



# ANNUAL REPORT 2010



*The 2010 accomplishments of the Andrew Young School of Policy Studies are detailed in the pages that follow.  
Here are some highlights.*

In 2010:

**232** scholarly papers, chapters and books were published or forthcoming.

Joint research of our faculty or research associates accounted for **29%** of the papers.

Faculty and research associates edited or co-edited **10** journals,  
served on advisory boards for **38** journals,  
and refereed for **150** different journals.

Faculty and research associates made **169** presentations at U.S. conferences and  
**48** international presentations,  
a total of **217** presentations.

Faculty and research associates worked with international agencies  
and as lecturers and advisors to **32** countries,  
from Colombia to Jamaica to The Netherlands.

Our graduate students have published **11** scholarly papers  
and have another **9** under review.  
They presented **23** papers at professional conferences.

The Andrew Young School awarded **242** degrees.

Researchers and reports from the Andrew Young School were featured in  
**235** stories in various media outlets.

The AYSPS endowment is over **\$9 million**.

Active sponsored grants for AYS departments and centers  
were **\$27,301,225**.



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# **Academic Programs & Student Activities**

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## OFFICE OF ACADEMIC ASSISTANCE

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*The AYS Office of Academic Assistance (OAA) assumes a variety of responsibilities and roles, but the most important is as a hub for communication with both current and prospective students and alumni. The School's relatively small student body enables us to have much more personal contact in our advising role than the larger colleges at the university. We wear many hats in OAA, but our primary goals are to ensure that we adhere to university and college requirements and to serve as advocates for our students. **Shelly-Ann Williams is the Director of OAA; Wanda Cooley is the Associate Director; Mathieu Arp is the Academic and Admissions Advisor; and Khadijah Vinson is the Staff Assistant.***

### OUR MISSION

The Office of Academic Assistance (OAA) supports the school's commitment to quality education in the field of policy studies by promoting our programs to prospective undergraduate and graduate applicants, by facilitating the application process, and by admitting well-qualified students to the graduate programs. Our system of advisement integrates the OAA with faculty advisors to ensure students learn the requirements and policies of the university, college, and department as they relate to their educational experiences and goals. Additionally, the advisement process is designed to help our students identify and utilize university and school resources effectively to satisfy degree requirements; plan programs of study, including selection of appropriate courses and registration; discover how their interests, skills and goals connect to fields of study, internships and careers; and formulate appropriate questions, seek information, and evaluate and apply academic advice.

### HIGHLIGHTS

#### Changes to the Degree Programs

- AYS has added a Dual Degree program in International Economics and Modern Languages with the University of Venice-Ca' Foscari and the University of Versailles-Saint Quentin.

#### Graduation

- OAA assisted 242 students in completing degree requirements and graduating during 2010.
- Fifteen doctoral degrees were awarded in 2010.

#### Admission and Enrollment

- The Andrew Young School taught students in over 340 course sections during 2010. Student demand is increasing for our degree programs and majors, and we are maximizing student enrollment in AYS course offerings in economics and public management and policy. The School has experienced a 4.29% increase in credit hours from 2009 to 2010.

## OAA ACTIVITIES, PROJECTS AND EVENTS

In addition to our work advising students and managing admissions and enrollment, the OAA worked with the Dean's Office and academic units on several projects and events. The OAA:

- Coordinated with the Dean's Office to host the 14th Annual AYS Honors Day ceremony, which recognizes academic and other significant achievements of Andrew Young School students and alumni.
- Coordinated with the Dean's Office to host the first Andrew Young School Graduation Recognition Ceremony, which individually recognized all graduates during 2010.
- Worked with AYS students to host the many campus events sponsored by chartered student groups, including the Economics Club, PMAP Community Network, and Graduate Student Association. We also assisted in chartering a new AYS group, the Georgia State Chapter of the Nonprofit Leadership Alliance, which was created to enhance the nonprofit studies programs. Details on these groups and the events they hosted are in the *Chartered Student Organizations* section of this report.
- Along with faculty advisors, coordinated the nomination of outstanding students to the Omicron Delta Epsilon and Pi Alpha Alpha honor societies (see *Chartered Student Organizations*).
- Coordinated with the academic units to create each semester's course schedule.
- Managed, maintained, and edited AYS graduate and undergraduate catalogs, online admission, program evaluation and degree audit forms, which are hosted on the college and university websites.

Each year, OAA staff participate in university-sponsored events for prospective and current students. Highlights of the past year's events include participation in:

- The African American Student Services Fall Welcome Carnival
- The Athletics Department orientations
- The Athletics Department football recruiting sessions and kickoff dinner
- AYS departments of Economics and Public Management & Policy orientations
- AYS new faculty orientation
- Career Services Career and Internship Fair
- Career Services Information Sessions and Career Jam
- College Days at Georgia State University
- GSU Admissions new advisor training
- GSU Honors Program Honors Night recruitment receptions
- Incept new student orientation sessions
- Inceptor student leader training
- International Services new student orientations
- The Mega-One-Stop-Shop
- Panther Preview
- The Study Abroad Fair
- The Undecided Majors Fair
- Undergraduate Admissions new advisor training
- Welcome Week Mini-College Day

The OAA also participated in various colleges' advising and career fairs to recruit top transfer and new students to AYS undergraduate and graduate programs. These colleges and fairs included:

- Atlanta University Center Consortium
- Emory University's Graduate School Fair
- Georgia College & State University
- Georgia Southern University
- Georgia State University
- University of West Georgia
- Kennesaw State University
- Idealist.org Graduate Recruitment Fair
- Mercer University
- University of Georgia

## UNDERGRADUATE ADMISSIONS

While the Andrew Young School has experienced little change in the number of applicants and attendance in the past year, the quality of our students remains high.

<b>Undergraduate Students Enrolled By Ethnicity</b>				
<b>ETHNICITY</b>	<b>2007</b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>
White	148	175	234	252
Black	124	153	182	226
Asian/Pacific Islander	38	34	48	51
American Indian	1	3	1	2
2 or More Races	14	20	30	24
Not Reported	49	42	52	47
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>374</b>	<b>427</b>	<b>547</b>	<b>602</b>
<i>– Reporting of this data changed in 2009</i>				

<b>Undergraduate Students Enrolled By Gender</b>				
<b>SEX</b>	<b>2007</b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>
Men	194	198	287	322
Women	180	229	260	280
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>374</b>	<b>427</b>	<b>547</b>	<b>602</b>

## GRADUATE ADMISSIONS

Our “show rate” increased by 4.16% from 2009 to 2010. We processed 695 applications, accepted 354 students, and had 200 new students attend in 2010. We continue our efforts to increase our applications and enrollments by refining our marketing plan, maintaining our direct contact with our applicant pool and increasing our use of technology to better meet the needs of prospective students.

The Andrew Young School continues to have a diverse student population in terms of ethnicity and gender. The demographics of graduate students enrolled are shown below.

<b>Graduate Students Enrolled By Ethnicity</b>				
<b>ETHNICITY</b>	<b>2007</b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>
White	162	162	178	180
Black	100	99	96	105
Asian/Pacific Islander	45	53	66	57
American Indian/Alaska native	1	1	1	0
2 or More Races	1	1	5	10
Not Reported	35	19	21	23
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>344</b>	<b>335</b>	<b>367</b>	<b>375</b>

<b>Graduate Students Enrolled By Gender</b>				
<b>SEX</b>	<b>2007</b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>
Men	158	158	164	169
Women	186	177	203	206
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>344</b>	<b>335</b>	<b>367</b>	<b>375</b>

The Andrew Young School increasingly attracts top international scholars from countries around the world. This year, we hosted scholars sponsored by the Edmund S. Muskie program, the International Research and Exchanges Board (IREX), and Institute of International Education Fulbright Scholars from Bangladesh, Burma (Myanmar), Georgia, Indonesia, Pakistan, the Philippines, Indonesia, and Saint Vincent/Grenadines. Students from over 63 countries currently attend our nationally-ranked programs.

## CHARTERED STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS

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*The School's chartered organizations, advised by the OAA, provide opportunities for students interested in economics and public policy to meet other students, faculty, and alumni, share ideas to enhance their knowledge and experience, become involved in the campus and community, and develop social and professional networks. Some of their activities during the past year are highlighted below.*

**Nonprofit Leadership Alliance** (Allison Renyi, president; Maggie Tolan, faculty advisor) is a national organization that provides education, career development, networking and mentoring for future nonprofit leaders. AYS is pleased to sponsor the Georgia State Student Chapter of the Nonprofit Leadership Alliance, chartered this year. NLA sponsored several presentations and seminars: “Managing Multiple Priorities, Goals & Projects” by Dan Roberts, Manager Employee Development at GSU; “Nonprofit Marketing & Public Relations” by Joe Folan, Director of Opportunity Knocks; “Keys to Program Evaluation” by Cassandra Martin Frazier, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention; and “How to Develop Your Nonprofit Career” by Nicky Rosenbluth, Staff Development Director of Atlanta YMCA. Members were also trained to use Raiser’s Edge Training fundraising software by Darrell Daniels of the GSU Foundation.

