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## **APPOINTMENTS**

Assistant Professor, Department of Health Management and Systems Sciences, School of Public Health and Information Services, University of Louisville, 2021 – present  
Visiting Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, Washington and Lee University, 2020–2021

## **EDUCATION**

Ph.D., Economics, Vanderbilt University, *Nashville, TN*, August 2020  
M.A., Economics, Vanderbilt University, *Nashville, TN*, 2014  
B.A., Economics and Mathematics, Rhodes College, *Memphis, TN*, 2012  
*Phi Beta Kappa, Magna cum Laude, Minor: Art History*

## **RESEARCH AND TEACHING FIELDS**

Primary Fields: Health Economics, Applied Microeconomics  
Additional Fields: Industrial Organization, Labor Economics

## **HONORS, AWARDS, AND FELLOWSHIPS**

Kirk Dornbush Research Assistantship, *Vanderbilt University*, 2016  
Rendigs Fels Award for Excellence in Teaching, *Economics Department, Vanderbilt University*, 2015  
Seidman Senior Award in Economics, *Rhodes College*, 2012  
Phi Beta Kappa, Academic Honor Society, inducted 2011  
Omicron Delta Epsilon, Economics Honor Society, inducted 2011  
Morelle Legg International Internship for Women, *Rhodes College*, 2011  
Rhodes Institute for Regional Studies Fellow, *Rhodes College*, 2010  
Cambridge Scholarship, *Rhodes College*, 2008 – 2012

## **GRANTS AND RESEARCH FUNDING**

Methodist Le Bonheur Center for Healthcare Economics Research Grant, *University of Memphis*, 2020  
College of Arts and Science Summer Research Award, *Vanderbilt University*, 2015  
Kirk Dornbush Summer Research Grant, *Vanderbilt University*, 2014, 2016

## PEER REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

Marcus, Michelle M. and Katherine G. Yewell. “The Effect of Free School Meals on Household Food Purchases: Evidence from the Community Eligibility Provision.” *Forthcoming at Journal of Health Economics*. Previously circulated as [NBER WP 29395](#).

Yewell, Katherine G., Steven B. Caudill, and Franklin G. Mixon, Jr. (2014) “Referee Bias and Stoppage Time in Major League Soccer: A Partially Adaptive Approach,” *Econometrics*. 2(1): 1 – 19. <https://doi.org/10.3390/econometrics2010001>

## WORKING PAPERS

“The Effect of Hospital Postpartum Care Regulations on Breastfeeding and Maternal Time Allocation” with Emily C. Lawler. *Revisions requested at American Economic Journal: Applied Economics*.

“The Effect of Universal Access to Free School Meals on Teen Health”

“The Effects of Hospital Consolidation on Inpatient Safety and Mortality”

## SELECTED WORKS IN PROGRESS

“The Effect of Hospital Breastfeeding Laws on Health and Health Behaviors” with Emily Lawler and Meghan Skira

“The Effect of Food Insecurity on Emergency Department and Hospital Inpatient Discharges: Evidence from the Community Eligibility Provision” with Michelle Marcus and Carmen Astorne-Figari

“State Education Requirements for Substance Use Prevention and Household Purchases of Alcohol and Tobacco”

“Academic Benefits of Universal Access to Free School Meals: Evidence from the Community Eligibility Provision”

## REPORTS AND POLICY BRIEFS

Eggen, Melissa, Katherine Yewell, and Liza Creel. “Kentucky Extends Medicaid to One-Year Postpartum” Issue Brief, *Commonwealth Institute of Kentucky*, University of Louisville, June 2022. [\[link\]](#)

Schaefer, Brian, Katherine Yewell, Seyed Karimi, et al. “Louisville Metro Crisis Call Diversion Program Pilot Evaluation Report”, *Commonwealth Institute of Kentucky*, University of Louisville, *forthcoming*.

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

**Assistant Professor**, *University of Louisville SPHIS, 2021–present*

Health Services Research Methods I (PhD), *Spring 2022*

Health Economics (MPHA), *Fall 2021*

**Visiting Assistant Professor**, *Washington and Lee University, 2020–2021*

Principles of Economics, *Fall 2020, Winter/Spring 2021*

Health Economics, *Winter/Spring 2021*

**Visiting Instructor**, *University of Memphis, 2019–2020*

Introduction to Microeconomics, *Fall 2019, Spring 2020*

Introduction to Microeconomics (Honors), *Fall 2019*

Microeconomic Theory (Intermediate), *Fall 2019*

Introduction to Macroeconomics (online), *Spring 2020*

**Instructor**, *Vanderbilt University, 2015, 2018*

Labor Economics, *Fall 2018*

Intermediate Microeconomics, *Summer 2015*

**Teaching Assistant**, *Vanderbilt University, 2013 – 2018*

Microeconomics Theory II (PhD)

Intermediate Microeconomics

Economics of Health

Game Theory and Applications

The Economics of Risk

Law and Economics

Social Choice Theory

International Finance

Public Finance

**Teaching Affiliate**, *Vanderbilt University Center for Teaching, 2016 – 2018*

Designed and facilitated day-long orientation seminar for new graduate teaching assistants at the beginning of each school year; updated training on teaching best practices annually

## PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

### Selected Presentations

2022: University of South Florida (Tampa), American Society of Health Economists Annual Conference (Austin)

2021: Southern Economic Association Annual Conference (Houston), American Society of Health Economists Annual Conference (virtual)

2020: University of Memphis (Memphis), Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management Fall Research Conference (virtual), American Society of Health Economists Annual Conference (St. Louis, cancelled)

2019: American Society of Health Economists Annual Conference (Washington, D.C.)

2016: Tennessee Empirical Applied Microeconomics Fest

2015: Indiana University/Vanderbilt University Health Economics and Policy Conference

## **Service and Affiliations**

Referee: *Journal of Health Economics, Southern Economic Journal*

Conference discussant: American Society of Health Economists Annual Conference (2022, 2021)

Member: *American Economic Association, American Society of Health Economists, Southern Economic Association, Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management*

Faculty Scholar, *Commonwealth Institute of Kentucky*, 2022 – present

University Committees: Child Health Equity Research Interest Group (CHERIG) Planning Committee, HMSS Health Leadership Committee

Vanderbilt Counsel of Economic Graduate Students  
President, 2014 – 2015  
Officer, 2012 – 2015

## **Professional Enhancement**

Certificate in College Teaching, *Vanderbilt University Center for Teaching*, 2015

Summer Institute Participant, “Topics in the History of Economics”, *Duke University*, 2014

Wolfram Mathematica Certification, 2012