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EDUCATION

- PhD in Economics, Universidad Francisco Marroquin, in progress, expected completion Spring 2021
Dissertation Title: “Digital Literacy and Learning Networks: Techniques for Bridging the Learning Gap in Economics and Personal Finance”
- MA in Economics, Georgia State University, 2010
Master’s Thesis: “Living Legacy: The Enduring Contributions of Kenneth J. Arrow”
- BS in Economics, University of West Georgia and the Honors College, *magna cum laude*, 2008
Senior Honors Thesis: “Building Tomorrow’s County: Mechanisms of Employment Growth”

ACADEMIC/PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENTS

- Special Presidential Project Coordinator for Financial Literacy, University of West Georgia, August 2017-Present
Director, Center for Economic Education, University of West Georgia, May 2015-Present
Lecturer of Economics, University of West Georgia, Aug 2010-Present
Certified UWG|Online Course Instructor, University System of Georgia, Jul 2014-Present
Board Member, Association of Private Enterprise Education, Apr 2016-Present
Board Member, Journal of Economics Teaching, Apr 2015-Present
Assistant Director, Center for Economic Education, University of West Georgia, May 2014-Apr 2015

TEACHING EXPERIENCE:

- Lecturer of Economics, University of West Georgia, Aug 2011-Present
Instructor of Economics, University of West Georgia, Aug 2010-Jul 2011
Courses Taught (face-to-face, hybrid, online): Economics for Everyone, Principles of Macroeconomics, Principles of Microeconomics, The Economics of Information, Economics and Financial Literacy, Special Topics: Health Economics, Special Topics: Economics of Spain, Marketing for Non-Profit Organizations, What Do You Really Know About Business, What Do You Really Know About Financial Decision-Making

PEER REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS:

- Acchiardo, C., Al-Bahrani, A., Holder, K. and Mateer, D. “Through the Lens of Life: Teaching Principles of Economics with *Humans of New York*”. *Journal of Economics and Finance Education*. Accepted June 2016. Forthcoming Spring 2017.
- Al-Bahrani, A., Holder, K., Patel, D. and Sheridan, B. “The Great Digital Divide: Using Popular Media to Teach Economics”. *Journal of Economics and Economic Education Research*. 17 (2), 105-111, 2016.
<http://articles.westga.edu/login?url=http://search.proquest.com/docview/1860687278?accountid=15017>.

- Cleveland, J., Holder, K. and O’Roark, B. “The Economics of *The Hunger Games*”. *International Journal of Pluralism and Economics Education*. 7 (2), 152-169, 2016. <http://dx.doi.org/10.1504/IJPEE.2016.078860>
- Holder, K., Mateer, D. and O’Roark, B. “The 10 Greatest Films for Teaching Economics”. *The American Economist*. 61 (2), 204-216, 2016. DOI: [10.1177/0569434516653749](https://doi.org/10.1177/0569434516653749)
- Holder, K., Mateer, D., Rousu, M. and Tierney, J. “Beyond Grades: Using Incentives to Motivate Students”. *Journal of Economics and Finance Education*. Accepted May 2016. Forthcoming Spring 2017. <http://ssrn.com/abstract=2731051>
- Al-Bahrani, A., Holder, K., Patel, D. and Wooten, J. “Art of Econ: Incorporating the Arts through Active Learning Assignments in Principles Courses”. *Journal of Economics and Finance Education*. 15 (2), 1-16, 2016. <https://www.economics-finance.org/jefe/issues/JEFE-Vol-15-Num-2-Summer-2016.pdf>
- Al-Bahrani, A., Holder, K., Moryl, R., Murphy, R. and Patel, D. “Putting Yourself in the Picture with an ‘ECONSelfie’: Using Student-Generated Photos to Enhance Introductory Economics Courses”. *International Review of Economics Education*. 22, 16-22, 2016. <http://dx.doi.org/10.1016/j.iree.2016.03.003>
- Holder, K., Al-Bahrani, A., Hoffer, A. and Lindahl, S. “Rockonomix”. *Journal of Economic Education*. 46(1), 443, 2015. <http://dx.doi.org/10.1080/00220485.2015.1071216>

TECHNICAL/TEXTBOOK PUBLICATIONS:

