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EDUCATION      **George Mason University**, Fairfax, VA  
Ph.D., Economics, 2000  
    Dissertation: “The Political Economy of Legislative Organization”  
    Committee: Mark Crain (Chair), Thomas Stratmann, and Todd Zywicki  
M.A., Economics, 1998

**Wofford College**, Spartanburg, SC  
B.A., Economics and Philosophy, 1996

RESEARCH INTERESTS      Sports Economics      Public Economics  
Industrial Organization      Regulation

TEACHING EXPERIENCE      Budget & Finance in Sport      Money and Banking  
Econometrics      Principles of Finance  
Economics of Sports      Public Finance  
Growth Theory      Quantitative Methods  
Industrial Organization      Risk and Insurance  
Introduction to Economics      Senior Research Seminar

ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE      **Kennesaw State University**, Kennesaw, GA  
*Associate Professor of Health, Physical Education, and Sport Science*      **2006–present**

**Sewanee: The University of the South**, Sewanee, TN  
*Associate Professor of Economics*      **Tenured and Promoted 2006**  
*Assistant Professor of Economics*      **2003–2006**  
*Visiting Assistant Professor of Economics*      **2001–2003**

**North Georgia College & State University**, Dahlonega, GA  
*Assistant Professor of Business Administration*      **2000–2001**

**George Mason University**, Fairfax, VA  
*Instructor of Economics*      **1999–2000**  
*Research Associate, Regulatory Studies Program, Mercatus Center*      **1999–2000**  
*C.G. Koch and J.M. Buchanan Research Fellow, J.M. Buchanan Center*      **1997–2000**

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Political Economy Research Center (PERC), Bozeman, MT

Graduate Research Fellow

Summer 1998

- BOOKS                    *The Baseball Economist: The Real Game Exposed*. Dutton/Penguin, 2007; Plume/Penguin, 2008 (paperback).
- CONTRIBUTIONS TO BOOKS    “Bicameralism.” with Mark Crain. *Encyclopedia of Public Choice*. Rowley and Schneider (eds.). Kluwer Academic Press, 2003.
- “Bicameralism and Political Compromise in Representative Democracy.” with Mark Crain. *Democratic Constitutional Design and Public Policy: Analysis and Evidence*. Congleton and Swedenborg (eds.). MIT Press, 2006.
- “Statistical Performance Analysis in Sport.” *The Business of Sports, Volume 3: Bridging Research and Practice*. Howard and Humphreys (eds.). Praeger, forthcoming.
- REFEREED JOURNAL ARTICLES    “Legislative Organization and Government Spending: Cross-Country Evidence.” with Mark Crain. *Journal of Public Economics*, 2001 (December), Vol. 82(3): 309-325. [Lead Article]
- “Bicameral Legislatures and Fiscal Policy.” with Mark Crain. *Southern Economic Journal*, 2002 (January), Vol. 68(3): 646-659.
- “Local Government Structure and Public Expenditures.” with Frank Stephenson. *Public Choice*, 2003 (April), Vol. 115(1-2): 185-198.
- “Local Lobbying for State Grants: Evidence from Georgia’s HOPE Scholarship.” with Noel Campbell. *Public Finance Review*, 2003 (July), Vol. 31(4): 367-391.
- “Legislative District Configurations and Fiscal Policy in American States” with Mark Crain. *Public Choice*, 2005 (December), Vol. 125(3-4): 385-407.
- “Regulatory Federalism and Workplace Safety: Evidence from OSHA Enforcement, 1981-1995.” *Journal of Regulatory Economics*, 2006 (March), Vol. 29 (2): 211-224.
- “Do Supermajority Rules Limit or Enhance Tyranny of Majority Spending? Evidence from the US States, 1960-1997.” with Joseph Johnson. *Public Choice*, 2006 (June), Vol. 127 (3-4): 429-441.
- “The Designated Hitter, Moral Hazard, and Hit Batters: New Evidence from Game-Level Data.” with Doug Drinen. *Journal of Sports Economics*, 2006 (August), Vol. 7 (3): 319-329.
- “Crime and Punishment in Major League Baseball: The Case of the Designated Hitter and Hit Batters.” with Doug Drinen. *Economic Inquiry*, 2007 (January), Vol. 45 (1): 131-144. [Featured in *Wall Street Journal* “Pigskin Overtime Rules and Beaned Batters Spur Math Theorems”(1/9/2004) and *The New York Times Magazine* “Year in Ideas” (12/12/2004).]

