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Education

Ph.D. in Economics, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, Minnesota, 2001. Dissertation: "Differential Sales Taxes and Income Redistribution"

M.A. in Economics, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, Minnesota, 1997.

B.A. (*magna cum laude*), in Math, Economics, and Statistics, St. Olaf College, Northfield, Minnesota, 1991.

Employment

Associate Professor, College of the Holy Cross, Worcester, Massachusetts, 2008-present,
Assistant Professor, 2004-2008.

Visiting Assistant Professor, Williams College, Williamstown, Massachusetts, 2002-2004.

Assistant Professor, Lake Forest College, Lake Forest, Illinois, Department of Economics and Business, 2001-2002; Instructor, 1998-2001; Lecturer, 1997-1998.

Facilitator, Lewis University, Romeoville, Illinois, Career Education Program, 1997-2000.

Adjunct Lecturer, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, Minnesota, Masters of Business Taxation Program, Department of Accounting, Carlson School of Management, 1997-1998.

Instructor, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, Minnesota, Department of Economics, 1992-1997.

Teaching Experience

Undergraduate	Principles of Macroeconomics	Principles of Microeconomics
Courses taught:	Intermediate Macroeconomics	Intermediate Microeconomics
	Economics of Sports	Economics of the Environment
	Public Finance	Economic Development
	Introduction to Statistics	Financial Accounting
	Business and Government	Latin American Development
	Industrial Organization and Anti-trust	Money and Banking
	International Trade and Finance	Macroeconomic Policy
	Economic Policies of Political Parties	Cost-Benefit Analysis
	Energy Economics	

Graduate courses taught: Public Finance

Honors, Awards and Grants

The Sunshine Lady Foundation, \$10,000, Spring 2010

Faculty Headliner Award, Media Relations Department, College of the Holy Cross, Fall 2009

Charles & Rosanna Batchelor (Ford) Foundation Grant, Summer 2008

Walter Heller Outstanding Teaching Award, Department of Economics, University of Minnesota, 1997.

Distinguished Instructor, Department of Economics, University of Minnesota (awarded 12 times), 1993-1997.

Graduate School Fellowship, University of Minnesota, 1991-1992.

Phi Beta Kappa, St. Olaf College, Northfield, Minnesota, 1991.

Books

“The Sports Law Casebook: Milestones in Sports Regulation,” (with Anthony Becker), under review.

“Instructor’s Supplement to *The Economics of Sports*, 3rd edition by Michael Leeds and Peter von Allmen,” Addison Wesley, 2008.

“Instructor’s Supplement to *The Economics of Sports*, 4th edition by Michael Leeds and Peter von Allmen,” Addison Wesley, 2010.

Refereed Articles

“Mega-Events and Housing Costs: Raising the Rent while Raising the Roof?” (with Dennis Coates), *Annals of Regional Science*, forthcoming.

“Hail to the Chief: Assessing the Economic Impact of Presidential Inaugurations on the Washington, D.C. Local Economy,” (with Robert Baumann and Bryan Engelhardt), *Tourism Economics*, forthcoming.

“Slippery Slope? Assessing the Economic Impact of the 2002 Winter Olympic Games in Salt Lake City, Utah,” (with Robert Baade and Robert Baumann), *Region et Développement*, Number 31, (Spring 2010), forthcoming.

“Big Men on Campus: Estimating the Economic Impact of College Sports on Local Economies,” (with Robert Baade and Robert Baumann), *Regional Studies*, forthcoming.

“Measuring Tax Incidence: A Natural Experiment in the Hybrid Vehicle Market,” (with Melissa Boyle), *Environmental Economics and Policy Studies*, Vol. 10:2-4 (Fall 2009), 101-107.

“Introduction to the Symposium on Mega-Events,” *Eastern Economic Journal*, Vol. 35:4, (Fall 2009), 479-480.

“Rejecting ‘Conventional’ Wisdom: Estimating the Economic Impact of National Political Conventions,” (with Robert Baade and Robert Baumann), *Eastern Economic Journal*, Vol. 35:4, (Fall 2009), 520-530.

“Determinants of the Distribution of Congressional Earmarks Across States,” (with Melissa Boyle), *Economics Letters*, Vol. 104:2, (August, 2009), 63-65.

“Alternative Methods of Calculating Optimal Timber Rotations: A Critique of the Stokey/Lucas/Prescott Tree-Cutting Problem,” *Applied Economics Letters*, Vol. 16:10, (July 2009), 1079-1081.

