *AL.com*. September 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2015.
- “Birmingham’s Minimum Wage Hike is Off-Target and Will Harm Those it Seeks to Help,” *Yellowhammer*. August 19, 2015.
- “Hunting Plays a Vital Role in Preservation of Big Game and Endangered Species,” (with Stephen C. Miller). *Yellowhammer*. August 13, 2015.
- “Alabamians Shouldn’t be duped by the Narrative That There’s Nothing Left in Government to Cut,” *Yellowhammer*. August 11, 2015.
- “RSA is a Poor Stewart of Our Retirement Resources,” *AL.com*. July 29, 2015.
- “It’s Time for Birmingham to Drive Uber Plans Forward,” (with Olivia Melton). *Birmingham Business Journal*. July 24, 2015.\*
- “Like Those Charcoal Briquettes You Bought For Your July 4<sup>th</sup> BBQ? Thank Henry Ford,” *IJReview*. July 4, 2015.
- “Let’s Bust the Myth that Raising Taxes Will Stimulate Alabama’s Economy,” *Yellowhammer*. June 19, 2015.
- “Are Washington’s Big Government Habits Rubbing Off On Alabama?,” *Yellowhammer*. June

4, 2015.

“Grade Inflation Has Distorted Higher Education,” *Investor’s Business Daily*. May 19, 2015.

“Alabama Taxpayers Should Not be Duped by Modern ‘Bootleggers & Baptists.’” *Yellowhammer*. May 11, 2015.

“Cut Corporate Welfare, Lower Taxes for All Businesses.” *Yellowhammer*. April 15, 2015.

“Filthy Stinking Profits: Entrepreneurs Have a Nose for Potential,” (with Zac Thompson). *The Freeman*. March 18, 2015.\*

“I Dare Defend My Rights to Growlers and Pints,” *AL.com*. March 16, 2015.

“If Alabama Leaders Want to Raise Revenue, They Should Cut Taxes,” *Yellowhammer*. March 9, 2015.

“Price Gouging Laws Hurt Consumers,” *Birmingham Business Journal*. March 5, 2015.

“It’s Time for Alabama Leaders to Cut Spending,” *AL.com*. February 20, 2015.

“Lack of Economic Freedom Holds Alabama Back,” *Montgomery Advertiser*. February 18, 2015.

“Fix Tax System, Don’t Raise Them,” *Birmingham Business Journal*. February 13, 2015.

“Restrictions on Payday Lending are Unfair and Harmful to Borrowers,” *AL.com*. February 6, 2015.

“Income Inequality May Actually Be Good News,” (with Rachel H. Freeman). *AL.com*. February 6, 2015.\*

“Economic Freedom Key to State’s Growth,” *The Montgomery Advertiser*. January 2, 2015.

“From Airbags to Detergents, Competition Can Help Reduce Recalls,” *AL.com*. November 20, 2014.

“Privatizing Could Boost School Funding,” *Montgomery Advertiser*. October 2, 2014.

“High Public Employment Hurts State’s Economy,” *Montgomery Advertiser*. September 11, 2014.

“Raising the Minimum Wage Hurts Workers,” *Montgomery Advertiser*. May 7, 2014.

“Let Alabamians Get to Work: Occupational Licensing Restricts Job Choice and Mobility,” *AL.com*. April 21, 2014.

“Woolworth and Minimum Wage,” (with Zac Thompson). *Panama City News Herald*. April 13<sup>th</sup>, 2014. Reprint of “Frank Woolworth and the Minimum Wage,” (with Zac Thompson). *The Freeman*. April 7, 2014.\*

“Frank Woolworth and the Minimum Wage,” (with Zac Thompson). *The Freeman*. April 7, 2014.\*

“Lobbying a Critical Skill in Today’s Crony Economy,” *Investor’s Business Daily*. February 24, 2014.

“Damage Control: Improper Uses of Disaster Aid Follow Like Day to Night” (with Laura Grube). *The Freeman*. February 14<sup>th</sup>, 2014.\*

“The Myth of Wage Stagnation,” *CNBC.com*. January 29, 2014.

“Health Website Woes are only the Beginning,” *Montgomery Advertiser*. December 19, 2013.

“Michiganians Need Direct Access to Physical Therapy,” *The Detroit News*. October 16, 2013.

