

Jeffrey R. Traczynski

Education

Ph.D. Economics, University of Wisconsin-Madison	2011
M.S. Economics, University of Wisconsin-Madison	2009
B.A. Economics/Latin, Swarthmore College	2004

Employment

Assistant Professor of Economics, University of Hawaii at Manoa	2011-present
Financial Economist, Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation	2015-present

Fields

Applied Microeconomics, Public Economics, Law and Economics, Health Economics, Economics of Education

Publications

- “Divorce Rates and Bankruptcy Exemption Levels in the U.S.” *Journal of Law and Economics*, 54(3), August 2011, pp. 751-779
- “Macro-Level Factors Impacting Geographic Disparities in Cancer Screening” *Health Economics Review* 2014, 4:13 (with Lee R. Mobley, Tzy-Mey Kuo, Victoria Udalova, and H. E. Frech)

Working Papers

- “Firm Bankruptcy Prediction: A Bayesian Model Averaging Approach” (revise and resubmit, *Journal of Financial and Quantitative Analysis*)
- “Spare the Rod? The Dynamic Effects of No Child Left Behind on Failing Schools” (with Jane Cooley Fruehwirth)
- “Nurse Practitioner Independence, Health Care Utilization, and Health Outcomes” (with Victoria Udalova)
- “Person, Place, and Regulation: Predictors of CRC Screening by Endoscopy” (with Lee R. Mobley, Tzy-Mey Kuo, Jon Starnes, Victoria Udalova, and Julia Koschinsky)
- “Personal Bankruptcy, Asset Risk, and Entrepreneurship: Evidence from Tenancy by the Entirety Laws”
- “Physician Asset Protection, Malpractice Insurance, and Defensive Medicine” (with Victoria Udalova)
- “Do Divorces Cause Bankruptcies?”

Teaching

UH-Manoa, Graduate Mathematical Economics	Fall 2013, Fall 2014
UH-Manoa, Graduate Public Finance	Spring 2013, Spring 2014
UH-Manoa, Graduate Econometrics	Spring 2012
UH-Manoa, Principles of Microeconomics	Fall 2011, Fall 2012, Fall 2013, Fall 2014, Spring 2015
Teaching Assistant, UW-Madison, Principles of Microeconomics	Fall 2006, Spring 2007, Summer 2008
Teaching Assistant, UW-Madison, Intermediate Macroeconomics	Spring 2008
Teaching Assistant, UW-Madison, Principles of Macroeconomics	Fall 2007
Teaching Assistant, Swarthmore College, Intermediate Microeconomics	Fall 2003

Past Employment

Visiting Professor, Dept. of Economics, Yokohama National University	Summer 2014
Graduate Research Fellow, Institute for Research on Poverty, UW-Madison	2009-2011
Project Assistant, Institute for Research on Poverty/Wisconsin Center for Education Research, UW-Madison	2009-2010
Research Assistant, Trade and Financial Studies, Federal Reserve Board	2004-2006

Awards and Distinctions

Excellence in Teaching Award, UH-Manoa	2015
Capstone Ph.D. Teaching Award, UW-Madison	2010
Lau Christensen Award in Empirical Economics, UW-Madison	2009
College of Letters and Sciences Teaching Fellow, UW-Madison	2009
Anna Morris Ely Teaching Award, Dept. of Economics, UW-Madison	2008
Madison’s Favorite Teachers, Dept. of Residential Housing, UW-Madison	2006, 2007

Refereeing

American Economic Journal: Economic Policy, Berkeley Electronic Journal of Economic Analysis and Policy, Eastern Economic Journal, Economic Inquiry, Economics Letters, Economics of Education Review, International Economic Journal,

Journal of Economics and International Finance, Journal of Empirical Finance, Journal of Health Economics, Journal of Human Resources, Journal of Population Economics, Journal of Public Economics, Population Research and Policy Review, World Bank Economic Review

Conferences and Invited Presentations

Kansas State University, Smith College, Congressional Budget Office, Census Bureau, Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation 2015

EWC-KIPF Post-Crisis Fiscal Policy and Public Financial Management, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, LaFollette School of Public Affairs, University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire, Hitotsubashi University, Yokohama National University, Nagoya University, Keio University, University of Tokyo, American Society of Health Economists, Western Economics Association, EWC-KDI Human Capital Policy, APPAM Fall Research Meetings, UH-Manoa Dept. of Sociology 2014

Congressional Budget Office, Midwest Health Economics Conference, Association of Private Enterprise Education, Hawaii Language Summit, Western Economics Association, EWC-KDI Competition Law and Economics, APPAM Fall Research Meetings 2013

Shidler College of Business, Western Economics Association, APPAM Fall Research Meetings 2012

Midwest Economics Association, Research Innovation and Development Grants in Economics (UW-Madison), EWC-KDI Social Policy Issues 2011

NBER Education Program Meeting, Western Economics Association, Institute for Research on Poverty (UW-Madison), Wisconsin Economics Association 2010

UW-Madison Public Finance Workshop, University of Wisconsin-Whitewater 2009