“PILOTs and Public Policy: Steering through the Economic Ramifications,” (with Brad R. Humphreys), *Villanova Sports and Entertainment Law Journal*, Vol. 16:2, (Summer 2009), 273-289.

“Bowling in Hawaii: Examining the Effectiveness of Sports-Based Tourism Strategies,” (with Robert Baumann and Chihiro Muroi), *Journal of Sports Economics*, Vol. 10:1, (February 2009), 107-123.

“Economic Multipliers and Mega-Event Analysis,” *International Journal of Sport Finance*, Vol. 4:1, (February 2009), 63-70.

“The Economic Impact of College Football Games on Local Economies,” (with Robert Baade and Robert Baumann), *Journal of Sports Economics*, Vol. 9:6, (December 2008), 628-643.

“Assessing Household Service Losses with Joint Survival Probabilities,” (with Robert Baade), *Journal of Forensic Economics*, Vol. 20:2 (October 2008), 187-192.

“Striking Out: Estimating the Economic Impact of Baseball’s World Series,” (with Robert Baade), *International Journal of Sport Management and Marketing*, Vol. 3:4, (July 2008), 319-

334.

“Selling the Game: Estimating the Economic Impact of Professional Sports through Taxable Sales,” (with Robert Baade and Robert Baumann), *Southern Economic Journal*, Vol. 74:3 (January 2008), 794-810.

“Professional Sports, Hurricane Katrina, and the Economic Redevelopment of New Orleans,” (with Robert Baade), *Contemporary Economic Policy*, Vol. 25:4, (October 2007), 591-603.

“Estimating the Economic Impact of Natural and Social Disasters with an Application to Hurricane Katrina,” (with Robert Baade and Robert Baumann), *Urban Studies*, Vol. 44:11, (October 2007), 2061-2076.

“Research Note: Athletic Graduation Rates and Simpson’s Paradox,” *Economics of Education Review*, Vol. 26:4 (August 2007), 516-520.

“Gamblers’ Love for Variety and Substitution among Lotto Games,” (with Kent Grote), *Journal of Gambling Business and Economics*, Vol. 1:2 (June 2007), 85-99.

“Can New Orleans Play Its Way Past Katrina? The Role of Professional Sports in the Redevelopment of New Orleans,” (with Robert Baade), *International Journal of Sport Management and Marketing*, Vol. 2:5-6 (June 2007), 541-554. [Reprinted in John Nauright and Steven Pope, eds., *The New Sport Management Reader*, (Morgantown, WV: Fitness Information Technologies, 2009), 515-558.]

“Examining the ‘Halo Effect’ in Lotto Games,” (with Kent Grote), *Applied Economics Letters*, Vol. 14:4 (March 2007), 307-310.

“A Tale of Two Stadiums: Comparing the Economic Impact of Chicago’s Wrigley Field and U.S. Cellular Field,” (with Robert Baade and Mimi Nikolova), *Geographische Rundschau International Edition*, Vol. 3:1 (January 2007), 53-58.

“Padding Required: Assessing the Economic Impact of the Super Bowl,” (with Robert Baade), *European Sports Management Quarterly*, Vol. 6:4 (December 2006), 353-374.

“International Women's Football and Gender Inequality,” (with Robert Hoffman, Lee Chew Ging, and Bala Ramasamy), *Applied Economics Letters*, Vol. 13:15 (December 2006), 999-1001.

“In Search of a Fair Bet in the Lottery,” (with Kent Grote), *Eastern Economic Journal*, Vol. 32:4 (Fall 2006), 673-684.

“Have Public Finance Principles Been Shut Out in Financing New Stadiums for the NFL?” (with Robert Baade), *Public Finance and Management*, Vol. 6:3 (Summer 2006), 284-320.

“The Effects of Labour Strikes on Consumer Demand in Professional Sports: Revisited,” *Applied Economics*, Vol. 38:10 (June 2006), 1173-1179.

“Is Smaller Better? A Comment on ‘Comparative Economic Impact Analyses’ by Michael Mondello and Patrick Rishe,” *Economic Development Quarterly*, Vol. 20:2 (May 2006), 192-195.

“Dueling Jackpots: Are Competing Lotto Games Complements or Substitutes?” (with Kent Grote), *Atlantic Economic Journal*, Vol. 34:1 (March 2006), 85-100.