“Reform Needed to Restore Economic Freedom,” *Montgomery Advertiser*. August 2, 2013.

“Lessons in Disaster Recovery” (with Laura Grube). *The Freeman*. June 10, 2013.\*

“Life, Liberty and the Pursuit of Homebrewing,” *The Birmingham News*. May 2, 2012.

“Tornado Recovery: How Joplin Is Beating Tuscaloosa” (with David Beito). *The Wall Street Journal*. April 14, 2012.

“The ‘Show Me State’ Offers a Lesson on Disaster Recovery” (with Daniel Sutter). *The Jefferson City News Tribune*. April 13, 2012.

“How to Expand Birth Control Access,” *Iowa Gazette*. March 21, 2012.

“Being Tough on Immigration is Tough on Economic Growth” (with Scott A. Beaulier and Darrick C. Luke). *The Freeman* 62(1) January/February 2012: 6-8.\*

“Alcohol Sales May Improve Safety,” *Troy Messenger*. September 22, 2011.

- “The Law Merchant and International Trade” (with Peter T. Leeson). *The Freeman* 61(4) May 2011: 34-37.
- “Survey 2007: School Support Service Privatization Rises” (with Michael LaFaive). *Viewpoint on Public Issues* No. 2007-25, September 4, 2007.
- “Survey: School Outsourcing Grows” (with Michael LaFaive). *Michigan Privatization Report* 05(1) 2005: 4.
- “Survey: School Outsourcing Grows” (with Michael LaFaive). *Viewpoint on Public Issues* No. 2005-22, August 1, 2005.

### Conference Papers

- “Money as Meta-Rule: Buchanan’s Constitutional Economics as a Necessity for Monetary Stability,” (with Peter J. Boettke and Alexander W. Salter). Paper presented at the *Southern Economic Association Annual Meetings*, New Orleans, LA, November 22, 2015.
- “Education in a Robust Political Economy,” (with Scott Beaulier and Benjamin Tegethoff). Paper presented at the *Southern Economic Association Annual Meetings*, New Orleans, LA, November 21, 2015.
- “War, Money, & Economy Economic Performance in the Fed and pre-Fed Periods,” (with Thomas Hogan). Paper presented at the *Southern Economic Association Annual Conference*, Atlanta, GA, November 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2014.
- “Ben Bernanke and the Gold Standard,” (with Robin P. K. Aguiar-Hicks and Thomas Hogan). Paper presented at the *Southern Economic Association Annual Conference*, Atlanta, GA, November 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2014.\*
- “War, Money, & Economy: Economic Performance in the Fed and pre-Fed Periods,” (with Thomas L. Hogan). Paper presented at the *Troy University Economics and Finance Program Faculty Workshop*, Troy, AL, September 26<sup>th</sup>, 2014.
- “Ben Bernanke and the Gold Standard,” (with Robin P. K. Aguiar-Hicks and Thomas Hogan). Paper presented at the *Association of Private Enterprise Education*, Las Vegas, NV, April 15, 2014.\*
- “Education in a Robust Political Economy,” (with Scott Beaulier and Benjamin Tegethoff). Paper presented at the *Association of Private Enterprise Education*, Las Vegas, NV, April 15, 2014.
- “War, Gold, and the U.S. Economy,” (with Thomas Hogan). Paper presented at the *Association of Private Enterprise Education*, Las Vegas, NV, April 14, 2014.
- “Soviet Sports and the Feasibility of Central Planning” (with Daniel Sutter). Paper presented at the *Southern Economic Association Annual Conference*, Tampa, FL, November 25, 2013.
- “War, Gold, and the U.S. Economy” (with Thomas L. Hogan). Paper presented at the *Southern Economic Association Annual Conference*, Tampa, FL, November 23, 2013.
- “A Century of Accommodation: An Anecdotal History of Federal Reserve Independence” (with Peter J. Boettke). Paper presented at the *Troy University Economics and Finance Program Faculty Workshop*, Troy, AL, August 20, 2013.
- “Soviet Sports and the Feasibility of Central Planning” (with Daniel Sutter). Paper presented at the *Society of Business, Industry and Economics*, Destin, FL, April 18, 2013.
- “Does Disaster Recovery Planning Address a Market Failure?” (with Daniel Sutter). Paper presented at the *Public Choice Society*, New Orleans, LA, March 8, 2013.
- “Who Influences the Fed?” (with Peter J. Boettke). Paper presented at the *Southern Economic Association Annual Conference*, New Orleans, LA, November 17, 2012.
- “Response and Recovery in Joplin: Lessons Applied and Lessons Learned” (with Daniel Sutter). Paper presented at the *Southern Economic Association Annual Conference*, New Orleans, LA, November 16, 2012.
- “Monetary Policy and the Quest for Robust Political Economy” (with Peter J. Boettke). Paper

