

Michael Gmeiner

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Education

- Ph.D. Economics, Northwestern University, 2019

Employment

Assistant Professor (Education), London School of Economics 2021-Present

Deputy Undergraduate Programme Director, 2023-Present

Past and current teaching assignments relate to the following courses: EC1C1 - Econometrics 1, EC2C1 - Econometrics II, EC220 - Introduction to Econometrics, EC2C3 - Econometrics 1, EC443 - Econometrics for MRes students, and EC475 - Quantitative Economics.

Adjunct Lecturer and Research Specialist, Northwestern University 2020-2021

Econ 281 - Introduction to Applied Econometrics

Teacher, St. Paul American School, Beijing 2019-2020

Economics, Precalculus, and Geometry. Member of School Improvement Committee. Assigned to Interview School Applicants

Publications

- “Comparing the cost of cirrhosis to other common chronic diseases: A longitudinal study in a large national insurance database”, with D. Lader, C. Manski, F. Obradović, and others, *Hepatology*, pp 10-1097, 2025
- “Can patterns of household purchases predict the outcome of US presidential elections?”, with S. Crowe and S. Ille, *Economics Bulletin*, Vol. 44, Issue 3, pp. 1181-1187, 2024
- “Qualitative, rather than quantitative, differences between HLA-DQ alleles affect HLA-DQ immunogenicity in organ transplantation”, with C. Maguire, A. Tambur, and others, *HLA*, Vol. 103, Issue 4, 2024.
- “Increasing prevalence of cirrhosis among insured adults in the United States, 2012-2018”, with D. Ladner, C. Manski, and others, *PLOS One*, Vol. 19, Issue 2, 2024.
- “Estimating the employment effect of the minimum wage through variation in compliance: Evidence from five US states”, with R. Gmeiner, *Journal of Government and Economics*, Vol. 12, Article 100096, 2023.
- “Keeping up with Academic Jones?: Benchmarking and University Vice Chancellors’ Pay in the UK”, with A. Gschwandtner and R. McManus, *Higher Education Policy*, 2023, pp.1-27.
- “HLA-DQ Mismatches Lead to More Unacceptable Antigens, Greater Sensitization, and Increased Disparities in Repeat Transplant Candidates”, with D. Isaacson, J. Schold, H. Copley, V. Kosmoliaptsis, and A. Tambur, *Journal of the American Society of Nephrology*, Vol. 33, Issue 12, 2022, pp. 2,293-2,305.

- “Regulation Enforcement,” with R. Gmeiner, *Journal of Labor Research*, Vol. 43, 2022, pp. 163-202.
- “Encouraging Domestic Innovation by Protecting Foreign IP,” with R. Gmeiner, *International Review of Law and Economics*, Vol. 69, Article 106000, 2021.
- “Trait-Augmented Games with Limited-Skill Agents,” with V. Lambson, *International Game Theory Review*, Vol 23, No. 3, Article 2150004, 2021.
- “Predicting kidney transplant outcomes with partial knowledge of HLA mismatch,” with C. Manski and A. Tambur, *Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences*, Vol. 116, No. 41, 2019, pp. 20339-20345.
- “Seasonal Demand and Net Entry,” *Economics Bulletin*, Vol. 39, No. 2, 2019, pp. 1135-1143.
- “The gender gap in K-12 educator salaries,” with D. Fox and J. Price, *Economics of Education Review*, Vol. 68, 2019, pp. 23-26.
- “History-Dependent Mixed Strategies: Evidence from Major League Baseball,” *Journal of Sports Economics*, Vol. 20, No. 3, 2019, pp. 371-398.
- “A review of pornography use research: Methodology and results from four sources,” with J. Price and M. Worley, *Cyberpsychology: Journal of Psychosocial Research in Cyberspace*, Vol. 9, No. 4, 2015.

Referee Service

- *International Journal of Industrial Organization*, *Archives of Sexual Behavior*, *The Sixth International Conference on Economic and Business Management*

Presentations

- “Cirrhosis is Associated with Higher 30-day Readmissions Compared to other Severe Chronic Conditions”. American Association for the Study of Liver Diseases 2022
- “History Dependent Mixed Strategies: Evidence from Major League Baseball”. Western Economic Association International Annual Conference, 2016.
- “The Long Run Economic Effects of the Dust Bowl Migration”. Mary Lou Fulton Social Science Conference, 2016.
- “Economic Returns to Chlorinated Water”. Western Social Science Association Conference, 2015.

Languages

- English – Native
- Ukrainian – Conversationally fluent as of 2013
- Russian – Elementary proficiency as of 2013

Programming Languages

- Stata – Proficient, Linux/Unix – Proficient, Python – Elementary proficiency, Matlab – Elementary proficiency, Latex, Word, and Excel – Proficient.

Awards

- Nominated for LSE Student Union Awards of “Inspirational Teaching”, “Outstanding Teaching”, and “Excellent Feedback and Communication” during the 2021-2022, 2022-2023, and 2023-2024 academic years.
- Teacher of the Month, October 2019
- Distinguished Teaching Assistant 2017-2018
- Northwestern University Fellow 2016-2019
- Academic Excellence by BYU Math Professor Todd Fisher, Spring 2014
- BYU Academic Tuition Scholarship 2010-2011, 2013-2015
- Phi Eta Sigma Honor Society
- Eagle Scout

Community Service

- Rhythms of Life (Charity for the homeless in London)
- Northwestern Habitat for Humanity
- Brighter Horizons – a weekly service group with delinquent and troubled boys in Provo, Utah.

Test Scores

- GRE: 170 Quantitative, 166 Verbal
- SAT: 800 Mathematics, 660 Reading, 670 Writing