“Contrary Evidence on the Economic Effect of the Super Bowl on the Victorious City,” *Journal of Sports Economics*, Vol. 6:4 (November 2005), 420-428.

“Mega-Sporting Events in Developing Nations: Playing the Way to Prosperity?” (with Robert Baade), *South African Journal of Economics*, Vol. 72:5 (December 2004), 1084-1095.

“Race and Riots: A Note on the Economic Impact of the Rodney King Riots,” (with Robert Baade), *Urban Studies*, Vol. 41:13 (December 2004), 2691-2696.

“‘Death Effect’ on Collectible Prices,” (with Robert Baade), *Applied Economics*, Vol. 36:11 (June 2004), 1151-1155.

“The Quest for the Cup: Assessing the Economic Impact of the World Cup,” (with Robert Baade), *Regional Studies*, Vol. 38:4 (June 2004), 343-354.

“Lotto Fever! Do Lottery Players Act Rationally Around Large Jackpots?” (with Kent Grote), *Economics Letters*, Vol. 83:2 (April 2004), 233-237.

“Jacking up the Jackpot: Are Lotto Consumers Fooled by Annuity Payments?” (with Kent Grote), *Public Finance Review*, Vol. 31:5 (September 2003), 550-567.

“Prenatal Diagnosis of Double Autosomal Mosaicism (47,XX,+8/47,XX+14): Phenotype and Molecular Cytogenetic Analysis on Different Tissues,” (with Jolie K. B. Matheson, Maureen McCorquodale, and Joaquin Santolaya-Forgas), *Fetal Diagnosis and Therapy*, Vol. 18:1 (January-February 2003), 29-32.

“Upon Further Review: An Examination of Sporting Event Economic Impact Studies,” *The Sport Journal*, Vol. 5:1 (Winter 2002).

“Home Run or Wild Pitch? The Economic Impact of Major League Baseball’s All-Star Game” (with Robert Baade), *Journal of Sports Economics*, Vol. 2:4 (November 2001), 307-326.

“When are State Lotteries a Good Bet? (Revisited),” *Eastern Economic Journal*, Vol. 27:1

(Winter 2001), 55-70.

“An Assessment of the Economic Impact of the American Football Championship, the Super Bowl, on Host Communities,” (with Robert Baade), *Reflets et Perspectives*, Vol. 30:2-3 (Summer 2000), 35-46. (De Boeck University, Brussels, Belgium.)

“High Octane? Grading the Economic Impact of the Daytona 500,” (with Robert Baade), *Marquette Sports Law Journal*, Vol. 10:2 (Spring 2000), 401-415.

Book Chapters, Conference Proceedings, and Invited Papers

“Padding Required: Assessing the Economic Impact of the Super Bowl,” (with Robert Baade), *Sports Economics*, Holger Preuss, ed., Sage Publications, forthcoming.

“Sports and the Law: Using Court Cases to Teach Sports Economics and What Every Sports Economist Should Know About Sports Law,” in *Sports Economics*, (Hyderabad, India: Institute of Chartered Financial Analysts of India, 2010), forthcoming.

“Economics of the Super Bowl,” in *Oxford Companion to Sports Economics*, Leo Keohane and Steven Shmanske, eds. (London: Oxford University Press, 2010), forthcoming.

“U.S. Lotto Markets,” (with Kent Grote) in *Handbook of Sports and Lottery Markets*, Donald B. Hausch and William T. Ziemba, eds., (New York: North Holland, 2008), 503-524.

“Mega-Events: The Effect of the World’s Biggest Sporting Events on Local, Regional, and National Economies,” in *The Business of Sports, Vol. 1*,” Dennis Howard and Brad Humphreys, eds., (Westport, CT: Praeger Publishers, 2008), 81-99.

“NFL Governance and the Fate of the New Orleans Saints: Some Observations,” (with Robert Baade), in *Governance and Competition in Professional Sports Leagues*, Plácido Rodríguez Guerrero, Stefan Késenne, and Jaume García, eds. (Gijon, Spain: Universidad de Oviedo, 2007), 141-168.

“Economic Impact Analysis,” in *Handbook on the Economics of Sport*, Wladimir Andreff and Stefan Szymanski, eds., (Cheltenham, UK: Edward Elgar, 2006), 137-142.