- Boldt, D., Holder, K., Kassis, M., Patron, H. and Smith, W. J. *West Georgia Regional Update 2015*. Richards College of Business, Department of Economics Annual Forecasting Breakfast at UWG, Oct 2015
- Geerling, W., Coppock, L., Holder, K. and Tierney, J. The Ultimate Guide to Teaching Macroeconomics, W.W. Norton and Company, Mar 2014
- Boldt, D., Holder, K., Kassis, M. and Smith, W. J. *West Georgia Regional Update 2013*. Richards College of Business, Department of Economics Annual Forecasting Breakfast at UWG, Oct 2013
- Holder, K. “Chapter 11: Price Discrimination”, Test Bank for Principles of Microeconomics by Mateer, D., W.W. Norton and Company, Sep 2013
- Holder, K. (contributor) *Georgia Tax Expenditure Report for FY2012* by Smith, W.J., Director of the Center for Business and Economic Research and Principal Associate of the Georgia State University Fiscal Research Center, Department of Audits and Accounts: Office of Planning and Budgeting, Dec 2012
- Boldt, D., Holder, K., Kassis, M. and Smith, W. J. *West Georgia Regional Update 2012*. Richards College of Business, Department of Economics Annual Forecasting Breakfast at UWG, Oct 2012
- Boldt, D., Holder, K., Kassis, M. and Smith, W. J. *West Georgia Regional Outlook 2007*. Richards College of Business, Department of Economics Annual Forecasting Breakfast at UWG, Oct 2007

ARTICLES UNDER REVIEW:

- Holder, K., Mateer, D. and O’Roark, B. “50 Songs for 50 Years (From the Beatles to Macklemore: Economics in Music in the Pop Culture Era)”. Under Review.
- Acchiardo, C., Al-Bahrani, A., Holder, K. and Mateer, D. “HONYEcon: The HONY Collection for Principles of Economics”. *Journal of Economic Education*. Under Review.
- Al-Bahrani, A., Holder, K., Patel, D. and Wooten, J. “Staying Relevant in Economics Education”. *International Review of Economics Education*. Under Review.

WORKING PAPERS:

- Al-Bahrani, A., Holder, K., Moryl, R., Murphy, R. and Patel, D. “Oh SnapECON! Using Snapchat for Principles of Economics”. Working Paper.
- Al-Bahrani, A., Holder, K. and Mahon, D. “Most Valuable Players (MVPs): Positive Personal Finance and Economics Examples”. Working Paper
- Holder, K. “MACRO Monopoly: Applying a Game-Based Economic Development Lesson”. Working Paper.
- Al-Bahrani, A., Bruehler, J., Ghent, L. and Holder, K. “A Funny Thing Happened on My Way to Class: Using ECONShots to Teach Economics”. Working Paper.

SELECTED RESEARCH PRESENTATIONS:

Invited Roundtable Leader, Engage West Fall 2016 – General Faculty Meeting, Academic Affairs/Center for Teaching and Learning, Carrollton, GA August 3, 2016. *“Working with Student Athletes”* with David Haase

Invited Presenter, CCEC Summit 2016, Carroll County Education Collaborative, Carrollton, GA, July 21, 2016. *“From Passion to Profession: Uncovering the Motivational Pathway”* with Julian Schmoke

Invited Presenter, CCEC Summit 2016, Carroll County Education Collaborative, Carrollton, GA, July 21, 2016. *“Empowering Independent Student Learning Through Social Media”* with April Saunders

Invited Speaker/Conference Presenter, Economics Arkansas R.E.A.L. Econ Teacher’s Conference, Little Rock, AR, July 13, 2016. *“Most Valuable Players (MVPs): Positive Personal Finance and Economics Examples from Sports”* and *“Storification: Teaching Economics & Improving Financial Literacy with Stories”*

Invited Speaker/Workshop Facilitator, Economics Arkansas, Little Rock, AR, July 12, 2016. *“Teachnology: Innovative Teaching Techniques for Economics and Personal Finance”*, *“Building Your Personal Learning Network (PLN)”*, *“Exploring the Teacher’s Toolbox: Tech for Today’s Teachers”*, *“Rockonomix”*, *“Most Valuable Players (MVPs): Positive Personal Finance and Economics Examples from Sports”* and *“Storification: Teaching Economics & Improving Financial Literacy with Stories”*

Invited Speaker/Workshop Facilitator, Georgia State University Center for Economic Education, Atlanta, GA, June 30, 2016. *“Exploring the Teacher’s Toolbox: An Overview of Social Media”*, *“Innovative Applications: ECONSelfies and Other Easy A’s”*, *“The Rockonomix Project and National Competition”* for the University System of Georgia Teacher Quality Grant

Invited Speaker/Workshop Facilitator, Mississippi Council on Economic Education, Jackson, MS, June 28, 2016. *“Let’s Get Digital: Using Social Media in the Classroom”*, *“Exploring the Teacher’s Toolbox: An Overview of Social Media”*, *“Innovative Applications: ECONSelfies and Other Easy A’s”*, *“Leveraging Edutainment for Engagement: 50 Years of Media for ECON”*, *“National Rockonomix Competition: The High School Edition”* and *“Q&A: Tips & Tricks for Getting Started”* by Holder, K.