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“Does the Baseball Labor Market Properly Value Pitchers?” *Journal of Sports Economics*, 2007 (December), Vol. 8 (6): 616-632.

“Pigou at the Plate: Hitting Externalities in Baseball” with Doug Drinen. *Journal of Sports Economics*, forthcoming. [Featured in *Sporting News “Statscape”* (7/22/2005).]

BOOK REVIEWS      Review of *The Wages of Wins* by David Berri, Martin Schmidt, and Stacey Brook. *International Journal of Sport Finance*, 2006 (August), Vol. 1(3).

Review of *Handbook of Sports Economics Research* by John Fizek (ed.). *Managerial and Decision Economics*, 2007, Vol. 28: 79-80.

Review of *A Two-Way Street* by George A. Krause. *Public Choice*, 2003 (July), Vol. 116(1-2): 225-228.

POLICY PAPERS      “ATM Surcharges and the Expansion of Consumer Choice.” *Cato Briefing Paper*, 1998.

“Procedures for Predetermination of Wage Rates.” *Regulatory Studies Comment*, 1999.

EDITORIALS          “The Minimum Wage Locks the Poor Out of Work.” *News & Observer* (Raleigh), July 3, 1996.

“Ban Fees, and You Banish ATMs.” *Wall Street Journal*, July 14, 1997.

“More Fees = More ATMs.” *Journal of Commerce*, August 18, 1998.

“Maintaining the Job Machine.” with Wendy Gramm, *Washington Times*, September 6, 1999.

“Econoblog: The Economics of Free Agency and Trades.” *Wall Street Journal*, December 2005.

“What Really Ruined Baseball.” *New York Times*, April 2, 2007.

“Cheer on Bonds While Jury’s Out.” *Atlanta Journal-Constitution*, July 31, 2007.

“Let Baseball Player Police Themselves.” *New York Times*, December 15, 2007.

“Braves Stadium Deal Taxes Fiscal Realities.” *Atlanta Journal-Constitution*, February, 8, 2008.

CONFERENCE  
PRESENTATIONS      “Legislative Organization and Government Spending: Cross-Country Evidence.” with Mark Crain. Southern Economic Association Annual Meeting, November 1999.

“Median Voters and Median Legislators in the American States.” with Mark Crain. Public Choice Society Annual Meeting, March 2000.

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“Hayek on Bicameralism.” Southern Economic Association Annual Meeting, November 2000.

“The Effect of Bicameralism on Fiscal Policy: Evidence from the American States.” with Mark Crain. Southern Economic Association Annual Meeting, November 2000.

“Bicameralism and Political Compromise.” with Mark Crain. Public Choice Society Annual Meeting, March 2001.

“Examination of High School 'B' Average Variation in Georgia's Public Schools.” with Noel Campbell. Public Choice Society Annual Meeting, March 2001.

“Local Government Structure and Public Expenditures.” with Frank Stephenson. National Tax Association Annual Conference on Taxation, November 2001 (not present).

“Local Government Structure and Public Expenditures.” with Frank Stephenson. Southern Economic Association Annual Meeting, November 2001.

“Do Supermajorities Limit or Enhance Tyranny of Majority Spending?” with Joseph Johnson. Southern Economic Association Annual Meeting, November 2001.

“Do Supermajority Rules Limit or Enhance Tyranny of Majority Spending? Evidence from the US States, 1960-1997.” with Joseph Johnson. Public Choice Society Annual Meeting, March 2002.

“Regulatory Federalism and Workplace Safety: Evidence from OSHA Enforcement, 1981-1995.” Southern Economic Association Annual Meeting, November 2002.

“Regulatory Federalism and Workplace Safety: Evidence from OSHA Enforcement, 1981-1995.” Public Choice Society Annual Meeting, March 2003.

“The Law of  $1/n$ : A New Test.” with Frank Stephenson. Public Choice Society Annual Meeting, March 2003.

“Moral Hazard on the Mound: The Economics of Plunking.” with Doug Drinen. American Mathematical Society and Mathematical Association of America Joint Annual Meeting, January 2004 (not present).

“Pigou at the Plate: Hitting Externalities in Baseball.” with Doug Drinen. Southern Economic Association Annual Meeting, November 2004.