- presented at *IX Mises Seminar*, Instituto Bruno Leoni, Sestri Levante, Italy, October 7, 2012.
- “Leveraging Reputation: Safe-Conducts in Medieval Spain.” Paper presented at the *International Congress on Medieval Studies*, Kalamazoo, MI, May 10, 2012.
- “Hooligans” (with Peter T. Leeson and Nicholas S. Snow). Paper presented at the *Association of Private Enterprise Education*, Las Vegas, NV, April 3, 2012.
- “Soviet Sports and the Feasibility of Central Planning” (with Daniel Sutter). Paper presented at the *Association of Private Enterprise Education*, Las Vegas, NV, April 7, 2012.
- “A Tale of Two Cities” (with Daniel Sutter). Paper presented at the *Association of Private Enterprise Education*, Las Vegas, NV, April 7, 2012.
- “An Examination of the Effects of Regulation in the Microbrewery Industry” (with Thomas K. Duncan). Paper presented at the *Association of Private Enterprise Education*, Las Vegas, NV, April 6, 2012.
- “The Citation Impact of Nobel Prize Winners: Mainline vs. Mainstream” (with Peter J. Boettke and Alexander Fink). Paper presented at the *Southern Economic Association Annual Conference*, Washington, D.C., November 19, 2011.
- “Functional, Overlapping, Competing Jurisdictions in Medieval Spain.” Paper presented at the *Southern Economic Association Annual Conference*, Washington, D.C., November 20, 2011.
- “Hooligans” (with Peter T. Leeson and Nicholas A. Snow). Paper presented at the *Southern Economic Association Annual Conference*, Washington, D.C., November 20, 2011.
- “The Preservation of Industry: Comparing Detroit and Pittsburgh 1950-2000” (with David J. Hebert). Paper presented at the *Southern Economic Association Annual Conference*, Washington, D.C., November 19, 2011.
- “Technology and the Architecture of Emergent Orders” (with Scott A. Beaulier and Daniel Sutter). Paper presented at the *Fourth Conference on Emergent Order* hosted by the *Fund for the Study of Spontaneous Order*, Portsmouth, NH, October 31, 2011.
- “Doux-Commerce Thesis: La Convivencia.” Paper presented at the *Association of Private Enterprise Education*, Nassau, Bahamas, April 11, 2011.
- “Extending Ex-Ante Signaling: La Convivencia.” Paper presented at the *Association of Private Enterprise Education*, Nassau, Bahamas, April 11, 2011.
- “Monetary Policy and the Quest for a Robust Theory of Political Economy” (with Peter J. Boettke). Paper presented at the *Southern Economic Association Annual Conference*, Atlanta, GA, November 21, 2010.
- “Leveraging Reputation: Guidaticums in Medieval Spain.” Paper presented at the *Southern Economic Association Annual Conference*, Atlanta, GA, November 20, 2010.
- “Competitive Protection in Medieval Spain: Guidaticum Passages of Safe-Conduct.” Paper presented at the *Association of Private Enterprise Education*, Las Vegas, NV, April 12, 2010.
- “Can Athletes Regulate Themselves? Doping in the Tour de France.” Paper presented at the *Southern Economic Association Annual Conference*, San Antonio, TX, November 22, 2009.
- “Heterogeneity and Exchange: The Rise and Fall of La Convivencia.” Paper presented at *From Vienna to Virginia*, Foundation for Economic Education, Irvington, NY, September, 2008.

### **Working Papers**

- “Ben Bernanke and the Gold Standard” (with Thomas L. Hogan and Robin P. K. Aguiar-Hicks). *Journal Article*. Under Review.\*
- “Coordination in Disaster: Non-price Learning and the Allocation of Resources after Natural Disasters” (with Daniel Sutter). *Journal Article*.