“Cost of Living,” “Deprivation Index,” “European Relative Income Standard of Poverty,” “Headcount Index,” “Human Poverty Index,” “Income,” “Poverty Clock,” “Poverty Gap,” “Poverty Gap Index,” “Senate Hunger Caucus,” “Squared Poverty Gap Index,” “Standard Food Basket Variant,” “TIP Curves,” “Toc H,” “Totally Fuzzy and Relative (TFR) Poverty Measures,” and “UBN-PL Method,” and in *The Encyclopedia of World Poverty*, Mehmet Odekon, ed., (London: Sage Publications, 2006).

“European Football: A Survey of the Literature,” in *Handbook of Sports Economics Research*,

John Fizel, ed., (New York: M.E. Sharpe Publishers, 2006), 118-135.

“Professional Sports,” in *Encyclopedia of American Business History*, Charles Geisst, ed., (New York: Facts on File, 2006), 403-408.

“Rationality and Efficiency in Lotto Games,” (with Kent Grote) in *Information Efficiency in Financial and Betting Markets*, Leighton Vaughan-Williams, ed., (Cambridge, UK: Cambridge University Press, 2005), 313-329.

“Beech Aircraft” and “Price Discrimination” in *The Encyclopedia of Corporate and White-Collar Crime*, Lawrence Salinger, ed., (London: Sage Publications, 2004).

“An Economic Slam Dunk or March Madness? Assessing the Economic Impact of the NCAA Basketball Tournament,” (with Robert Baade), in *Economics of College Sports*, John Fizel and Rodney Fort, eds., (Westport, CT: Praeger Publishers, 2004), 111-133.

“ChevronTexaco,” “Gambling and Lotteries,” “Mining,” and “TotalFinaElf,” in *The Encyclopedia of Capitalism*, Syed B. Hussain, ed., (New York: Facts on File, 2004).

“Full of Promises: Economic Impact of Mega-events,” (with Robert Baade), *Stadia Magazine*, Issue 18 (September 2002), 62-64.

“Bidding for the Olympics: Fool’s Gold?” (with Robert Baade), in *Transatlantic Sport: The Comparative Economics of North American and European Sports*, Carlos Pestana Barros, Muradali Ibrahim, and Stefan Szymanski, eds. (London: Edward Elgar Publishing, 2002), 127-151.

“Making PowerPoint Interactive with Hyperlinks,” Economics Centre of the Learning and Teaching Support Network, Institute for Learning and Research Technology, University of Bristol, February 2002, <http://www.economics.ltsn.ac.uk/advice/powerpoint.htm>.

“Assessing the Economic Impact of the Summer Olympic Games: the Experience of Los Angeles and Atlanta” (with Robert Baade), in *The Economic Impact of Sports: Proceedings of the 1st International Conference*, Gregory Papanikos, ed. (Athens, Greece: Athens Institute for Education and Research for the Panhellenic Association of Sports Economists and Managers, 2001), 7-24.

“Methods to Encourage Students to Use Academic Journals,” *Twelfth Annual Teaching Economics Conference*, (Pittsburgh, PA: Robert Morris College, February 2001), 109-112.

Invited Conference Papers and Presentations

“The Bottom Line: Do College Athletic Programs Satisfy Generally Accepted Accounting Principles,” (with Debra O’Connor), Western Economic Association Meetings, Portland, OR,

July 2010.

“Spreading the Fortune: The Distribution of Lottery Prizes across Countries,” (with Brad Humphreys), University of Alberta, Edmonton, AB, May 2010.

“The Effect of Sports on Franchises on Property Values: The Role of Owners vs. Renters,” (with Katherine Kiel and Christopher Sullivan), Eastern Economic Association Meetings, Philadelphia, PA, February 2010.

“The Value of Sporting Events to State Economies,” keynote speaker, National Lieutenant Governors Association Executive Committee - New Members Meeting, Boston, MA November 2009.

“The Economics of Formula 1 Racing in Abu Dhabi,” invited panelist, NYU Abu Dhabi Institute Formula 1 Racing Symposium, Abu Dhabi, October 2009.

“Anomalies in Tournament Design: The Madness of March Madness,” (with Robert Baumann and Cara Howe), New England Symposium on Statistics in Sports, Boston, MA, September 2009.

“Mega-Events and Housing Costs: Raising the Rent while Raising the Roof?,” (with Dennis Coates), Western Economic Association Meetings, Vancouver, BC, July 2009.

“Sports Franchises, Stadiums, and City Livability: An Examination of Professional Sports and Crime Rates,” (with Robert Baumann, Taylor L. Ciavarra, and Bryan Engelhardt), Western Economic Association Meetings, Vancouver, BC, July 2009.