“Pigou at the Plate: Hitting Externalities in Baseball.” with Doug Drinen. American Mathematical Society and Mathematical Association of America Joint Annual Meeting, January 2005.

“Pigou at the Plate: Hitting Externalities in Baseball” with Doug Drinen. Western Economic Association, July 2005.

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“Sorting Out the Joint Production of Run-Prevention in Baseball.” Southern Economic Association Annual Meeting, November 2005.

“Updating Marginal Revenue Product Estimates in Baseball.” Southern Economic Association Annual Meeting, November 2006.

“An Evaluation of the Managerial Quality of Major League Baseball Franchises.” North American Society of Sport Management, May 2007.

“Aging in Baseball.” International Atlantic Economic Conference, October 2007.

INVITED PRESENTATIONS AT UNIVERSITIES Center for the Study of Public Choice, George Mason University, October 1999  
Dept. of Economics, University of Mississippi, October 2001  
Dept. of Economics, Clemson University, October 2004  
Wofford College, October 2004  
The Center for Business and Public Policy, Georgetown University, October 2006.  
Department of Economics, Wake Forest University, April 2007. Department of Economics, George Mason University, October 2007  
Department of Economics, Wofford College, March 2008  
Department of Economics, Rhodes College, April 2008

INVITED PRESENTATIONS TO THE COMMUNITY Rotary Club of Etowah, Cartersville, GA, October 2006  
Rotary Club of Gainesville, Gainesville, GA, November 2007

RESEARCH FEATURED IN THE NEWS ATM Fees: *Investors Business Daily, Journal of Commerce, Rochester Times-Democrat, USA Today, Wall Street Journal*  
Hit Batters: *Fortune, Globe and Mail, Inside Science News, New York Times Magazine, St. Louis Post-Dispatch, Wall Street Journal*  
Misc. Baseball Economics: *Atlanta Journal-Constitution, Boston Globe CBS Marketwatch, ESPN.com, New York Sun, New York Times, San Francisco Chronicle, Slate, Sporting News, USA Today, Wall Street Journal, Washington Times*  
Football: *ESPN Fantasy Football 2005*

RESEARCH GRANTS Provost Fellowship for Dissertation Research, 2000  
Jesse Ball duPont Student/Faculty Research Grant, 2002

REFEREEING *Journal of Political Economy, Journal of Politics, Journal of Sports Economics, Public Choice, Review of Economic Studies, South African Journal for Research in Sport, Physical Education and Recreation, Southern Economic Journal, The Journal of Economics*

SERVICE (KENNESAW) **Department of HPS**  
Scholarship Committee (2006-present)

**Wellstar College**  
Awards Committee (2007-present)

**University**

Judiciary Panel (2007-present)

SERVICE  
(SEWANEE)

**Department of Economics**

Library Liaison (2002-2006)

Webpage Coordinator (2002-2006)

Prepared Guide to Graduate School in Economics

Georgescu-Roegen Lecture Coordinator (2003)

Kennedy-Owens Seminar Coordinator (2003, 2004)

Kennedy-Owens Student Research Mentor (2003)

**University**

Bookstore Committee (2003-2004)

Budget Priorities Committee (2005-2006)

Contingent Faculty Pay Committee (2005)

Discipline Committee (2005-2006)

Dupont Research Grant Committee (2003-2004)

Faculty Stipends Special Committee (2005)

Financial Aid Committee (2003-2004)

Freshman Advisor (2002-2003, 2003-2004)

Marketing Subcommittee of Strategic Planning Committee (2003-2004)

Merit Scholar Interviewer (2002-2005)

Merit Scholar Selection Committee (2003-2005)

Pre-Business Advisor (2004)

Pre-Business Speaker for Alumni (2004: 2 lunches)

Sewanee Anglers Society Advisor (2004-2006)

Undergraduate Research Advisor (2002, 2003)

Various Admissions Recruiting Weekends (2002(2), 2003(2), 2004 (1), 2005(1))

White Ribbon Campaign/Violence Against Women Advising (2001)

Young Republicans Advisor (2004-2006)

**Community**

Catechist Leader for the Catechumenate Program

Sewanee Little League Coach (2002, 2003)

Online Guide to Fishing on the Sewanee Domain

Sabernomics Weblog: [www.sabernomics.com](http://www.sabernomics.com)

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Born September 28, 1973 in Charlotte, NC

Married with two daughters