“Is Disaster Planning a Market Failure?” (with Daniel Sutter). *Journal Article*.  
 “Recovery, Fast or Slow? The Cost of Post-Disaster Planning to Reduce Hazard Vulnerability.”  
*Journal Article*.  
 “Soviet Sports and the Feasibility of Central Planning” (with Daniel Sutter). *Journal Article*.  
 “War, Money, & Economy: Economic Performance in the Fed and pre-Fed Periods,” (with  
 Thomas L. Hogan). *Journal Article*. Under Review.

### **Invited Lectures, Panels, and Debates**

“Economics and Moral Philosophy: In Conflict?,” Are Markets Just? Foundation for Economic  
 Education, Faulkner University, Montgomery, AL (12/5/15).  
 The Morality of Capitalism: Lessons from Hurricane Katrina and Post-Disaster Recovery on the  
 Gulf Coast 10 Years On. Panel at the Southern Economic Association Annual Meeting,  
 New Orleans, LA, (11/22/15).  
 “Economic Freedom and Inequality,” Ozark Rotary Club, Ozark, AL (10/13/15).  
 “The Dark Side of Capitalism? Inequality,” Freedom Week, Northwood University, Midland, MI  
 (9/16/15).  
 “Restrictions on Payday Lending are Unfair and Harmful to Borrowers,” nonPrime101  
 Conference, St. Petersburg, FL (8/5/15).  
 Economics of Sports, Foundation for Economic Education, Chapman University, Orange, CA  
 (6/24/15-6/26/15).  
 Lecture 1: “How Economic Thinking Can Help You Understand Sports”  
 Lecture 2: “Informal Norms in Sports”  
 Lecture 3: “Soviet Sports and Central Planning”  
 “School Service Privatization in Alabama,” Troy University 14<sup>th</sup> Annual Alumni Delegation  
 Legislative Breakfast, Montgomery, AL (4/16/15).  
 “Lessons in Disaster Recovery,” Northwood University Freedom Seminar, Midland, MI  
 (4/11/15).  
 “Taxes, Economic Freedom, and Growth,” Crenshaw County Chamber of Commerce, Luverne,  
 AL (2/26/15).  
 “Economic Freedom and Natural Disasters” Lecture Series at Stillman College, Tuscaloosa, AL  
 (1/14/15).  
 “Economics and Moral Philosophy: Contending or Reinforcing Frameworks for a Better  
 World?,” Guest Speaker, Law 6610, Troy University, Dothan, AL. November 18<sup>th</sup>, 2014.  
 “Personal Management Merit Badge,” Alabama-Florida Council Merit Badge University, Troy  
 University, Troy, AL, October 25<sup>th</sup>, 2014.  
 “Economic Forecast,” Alabama Associated General Contractors, Dothan, AL, October 6<sup>th</sup>, 2014.  
 “Inequality,” Kiwanis Club of Troy, Troy, AL, May 6<sup>th</sup>, 2014.  
 “Hayek on Liberty,” Advanced Topics in Liberty, Institute for Humane Studies, Florida State  
 University (2/8/14). Discussion Leader.  
 “The Inequality Problem By David Brooks,” Troy University Times Talk, Troy University, Troy,  
 AL (2/5/14).  
 “What Can You Do Now While You’re Still in School – Career in Academia,” Career in Liberty  
 Webinar Series, Institute for Humane Studies (9/24/13).  
 “Economic Freedom,” Greenville Lion’s Club, Greenville, AL (9/23/13).  
 Conversations for Freedom Panel, Alabama Policy Institute at Samford University, Birmingham,  
 AL (7/31/13).  
 “Friedrich Hayek’s The Road to Serfdom,” American Freedom Institute, Intercollegiate Studies  
 Institute at Samford University, Birmingham, AL (7/22/13-7/24/13).  
 Liberty & Society, Institute for Humane Studies at Chapman University, Orange County, CA  
 (7/13/13-7/18/13):  
 Lecture 1: “Property, Prices, and Community”

