

CURRICULUM VITAE

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Education

1997 Ph.D. MIT (Economics)
1989 B.A. Stanford University (Economics, Honors English)

Employment

2006–present Associate Professor of Economics, University of California, San Diego (UCSD)
2008–2009 Visiting Associate Professor of Management & Strategy, Kellogg School of Management, Northwestern University
2004–2006 Assistant Professor of Economics, UCSD
1997–2003 Assistant Professor of Economics, University of Michigan (UM)
1999–2001 Robert Wood Johnson Foundation (RWJF) Health Policy Scholar

Other affiliations/positions

2009–present Editorial Board, *Journal of Economic Literature*
2007–present Coeditor, *Journal of Human Resources*
2007–present Associate Editor, *Journal of Public Economics*
2007–present Editorial Board, *American Economic Journal: Economic Policy*
2007–present Research Associate, National Bureau of Economic Research (NBER)
2007–present Board of Directors, American Education Finance Association
2007–present Member, California State Controller's Council of Economic Advisors
2007–present Member, National Academy of Social Insurance
2007–present National Fellow, The Stanford Center for the Study of Poverty and Inequality
2006–present Editorial Board, *The B.E. Journal of Economic Analysis and Policy*
2004–present Editorial Board, *Education Finance and Policy*
2005–2008 Standing Member, Institute for Education Sciences (IES) Educational Systems and Broad Reform Scientific Review Panel
2002–2003 Member, Michigan State Board of Education School Finance Task Force
1998–2007 Faculty Research Fellow, NBER

Honors, scholarships, and fellowships

- 2007 *Educational Evaluation and Policy Analysis* Outstanding Reviewer Award, UCSD
Economics Faculty Teaching Award Honorable Mention
- Previous Alfred P. Sloan Doctoral Dissertation Fellowship, National Academy of Social
Insurance John Heinz Dissertation Honorable Mention (1999), National Institute
on Aging Pre-Doctoral Fellowship, Robert Solow Doctoral Dissertation Award,
UM Faculty Recognition Award (1999), UM Rothschild Junior Faculty Research
Award

Professional service

- Previous Committee on the Status of Women in the Economics Profession National
Mentoring Workshop Mentor (2004), The Johns Hopkins University Center for
Talented Youth College Colloquia Academic Panel Member (2004), Testimony
before the President's Commission on Excellence in Special Education (2002)

Grants

- Previous Center for International Business Education Research Award (with R. Gordon),
Michigan Retirement Research Center Grant (with J. Bound), Michigan
Exploratory Center on the Demography of Aging Grant (with J. Bound),
NCES/AEFA New Scholars Program Grant, RWJF Economic Research Initiative
on the Uninsured (ID# 040046)

Publications

Journal articles

- Cullen, Julie Berry and Roger H. Gordon, 2007. "Taxes and entrepreneurial risk-taking:
theory and evidence for the U.S.," *Journal of Public Economics* 91(7):1479-505.
- Cullen, Julie Berry, Brian A. Jacob, and Steven D. Levitt, 2006. "The effect of school choice
on participants: evidence from randomized lotteries," *Econometrica* 74(5):1191-1230.
- Cullen, Julie Berry, Brian A. Jacob, and Steven D. Levitt, 2005. "The impact of school choice
on student outcomes: an analysis of the Chicago Public Schools," *Journal of Public
Economics* 89(5-6):729-60.
- Bound, John, Julie Berry Cullen, Austin Nichols, and Lucie Schmidt, 2004. "The welfare
implications of increasing disability insurance benefit generosity," *Journal of Public
Economics* 88(12):2487-2514.
- Cullen, Julie Berry, 2003. "The impact of fiscal incentives on student disability rates,"
Journal of Public Economics 87(7-8):1557-89.
- Cullen, Julie Berry and Jonathan Gruber, 2000. "Does unemployment insurance crowd out
spousal labor supply?," *Journal of Labor Economics* 18(3):546-572.
- Cullen, Julie Berry and Steven D. Levitt, 1999. "Crime, urban flight, and the consequences
for cities," *The Review of Economics and Statistics* 81(2):159-169.