Presenter/Co-Author, AEA Conference on Teaching and Research on Economic Education (CTREE), Atlanta, GA, June 1-3, 2016. *“Does ‘Mathiness’ Matter? How Student Perceptions Create Barriers to Economics”* with Al-Bahrani, Buser and Patel, *“A Funny Thing Happened on My Way to Class: Using ECONshots to Teach Economics”* with Al-Bahrani, Bruehler and Ghent, *“Viewing Economics Through the Lens of Life”* with Acchiardo, Al-Bahrani and Mateer, *“MACRO Monopoly: Applying a Game-Based Economic Development Lesson”* and *“The Great Digital Divide: Using Television to Teach Economics”* with Al-Bahrani, Sheridan and Patel.

Invited Speaker, Rotary Club of Carrollton, Carrollton, GA, May 20, 2016. *“50 Years of ECON: Movies, Music & the Economy”*

Invited Speaker/Workshop Facilitator, National Center on Economic Education – NY/NJ/CT Schools, Council on Economic Education, New York City, NY, May 5, 2016. *“Let’s Get Digital: Using Social Media in the Classroom”*, *“Exploring the Teacher’s Toolbox: An Overview of Social Media”*, *“Innovative Applications: ECONSelfies and Other Easy A’s”*, *“Leveraging Edutainment for Engagement: 50 Years of Media for ECON”*, *“National Rockonomix Competition: The High School Edition”* and *“Q&A: Tips & Tricks for Getting Started”* by Holder, K.

Presenter, 2016 Faculty Development Seminar, Richards College of Business, Carrollton, GA, May 2, 2016. *“Best Practices for Using Social Media”* and *“Social Media Tools”*

Invited Featured Speaker, 27th International Conference on College Teaching and Learning, Jacksonville, FL, Apr 7, 2016. *“Engaging With Our Global Environment: The #UWGTakesSpain Study Abroad Project”*

Presenter/Co-Author/Session Chair, 41st Annual Conference of the Association of Private Enterprise Education, Las Vegas, NV, Apr 3-5, 2016. *“Through the Lens of Life: Teaching Principles of Economics with Humans of New York”* with Acchiardo, C., Al-Bahrani, A. and Mateer, D., *“Exploring Dystopian Economics in Literature: Divergent and The Hunger Games”* with Cleveland, J. and O’Roark, B., *“Art of Econ: Illustrations and Examples for Differentiated Assessment”* and *“Tips & Tricks for Launching Student Projects”* with Al-Bahrani, A., Patel D. and Wooten, J.

Invited Presenter, Gatton College of Business and Economics 21st Annual Teaching Workshop, University of Kentucky, Lexington, KY, Apr 2, 2016. *“Your Social Media Primer for Creating Student Learning Networks”* with Patel, D. and *“The Greatest Hits of Rock-o-nomix: Discovering Pop Econ for your Classroom”* in the Poster Session with Al-Bahrani, A. and Patel, D.

Invited Presenter, Annual Professional Development Conference, National Association of Economics Educators, Mar 4-5, 2016. *“Rockonomix”* in the NAAEE Technology Committee Session

Invited Speaker/Workshop Facilitator, Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta – Jacksonville and Birmingham Branches for GA/FL/AL Schools, Pensacola, FL, Feb 11, 2016. *“Building Bridges: Create, Innovate, and Collaborate with Today's Digital Natives”*

Invited Speaker/Workshop Facilitator, Oklahoma Council on Economic Education, Oklahoma City, OK, Feb 3, 2016. *“Ways to Engage: Using Social Media to Enhance Personal Finance and Economics”*

Invited Speaker/Workshop Facilitator, Georgia State University Center for Economic Education, Atlanta, GA, Jan 30, 2016. *“Exploring the Teacher's Toolbox: An Overview of Social Media”*, *“Innovative Applications: ECONSelfies and Other Easy A's”*, *“Leveraging Edutainment for Engagement: 50 Years of Media for ECON”* and *“The Rockonomix Project and National Competition”* for the University System of Georgia Teacher Quality Grant