**Economics Department Graduate Student Association (GSA)** (Elizabeth Searing, president; Kurt Schnier, faculty advisor) promotes scholarship and networking among economics graduate students, faculty and research associates in AYS, and a spirit of cooperation and fellowship among graduate students in the college. This year’s activities included providing speakers for undergraduate and graduate student orientations; co-sponsoring the Graduate Student and Faculty family games day and picnic at Indian Creek; sponsoring development of a Job Packet for the doctoral candidates’ Job Search Workshops; and hosting a Coffee with the Dean event.

**Public Management and Policy (PMAP) Community Network** (Kristina Lugo, president; Maggie Tolan, faculty advisor) provides networking opportunities for graduate and undergraduate students in the public policy, public administration and urban studies programs to encourage their involvement on campus and in the community, and to facilitate communication between students, faculty and alumni. Each year the Network emails stakeholders to announce events of interest, and helps organize the PMAP department’s annual Open House that kicks off fall semester. Other activities included providing speakers to the AYS undergraduate student orientation; hosting a workshop on Making the Most of Your Internship, led by Maggie Tolan; organizing a conversation on *Policy & Politics: What Effect will the Governor’s Race Have on the State of Georgia?*, with a discussion of candidates for governor and their policy platforms, led by PMAP Community Network officers; providing speakers at What I Wish I Had Known, an event for undergraduate students to talk with graduate students, who shared their experiences; co-sponsoring several PMAP Department activities, including the November Oakland Cemetery Walk with Chair Harvey Newman, and a Fall Career and Internship Fair.

**Economics Club** (Hanh Nguyen, president; Paul Kagundu, faculty advisor) aims to promote knowledge of economics on campus through its activities and provide a forum where students with similar interests can meet. Membership is open to all students interested in economics, regardless of their major. This year’s activities included providing presenters to the AYS undergraduate orientation; co-sponsoring (with the Finance Club) a field trip to the Federal Reserve; supplying volunteers for a Habitat for Humanity build with Clark Howard; and sponsoring an economics forum on “Where Are the Jobs? Career Planning in an Uncertain Economy,” featuring Faye Duzen, Coordinator of Workforce Information at the Georgia Dept. of Labor. The forum was broadcast on The Hub radio show, WRAS.

**Omicron Delta Epsilon National Honor Society** (Glenwood Ross, faculty advisor) has a Georgia State chapter sponsored by AYS. Selection is based on academic merit and achievement in the field of economics. Each year, outstanding economics majors in the B.A., B.S., B.A.-IEMML and B.B.A. degree programs are nominated for the honor society.

**Pi Alpha Alpha** (William Waugh, faculty advisor) is the national honor society for the field of public affairs and public administration. The society's purpose is to encourage and recognize outstanding scholarship and accomplishment, to promote the advancement of quality in the education and practice of the art and science of public affairs and administration, and to foster integrity, professionalism and effective performance in the conduct of government and related public service activities. Membership identifies graduate students with the highest performance levels in academic programs preparing them for public service careers.

# STUDENT HONORS, AWARDS AND SCHOLARSHIPS

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## HONORS DAY

*The Andrew Young School of Policy Studies held its Fourteenth Annual Honors Day Ceremony on April 21, 2010, in the Georgia State University Student Center Ballroom, to recognize the academic excellence and service achievements of its students. Over 280 honorees and their guests attended the event, which was coordinated by the Office of Academic Assistance.*

The following students were recognized this year:

### ANDREW YOUNG SCHOOL OF POLICY STUDIES AWARDS

*The Carolyn McClain Young Leadership Fund Award:* This award exists due to the personal generosity of Andy and Carolyn Young. It was established to provide training opportunities for government officials, for junior executives in national finance ministries, and for young people who may be the leaders of tomorrow in the emerging economies in Africa and the Caribbean. Recipients are **Anwer A. Gheddai** and **Khouredia Niang**.

**Anwer Gheddai** is an Economics major from Eritrea and Nigeria. Outside the classroom, he is a member of Alpha Kappa Psi professional business and economics fraternity. With his degree in Business Economics, he plans to return to Nigeria to work in infrastructure development; specifically to develop schools and hospitals.

**Khouredia Niang** was born and raised in Senegal, where she spoke French and Wolof. To improve her English skills, she came to the U.S. to enroll at Georgia Perimeter College in 2006. She earned an associate degree in Business, then transferred to Georgia State to study Economics and Finance. She believes this dual degree will enable her to return home after graduation and take a leadership role to help develop Senegal.

*The Andrew Young Fellowship:* This award exists due to the many friends and supporters of Andrew Young who made donations in conjunction with Andrew Young's 69th birthday celebration. Two new fellowships are awarded each year to outstanding students pursuing a Ph.D. in Economics or Public Policy. Each fellowship provides support for a period of up to three years of doctoral study. New recipients are **E. Mark Curtis** and **Michael A. Santas**.

**Mark Curtis** earned a Master of International Studies at North Carolina State and a Master of Arts in Economics at Duke University, where he was a research assistant in the Triangle Census Data Research Center. He has also worked as a liaison to the Joining Hands Against Hunger project in Peru, on the program staff of the Cuernavaca Center of Intercultural Development in Mexico, and on other service projects in the U.S. and Mexico. This work led to his current research interests in applied microeconomics, economic development and demography. He joined the AYS doctoral program last semester.

**Michael Santas** earned a B.B.A. degree in Economics from Valdosta State University before entering our Ph.D. program in fall of 2009. His work with Dr. Mary Beth Walker as an AYS Summer Intern led to his current research interests in educational funding and reform. As an undergraduate, he completed research on effects of the No Child Left Behind Act on education funding in Georgia. He has several years' experience in information and technology and has owned a computer company. Continuing recipients are **Sarah B. Arnett**, **Erin N. Coffman** and **Lewis H. Faulk**.

*The AYS Dean's Fellowship:* Established through the generosity of the Coca-Cola Foundation in honor of Ambassador Young, the Dean's Fellowship is awarded annually to an outstanding student or students pursuing a Ph.D. in Economics or Public Policy. Each fellowship provides support for a period of up to three years of doctoral study. There will be up to four new Dean's Fellows per year. New recipients are **Elizabeth F. Gooch** and **Kelechi N. Nwosu**.

**Elizabeth Gooch** is a B.A. graduate of Agnes Scott College, where she majored in Mathematics and Economics. While an undergraduate, she studied abroad at the Southwest University for Nationalities in China, to learn about the Chinese language, culture and economy. Later, she was an instructor for the Where There Be Dragons summer program in China. She has also taught in Outward Bound Discovery programs and volunteered and worked for the Girl Scouts and AmeriCorps. Her main interests are in public, environmental and development economics.

**Kelechi Nwosu's** undergraduate degree is in Engineering, and she earned an M.P.A. here before joining the joint Ph.D. in Public Policy program last fall. Her research interest in performance budgeting has evolved from her professional work experience at the Georgia Department of Transportation. Her other main interest—in community economic development—evolved from working as a professional and volunteer with several nonprofit organizations and in low-income communities. She plans to teach and do research in these fields.

Continuing recipients are **Lorenzo N. Almada**, **Jonathan R. Boyd**, **Richard S. Kolenda** and **Lauren M. Edwards**.

## DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS AWARDS

*The Economics Award:* Presented to the undergraduate student who achieves the highest grade point average in economics courses above the 2000 level and demonstrates a commitment to the study of economics. Recipient: **James R. Dutton**

**James Dutton** is a senior in the Bachelor of Arts in Economics program, pursuing a minor in Policy Studies. While maintaining academic excellence, he has taken a leadership role on campus. He was Lead Delegate on Georgia State University's award-winning Model U.N. team (which took first place for the 5th year in a row) and was also recently elected president of the Student Government Association.

*The Wall Street Journal Award:* Presented to an outstanding graduating senior majoring in economics, selected by a committee of the faculty in the department. Recipient: **Isaac E. Boring**

**Isaac Boring** is a senior in the B.S. in Economics program. He has been very active in the community as well as campus activities, receiving a Leadership Award from Toastmasters this year. He writes a popular column called "The Inquisitive Economist" for the *Signal*, and is past president of our Economics Club.