“Spreading the Fortune: The Distribution of Lottery Prizes across Countries,” (with Kent Grote), University of Alberta, Edmonton, AB, March 2009.

“The House that Taxpayers Built: Stadiums, Speech, and Public Funding,” invited panelist, Villanova Sports and Entertainment Law Journal Symposium, Philadelphia, PA, October 2008.

“Bowling in Hawaii: Examining the Effectiveness of Sports-Based Tourism Strategies,” (with Robert Baumann and Chihiro Muroi), Western Economic Association Meetings, Honolulu, HI, July 2008.

“Spreading the Fortune: The Distribution of Lottery Prizes across Countries,” (with Kent Grote), Western Economic Association Meetings, Honolulu, HI, July 2008.

“Down, Set, Hike! The Economic Impact of College Football Games on Local Economies,” (with Robert Baade and Robert Baumann), Western Economic Association Meetings, Seattle, WA, June 2007.

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“A Tale of Two Stadiums: Comparing the Economic Impact of Chicago’s Wrigley Field and U.S. Cellular Field,” (with Robert Baade and Mimi Nikolova), International Association of Sports Economists, Dayton, OH, May 2007.

“Assessing Household Service Losses with Joint Survival Probabilities,” (with Robert Baade), Eastern Economic Association Meetings, New York City, NY, February 2007.

“Down, Set, Hike! The Economic Impact of College Football Games on Local Economies,” (with Robert Baade and Robert Baumann), Eastern Economic Association Meetings, New York City, NY, February 2007.

“Can New Orleans Play Its Way Past Katrina?” (with Robert Baade), Western Economic Association Meetings, San Diego, CA, July 2006.

“Sports and the Law: Using Court Cases to Teach Sports Economics and What Every Sports Economist Should Know About Sports Law,” Western Economic Association Meetings, San Diego, CA, July 2006.

“Selling the Big Game: Measuring the Economic Impact of Mega-Events Through Taxable Sales” (with Robert Baade and Robert Baumann), Clark University Seminar Series, Worcester, MA, March 2006.

“Predicting the Path to Recovery from Hurricane Katrina through the Lens of Hurricane Andrew and the Rodney King Riots,” (with Robert Baade and Robert Baumann), Five College Seminar Series, Amherst, MA, February 2006.

“Selling the Big Game: Measuring the Economic Impact of Mega-Events Through Taxable Sales,” (with Robert Baade), Atlantic International Economic Association Meetings, New York, NY, October 2005.

“Dueling Jackpots: Are Competing Lotto Games Complements or Substitutes?” (with Kent Grote), Western Economic Association Meetings, San Francisco, CA, July 2005.

“Selling the Super Bowl: Measuring the Economic Impact of Mega-Events Through Taxable Sales,” (with Robert Baade), Western Economic Association Meetings, San Francisco, CA, July

2005.

“Dueling Jackpots: Are Competing Lotto Games Complements or Substitutes?” (with Kent Grote), 4th biennial Equine Industry Program International Academic Conference, Louisville, KY, June 2005.

“Issues Regarding the Fiscal Impact of Riverboat Gaming,” testimony before the Illinois State Commission on Government Forecasting and Accountability, Springfield, IL, May 2005.

“Rationality, Tort Reform and Contingent Valuation: A Classroom Experiment in Starting Point Bias,” Western Economic Association Meetings, Vancouver, British Columbia, July 2004.

“The Effects of Work Stoppages on Major League Baseball Attendances,” (with Peter Pedroni), Western Economic Association Meetings, Vancouver, British Columbia, July 2004.

“Padding Required: Assessing the Economic Impact of the Super Bowl,” (with Robert Baade), Western Economic Association Meetings, Vancouver, British Columbia, July 2004.

“The Paradox of Championships,” (with Robert Baade), Western Economic Association Meetings, Denver, CO, July 2003.

“Race and Riots: Examining the Economic Impact of the Rodney King Riots,” (with Peter Pedroni and Robert Baade), Eastern Economic Association Meetings, New York City, NY, February 2003.

“In Search of a Fair Bet in the Lottery,” (with Kent Grote), Eastern Economic Association Meetings, New York City, NY, February 2003.

“An Economic Slam Dunk or March Madness? Assessing the Economic Impact of the NCAA Basketball Tournament,” (with Robert Baade), Illinois Economic Association Meetings, Chicago, IL, October 2002.

