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ACADEMIC POSITIONS

University of Richmond Assistant Professor of Economics	2026-present
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EDUCATION

Michigan State University Ph.D. in Economics Dissertation: "Three Essays on Social Determinants of Health"	August 2026
Ohio State University B.A., English & Political Science Summa cum laude with honors and research distinction	May 2012

RESEARCH AREAS

Primary: Public Finance, Health Economics
Secondary: Urban Economics, Environmental Economics

PUBLICATIONS

Crowe, Bradley, Graham Gardner, and Cara Haughey. "The Effects of Restricted Abortion Access on IUDs and Vasectomies: Evidence from Texas." *Journal of Health Economics* (2025): 103041.

Conlin, Michael, Katherine Harris-Lagoudakis, Cara Haughey, Seung Yeon Jung, and Hannah Wich. "The New Normal: Grocery Shopping Behavior Changes Before and After the COVID-19 Vaccine." *Applied Economic Perspectives and Policy* 46, no. 3 (2024): 1241-1264.

WORKING PAPERS

Neighbor Helping Neighbor: Local Giving and the Geography of Charity
Job Market Paper

The Effect of Unconventional Oil and Gas Drilling on Healthcare Utilization: Evidence from Texas
Reject and Resubmit at *Health Economics*

Filling the Gap: The Role of Food Pantries for Income-Constrained Adults

Abortion Access and Female Sterilization
With Graham Gardner and Sarah Mirrow

WORKS IN PROGRESS

Removing Cigarettes from the Shelf: Cigarette Access and Smoker Behavior
With Michael Conlin, Katherine Harris-Lagoudakis, and Seung Yeon Jung

The Effect of Hormone Replacement Therapy on Health and Labor Market Outcomes of Perimenopausal People
With Stacy Dickert-Conlin and Meaghan Roberts

AWARDS, SCHOLARSHIPS, AND GRANTS

National Tax Association Equity and Inclusion Travel Fellowship	2024
College of Social Sciences Research Scholars Award	2024
College of Graduate Students Professional Development Funding	2023
College of Social Sciences Early Start Fellowship	2020-2023
Academic Achievement University Assistantship	2020-2021

PRESENTATIONS

MSU Grand River Workshop	2025
MEA Annual Meeting; SEA Annual Meeting	2024
MSU Red Cedar Conference; ASHEcon Annual Meeting; MSU & U of M Energy and Environmental Economics Day; SEA Annual Meeting	2023

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Michigan State University Instructor: Introduction to Microeconomics	2023
Michigan State University Teaching Assistant: Introduction to Microeconomics	2023-2026
Michigan State University Teaching Assistant: Introduction to Macroeconomics	2021

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Research Assistant, Michael Conlin	Summer-Fall 2022
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UNIVERSITY SERVICE

Committee on Institutional Access	2021-2026
Graduate Student Seminar Coordinator	2023-2025
Women of Economics Coordinator	2022