*The Excellence in Microeconomics Award:* Awarded to the best economics major in Intermediate Microeconomics during the previous year. The student earning this award has shown a deep interest in the subject, demonstrated a thorough understanding of the material and its application, and attained a high level of academic achievement. Recipient: **Bruce L. Holt**

**Bruce Holt** is a dual degree student, majoring in Economics and Finance. His many activities at Georgia State include playing on the soccer team. He graduated Spring 2010 and has applied to the AYS Master of Arts in Economics program.

*The IEML Award:* Given annually in recognition of outstanding academic achievement to a student in

the International Economics and Modern Classical Languages (IEML) program. This was the first year the IEML Award is presented. Recipient: **Christina E. Hartlage**

**Christina Hartlage** is the first recipient of the IEML award for excellence in both Economics and Language studies. She graduated Spring 2010 with the International Economics degree and a language concentration in French. Christina has applied to continue her studies in the AYS Master of Arts program in Economics.

*The Mark E. Schaefer M.A. in Economics Award:* Established in honor of Dr. Mark E. Schaefer, late professor of Economics, this annual award recognizes the student with the highest grade point average in the Master of Arts in Economics program. Recipient: **Michelle L. Sloan**

**Michelle Sloan**, an M.A. student in Economics, has been very active in the AYS Graduate Student Association. She also served as a Critical Thinking through Writing consultant for the Economics department's CTW courses. She graduated in Spring 2010.

*The Best Third-Year Paper Award:* Given annually in recognition of an outstanding academic paper written by a Ph.D. in Economics student who has completed the third year of study during the previous academic year. This award is to encourage early development of scholarly research by doctoral students. Recipient: **Gustavo J. Canavire Bacarreza**

**Gustavo Canavire Bacarreza**, from Bolivia, is a fourth-year doctoral student in Economics—he also earned his master's degree from our Economics program. Gustavo has traveled to many professional meetings this year to present his research. The topic of his third-year paper was, "Financial Development: The Distribution of Income in Latin America."

*The Harold Ball Economics Award:* Established by Dr. Harold Ball, a Ph.D. alumnus, this award is given annually to recognize distinguished performance in quantitative economics by a graduate student. Recipient: **Christopher A. Mothorpe**

**Christopher Mothorpe** earned a B.S. in Applied Math and a Master of Science in Economics from Georgia Tech before entering our doctoral program two years ago. His research interests include regional and community development, health and educational economics. Christopher's performance in the quantitative economics courses has been exemplary over the past year.

*Jack Blicksilver Scholarship:* Established in honor of Dr. Jack Blacksilver, late professor of Economics Emeritus, this scholarship is awarded annually to a student who excels in economics. Recipient: **Denvil R. Duncan**

**Denvil Duncan** is a fifth-year doctoral student. He is originally from Jamaica and earned a Bachelor's and Master's degree in Economics from the University of the West Indies. His dissertation research deals with taxation and income inequality. He is up for graduation and has accepted a position at Indiana University.

*E.D. "Jack" Dunn Fellowship:* Established to honor the late Banking Commissioner E. D. Dunn, a Georgia State alumnus, the fellowship is awarded annually to a deserving graduate student in the Andrew Young School with academic and research interest in public finance, financial regulatory policy impact on national, regional and local economics, or public management. Recipient: **Zackary B. Hawley**

**Zackary Hawley** is a Bachelor of Science graduate of our Economics program. He entered the doctoral program immediately after graduating with the B.S. and he has been very active in department activities, including serving as president of the Graduate Student Association. Zack's research interests include econometrics and microeconomics.

*The Carole Keels Scholarship:* Established in honor of the late Carole Y. Keels, a Georgia State alumna, this scholarship recognizes a student with significant career experience who is pursuing a degree in economics. At the age of 38, Dr. Keels returned to college to complete both a master's and Ph.D. degree in economics. Recipient: **Jeffrey T. Condon**

**Jeffrey Condon** earned an M.A. in Economics at AYS and entered our Ph.D. program last year. Prior to joining our doctoral program, he worked as an economist with the Bureau of Labor Statistics in Atlanta and as an auditor at Regions Bank in Birmingham.

*The George Malanos Scholarship:* Given in honor of Dr. George Malanos, late professor of Economics and first chair of the department, to the Ph.D. student selected by the faculty as best exemplifying a commitment to the exchange of ideas and the creation of a community of scholars. Recipient: **Alexander P. Brumlik**

**Alexander Brumlik** is a third-year doctoral student who also earned the M.A. in Economics at the Andrew Young School writing his non-thesis paper on "The Economics of Happiness." Prior to coming to GSU, he worked as a Forex Trader in Frankfurt, Germany. His many campus activities have included serving as vice president of our Graduate Student Association.

*The Theodore C. Boyden Excellence in Teaching Economics Award:* Given in honor of Dr. Theodore Boyden, late professor of Economics who retired from Georgia State in 1983, this award recognizes the graduate student who best displays excellence in teaching economics, in terms of the improvement of economic understanding, primarily in the Economics 2105 and 2106 courses. Recipient: **Merlin M. Hanauer**

**Merlin Hanauer** is a fourth-year doctoral student who has taught Principles of Microeconomics and currently also teaches The Global Economy. His teaching evaluations reflect his outstanding ability to communicate with students, both inside and outside the classroom, and to foster an interest in Economics.

*The AYS Excellence in Teaching Economics Award:* The Andrew Young School values excellence in teaching just as it does excellence in research. This award recognizes a student who, in the judgment of the faculty, has performed exceptionally well in the classroom. Recipient: **Sarah A. Jacobson**

**Sarah Jacobson** will graduate with the Ph.D. in Economics this semester and has accepted a position at Williams College. Sarah is past recipient of our Best M.A. Award, as well as the Blinksilver and Keels scholarships. While teaching The Global Economy class, Sarah has successfully communicated her keen interest in Economics to many undergraduate students who consistently named her an exceptional teacher.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC MANAGEMENT AND POLICY AWARDS

*The William R. Gable Award:* Given in honor of the dean of the College of Urban Life from 1973 to 1975, this award is presented to the undergraduate and graduate students majoring in urban policy studies who have demonstrated high academic standing and professional promise. Undergraduate Recipient: **Caroline M. Farley**; Graduate Recipient: **Elijah M. Owuor**

**Caroline Farley**, a B.S. in Public Policy student, is a founding member of the American Humanics organization at Georgia State. One of her goals is to join a development team at a nonprofit to help at-risk youth, and she has a talent for creating innovative ways to raise money for organizations. She is a volunteer representative for Childspring International and most recently helped raise over \$2,000 for children in Haiti.

**Elijah Owuor** is a graduating M.P.A. student with a concentration in management and finance who plans to work in the public sector. He is Member-at-Large for the PMAP Community Network, planning events and promoting collaboration with other campus groups. Elijah is also an active volunteer with Youth Connections, where he mentors children whose parents are incarcerated.

*The Governor Joe Frank Harris Award:* Given annually in honor of former Governor Joe Frank Harris, whose administration was noted for improvements in education and who serves as a Distinguished Executive Fellow in the Andrew Young School, to a Georgia resident student or students in the school based on academic merit. Undergraduate Recipients: **Mari B. McCoy** and **Allison S. Renyi**; Graduate Recipients: **Aaron M. Howard** and **Kristina A. Lugo**

**Mari McCoy** comes to Georgia State with a substantial corporate management, leadership and planning background. Her short-term goal is to work with a nonprofit agency whose mission centers on affordable housing, and ultimately she would like to establish a nonprofit to make housing more accessible for the working poor. Last year, she was the Georgia Minimum Wage Coalition Intern at the National Association for Working Women. Mari plans to continue her studies to earn a graduate degree in Public Policy.

**Allison Renyi** is an active volunteer for MoveOn.org where she works to inform people on voting and policy. She also volunteers with the Red Cross, the Crohn's and Colitis Foundation and the American Diabetes Association. After completing her undergraduate degree, she plans to pursue a Master's degree in International Policy. She would like to work at the USAID or the CDC to focus on health policy issues.

**Aaron Howard** is an M.P.A. student concentrating in nonprofit management. He is fluent in Spanish and plans to pursue a career in the Foreign Service. Last summer Aaron interned at the U.S. Embassy in Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic. As a Junior Foreign Officer, he participated in the Embassy's Hurricane Task Force, helped revamp the communication system between victims and families, translated court cases and learned the practices used by the Department of State to protect American citizens.

**Kristina Lugo's** career goal is to work for the International Justice Mission or another nonprofit agency leading the fight against international human trafficking. She is interested in identifying the root causes of trafficking, both in underdeveloped countries and the U.S. Kristina is a NextGeneration Nonprofit scholar and an active member of American Humanics.