“Mega-Sporting Events: Playing the Way to Prosperity?” (with Robert Baade), Northeast Universities Development Consortium Conference, Williamstown, MA, October 2002.

“Lotto Fever! Do Lottery Players Act Rationally in the Face of Large Jackpots?” (with Kent Grote), Western Economic Association Meetings, Seattle, WA, July 2002.

“The Quest for the Cup: The Economic Impact of the World Cup,” (with Robert Baade), Western Economic Association Meetings, Seattle, WA, July 2002.

“Bazaars and Cartels: The Economics of the Middle East from 1970 to the Present,” College of Lake County: Understanding the Islam World, Grayslake, IL, June 2002.

“Making PowerPoint Interactive with Hyperlinks,” (with Dawn Abt-Perkins and Diane Snedden), American Economic Association Meetings, Teaching Economics Poster Session, Atlanta, GA, January 2002.

“Striking Out? Assessing the Economic Impact of the World Series,” (with Robert Baade), Western Economic Association Meetings, San Francisco, CA, July 2001.

“Methods to Encourage Students to Use Academic Journals,” Robert Morris College Teaching Economics: Instruction and Classroom Based Research Conference, Pittsburgh, PA, February 2001.

“Home Run or Wild Pitch? The Economic Impact of Major League Baseball’s All-Star Game” (with Robert Baade), Illinois Economic Association Meetings, Chicago, IL, October 2000.

“The CEO Game,” American Economic Association Meetings, Teaching Economics Poster Session, Boston, MA, January 2000.

“The Jigsaw Reading,” American Economic Association Meetings, Teaching Economics Poster Session, New York, NY, January 1999.

“Alternative Methods of Calculating Optimal Timber Rotations,” University of Minnesota Environmental Science and Engineering Conference, Minneapolis, MN, May 1997.

Professional Activities

Working Paper Series Editor, *International Association of Sports Economists*, March 2006-present

Associate Editor, *Eastern Economic Journal*, January 2006-present

Editorial Board, *International Journal of Sport Finance*, April 2007-present

Commenting Panelist at Professional Meetings

Western Economic Association Meetings, July 2010

Eastern Economic Association Meetings, March 2010

Western Economic Association Meetings, July 2009

Eastern Economic Association Meetings, March 2009

American Economic Association Meetings, January 2009

Western Economic Association Meetings, July 2008

Eastern Economic Association Meetings, March 2008

American Economic Association Meetings, January 2008

Western Economic Association Meetings, July 2007

Eastern Economic Association Meetings, February 2007

Western Economic Association Meetings, July 2006

Atlantic International Economic Association Meetings, October 2005
Western Economic Association Meetings, July 2005
4th Biennial Equine Industry Program International Academic Conference, June 2005
Western Economic Association Meetings, July 2004
Western Economic Association Meetings, July 2003
Eastern Economic Association Meetings, February 2003
Northeast Universities Development Consortium Conference, October 2002
Western Economic Association Meetings, July 2002

Referee

Disasters: The Journal of Disaster Studies, Policy and Management (2010)
Environmental Economics and Policy Studies (2010)
Empirical Economics (2009)
European Sports Management Quarterly (2009)
Atlantic Economic Journal (2006, 2008, 2009)
Southern Economic Journal (2007, 2009)
International Journal of Sport Finance (2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010)
Eastern Economic Journal (2002, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009)
Journal of Sports Economics (2006, 2007, 2008, 2009)
Public Management Review (2008)
Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada (2008)
Economic Inquiry (2008, 2009)
Oxford University Press (2008, 2009)
Review of Regional Research (2008)
Applied Economics (2007)
Economica (2007)
Journal of Urban Affairs (2006, 2007)
Labour Economics (2007)
Contemporary Economic Policy (2006, 2007)
European Sports Management Quarterly (2006)
Public Finance and Management (2005)
Canadian Journal of Economics (2005)
National Science Foundation (2001, 2002)

Doctoral Dissertation Committee

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Working Papers

“Anomalies in Tournament Design: The Madness of March Madness,” (with Robert Baumann and Cara Howe), Department of Economics Working Paper No. 09-12, submitted to *Journal of Quantitative Analysis of Sports*, under review.

“Luck or Skill? An Examination of the Ehrlich - Simon Bet,” (with Katherine A. Kiel and Kevin

Golembiewski), Department of Economics Working Paper No. 09-08, submitted to *Review of Environmental Economics and Policy*.