Lecture 2: "The Contending Explanations for Economic Growth"  
 Lecture 3: "Great Methodological Battles in Economics"  
 "Economics, Business, and Economic Freedom," American Renewal and Survival Round Table  
 Panel Forum, Society of Business, Industry and Economics, Destin, FL (4/17/13).  
 "Lessons from Joplin and Tuscaloosa," Symposium on Disaster Ethics and Public Policy, Jean  
 Beer Blumenfeld Center for Ethics at Georgia State University, Atlanta, GA (4/2/13).  
 "Occupational Licensing and Business Freedom," Delta Sigma Pi Lecture Series at Troy  
 University, Troy, AL (4/1/13).  
 "Lessons in Disaster Recovery Planning: Tuscaloosa, AL & Joplin, MO," Koch Lecture Series at  
 Stillman College, Tuscaloosa, AL (2/22/13).  
 "Economics, Business, and Economic Freedom," Delta Sigma Pi Lecture Series at Troy  
 University, Troy, AL (1/28/13).  
 "Lessons in Disaster Recovery Planning: Tuscaloosa, AL & Joplin, MO," Economic Liberty  
 Lecture Series, George Mason University Economics Society & The Future of Freedom  
 Foundation at George Mason University, Fairfax, VA (11/5/12).  
 "Lessons in Disaster Recovery Planning: Tuscaloosa, AL & Joplin, MO," Twin Hills Golf and  
 Country Club, Joplin, MO (6/28/12).  
 "Heterogeneity and Exchange in Medieval Spain," Economic Lecture Series at Loyola  
 University, New Orleans, LA (3/8/12).  
 "Is Profit a Dirty Word?," Debate with Professor Benjamin Balak of Rollins College at Webber  
 International University, Babson Park, FL (2/15/12).  
 "Monetary Policy and the Quest for Robust Political Economy," The Sound Money Message:  
 Preventing the Next Crisis with Fundamental Reform Panel at Atlas Liberty Café,  
 Washington D.C. (3/1/11).  
 "Polycentrism," Northwood Economics Association Speaker Series at Northwood University,  
 Midland, MI (1/12/11).  
 Introduction to Austrian Economics, Foundation for Economic Education, Atlanta, GA (6/7/10 –  
 6/12/10):  
 Lecture 1: "F. A. Hayek"  
 Lecture 2: "Israel Kirzner"  
 Lecture 3: "Value, Prize, and Utility"

### **Radio & Television Interviews (Stations)**

*ABC 33-40* (Birmingham, AL), *ABC in Huntsville* (WAAY-TV Huntsville, AL), *Alabama Public  
 Radio* (Tuscaloosa, AL), *Capitol Journal* (Alabama Public Television Montgomery, AL), *Cares*  
 (KXEN-AM St. Louis, MO), *Columbia Morning with David Lile* (KFRU-AM Columbia, MO),  
*Dan York* (WERC-AM Birmingham, AL), *Dean & Don Show* (KMA-AM/KMA-FM  
 Shenandoah, IO/Omaha, NE), *Dean & Don Show* (KMA-AM/KMA-FM Shenandoah, IO/Omaha,  
 NE), *EconVersations* (Troy Trojanvision Troy, AL), *Erik Allen* (KBUF-AM Wichita, KS), *Good  
 Morning South Arkansas* (KELD-FM El Dorado, AR), *Michael Hart Show* (WYDE-FM  
 Birmingham, AL), *Midday Mobile* (WAVH-FM Mobile, AL), *Mike and Ben Show* (KCFV-FM  
 St. Louis, MO), *Model City A.M.* (WDNG-AM Anniston, AL), *Morning Newswatch* (KZRG-AM  
 Joplin, MO), *Morning Show with John Morgan* (WCKA-FM/WCKF-FM Ashland, AL), *NBC in  
 Montgomery* (WSFA-TV Montgomery, AL), *NBC Wiregrass* (WRGX-TV Dothan, AL), *News  
 and Views from 9-12* (WACV-FM Montgomery, AL), *News Talk* (WDBT-FM Dothan, AL),  
*Straight Talk* (WGOL-AM Russellville, AL), *Streeter & Company* (KQAM-AM Wichita, KS),  
*Talk of the Town with Dick Antonie* (KZNG-AM Hot Springs, AR), *The Alice Stewart Show*  
 (KHTE-FM Little Rock, AR), *The Dale Jackson Show* (WVNN-FM Athens, AL), *The Dan  
 Morris Show* (WACV-FM Montgomery, AL), *The Fred Holland Show* (WTKI-AM Decatur,  
 AL), *The Matt Murphy Show* (WAPI-AM Birmingham, AL), *The Michael Hart Show* (WYDE-  
 FM Birmingham, AL), *The Morning Mayors Show* (KTTR-AM Springfield, MO), *The Morning*