*The Rick Anderson Scholarship:* Established by Mr. Rick Anderson, a B.S. and M.P.A. alumnus who was associated with the City of Atlanta for 25 years, including serving as budget director under the administration of Mayor Andrew Young. It is given annually to an outstanding student who is also an employee of a local municipality or county government within the area covered by the Atlanta Regional Commission. Recipient: **Jake Hersko**

**Jake Hersko's** concentration in the M.P.A. program is management and finance. He is interested in shaping fiscal policy by providing counsel to senior officials; ultimately he would like to become a Finance Director and oversee a local government's budget. Currently he works as a policy analyst for the City of Roswell Finance Department. He also serves on the Board of the PMAP Community Network and the Atlanta Track Club.

*The Amanda G. Hyatt Fellowship:* Established in honor of the late Amanda Hyatt and her legacy of commitment to public service and education, this award recognizes a graduate student in policy studies who has demonstrated leadership and a proven commitment to compassionate public service. Recipient: **Catherine A. Slocum**

**Catherine Slocum** had a strong history of work in nonprofits before entering our M.P.A. program. She was Director of the Women's Center at Florida State University, where she earned her Bachelor's degree, and, through the AmeriCorps VISTA program, was outreach coordinator for the Women's Rape Crisis Center in Burlington, Vermont. Catherine has expressed a strong desire to continue nonprofit work in the area of women and child poverty.

*The Dan Sweat Award:* Established to honor the late Dan E. Sweat, a Georgia State alumnus and long-time Atlanta civic leader, this assistantship is awarded annually to one or more deserving graduate students with career interests in public service. Recipient: **Jonathan L. Miller**

**Jonathan Miller** graduated from Vanderbilt University's Bachelor's in Public Policy program before entering our M.P.A. program. While an undergraduate, he sought out diverse activities to broaden his experience, including a U.S. Department of Commerce internship, completing a semester abroad in Spain, and leadership for several service projects. He has shown a great interest and ability for policy research and a strong desire to further his education in public service.

*The Best Term Paper Award:* Presented annually to a graduate student or students in the Public Management and Policy program selected by a faculty committee after reviews of term papers submitted by students or recommended by professors. Recipient: **Michelle V. Forbes**

**Michelle Forbes** is a Fulbright Scholar from the Grenadines. Her winning term paper dealt with her specialty, disaster management. The subject of Michelle's paper was "Planning for Volcanic Emergencies: Technological Advances and Challenges Facing Emergency Management Officials."

*The Public Administration Academic Achievement Award:* Presented to the student or students with the highest grade point average for the calendar year in the Master of Public Administration program. Recipients: **Michael Halicki** and **Tanya Hartman Smilley**

**Michael Halicki** graduated from the M.P.A. program with a concentration in nonprofit leadership and is currently working as a public affairs consultant to nonprofit and government clients on environmental and sustainability issues. Recently, he also completed a research project with Nobel Laureate Dr. Marilyn Brown at Georgia Tech. His ultimate goal is to become executive director of a nonprofit.

**Tanya Smilley**, a recent M.P.A. graduate, has a long history of volunteering with community service groups. She has served in AmeriCorps and completed work projects in Haiti and the U.S., was a youth and crisis counselor, and is now a human resources professional with the Department of Justice U.S. Attorney's Office. Her ultimate goal is to be an H.R. and administrative officer in a federal agency.

*The Outstanding Intern Award:* This award recognizes students who, in the judgment of the faculty, have performed exceptionally well as interns. Undergraduate Award: **Candice D. Duggan**; Graduate Award: **Patrick R. Larson**

**Candice Duggan** was an event intern at Zoo Atlanta, where she helped plan events to promote interest in the Zoo and inspire visitors to value wildlife and conservation. She worked on planning and logistics, met with sponsors and partners, created promotional materials and provided on-site event coordination. Her career goal is to work in development for a nonprofit organization, and nonprofit leadership is her policy concentration.

**Patrick Larson** interned as a budget analyst in the Governor's Office of Planning and Budget, working in the Physical and Economic Development division for the State Accounting Office and with other state agencies. Additionally, he completed an internship at the U.S. Embassy in London, where he was also an

unofficial ambassador for the PMAP department and the Andrew Young School.

*The PPM Outstanding Graduate Assistant Award:* Sponsored by the Public Performance and Management Group (PPM), this award annually recognizes a graduate assistant who demonstrates leadership through initiative, professionalism, and a commitment to PPM's public service activities. Recipient: **Yuriy G. Davydenko**

**Yuriy Davydenko** was selected to receive this award based on his initiative and dedication to quality customer service at the PPM Group, where he worked on a variety of applied research projects for the State of Georgia, completing his projects with the highest level of professionalism. Yuriy's assistantship ends this semester as he graduates from the M.P.A. program.

*The Public Management and Policy Student Leadership Award:* This annual award is given to a student or students who exhibit exemplary leadership within the Department of Public Management and Policy (PMAP). Factors taken into consideration for selection include involvement in student organizations and other student initiatives that benefit the PMAP department, attendance at PMAP career and professional research events, as well as acting as an Andrew Young School/PMAP ambassador to the greater Atlanta community. Undergraduate Recipient: **Jacqueline M. Crowther**; Graduate Recipient: **Patrick R. Larson**.

**Jacqueline Crowther** has been a leader in PMAP, on campus and in our community. She is past President of the PMAP Community Network and an active member of the GSU chapter of Amnesty International, where she was chosen as Student Area Coordinator for Georgia, serving as liaison between Amnesty's regional office and campus groups in metro-Atlanta. She also established a campus chapter of Oxfam America, an international humanitarian aid and relief organization.

**Patrick Larson** is a familiar face in the PMAP department, acting as an Andrew Young School/PMAP ambassador, not only to the greater Atlanta community, but also during an internship abroad. While working as a research assistant in the department, he has met with numerous new and prospective students to promote the school, as well as developing federal and state internship information and other career resources for policy students.

*The Outstanding Doctoral Student in Public Policy Award:* Given by the faculty to the joint Ph.D. in Public Policy student who best exemplifies academic excellence and an ongoing commitment to scholarship in the field of public policy. Recipient: **Lewis H. Faulk**

**Lewis Faulk** entered the M.S. in Urban Policy Studies program in 2006 and is now in his third year in the Public Policy doctoral program. An Andrew Young Fellow and student in the Nonprofit Studies Program, he has written conference papers and book chapters on foundation grant-making, diversity and wages in the nonprofit workforce, social enterprise and nonprofit federations. His dissertation will focus on competition for philanthropic resources, and he currently teaches Introduction to the Nonprofit Sector in the master's program.

*The Andrew Young School Excellence in Teaching Policy Award:* The Andrew Young School values excellence in teaching just as it does excellence in research. This award recognizes a student or students who, in the judgment of the faculty, has performed exceptionally well in the classroom. Recipients: **Lauren M. Edwards** and **Jason T. Edwards**

**Lauren Edwards** is a third-year doctoral student in the PMAP department and a recipient of this year's AYS Dean's Fellowship. Before coming to GSU, Lauren worked with individuals with mental handicaps and volunteered with various nonprofits and political associations. She received her M.P.A. from the University of North Texas in 2007.

**Jason Edwards** is in his second year of the doctoral program. With master's degrees in biomedical engineering from UNC-Chapel Hill and in political science from Appalachian State, Jason brings a diverse set of interests to the classroom. His goal in teaching the Urban Political Economy course was to motivate undergraduates while introducing them to the dynamics underlying public policies in an urban setting.

## OTHER AWARDS AND HONORS

*The CARE Fellowship:* The CARE Fellowship is a one-year graduate student internship program with CARE, a leading humanitarian organization fighting global poverty. Fellows will gain practical experience in various aspects of International Development and Global Health to prepare them for careers working with various international aid organizations, financial institutions, governments, and other organizations. Recipient: **Sarah A. Arnason**

**Sarah Arnason** came to the AYS from the University of Miami, where she earned a Bachelor's degree focused on Grassroots Economic Development, particularly in Latin America. Sarah's travels have included economic development and peace relations work in Nicaragua, Argentina, Mexico and Cuba, and she continues to volunteer as an ESL instructor for the Latin American Association here in Atlanta. Sarah's concentration in the M.P.A. program is Nonprofit Management.

*The Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta Internship:* This internship is competitively awarded to an Economics Ph.D. student who is early in his/her academic program. It offers the recipient an opportunity to experience first-hand and to contribute to the formation of monetary policy. Recipient: **Andrew T. Balthrop**

**Andrew Balthrop** completed a B.S. in Economics degree at the University of Mississippi, and then worked for Croft Institute as part of a National Geographic Foundation grant to overhaul the Mississippi Geographic Alliance. He is now a fourth-year doctoral student with research interests that include resource allocation. His dissertation topic is "Oil Production Across Space and Time."