Invited Speaker/Workshop Facilitator, University of Arizona Office of Economic Education, Tucson, AZ, Jan 23, 2016. *“Exploring the Teacher's Toolbox: An Overview of Social Media”*, *“Innovative Applications: ECONSelfies and Other Easy A's”*, *“Leveraging Edutainment for Engagement: 50 Years of Media for ECON”* and *“The Rockonomix Project and National Competition”* for the Thomas R. Brown Foundation

Invited Speaker, Department of Economics, University of Arizona, Tucson, AZ, Jan 22, 2016. *“Building Bridges: Create, Innovate & Collaborate with Today's Digital Natives”*

Presenter, American Economics Association Annual Meeting/ASSA Conference, San Francisco, CA, Jan 3-7, 2016. *“Art of Econ: A Guide to Differentiated Assessment of Students' Learning in Principles Level Courses”* with Al-Bahrani, A., Patel, D. and Wooten, J., *“Putting Yourself in the Picture: Using Student-Generated Photos to Enhance Introductory Economics Courses”* with Al-Bahrani, A., Moryl, R., Murphy, R. and Patel, D. in the National Association of Economics Educators Sessions and *“The Greatest Hits of Rock-o-nomix: Discovering Pop Econ for your Classroom”* in the ASSA Committee on Economic Education Poster Session with Al-Bahrani, A.

Invited Panelist, Student Town Hall Meeting, University of West Georgia, Carrollton, GA, Nov 30, 2015. *“Enlightening Conversations: Respectfully Embracing Diversity”*

Guest Lecturer, First-Year Experience UWG 1101 Invited Speaker for Michael Hopper, Carrollton, GA, Nov 11, 2015. *“The Secrets of Smarter Saving & Savvy Spending”*

Presenter, Southern Economic Association Annual Meeting, New Orleans, LA, Nov 21-23, 2015. *“Art of Econ: An Interdisciplinary Approach for Differentiated Assessment”* by Holder, K. with Al-Bahrani, A., Patel, D., and Wooten, J. in the Alternative Approaches to Teaching Economics Session

Presenter/Workshop Facilitator, Henry County School System, GCEE, Nov 9, 2015. *“Social Media Strategies for your High School Econ Class”* by Holder, K., Cannon, C. and Raymer, M.

Invited Presenter, 11th Annual Economics Teaching Conference by the National Economics Teaching Association, Dallas, TX, Nov 5-6, 2015. *“Digital Media for Economic Education”* by Holder, K. in the Create, Innovate and Inspire: Differentiated Classroom Resources for the Next Generation Session with Geerling, W. and O’Roark, B., *“Building Student Learning Networks Utilizing Social Media and Popular Media”* by Holder, K., and *“The Economics of The Hunger Games and Divergent: Making Dystopia Didactic”* by Holder, K. with Cleveland, J. and O’Roark, B.

Presenter, 2015 Annual Financial Literacy and Economic Education Conference by the National Council on Economic Education (CEE), St. Petersburg, FL, Oct 7-10, 2015. *“Greatest Hits of Rock-o-nomix: Discovering Pop Econ for Your Classroom”* by Holder, K. and *“Making Social Media Work: A Guide for Councils and Centers/ Pins, Hashtags and Friends: Getting Started with Social Media”* by Holder, K. with Lang, N., Littrell, R. and Sanson, J. for the NAAEE Technology Committee

Presenter/Workshop Facilitator, Gwinnett County School System, GCEE, Oct 5, 2015. *“Social Media Strategies for your High School Econ Class”* by Holder, K., Cannon, C. and Raymer, M.

Invited Presenter, EconED 2015 Conference, San Antonio, Sep 25-26, 2015. *“50 Years of ECON: Developing Digital Media for Economic Education”* by Holder, K.

Invited Guest Speaker, UWG Women’s Basketball for Coach Scott Groninger, University of West Georgia, Carrollton, GA, Sep 17, 2015. *“Introduction to Financial Literacy”* by Holder, K.

Presenter/Workshop Facilitator, Dekalb County School System, Georgia Council on Economic Education, Stone Mountain, GA, Sep 16, 2015. *“Social Media Strategies for your High School Econ Class”* by Holder, K., Cannon, C. and Raymer, M.

Invited Presenter/Workshop Facilitator, UWG Center for Teaching and Learning Engage West Faculty Edition, Carrollton, GA, Sep 14, 2015. *“Leveraging Edutainment for Engagement: Social Media for Tomorrow’s Professor”* by Holder, K.