*Meeting* (KZIM-AM Cape Girardeau, MO), *The Morning Show* (WTBF-AM Troy, AL), *The Morning Update* (KHUB-AM Omaha, NE), *Troy TrojanVision News* (Troy, AL), *View Point Alabama*, *Viewpoint with Joey Clark* (WACV-FM Montgomery, AL), *Yellowhammer Radio* (WYDE Birmingham, AL)

### **Media Citations**

*AL.com*, *Birmingham News*, *CNBC.com*, *Detroit News*, *Dothan Eagle*, *EAGnews.org*, *Flint Journal*, *Forbes*, *news24*, *Michigan Capitol Confidential*, *MIRS Capitol Capsule*, *Montgomery Advertiser*, *Real Clear Markets*, *Security Management*, *Tropolitan*, *Troy Messenger*, *Tuscaloosa News*, *WAAY-TV ABC Huntsville*, *the Weekly Standard*, *WSFA NBC Montgomery*

### **Other Audio/Video Media**

- “TROY Spotlight: Johnson Center for Political Economy,” Manuel H. Johnson Center Video Commercial (8/28/2014).
- “Others Have Professors, We Have Warriors,” Troy University Television Commercial (6/23/2014).
- “Economic Freedom in Disaster Recovery,” Economic Freedom Video, *Charles Koch Institute* (4/2012).
- “The Price System Part II: Incentives,” Learn Liberty, *Institute for Humane Studies* (6/2011).
- “The Price System Part I: Information,” Learn Liberty, *Institute for Humane Studies* (6/2011).

### **Professional Development**

- Academic Leadership Workshop, Institute for Humane Studies at George Mason University, Crystal City, VA (October 29-31, 2015).
- Classical Liberalism in Contemporary Political Philosophy, Mercatus Center at George Mason University and Liberty Fund, Inc., Fairfax, VA (October 22-25, 2015).
- Moral Foundations of Capitalism Conference, Clemson University, Clemson, SC (May 27-29, 2015).
- Philanthropy and the Economic Way of Thinking, The Philanthropic Enterprise and the Johnson Center at Troy University, Troy, AL (November 6-8, 2014).
- Applied Research in the PPE Framework II Colloquium, The Mercatus Center at George Mason University, Fairfax, VA (April 4-5, 2014).
- Philanthropy and the Economics of Prosperity Colloquium, The Program in New Philanthropy Studies, The Philanthropic Enterprise, Arlington, VA (March 23, 2013).
- Academic Entrepreneurship Workshop, Institute for Humane Studies, Fairfax, VA (November 2-4, 2012).
- Philadelphia Society Annual Regional Meeting, Memphis, TN (October 12-14, 2012).
- Liberty and Social Order in Ludwig von Mises’ Human Action, Liberty Fund, Hermosa, Beach, CA (September 20-23, 2012).
- Law Institute for Economic Professors, Henry G. Manne Program in Law & Economics Studies, Law & Economics Center at George Mason University Law School, Estes Park, CO (July 15-27, 2012).
- Moral Foundations of Capitalism Conference, Clemson University, Clemson, SC (May 29-31, 2012).
- Collaborating for a Free Society, Arlington, VA (November 11-12, 2011).
- Market-Based Management University, Charles Koch Foundation, Wichita, KS (July 20-22, 2011).

- Methodology of the Social Sciences Workshop hosted by Dr. Virgil Storr, Mercatus Center at George Mason University, Fairfax, VA (Fall 2009, Bi-Weekly).
- Business Cycles and Austrian Economics hosted by Dr. Steve Horwitz, Mercatus Center at George Mason University, Fairfax, VA (Fall 2009, Monthly).
- Advanced Austrian Economics Seminar, Foundation for Economic Education, Irvington, NY (August 3-8, 2009).
- Social Change Workshop, Institute for Humane Studies, Brown University, Providence, RI (June 21-27, 2008).
- Field Work Workshop hosted by Dr. Emily Chamlee-Wright, Mercatus Center at George Mason University, Arlington, VA (May 16-17, 2008).
- Workshop in Politics, Philosophy, and Economics, George Mason University, Fairfax, VA (Weekly, 2007-2011).