*The Southern Regional Education Board State Doctoral Scholarship:* The Southern Regional Education Board (SREB) is a nonprofit, nonpartisan organization that works with leaders and policymakers in 16 member states to improve education. SREB Doctoral Scholarship recipients are selected based on academic merit. The award provides support for a period of up to five years of doctoral study and is funded through a partnership between the SREB, the State of Georgia and Georgia State University. Recipient: **Kelechi N. Nwosu**

**Kelechi Nwosu** earned an M.P.A. at AYS before joining the joint Ph.D. in Public Policy program last fall. Her research interest in performance budgeting has evolved from her professional work experience at the Georgia Department of Transportation. Her interest in economic development evolved while she worked and volunteered for several nonprofit organizations and in low-income communities.

*The Torch of Peace Award:* Honoring individuals who have demonstrated outstanding leadership and have made a significant contribution to Georgia State University and the Atlanta Community. Recipient: **Susan P. Manikowski** – Graduate Student Award (*NOTE: Susan Manikowski was enrolled in the Peace Corps Master's International program while completing her M.S. in Urban Studies. Upon graduation in Fall 2009, she was accepted into the Peace Corps and is now serving in Albania.*)

*Service Awards:* Given in recognition of special service to the Andrew Young School of Policy Studies and Georgia State University.

- President, Graduate Student Association: **Menna Bizuneh** – Ph.D. in Economics
- Senator, Student Government Association **Tiffany M. Carlyle** – B.S. in Public Policy (Nonprofit Leadership Concentration)
- Vice President of Student Life, Student Government Association: **James R. Dutton** – B.A. in Economics
- President of the PMAP Community Network: **Marcais L. Frazier** – B.S. in Public Policy (Nonprofit Leadership Concentration)
- President of the Economics Club: **Bridget A. Hogan** – B.A. in Economics
- Senator, Student Government Association: **Robert D. Holbrook** – M.P.A. (Management and Finance Concentration)
- Senator, Student Government Association: **Ludmia Lamothe** – B.S. in Public Policy (Public Management Concentration)
- Student Justice, Student Government Association: **Allison S. Renyi** – B.S. in Public Policy (Public Management Concentration)
- President of American Humanics, Georgia State Chapter: **Melanie D. Wofford** – B.S. in Public Policy (Nonprofit Leadership Concentration)

*Pi Alpha Alpha:* This is a national honor society for the field of public affairs and public administration. Membership identifies those students with the highest academic performance. These students have been inducted into the Georgia State chapter of Pi Alpha Alpha.

Alexandra Arkadieva, Yuriy G. Davydenko, Chris D. Fehrenbach, Jasmine L. Herron, Patrick R. Larson, Krista Reikenis, Timothy N. Todd, Traci L. Williams, Joy L. Woodson

*Omicron Delta Epsilon:* This is the national honor society for students in Economics. Selection is based on academic merit. These students have been inducted into the Georgia State chapter of Omicron Delta Epsilon.

Joshua Z. Adams, Elizabeth P. Arens, Ira T. Barton, Amaris L. Beatty, Lucero L. Bello, Isaac E. Boring, Andrew J. Bradshaw, Jason A. Cook, Matthew C. Deleonardis, James M. Dillon, Ayoko M. Folikoue, Lydia C. Hardy, Christina E. Hartlage, Bridget A. Hogan, Cary S. Howell, Gergana K. Ivanova, Iman M. Kasm, James P. Korn, Beata J. Lech, Shay W. Lemond, Sierra J. Malone, Arin-Ola Martin, Benjamin D. McKay, Cony B. Metcalf, Laura L. Neidhardt, Aurelie Ngo Mambongo, Damien C. Owens, Mattia Pace, Michael M. Peavey, Robert P. Rice, Horacio D. Rivera, Jonathan P. Roche, Albertio L. Smith Jr., Amanda Tamas, Jude Toussaint, Tan Minh Tran, Rachel G. Wilder, Peter J. Williamson, Randall A. Wynne, R. Brian Yeomans

*AYS International Scholars:* The Andrew Young School hosts international scholars supported by the Edmund S. Muskie and Freedom Support Act Fellowship Program of the American Councils for International and the U.S. Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs, International Research and Exchanges Board (IREX) and the Fulbright program of the Institute of International Education (IIE).

Amin M. Ali	Bangladesh
Alexandra Arkadieva	Russia
Naveed A. Chaudhry	Pakistan

Yuriy G. Davydenko	Ukraine
Michelle V. Forbes	St. Vincent/Grenadines
Reynold V. Galope	Philippines
Otar Kantaria	Republic of Georgia
Zahra Murad	Indonesia
Su Su Nge	Burma (Myanmar)
Reimbay K. Reimbayev	Turkmenistan
Andrey A. Rybalov	Russia
Bauyrzhan Yedgenov	Kazakhstan

## DEGREES CONFERRED

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In 2010, the Andrew Young School awarded 242 degrees; 130 undergraduates, 97 master's students, and 15 doctoral candidates received degrees. Eight students also received certificates. These graduates are listed in the table below.

Graduation with honors is designated as follows: \* denotes graduation cum laude, \*\* magna cum laude and \*\*\* summa cum laude. Because the B.B.A. degree in Economics is conferred through the Robinson College of Business, those graduates are not listed in this report.

### **B.A in Economics**

Fahad A. Ashraf  
Jose R. Barberan  
Brian N. Barbour  
Amaris L. Beatty\*  
Tamisha P. Blake  
Graciela E. Castillo  
Terrell N. Cox  
Wendell J. Duffie  
James R. Dutton\*\*\*  
Rebecca H. Green  
Nicholas J. Grimmett  
Michael D. Hamilton  
Bridget A. Hogan\*\*  
Gergana K. Ivanova  
Randal G. Keasler  
Bedin E. Kouassi  
Carson R. LaFavers  
Loni H. Lewis  
Sierra J. Malone\*\*  
Arin-Ola Martin\*  
Fredrick Martin  
Vivian I. Mays  
Benjamin D. McKay\*\*\*  
Cony B. Metcalf  
Charles R. Moore  
Murad Mussi-Neto  
Pathoumvady Oukham  
Jason M. Paffenback  
Robert P. Rice\*  
Bethelhem A. Seyoum  
Anthony E. Simmons\*\*\*  
Adam J. Smith  
Joshua W. Suddith  
Ivy V. Thomas  
Benjamin W. Thorpe

### **B.A in Economics, continued**

Jude Toussaint\*  
Rachel G. Wilder\*\*  
Peter J. Williamson

### **B.A. in International Economics and Modern Languages**

Peyton S. Byrne  
Jose R. Crawford  
Ayoko M. Folikoue\*  
Christina E. Hartlage\*  
Giovanna Laucella  
Laura L. Neidhardt\*  
Emilio J. Rodriguez\*  
Laura K. Romero  
Simona A. Sluchok

### **B.S. in Economics**

Jiffar J. Abakoyas\*\*\*  
Alyshah M. Alidina  
Isaac E. Boring\*  
Sharif M. Boru  
Brenda A. Brasileiro  
Jennifer A. Dixon  
John P. Doup  
Mohammed R. Eskandari  
William H. Gimson  
Jared J. Grady  
Kareem R. Green  
Bruce L. Holt  
Hana Huskovic  
Jason S. Jones  
Tyler O. Jones  
Maxine Kao  
Koffivi S. Kouliho  
Damir Kunovac

**B.S. in Economics, continued**

Shabina S. Lakhani  
Edgar A. Ochoa  
Tejas V. Patel  
Saeed Razi  
Jonathan P. Roche\*\*  
Daneeta A. Shine  
Philip V. Stein  
Christopher P. Stewart  
Sarah D. Stilwell  
Randall A. Wynne\*\*\*  
John Michael Yurchesyn  
Anna E. Zdeblick

**B.S. in Human Resources Policy and Development**

Tara A. Moore

**B.S. in Public Policy**

Sabrina R. Adams  
Paule F. Ale-Charles  
Sajid Anwar  
LaToya Arnett  
Emily Arnfast\*  
Vadim Azimov  
Parker A. Aziz\*\*\*  
Jo E. Blackwell  
Sheri M. Blevins  
Jacqueline G. Bress  
Patrik Cioc-Kele  
Casey G. Coleman  
Utopia A. Crowell  
Akribi Sandino A. Dago-Dadie  
Shavonne L. Diggs  
Caroline M. Farley\*  
Stephanie A. Garrett  
Jaclyn O. Gaynor  
William D. Goldston  
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## PAPERS, BOOKS AND CHAPTERS: PUBLISHED OR FORTHCOMING<sup>1</sup>

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*During 2010, 234 scholarly papers, chapters and books were published or forthcoming. Another 103 papers are presently under review and in the revision process. It is also important to note that 29 percent of the published or accepted papers in 2010 were joint products of two or more of our faculty, research associates, and alumni.*

### **Roy Bahl**

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### **David L. Sjoquist**

“A Brief History of the Property Tax in Georgia,” *The Georgia Historical Quarterly*, revise and resubmit.

and **John Winters\*\***. “Building the Stock of College-Educated Labor Revisited,” *Journal of Human Resources*, revise and resubmit.

and **Robert Buschman\*** (with James Alm). “Citizen ‘Trust’ as an Explanation of State Education Grants to Local School Districts,” *Publius*, revise and resubmit.

and **Robert Buschman\*** (with James Alm). “Rethinking Local Government Reliance on the Property Tax,” *Regional Science and Urban Economics*, revise and resubmit.