Book chapters

- Cullen, Julie Berry and Brian A. Jacob, Forthcoming. "Is gaining access to a selective elementary school gaining ground? Evidence from randomized lotteries" in J. Gruber, ed., *An Economic Perspective on the Problems of Disadvantaged Youth* (Chicago, IL: University of Chicago Press).
- Cullen, Julie Berry and Randall Reback, 2006. "Tinkering toward accolades: school gaming under a performance accountability system" in T. Gronberg and D. Jansen, eds., *Improving School Accountability: Check-Ups or Choice, Advances in Applied Microeconomics* 14 (Amsterdam: Elsevier Science), pp.1-34.
- Cullen, Julie Berry and Roger H. Gordon, 2006. "Tax reform and entrepreneurial activity" in J. Poterba, ed., *Tax Policy and the Economy* 20 (Cambridge, MA: MIT Press), pp.41-71.
- Cullen, Julie Berry and Roger H. Gordon, 2006. "How do taxes affect entrepreneurial activity? A comparison of U.S. and Swedish law" (in Swedish) in P. Braunerhjelm and J. Wiklund, eds., *Entreprenörskap och Tillväxt: Kunskap, Kommersialisering och Ekonomisk Politik* (Stockholm, Sweden: Forum För Småföretagsforskning), pp.71-93.
- Cullen, Julie Berry and Susanna Loeb, 2004. "School finance reform in Michigan: evaluating Proposal A" in J. Yinger, ed., *Helping Children Left Behind: State Aid and the Pursuit of Educational Equity* (Cambridge, MA: MIT Press), pp. 215-50.
- Cullen, Julie Berry and Steven G. Rivkin, 2003. "The role of special education in school choice" in C. Hoxby, ed., *The Economics of School Choice* (Chicago, IL: University of Chicago Press), pp. 67-106.
- Courant, Paul, Julie Berry Cullen, and Susanna Loeb, 2003. "K-12 education in Michigan" in C. Ballard, P. Courant, et al., eds., *Michigan at the Millennium* (East Lansing, MI: Michigan State University Press), pp. 299-321.

Comments

- Cullen, Julie Berry, 2004. "Comments" [on C. Hilber and C. Mayer, "School funding equalization and residential location for the young and the elderly"] in W. Gale and J. Rothenberg Pack, eds., *Brookings-Wharton Papers on Urban Affairs: 2004* (Washington, DC: Brookings Institution), pp.139-144.
- Cullen, Julie Berry, 2002. "Comments" [on S. Calabrese, G. Cassidy and D. Epple, "Local government fiscal structure and metropolitan consolidation"] in W. Gale and J. Rothenberg Pack, eds., *Brookings-Wharton Papers on Urban Affairs: 2002* (Washington, DC: Brookings Institution), pp.36-40.

Current working papers

- Deductibility of state and local taxes: is there a case for continuing this tax expenditure? (with R. Gordon, under review).
- Jockeying for position: high school student mobility and Texas' top-ten percent rule (with R. Reback and M. Long).
- Implicit performance awards: an empirical analysis of the labor market for public school principals (with M. Mazzeo).

Invited seminars

- 2009 RAND, Stanford University (IREPP), UC Irvine, UCLA, University of Colorado at Boulder
- 2008 Brookings Institution, Louisiana State University, Michigan State University, Northwestern University Institute for Policy Research, Ohio State University, Simon Fraser University, University of Arkansas Department of Education Reform, UC Merced, University of Chicago, University of Hawaii, University of Illinois at Chicago, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, University of Texas at Austin, Texas A&M University, Wharton
- 2007 Cal State Fullerton, Carnegie Mellon-University of Pittsburgh, Duke University, Princeton University, UC Berkeley School of Public Policy, UC Santa Cruz, University of Michigan
- 2006 Kellogg School of Management, MIT-Harvard, Public Policy Institute of California (PPIC), UCLA, University of Chicago Harris School
- Previous Carnegie Mellon, Cornell University (PAM), Dartmouth, Duke University, Duke Institute of Public Policy, Harvard University, Iowa State University, Kennedy School of Government, McMaster University, Michigan State, MIT, Northwestern University, Oakland University, PPIC, Princeton University, RAND, St. Louis Federal Reserve Bank, Stanford University, Stanford University School of Education, Stanford GSB, Syracuse University, Tufts University, UC Berkeley, UC Davis, UCLA, UCSD, University of British Columbia, University of Chicago GSB, University of Florida at Gainesville, University of Houston-Rice University, University of Illinois at Chicago (IGPA), University of Kentucky, University of Michigan, University of North Carolina, University of Oregon, University of Rochester, University of Texas at Dallas, University of Toronto, University of Victoria, University of Virginia, University of Washington School of Public Affairs, University of Western Ontario, University of Wisconsin, Upjohn Institute, Western Michigan University, Yale University, York University

Conference presentations

- 2009 American Education Finance Association (AEFA) annual meeting
- 2008 AEFA annual meeting, Southern Economic Association (SEA) annual meeting
- 2007 AEFA, All-UC Labor Economics Workshop at UC Davis, “An economics perspective on the problems of disadvantaged youth” NBER conference meeting, Center on Capitalism and Society 4th Annual Conference
- 2006 “An economics perspective on the problems of disadvantaged youth” NBER pre-conference meeting
- 2005 Economic Research Initiative on the Uninsured (ERIU) “Coverage impact across the lifespan”, SEA, UC Davis “Education, diversity, and public policy in California”, UCLA Southern California Applied Micro Mini Conference
- Previous American Economic Association annual meeting (AEA), AEFA, Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management annual meeting (APPAM), Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago “Resources, outcomes, and funding of public schools,” Institute of Government and Public Affairs Summer Workshop (IGPA), Institute

for Research on Poverty Summer Workshop (IRP), MRRC Improving Social Insurance Programs, Midwestern Economic Association annual meeting (MEA), NBER Conference on School Choice, NBER Children's program meeting, NBER Public Economics program meeting, NBER Summer Institute, National Tax Association annual meeting (NTA), Public Choice, RWJF Health Policy Scholars Program annual meeting, Social Security Retirement Research Consortium Annual Joint Conference, SEA

