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Curriculum Vita

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Professional Interest: Labor Economics, Economics of Marriage and the Family, Poverty and Public Policy.

Education:

- B.A., University of Wisconsin - Milwaukee, 1994.
- Ph.D., Northwestern University, Evanston Illinois, June 2000.

Professional Experience

- Assistant Professor, La Follette School of Public Affairs and Department of Economics, University of Wisconsin – Madison, August 2000 to present.

Awards, Honors, and Fellowships:

- American Economic Association Summer Program for Minority Students participant, June 1993 to August 1993.
- Ronald E. McNair Scholarship, The University of Wisconsin - Milwaukee, May 1993.
- C.I.C. Pre-Doctoral Fellowship, Northwestern University, September 1994.
- Joint Center for Poverty Research Graduate Fellow, Northwestern University, 1997-1998.
- Anna Julia Cooper Post-Doctoral Fellowship, University of Wisconsin-Madison, 1999.

Publications in Refereed Journals

Wallace, G.L. and R. Haveman (2007). ["The Reliability of Work and Earnings Measures for Low-Skill Women: Survey Responses vs. Administrative Records."](#) *Journal of Social and Economic Measurement*, November 2007

Wallace, G.L. and R. Haveman (2007). ["The Implications of Differences between Employer and Worker Employment/Earnings Reports for Policy Evaluation."](#) *Journal of Policy Analysis and Management*, 24(4), pp. 737-754.

Wallace, G.L. (2007). ["Welfare Flows and Caseload Dynamics."](#) *Journal of Applied Economics*. 10(2).

Hoover, G.A. and G. Wallace. (2007). ["Examining the Relationship Between Poverty and Economic Conditions in the South."](#) *Journal of Income Distribution*, 16(2), pp. 132-143.

Wu, C.F., Cancian, M., Meyer, D.R., and G. Wallace. (2006). ["How Do Welfare Sanctions Work?"](#) *Social Work Research*, 30(1), pp. 33-50.

Cancian, M., Meyer, D.R., and G. Wallace. (2001) ["TANF Participation Dynamics: Lessons From Wisconsin."](#) Joint with Maria Cancian and Daniel Meyer, *Journal of Applied Social Sciences*, 25(1), pp. 57-75.

Book Chapters, Reports and Other Publications

[“The Effect of Child Support Enforcement on Non-marital Fertility.”](#) Report completed for the Wisconsin Department of Workforce Development, September 2005.

Cancian, M., Klawitter, M.M., Meyer, D.R., Rangarajan, A., Wallace, G.L., and R.G. Wood. (2003). ["Income and program participation among early TANF recipients: The evidence from New Jersey, Washington, and Wisconsin."](#) *Focus*, 22(3), pp. 2-11.

Wallace, G.L. and R.M Blank (1992). "What Goes up Must Come Down: Explaining Resent Trends in Public Assistance Caseloads," in *Economic Conditions and Welfare Reform*, Sheldon Danziger (Ed.). W.E. Upjohn Institute for Employment Research, Kalamazoo, MI.

Revise and Resubmit (at editor’s request)

[“The Effect of Child Support Enforcement on the Fertility and Marriage Decisions of Single Women.”](#) the *Journal of Family Issues*.

Under Review

[“The Effect of Family Caps on the Subsequent Fertility Decisions of Never-Married Mothers.”](#) Under review at *Demography*.

[“Economic Conditions and Poverty: A Comparison of the 1980s and 1990s.”](#) Joint with Gary Hoover, under review at *Economic Development Quarterly*.

Working Papers

["An Assessment of Several Marriage Market Related Explanations for the Decline in Female Marriage Rates Between 1970 and 1980."](#)

["Searching for a Way off Welfare: A Structural Competing Risk Model of AFDC Durations."](#)

["Assessing the Employment Response to Changing Disregards."](#)

Work in Progress

Level, Trend and Composition of Poverty in the US & the US in Comparative Perspective. Joint with Daniel R. Meyer. Work commissioned for the newest book volume in the *Fighting Poverty, Confronting Poverty, Understanding Poverty* series

The Effects of Milwaukee’s Public School Choice Program on Student Achievement

Changes in Economics Conditions and their Effects on the Living Arrangements of Young People. Joint with Robert Haveman

Grants

“The Effects of Milwaukee’s Public School Choice Program on Student Achievement” Grant from the University of Wisconsin Graduate School (2003-2004).