, **Andrew Stephenson\*** and **Sally Wallace**. “The Impact of Taxes Capital Gains on Stability of State Personal Income Tax Revenue,” *Public Budgeting & Finance*, revise and resubmit.

### **Paula E. Stephan**

(with Sharon Levin and Anne Winkler). “Innovation in Academe: The Diffusion of IT Technologies,” *Applied Economics*, revise and resubmit.

(with Matthew J. Higgins and Jerry G. Thursby). “Conveying Quality and Value in Emerging Industries: Learning and Star Scientists in Biotechnology,” *Research Policy*, revise and resubmit.

(with Chiara Franzoni and Giuseppe Scellato). “Changing Incentives to Publish,” *Science*, revise and resubmit.

(with Henry Sauermann). “Twins or Strangers? Differences and Similarities Between Industrial and Academic Science,” NBER Working Paper 16113, submitted to *Organizational Science*.

*Economics of Science (working title)*, under contract, Harvard University Press, projected date of publication in late 2011 or early 2012.

### **Greg Streib**

“Professionalization in Public Administration Revisited,” *Public Administration Review*, submitted.

and **Hyunghoon Kim\***. “Professional Associations and Public Administration Excellence: The Case of Public Procurement,” *Public Administration Review*, submitted.

### **J. Todd Swarthout**

(with Jason Shachat). “Learning about Learning in Games through Experimental Control of Strategic Interdependence,” *Journal of Economic Dynamics and Control*, revise and resubmit.

### **Rusty Tchernis**

(with D. Millemet). “Estimation of Treatment Effects Without an Exclusion Restriction: With an Application to the Analysis of the School Breakfast Program,” *Journal of Applied Econometrics*, revise and resubmit.

(with I. McCarthy). “On the Estimation of Selection Models when Participation is Endogenous and Misclassified,” *Advance in Econometrics*, revised and resubmitted.

(with M. Roy and D. Millemet). “Federal Nutrition Programs and Childhood Obesity: Inside the Black Box,” *Review of Economics of the Household*, under review.

### **Erdal Tekin**

(with Chris Herbst). “The Impact of Child Care Subsidies on Child Well-Being: Evidence from Geographic Variation in the Distance to Social Service Agencies,” *Journal of Human Resources*, submitted.

(with Chris Herbst). “Child Care Subsidies and Maternal Human Capital Accumulation,” *Economics of Education Review*, revised and resubmitted.

(with Chris Herbst). "Distance Matters: Proximity to Social Service Agencies and the Utilization of Child Care Subsidies," *Journal of Urban Economics*, revised and resubmitted.

(with Janet Currie). "Understanding the Cycle: Childhood Maltreatment and Future Crime," *Journal of Human Resources*, revised and resubmitted.

See also **Resul Cesur**.

### **Andrey Timofeev**

See **Jorge Martinez-Vazquez**.

### **Neven Valev**

(with Berrak Buyukkarabacak). "Credit Information Sharing and Banking Crises," *Journal of Macroeconomics*, under review.

and **Felix Rioja**. "Financial Structure and Capital Investment," *Journal of Applied Economics*, revised and resubmitted.

and **Felix Rioja**. "Financial Structure and the Sources of Economic Growth," *Journal of Economics and Finance*, revise and resubmit.

and **Felix Rioja**. "The Long-Run Impact of Banking Crises on Investment," under review.

"Public Support for Fixed Exchange Rates during Recession," under review.

(with Vanya Pasheva and Konstantin Pashev). "Corruption in the Tax Administration: Is There Scope for Wage Incentives?" *Economic Systems*, under review.

See also **Felix Rioja**.

### **Mary Beth Walker**

with **Rachana Bhatt** and **Jon Rork**. "Earmarking and the Business Cycle: The Case of State Spending on Higher Education," *Regional Science and Urban Economics*, revise and resubmit.

See also **Julie Hotchkiss**.

### **Sally Wallace**

and **Harini Kannan**\* (with Viji Kannan, Patricia Ketsche, and Kathleen Adams). "Incidence of Health Care Financing," *Journal of Public Economics*, under review.

and **Harini Kannan**\* (with Viji Kannan, Patricia Ketsche, and Kathleen Adams). "Who Pays: Financing National Health Spending," *Health Affairs*, under review.

See also **David L. Sjoquist**.

### **William L. Waugh, Jr.**

(with Charles Bonser, Beverly Cigler, Louise Comfort, David Godshalk, Lenneal Henderson, Jack Kartez, Josephine LaPlante, William Petak, Sandra Sutphen, Richard Sylves, Robert Whelan, and Sherman Wyman). "The Legacy of the 1984 FEMA/NASPAA Workshop after Twenty-Five Years," *Public Administration Review*, revise and resubmit.

## **Yongsheng Xu**

and **Xilin Zhou\***. “On Measuring Aggregate Health Outcome Based on Individuals’ Qualitative Data,” *Journal of Health Economics*, under review.

(with Prasanta K. Pattanaik and Sanjay Reddy). “On Measuring Deprivation and Living Standards of Societies in a Multi-Attribute Framework,” *Oxford Economic Papers*, revise and resubmit.

and **Baoyun Qiao\*\***. “Measuring Degrees of Fiscal Decentralization: Theory and the China Experience from 1985 to 2007,” *Journal of Public Economics*, under review.

, **Li Zhang\*\*** and **Xinye Zheng\*\***. “Cost Sharing and Efficient Provisions of Public Goods,” *Economic Letters*, under review.

(with Wulf Gaertner). “A General Borda-Type Ranking Rule,” *Journal of Economic Theory*, under review.

(with Koichi Tadenuma). “The Walrasian Distribution of Opportunity Sets: An Axiomatic Characterization,” *Journal of Economic Theory*, under review.

## **Dennis Young**

(with H. Woods Bowman and Howard Tuckman). “Methodological Issues in Nonprofit Finance Research: Surpluses and Endowments,” *Nonprofit and Voluntary Sector Quarterly*, revise and resubmit.

See also **Bruce Seaman**.

## JOURNAL REFEREEING, APPOINTMENTS, AND OTHER PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

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*AYSPS faculty and research associates edited or co-edited 10 journals, served on advisory boards for 38 journals, and refereed for 150 different journals. They served the profession with membership on numerous advisory and executive boards, and with peer reviewing of programs and faculty. They also served the public with numerous assignments on boards of directors and advisory councils to public and private agencies. Many faculty members also work closely with our affiliated centers and author or co-author several reports, briefs, and other publications; those works are listed in the centers' respective sections.*

### JOURNALS EDITED BY AYSPS FACULTY

**Roy Bahl** is Associate Editor of the *Journal of Asian Economics*.

**James C. Cox** is Associate Editor of *Economics Bulletin*.

**W. Bartley Hildreth** is Editor-in-Chief of the *Municipal Finance Journal*.

**Bruce Kaufman** co-edits *Advances in Industrial and Labor Relations*, an annual research volume.

**Kurt E. Schnier** is Associate Editor of *Marine Resource Economics*.

**Bruce Seaman** is a Co-Editor of *Estudios de Economía Aplicada*.

**John Clayton Thomas** is Co-Editor of *The American Review of Public Administration*.

**William L. Waugh, Jr.**, is Editor-in-Chief of the *Journal of Emergency Management*.

**Yongsheng Xu** is Associate Editor of *Social Choice and Welfare*.

**Dennis R. Young** is Editor-in-Chief of *Nonprofit Policy Forum*.

### OTHER PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

#### **Holly Avey**

served as a referee for *Journal of Health Care for the Poor and Underserved*.

organized a training session on Health Impact Assessment, April 16, 2010.

served on the planning committee for the National Network of Public Health Institutes Annual Meeting, June 2010.

was the founding member of Society for Practitioners of Health Impact Assessment.