### **Awards, Fellowships, and Grants**

- Troy University Faculty Development Paper Presentation Grant (2015, 2014, 2013, 2012)
- University of Michigan National Center for Institutional Diversity Emerging Diversity Scholar Citation (2013)
- Earhart Foundation Scholarship to attend the Philadelphia Society Annual Regional Meeting (2012)
- Alabama Policy Institute, Research Honorarium (2012)
- Institute for Humane Studies' Hayek Fund for Scholars (7/2012, 5/2012, 2010)
- Mercatus Center Graduate Student Summer Research Fellowship (2011, 2010, 2009, 2008)
- Association of Private Enterprise Education Young Scholar Award (2011, 2010)
- Don Lavoie Memorial Graduate Essay Prize (2010)
- Oloffson Weaver Fellow of Political Economy (2010)
- Pass with Distinction, Institutions/Development Field Exam (2009)
- Pass with Distinction, Austrian Economics Field Exam (2009)
- Mercatus Center Ph.D. Fellowship (2009, 2008, 2007)
- BB&T Fellow of Capitalism (2007)
- Ludwig von Mises Award, Northwood University (2007)
- Arthur E. Turner Award, Northwood University (2007)
- Delta Mu Delta Honors Society (2006)
- Bauervic Essay Contest, Northwood University, First Prize (2006), Second Prize (2005), Third Prize (2004)

### **Courses Taught**

- *Graduate (M.A. in Economics)*
  - Austrian Economics, Troy University
- *Graduate (MBA)*
  - Specialized Study in Business Administration, Troy University
  - Theories of International Economic Development, Troy University
  - Seminar in International Economic Development, Troy University
  - International Development Policy, Troy University
- *Undergraduate*
  - Principles of Microeconomics, Troy University
  - Principles of Macroeconomics, Troy University & Vietnam National University – University of Economics and Business and Troy University (International)
  - International Economic Policy, George Mason University

- The Economic and Moral Foundations of Capitalism, Troy University
- Economic History: The Rise of the West, Troy University
- Money & Banking, eTroy (Online)
- Sports Economics, Troy University

### **Referee and Reviewer**

*Advances in Austrian Economics, Cambridge University Press (book proposal), Journal of Institutional Economics, Journal of Private Enterprise, Mackinac Center for Public Policy, Mercatus Center, Rationality and Society, The Independent Review, The Review of Austrian Economics*

### **Field Work**

- Tuscaloosa, AL Tornado Recovery Research (1/8/11 - 1/13/11 & 2/5/11 - 2/9/11)
- Joplin, MO Tornado Recovery Research (9/11/11 - 9/16/11 & 10/16/11 - 10/21/11)

### **Selected Service**

- Graduate Program Proposal Taskforce (11/15-)
- Johnson Center Policy Analyst Hiring Committee (2015)
- Johnson Center Executive Director Hiring Committee (Spring 2015)
- Sorrell College of Business Faculty Qualifications and Deployment Committee (11/13- )
- Finance and Economics Faculty Hiring Committee, Chair (Spring and Summer 2013)
- Sorrell College of Business Student Research Committee (11/12- )
  - Co-Chair (3/13-4/14)
  - Chair (5/14-5/15)
- Troy University Student Leadership Scholar Mentor (2012- )
- Carl Menger Essay Contest Judge (Fall 2014; Fall 2013; Fall 2012)
- APGAR Liberty, Markets, and the Great Books Reading Group (Spring 2014; Fall 2013; Fall 2012)
- Instructional Quality Committee for Economics (2012)
- Students for Liberty - Troy University, Faculty Sponsor (1/12- )

### **Non-Academic Positions**

- Commercial Credit Analyst, *Wolverine Bank*, Midland, MI (2006 - 2007)
- Part-Owner and Financial Director, *New Wavefront, LLC*, Midland, MI (2006 - 2007)

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