“The Effect of Child Support Enforcement on Nonmarital Fertility” (Principle Investigators Maria Cancian and Dan Meyer). Contract from the Wisconsin Department of Workforce Development (2003-2004). Grant amount: \$47,357.

Conference and Invited Seminar Presentations

Association for Public Policy and Management Fall Conference, Washington DC, November 2007.
“The Level, Trend, and Composition of Poverty: Trends in the US and the US in Comparative Perspective”

Association for Public Policy and Management Fall Conference, Washington DC, November 2004.
“The Effect of Child Support Enforcement on the Fertility and Marriage Decisions of Single Women”

Institute for Research on Poverty Summer Workshop, Madison WI, June 2004. “Work and Earnings of Low-skill Women: A Sobering Comparison of Survey Responses and Administrative Records”

University of Michigan "Work and Earnings of Low-skill Women: A Sobering Comparison of Survey Responses and Administrative Records", March 2004

Association for Public Policy and Management Fall Conference, Washington DC, November 2003.
"Assessing the Employment Response to Changing Disregards"

Association for Public Policy and Management Fall Conference, Dallas TX, November 2002. “The Effects of Family Caps on Subsequent Fertility Decisions”

University of Alabama "The Effects of Family Caps on Subsequent Fertility Decisions", April 2002

Midwest Economic Association Meetings, Chicago, IL, March 2002. “The Effects of Family Caps on Subsequent Fertility Decisions”

Southern Economic Association Meetings, Tampa, FL, November 2001. “The Effects of Family Caps on Subsequent Fertility Decisions”

American Sociological Association Annual Meetings, Anaheim, CA, August 2001. "An Assessment of Several Explanations for the Decline in Female Marriage Rates"

Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management Fall Conference, Seattle, WA, November 2000. “TANF Dynamics of TANF Participation in Wisconsin

Institute for Research on Poverty Summer Workshop, Madison, WI, June 1999. "What Goes up Must Come Down: Explaining Resent Trends in Public Assistance Caseloads."

Joint Poverty Center Research Conference – Welfare Reform and the Macroeconomy, Washington, D.C., November 1999. "What Goes up Must Come Down: Explaining Resent Trends in Public Assistance Caseloads."

Teaching

Quantitative Tools for Public Policy Analysis (Public Affairs 818). Fall 2002/2003, Fall 2003/2004, Fall 2004/2005, Fall 2005/2006, Fall 2006/2007.

Principles of Microeconomics (Economics 101). Fall 2000/2001, Fall 2001/2002, Spring 2002/2003, Fall 2003/2004, Fall 2005-2006, Spring 2006/2007.

Microeconomic Policy Analysis (Public Affairs 818). Fall 2000/2001, Fall 2001/2002.

Poverty and Public Policy (Public Affairs 974). Spring 2000/2001, Spring 2001/2002.

Professional and Public Service

Association for Public Policy and Management Policy Council 2005-2009

Keynote Speaker at the University of Wisconsin – Milwaukee McNair Awards Banquet, August 2003.

Panelist on the Fourth Street Forum Panel “Poverty in Wisconsin: Causes, Class, and Costs,” April 2003

Discussant for APPAM Session “Cross-State Comparisons: Strategies for Building on State-Specific TANF Evaluations,” November 2002.

Discussant for Midwest Economic Association Session on Low-Wage Employment, May 2002.

Referee for The Journal of Policy Analysis and Management, Demography, The Journal of Human Resources, and Economic Inquiry, Journal of Social and Economic Measurement, Economic Inquiry, and the Economic Journal

University and Departmental Service

La Follette Admissions Committee: 2001-2002, 2003-2004, 2006-2007

La Follette Curriculum Committee: 2005-2006, 2007-2008

La Follette Faculty Minority Liaison: 2001-2002, 2003-2004, 2005-2006, 2006-2007, 2007-2008

Faculty Senator: 2004-2005, 2005-2006