#### **Roy Bahl**

served on the Editorial Advisory Boards of *Journal of Public Budgeting, Accounting and Financial Management*, and *Pakistan Journal of Applied Economics*.

served as a referee for *American Journal of Public Administration*, *Public Finance Review*, National Science Foundation, *Journal of Public Administration Research and Theory*, *Journal of Urban Affairs*,

*Municipal Finance, Journal of Financial Accountability and Management, Development Policy Review, and International Review of Public Administration.*

served as peer reviewer for a World Bank study on Honduras.

served as peer reviewer for a proposed doctoral program in public policy at New York University.

served on the Board of Directors at the Lincoln Foundation and Lincoln Institute of Land Policy, with Budget and Audit Committee responsibilities.

served as Secretary on the Board of Directors, American Foundation for the Wittenberg Center for Global Ethics, Inc.

served on the Board of Directors, Wittenberg Center for Global Ethics, Wittenberg, Germany, 2008-present.

See also **Journals Edited by AYSPS Faculty.**

### **H. Spencer Banzhaf**

was named Research Associate at the National Bureau of Economic Research, 2010.

was named Senior Research Fellow at the Property and Environment Research Center (PERC), 2010.

earned the Best Article award from the History of Economics Society, 2010.

served as Book Review Editor for the *Journal of the History of Economic Thought*.

served on the Editorial Council of the *Journal of Environmental Economics and Management*.

served on the Board of Editors for *History of Political Economy*.

served as referee for the *American Economic Review, Conservation Biology, Economic Inquiry, History of Political Economy, Journal of Environmental Economics and Management, Journal of Public Economics, Journal of Regional Science, Journal of Urban Economics, Review of Environmental Economics and Policy,* and *Urban Affairs Review*.

served as reviewer for a handbook on measuring benefits and cost of land cleanup and reuse, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, 2010.

served as reviewer for a NSF grant.

served as conference organizer of a workshop on “Tough Questions for Free Market Environmentalism,” July 2010.

served as member of the review committee for the Ralph d’Arge/Allen Kneese Award for Best Paper in the *Journal of Environmental Economics and Management*.

served as member of the Krutilla Fellowship review committee for Resources for the Future.

### **Michael J. Bell**

served as a referee and an Editorial Advisor for the *Municipal Finance Journal*.

served on the Editorial Review team for the “County Finance Handbook,” Association of County

Commissioners of Georgia, November/December 2010.

**Rachana Bhatt**

served as member of the Association for Education Finance and Policy, Association for Public Policy & Management, and the Southern Economics Association.

participated in AEA Committee for Society of Women in Economics workshop during January 2010 AEA meetings, Atlanta, Ga.

**Peter Bluestone**

served as referee for *Public Finance Review*.

**Carolyn Bourdeaux**

served as a referee for *Public Budgeting & Finance*, *Journal of Public Administration Research and Theory*, and *Political Studies*.

served on the Executive Committee of the Federalism and Intergovernmental Relations Chapter of the American Political Science Association.

was elected to the Executive Committee of the Association for Budgeting and Financial Management.

**Jane Branscomb**

was a 2010 inductee into the Delta Omega honorary society in public health, Phi chapter.

**Resul Cesur**

served as member of the Eastern Economic Association, Southern Economic Association, and American Economic Association.

**Yoon Jik Cho**

served as referee for *The American Review of Public Administration*, *International Review of Public Administration*, and the *Review of Public Personnel Administration*.

served as member of the Midwest Political Science Association.

**James C. Cox**

served as President-elect and 2010 Program Chair of the Southern Economic Association. In this role, he organized the annual meeting attended by 1,078 participants in Atlanta, Ga., November 20-22, 2010. He also invited and scheduled 82 Presidential Sessions for the annual meeting, organized and chaired the Distinguished Guest Lecture by Elinor Ostrom, organized and chaired the Association Lecture by Tomas Philipson, participated in the November board meeting, participated as president-elect and incoming president at the November members meeting, participated in the spring Board Meeting on April 23, 2010, participated in the SEA Convention Planning Meeting on January 7, 2010, and maintained year-round communication and coordination with the SEA office at the University of Tennessee.

organized and co-sponsored a reception of the Experimental Economics Center and the Economic Science Association at the Allied Social Science Association annual meeting in Atlanta, Ga., January 3-5, 2010.

organized a session and chaired two sessions at the Allied Social Science Association annual meeting in

Atlanta, Ga., January 3-5, 2010.

served on the Editorial Board of *Experimental Economics*.

served on the Board of Editors of *Atlantic Economic Journal*.

served as referee for *American Economic Review*, *Econometrica*, *New Zealand Economic Papers*, *Games*, *Journal of Behavioral Decision Making*, *Journal of Mathematical Psychology*, and *American Journal of Transplantation*.

organized a session for the Behavioral and Quantitative Game Theory Conference on Future Directions sponsored by the National Science Foundation and the U.S. Air Force Office of Scientific Research, Newport Beach, Calif., May 14-16, 2010.

maintained an ongoing collaborative relationship with faculty in the Workshop in Political Theory and Policy Analysis and the Department of Economics at Indiana University. This collaboration is supported by (two) collaborative grants from the National Science Foundation to the Experimental Economics Center and to the Workshop in Political Theory and Policy Analysis.

established a collaborative relationship with researchers at SRI International in Menlo Park, California, and faculty researchers at the University of Sydney Medical School, Australia. This collaboration resulted in a proposal to Intelligence Advanced Research Projects Activity that will be awarded in February 2011.

offered a review and recommendation letter for a review for promotion to position of above-scale (distinguished) full professor at the University of California, Santa Cruz.

offered a review and recommendation letter for a review for promotion to position of full professor at Florida State University.

See also **Journals Edited by AYSPS Faculty**.

### **Paul J. Ferraro**

was given the Outstanding Faculty Achievement Award, Georgia State University, 2010.

served as member of the Board of Directors for the Association of Environmental and Resource Economists.

served as Handling Editor (Editorial Board) for *Conservation Biology*.

served as a member of the Advisory Board for the Collaboration for Environmental Evidence and the Conservation Strategy Fund.

was named a Kathryn Fuller Science for Nature Fund Visiting Scientist.

served as Advisor to Scientific and Technical Advisory Panel for the Global Environment Facility (GEF).

served as World Wildlife Fund Senior Science Fellow.

served as referee for *Biological Conservation*, *Conservation Biology: Conservation Letters*, *Environmental and Resource Economics*, *Environmental Conservation*, *Ecological Economics*, *Journal of Environmental Economics and Management*, *Journal of Environmental and Resource Economics*, *Environmental Science and Policy*, *Frontiers in Ecology and Environment*, *Land Economics*, *Nature*, *Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences*, *Resources and Energy Economics*, the National Science Foundation, International Initiative for

Impact Evaluation, and for *Conservation Biology*, a textbook by Peter Kareiva.

organized the workshop on “Measuring the performance of protected area systems: challenges and opportunities,” Global Environment Facility/World Bank, November 2010.

### **Shelby Frost**

served as Advanced Placement Economics Reader (grader for AP economics exams).

served as member (spring, summer), then chair (fall) of the Technology Committee for the National Association of Economic Educators.

served as member of the Georgia Association of Economic Educators, National Association of Economic Educators, Georgia Council on Economic Education, Council for Economic Education, Global Association of Teachers of Economics, and the Association of Private Enterprise Education.

attended the Association of Private Enterprise Education Annual Meeting, Las Vegas, Nev., April 2010.

attended the National Council on Economic Education; National Association of Economic Educators; Global Association of Teachers of Economics conference, Miami, Fla., October 2010.

attended the Tradition, Innovation, and Creativity: Undergraduate Learning for the 21st Century conference, hosted by The Reinvention Center at The University of Miami, Crystal City, Va., November 2010.

### **Shiferaw Gurmu**

served as member of the Board of Editors for the *Atlantic Economic Journal*.

served as member of the Editorial Board of *The Open Economics Journal*.

served as referee for *Economics Bulletin*, *Journal of Applied Econometrics*, *The Journal of Statistical Theory & Practice*, *Journal of Human Resources*, *The Journal of the Royal Statistical Society*, *Econometric Reviews*, *Statistics in Medicine*, and *ASTIN Bulletin*.

### **Carol Hansen**

served as member of the Academy of HRD.

### **Andrew Hanson**

served as referee for *Public Finance Review*, *National Tax Journal*, *Journal of Urban Economics*, *Regional Science and Urban Economics*, and *Journal of European Economic Association*.