“The Great Macroeconomic Experiment: Assessing the Effects of Fiscal Stimulus Spending on Employment Growth” (with Robert Baumann and Bryan Engelhardt), Department of Economics Working Paper No. 09-10.

“Drawing Conclusions from Non-Random Samples: A Comment on ‘Race and Art: Prices for African American Painters and their Contemporaries’ by Richard Agnello,” (with Melissa Boyle).

“Spreading the Fortune: The Distribution of Lottery Prizes across Countries,” (with Kent Grote), Department of Economics Working Paper No. 09-04.

“The Economics of Lotteries: A Review of the Literature,” (with Kent Grote).

“Rationality, Tort Reform and Contingent Valuation: A Classroom Experiment in Starting Point Bias,” College of the Holy Cross, Department of Economics Working Paper No. 05-09.

“Striking Out? The Economic Impact of Major League Baseball Work Stoppages on Host Communities,” (with Robert Baade), Department of Economics Working Paper No. 05-07.

“The Paradox of Championships: Be Careful What You Wish For, Sports Fans,” (with Robert Baade), College of the Holy Cross, Department of Economics Working Paper No. 05-04.

Editorials, Book Reviews, and Other Publications/Articles

“Bid’s rejection could be for the best,” *Chicago Tribune*, October 4, 2009.

“Sports and Their Fans: The History, Economics, and Culture of the Relationship Between Spectator and Sport,” by Kevin G. Quinn, in *Journal of Sports Economics*, forthcoming.

“Caught Under a Mountain of Olympic Debt,” *Boston Globe*, August 22, 2008. (Reprinted in *International Herald Tribune* as “Great Games, Great Bills”.)

“The Economics of Staging the Olympics: A Comparison of the Games 1972-2008” by Holger Preuss, in *International Journal of Sport Finance*, Vol. 3:1 (February 2008), 74-76.

“Dialogue on Graduation Rates and College Athletics,” *Boston Globe*, March 21-24, 2007.

“How Money Changed Red Auerbach’s Game,” *Boston Globe*, November 1, 2006.

“Luck of the Draw,” *New York Times*, July 10, 2005.

“Beware of Boosters,” *Portland Oregonian*, March 2, 2005.

“Tournament an economic air ball,” *San Antonio Express-News*, March 28, 2004.

“Free Trade Today” by Jagdish Bhagwati, *Ideas on Liberty*, March 2004.

“Better for U to rent than own,” *Minneapolis Star-Tribune*, December 20, 2003.

“Fit to be ref’ing,” *The Football Referee*, October 2003.

“Dogs and Demons: Tales from the Dark Side of Japan” by Alex Kerr, in *Ideas on Liberty*, March 2003.

“Coaching Attitude,” *Down-the-Line!*, Issue 5, December 18, 2001.

“Can Japan Compete?” by Michael Porter, Hirotaka Takeuchi, and Mariko Sakakibara, in *Ideas on Liberty*, November 2001.

“Goodwill can help U.S. achieve a lasting peace,” *Chicago Tribune*, September 30, 2001.

“Development as Freedom” by Amartya Sen, *Ideas on Liberty*, May 2000.

“The cost of vouchers,” *Chicago Tribune*, September 7, 1999.

“Voting and the Civil Rights Act of 1964,” *Washington Times*, June 22, 1999.

“Conservatives should admit the sky is falling,” *Ideas Hatched*, June 1999.

“Tax credit for all may benefit educators only,” *Minneapolis Star-Tribune*, August 7, 1998.

“Men’s athletics should add world’s favorite sport,” *Minnesota Daily*, February 20, 1997.

“When nuclear power does and doesn’t make sense,” *Minneapolis Star-Tribune*, January 27, 1997.

“Parents: Ease up on refs,” *Soccer America*, July 1, 1996.

“Gender equity in sports under fire,” *Minnesota Daily*, April 10, 1995.

“Stop blaming officials for every defeat,” *Minnesota Daily*, November 11, 1994.

Numerous articles for the *Minnesota Soccer Times* as columnist, February 1995 to September 1997.

Numerous articles for Asktheref.com as columnist, March 2000 to present.

Numerous articles for Thesportseconomist.com as regular contributor, July 2006 to present.
(Named one of top 30 economics blogs by the Wall Street Journal in July 2009.)

Media Appearances

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