Invited Speaker, Georgia Council on Economic Education Director’s Retreat, Dawsonville, GA, Sep 5, 2015. *“Rockonomix Hits: PopECON for Your Classroom”* by Holder, K.

Presenter/Workshop Facilitator, UWG Center for Economic Education, Carrollton, GA, Aug 19, 2015. *“Social Media Strategies for your High School Econ Class”* by Holder, K., Cannon, C. and Raymer, M.

Invited Speaker/Faculty Advocate, Professional Development Workshop for Economics, Houston, TX, Aug 13, 2015. *“The ULTIMATE Teaching Guide: Tips & Tricks for Getting Started in Economics”* by Holder, K. for W.W. Norton

Invited Speaker/Workshop Facilitator, National Center on Economic Education – NY/NJ/CT Schools, Council on Economic Education, New York City, NY, Aug 3, 2015. *“Let’s Get Digital: Using Social Media in the Classroom”*, *“Exploring the Teacher’s Toolbox: An Overview of Social Media”*, *“Innovative Applications: ECONSelfies and Other Easy A’s”*, *“Leveraging Edutainment for Engagement: 50 Years of Media for ECON”*, *“National Rockonomix Competition: The High School Edition”* and *“Q&A: Tips & Tricks for Getting Started”* by Holder, K.

Invited Speaker, Cedartown Biz Builders, City of Cedartown/Georgia Northwestern Technical College, Cedartown, GA, Jul 30, 2015. *“Building Your Brand: Social Media Tips & Tricks”* by Holder, K.

Invited Speaker/Conference Presenter, Economics Arkansas R.E.A.L. Econ Teacher’s Conference, Little Rock, AR, Jul 22, 2015. *“Leveraging Edutainment for Engagement: 50 Years of Media for ECON”* and *“Exploring the Social Media Toolbox: #ECONSelfies and Easy A’s”* by Holder, K.

Invited Speaker/Workshop Facilitator, Economics Arkansas with the Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis-Little Rock Branch Master Teacher Training, Little Rock, AR, Jul 21, 2015. *“Building Bridges: Create, Innovate & Collaborate with Today’s Digital Natives”* by Holder, K.

Invited Speaker, Columbia Economics Club, Columbia, SC, Jul 15, 2015. *“50 Years of ECON: Movies, Music & the Economy”* by Holder, K.

Invited Speaker/Workshop Facilitator, Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta-Jacksonville Branch with Florida State College of Jacksonville Center for Economic and Financial Education, Jacksonville, FL, Jun 19, 2015. *“Building Bridges: Create, Innovate, and Collaborate with Today’s Digital Natives”*, *“Exploring the Teacher’s Toolbox: Social Media”*, *“#ECONSelfies and Other Easy A’s”* and *“Tips and Tricks for Getting Started”* by Holder, K.

Invited Presenter/Faculty Advocate, 2015 Minneapolis Professional Development Workshop for Economics, Minneapolis, MN, May 26, 2015. *“Teaching Online Roundtable”*, *“Active Learning Session”*, *“Creating an Innovative Classroom”* and *“Effective Communication”* by Holder, K. with Al-Bahrani, A., Mateer, D., O’Roark, B., Rousu, M., and Tierney, J. for W.W. Norton

Presenter, AEA Conference on Teaching and Research on Economic Education (CTREE), Minneapolis, MN, May 27-29, 2015. *“Using Mobile Technologies to Engage and Communicate”* and *“Sweetening the Deal: Adding Value to Motivate Student Attendance and Engagement”* by Holder, K.

Presenter, 2015 Innovations in Pedagogy Conference, Carrollton, GA, Apr 28, 2015. *“Building Bridges: Create, Innovate and Collaborate with Today’s Digital Natives”* by Holder, K.

Presenter/Young Scholar, Association of Private Enterprise Education (APEE) International Conference, Cancun, Mexico, Apr 2015. *“50 Movies for 50 Years: A Look at the Most Influential Films Related to Economics”* by Holder, K. with Mateer, D. and O’Roark, B. for the Effective Economic Education Session

Presenter, Workshop Creator/Facilitator, SunTrust Financial Literacy Workshop, UWG Center for Economic Education, Carrollton, GA, Apr 20, 2015. *“The Secrets of Smarter Saving and Savvy Spending”* by Holder, K.

