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POSITIONS

2021- Associate Professor, Department of Economics, Western Washington University
2015-2021 Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, Western Washington University

EDUCATION

2015 Ph.D., Economics, University of Michigan
2009 M.A., Economics, University of Michigan
2005 B.A., Economics, Pomona College

RESEARCH FIELDS

Energy Economics, Environmental Economics, Industrial Organization

PUBLICATIONS

"Outsized Impacts of Residential Energy and Utility Costs on Household Financial Distress", *Economics Bulletin* 40(4), 2020: p.A266
"Transmission Costs and the Value of Wind Generation for the CREZ Project", *Energy Policy* 138, 2020: 111248
"The Effect of Carbon Taxation on Cross Border Competition and Energy Efficiency Investments", *Energy Economics* 85, 2020: 104602 (with Ben Niu)
"Effects of Wind Power Intermittency on Generation and Emissions." *The Electricity Journal* 32(3), 2019: 25-30
"The Energy Efficiency Gap in EPA's Benefit-Cost Analysis of Vehicle Greenhouse Gas Regulations: A Case Study", *Journal of Cost-Benefit Analysis* 6(2), 2015: 432-454 (with Gloria Helfand)
"Shrunk Interest Rate Forecasts are Better Forecasts", *Applied Financial Economics* 17(6), 2007: 425-430 (with Gary Smith)
"Bowlers' Hot Hands", *The American Statistician* 58(1), 2004: 38-45 (with Gary Smith)

WORKING PAPERS

“Impacts of Intermittent Renewable Generation on Market Power in Electricity Markets”

“Outcomes Under Abbreviated Housing Search”

“The Fiscal Language of Carbon Taxes and Payroll Taxes” (with Shawn Knabb)

“Making The Sausage: Impacts of Government Work Experience on Environmental Policy Preferences” (with Blake Pintler)

WORK IN PROGRESS

“Understanding Policymaker Views On Housing Energy Efficiency Policy” (with Sharon Shewmake, Phil Thompson, Xi Wang and Imran Sheikh)

“Consumer Responses to Energy Efficiency Labeling of Houses” (with Sharon Shewmake and Phil Thompson)

“Barriers To Energy Efficiency Salience In Whatcom and Skagit County Housing Markets” (with Sharon Shewmake and Phil Thompson)

“Ranked Choice Voting Project [Title TBD]” (with Sharon Shewmake, Todd Donovan and Ed Love)

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Energy Economics, Economics of Alternative Energy, Economics of Electricity Markets, Advanced Topics in Environmental Economics, Introduction to Microeconomics, Energy Symposium

SELECTED PRESENTATIONS

US Association for Energy Economists Annual Meeting (2019), World Congress of Environmental and Resource Economists (2018), Western Economics Association (2022, 2019, 2017, 2016, 2014), Camp Resources (2014)

GRANTS

2020 CBE Summer Research Grant (\$6000)

2018 RSP Mini-grant for “Explaining Preferences Between Environmental Policy Instruments” (\$962)

2016 “The Impact of Energy Efficiency on Housing Prices” (with Sharon Shewmake and Phil Thompson) from the Alfred P. Sloan Foundation (\$309,304)

REVIEWER: ACADEMIC JOURNALS

Energy Journal, Energy Economics, Journal of Industrial Economics, Economics Bulletin, Energy Efficiency, Solar Energy, PLoS One, Nature Communications

REVIEWER: MISCELLANEOUS

2021 Idaho Climate-Economy Impacts Assessment (Energy Chapter), Alfred P. Sloan Foundation

OTHER

WWU College of Business and Economics Merrifield Research Award (2020)

WWU College of Business and Economics Dean’s Faculty Research Award (2019)

WWU Committee on Undergraduate Education (Chair: Fall 2021-present; Member: Fall 2018-present)

WWU Institute for Energy Studies Curriculum Committee (Chair: Fall 2020-present; Member: Fall 2016-present)

WWU College of Business and Economics Technology Committee (Winter 2016-present)

WWU Sustainability Fellow (Winter-Spring 2016)

Search Committee Member

- WWU Economics Department Assistant Professor (2022)
- WWU Institute for Energy Studies Assistant Professor (2020, 2021)
- WWU Institute for Energy Studies Director (2022)

SELECTED PRIOR WORK EXPERIENCE

2011 Internship at U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (Ann Arbor, MI)

2005-2007 Research Assistant at Federal Reserve Board of Governors (Washington, D.C.)