Invited discussions

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| 2008 | AEFA, SEA |
| 2007 | AEA, AEFA, NBER Universities Research Conference "Economics of High-Skill Labor Markets," University of Chicago Workshop on Black-White Inequality, Russell Sage Foundation "Assessing the Benefits and Costs of the U.S. Prison Boom" |
| 2005 | AEFA, National Poverty Center "Working and Poor" |
| Previous | Brookings-Wharton Conference on Urban Affairs, ERIU "Coverage Preferences and Coverage Choice," ERIU "Coverage Dynamics and the Uninsured," Green Center "Achieving Universal Literacy," Joint Center for Poverty Research "Welfare Reform and the Macro-Economy," National Academy of Sciences "Devising Incentives to Promote Human Capital," NBER Entrepreneurship program meeting |

Teaching experience

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| Graduate | Social insurance and redistribution (UCSD Econ 232)
Government expenditures (UM Econ 683)
Dissertation research course (UM Econ 695-696) |
| Master | Public finance (UCSD IR/PS 466)
Public economics for business leaders (Kellogg SEEK 470) |
| Postdoctoral | Faculty advisor (UM Center for Poverty Research Fellows Program)
Faculty mentor (RWJF Health Scholars Program) |
| Undergraduate | Social insurance and redistribution (UCSD Econ 153)
Government expenditures (UM Econ 481)
Intermediate microeconomics (UCSD Econ 100B)
Independent study (UCSD Econ 199, UM Econ 499)
Academic internship program (UCSD AIP 197)
Faculty mentor (UCSD Marshall Mentor Program, UM Mentorship Program)
Faculty supervisor (UM Undergraduate Research Opportunity Program) |

Doctoral committees (year of degree and initial placement indicated)

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| 2009 | *Jason Shafrin (Acumen LLC) |
| 2008 | Karmen Suen (Deloitte Consulting) |
| 2007 | Cory Koedel (University of Missouri-Columbia), *Jose Martinez (University of North Texas), Yuan Emily Tang (UCSD Teaching Fellow) |

- 2006 Farzana Afridi (Syracuse University)
- 2005 Irina Grafova (University of Medicine and Dentistry NJ), Jordan Matsudaira (Cornell University), Francesca Mazzolari (Rutgers), Jody Schimmel (Northeastern University), Heidi Shierholz (University of Toronto), Juan Pablo Valenzuela (Universidad de Chile)
- Previous Claudio Agostini (Universidad Alberto Hurtado, Chile), Sebastian Auguste (FIEL, Argentina), Michael Christian (BEA), Martin Farnham (University of Victoria, Canada), Naomi Feldman (Ben-Gurion University, Israel), †Teresa Gibson (University of Michigan), Jeff Groen (Cornell post-doctoral fellow), Emma Hutchinson (University of Victoria, Canada), James Leady (Centre College), Susanna Loeb (UC Davis), *Mark Long (George Washington University), No-Wook Park (Korea Institute of Public Finance), Brian Poi (Stata Corporation), *Randy Reback (Barnard College), Lucie Schmidt (Williams College), Purvi Sevak (Hunter College), †Doug Shapiro (MN Private College Research Foundation), Hui-Chen Wang (University of Mississippi), †Walter Wodchis (University of Toronto), Shih-ying Wu (National Tsing Hua University, Taiwan)

* Chair or co-chair † department other than Economics

Reviewer activities

Ad Hoc Reviewer for Journals: *American Economic Journal*, *Applied Economics*, *American Economic Review*, *B.E. Journals in Economic Analysis and Policy*, *Canadian Journal of Economics*, *Econometrica*, *Economic Inquiry*, *Economics of Education Review*, *The Economic Journal*, *Educational Evaluation and Policy Analysis*, *Education Next*, *Empirical Economics*, *European Economic Review*, *Health Services Research*, *Industrial and Labor Relations Review*, *International Tax and Public Finance*, *Journal of Applied Econometrics*, *Journal of Economic Development and Cultural Change*, *Journal of Economic Literature*, *Journal of the European Economic Association*, *Journal of Human Resources*, *Journal of Health Economics*, *Journal of Labor Economics*, *Journal of Law and Economics*, *Journal of Urban Economics*, *Journal of Policy Analysis and Management*, *Journal of Political Economy*, *Journal of Public Economics*, *Journal of Regional Science*, *Labour Economics*, *National Tax Journal*, *Public Finance Review*, *Quarterly Journal of Economics*, *Review of Economics and Statistics*, *State and Local Government Review*, *Southern Economic Journal*

Ad Hoc Reviewer for Others: American Education Research Association, Danish Council for Independent Research, Goldwater Institute, Houghton Mifflin Company, Institute for Education Sciences, Israel Science Foundation, National Science Foundation, Smith Richardson Foundation, Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada, South-Western Publishing, Spencer Foundation, Stanford-led “Getting Down to Facts”, Worth Publishers