Invited Presenter/Faculty Representative, Richards College of Business Preview Day, Carrollton, GA, Mar 7, 2015. *“Connect, Create & Innovate: Why Choices Matter”* by Holder, K.

Invited Presenter, National Association of Economic Educators (NAEE) 2015 Professional Development Conference, San Antonio, TX, Feb 2015. *“Connecting to Your Learning Network: A Social Media Primer”* by Holder, K. with Lang, N., Littrell, R. and Sanson, J.

Invited Presenter/Faculty Advocate, Professional Development Teaching Workshop for Economics, Atlanta, GA, Feb 2015. *“Using Social Media to Enhance Teaching, Research and Your Faculty Brand”*, *“Active Learning: Experiments, Activities and More”*, *“Creating an Innovative Classroom”* by Holder, K. with Al-Bahrani, A. and Coppock, L. for W.W. Norton

Invited Plenary Speaker, 26th Annual Teaching Economics Conference, Moon Township, PA, Feb 2015. “*Rockonomix Hits: Discovering PopECON for Your Classroom*” by Holder, K. at Robert Morris University

Presenter, Academy of Economics and Finance Conference, Jacksonville, FL, Feb 2015. “*Using Social Media and Popular Media to Build Student Learning Networks*” by Holder, K. in the Teacher Training Program

Invited Presenter, American Economics Association Annual Meeting/ASSA Conference, Boston, MA, Jan 2015. “*Rockonomix: Integrating Economics and Popular Music*” by Holder, K. in the 7th Annual Humor Session in Honor of Caroline Postelle Clotfelter with the Instrumental Variables Band

Presenter, American Economics Association Annual Meeting/ASSA Conference, Boston, MA, Jan 2015. “*Inspiring Creativity through Intercollegiate Competitions*” by Holder, K. in the ASSA Committee on Economic Education Poster Session with Baranowski, R., Geerling, W., Staub, K. and Tierney, J.

Invited Speaker, Keynote Address, UWG President’s Luncheon, Office of Development, Carrollton, GA, Oct 30, 2014. “*Dreams Come True When You Give West*” by Holder, K.

Invited Presenter, 2014 Annual Financial Literacy and Economic Education Conference by the National Council on Economic Education (CEE), Dallas, TX, Oct 2014. “*Using Social Media to Engage Students*” by Holder, K. in the Best Practices Share Session

Invited Presenter, EconED 2014 Conference, Denver, CO, Oct 2014. “*Rockonomix Hits: PopECON for Your Classroom*” by Holder, K.

Presenter, AEA Conference on Teaching and Research on Economic Education (CTREE), Washington, DC, May 2014. “*Managing the 4/4 Load: Using Social Media to Engage Students*” by Holder, K. in the Art of Teaching Panel with Acchiardo, C., Geerling, W., Mateer, G., Smith, C. and Tierney, J.

Presenter, Association of Private Enterprise Education Annual Conference (APEE), Las Vegas, NV, Apr 2014. “*The Beatles to Macklemore: 50 Years of Learning Economics through Music*” by Holder, K., Mateer, D. and O’Roark, B.

SELECTED HONORS/AWARDS:

Laura Herring Fellow, Association of Private Enterprise Education, 2016-17
Rising Star Award, National Association of Economic Educators, 2016
UWG Faculty Member of the Year Westpy Award, UWG Athletics, 2016
Excellence in Research Award, Richards College of Business, 2015-2016
Faculty-Sponsored Student Undergraduate Research Award, Richards College of Business, 2015-16
J. Owen Moore Faculty Award, UWG Alumni Association, University of West Georgia, 2016
Best of the West Award for Strategic Imperatives, University of West Georgia, 2015-16
1st Place Economist Educators Best in Class Teaching Award, National Economics Teaching Association, 2015
Best of the West Cross-Divisional Award, University of West Georgia, 2014-15
Excellence in Service Award, Richards College of Business, 2014-2015
Faculty-Sponsored Student Undergraduate Research Award, Richards College of Business, 2014-15
Student Government Association Faculty Member of the Year, Richards College of Business, 2013-2014
Excellence in Teaching, Richards College of Business, 2012-2013
Keynote Speaker, Multicultural Achievement Program (MAP) Academic Awards Program at UWG, Mar 2012
SREB Doctoral Fellow, Georgia, Southern Regional Education Board, 2009-2010
Walter and Adelheid Hohenstein Fellow, Southeastern Region, Phi Kappa Phi, 2008-2009

OTHER MEMBERSHIPS:

GAEE Membership (2014 – Present)