### **W. Bartley Hildreth**

served as member of the Editorial Boards of *Public Budgeting and Finance*, *American Review of Public Administration*, *Journal of Public Budgeting, Accounting & Financial Management*, *Public Administration Quarterly*, *Public Performance & Management Review*, *International Journal of Economic Development*, *International Journal of Organization Theory and Behavior*, *Journal of Health and Human Resources Administration*, and *Public Administration & Management: An Interactive Journal*.

served as referee for *Public Finance Review*, *Public Administration Review*, *State and Local Government Review*, *International Review of Administrative Sciences*, *Publius*, and Georgetown University Press.

provided External P&T Letters to University of Connecticut, University of Memphis, UNC-Charlotte, and University of North Texas.

gave the Keynote Address and presented the Outstanding Graduate Award at the Awards Banquet of the Department of Political Science and Public Administration, Auburn University at Montgomery, April 2010.

served as member of the Board of Directors in the Section on Public Administration Research, American Society for Public Administration.

served as member of the Finance Committee for the National Association of Schools of Public Affairs and Administration.

saved the Andrew Young School from losing its independent college status.

See also **Journals Edited by AYSPS Faculty.**

### **Barry T. Hirsch**

served as member of the Board of Editors for the *Atlantic Economic Journal*.

served as member of the Editorial Board for *Industrial and Labor Relations Review*, *Journal of Labor Research*, and *Southern Economic Journal*.

served as member of the Board of Reviewers for *Industrial Relations*.

served as Research Fellow for the Institute for the Study of Labor (IZA), Bonn, Germany.

served as Research Affiliate of the Sloan Industry Studies Program, Alfred P. Sloan Foundation.

maintains and updates the website *Union Membership and Coverage Database* ([www.unionstats.com](http://www.unionstats.com)) with D. Macpherson.

served as referee for *American Sociological Review*, *British Journal of Industrial Relations*, *Economic Letters*, *Industrial and Labor Relations Review*, *Public Finance Review*, *Journal of Labor Economics*, *Journal of Labor Research*, *Journal of Population Economics*, *Quarterly Journal of Economics*, *Review of Economics and Statistics*, and *Southern Economic Journal*.

served as reviewer for an NSF grant proposal.

served as external reviewer for promotion to full professor at University of Wisconsin, Milwaukee, and promotion to associate professor and tenure at University of Nevada, Reno.

### **Julie L. Hotchkiss**

served as a referee for *Economic Inquiry*, *Economic Development Quarterly*, *Journal of Empirical and Legal Studies*, *Review of Economics and Statistics*, *Labour Economics*, *Southern Economic Journal*, *Applied Economics*, and *Industrial and Labor Relations Review*.

served as outside reviewer for two promotion cases, Naval Postgraduate School and University of Mississippi.

### **William M. Kahnweiler**

served as reviewer for *Journal of Business and Psychology*, *International Journal of Organizational Analysis*, *Organization Development Journal*, and *Human Resource Development Quarterly*.

served as reviewer of book proposals and book manuscripts for publishers Sage and Berrett-Koehler.

served as reviewer of submissions for the “Excellence in Scholarly Practice Award,” for The Academy of Human Resource Development.

was selected for inclusion in *Who’s Who in America, 2011 Edition*, Marquis Publishers.

served as an expert on supply and demand for career development professionals for The U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics.

### **Bruce Kaufman**

served as referee for *Industrial and Labor Relations Review*, *Industrial Relations*, *British Journal of Industrial Relations*, *Human Resource Management*, *Socio-Economic Review*, and *Human Resource Management Review*.

served as member of the Editorial Board for *Journal of Labor Research*, *Socio-Economic Review*, *Industrial Relations Journal*, and *Human Resource Management Journal*.

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### **Janelle Kerlin**

was honored with the Excellence in Faculty Recognition, which is recognition by Georgia State University for book publication in 2009, April 2010.

was named a Third Sector Research Centre Fellowship Programme Honorary Fellow, for conducting work with researchers at the Third Sector Research Centre, by the University of Birmingham, U.K., October 10, 2010.

served as member of the Publications Committee for the Association for Research on Nonprofit Organizations and Voluntary Action.

served as member of the Editorial Advisory Board for *Social Enterprise Journal*.

served as reviewer for two book proposals for Routledge.

served as referee for *Nonprofit Policy Forum*, *Nonprofit and Voluntary Sector Quarterly*, *Voluntas: International Journal of Voluntary and Nonprofit Organizations*, and *International Journal of Public Administration*.

served as member of the Association for Research on Nonprofit Organizations and Voluntary Action and International Society for Third Sector Research.

### **Glenn Landers**

served as member of the Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management, American Evaluation Association, and AcademyHealth.

### **Jesse Lecy**

served as a referee for *Nonprofit Policy Forum*.

### **Gregory B. Lewis**

served as a member of the editorial boards of *American Review of Public Administration*, *Journal of Public*

*Administration Research and Theory*, and *American Political Science Review*.

served as a referee for *American Review of Public Administration*, *British Journal of Political Science*, *International Journal of Public Opinion Research*, *Journal of African American Studies*, *Journal of Homosexuality*, *Journal of Policy Analysis and Management*, *Journal of Public Administration Research and Theory*, *Policy Studies Journal*, *Political Behavior*, *Political Research Quarterly*, *Politics and Religion*, *Psychological Reports*, *Review of Public Personnel Administration*, *Public Administration Review*, and *Public Productivity and Management Review*.

### **Cathy Yang Liu**

was awarded an OYCF–Gregory C. and Paula K. Chow Teaching Fellowship by the Overseas Young Chinese Forum (OYCF) for a short course “Comparative Urban Development” to be taught in China Academy of Public Finance and Public Policy, Central University of Finance and Economics, Summer 2011, received September 27, 2010.

was given a travel award to attend the IACP conference by the International Association for China Planning, June 2010.

served as grant referee for the Department of Housing and Urban Development Doctoral Dissertation Research Grant, August 2010.

served as referee for *Economic Development Quarterly*, *American Review of Public Administration*, and *Nonprofit Policy Forum*.

participated in the 17th Institute on Teaching and Mentoring sponsored by the Compact for Faculty Diversity, Southern Education Research Board (SERB) as faculty mentor, Tampa, Fla., October 28-31, 2010.

served as member of the International Association for China Planning, American Real Estate and Urban Economics Association, Urban Affairs Association, and Association of Public Policy and Management.

### **Jon Mansfield**

was awarded an MBA Crystal Apple, for being the 2010 outstanding teacher in the MBA program, given by the Robinson College of Business.

### **Jorge Martinez-Vazquez**

was given the 2010 Public Policy Award of the German Development Cooperation by The International Institute of Public Finance.

served as member of the American Economic Association, National Tax Association, International Institute of Public Finance, Southern Economic Association, and REDE at the University of Vigo, Spain.

is the Director of the Macedonia Decentralization Policy Review, GSU-UNDP, 2007-11.

is the Director of the Egypt Decentralization Policy Initiative, GSU-AECOM for USAID, 2007-2011.

is the Director of the Fiscal Decentralization Initiative in Peru, Confederacion Andina de Fomento (CAF), 2007-2010.

is the co-chair and Scientific Coordinator for United Cities and Local Government Second Global Report on Local Public Finance, 2009-10.

organized (with Stan Winer) an international conference on Coercion and Social Welfare in Contemporary Public Finance, hosted by the International Studies Program, AYSPS, GSU, Stone Mountain, Georgia, October 2010.

### **James Marton**

served as member of the American Economics Association, International Health Economics Association, American Society for Health Economists, AcademyHealth, and the Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management.

### **Robert E. Moore**

served as referee for *Labour Economics* and *Contemporary Economic Policy*.

### **Harvey K. Newman**

served as chair of the Undergraduate Programs Committee for the National Association of Schools of Public Affairs and Administration.

served as co-chair of the Nominations Committee and as member of the Executive Committee for the Nonprofit Management Education Section of the National Association of Schools of Public Affairs and Administration.

served as referee for *Journal of Urban Affairs*, *Urban Affairs Review*, *Nonprofit and Voluntary Sector Quarterly*, *Nonprofit Management and Leadership*, *Policy Studies Journal*, *State and Local Government Review*, and *Economic Development Quarterly*.

presented on Ethics Policy and Corruption to a visiting delegation from Hangzhou, People's Republic of China, December 3, 2010.

served as external reviewer for promotion and tenure, College of Community and Public Affairs, Binghamton University.

### **Grace O**

served as advisory faculty for the GSU chapter of the National Association for Business Economics.

### **Christopher Parker**

served as reviewer/referee for *Progress in Community Health Partnerships: Research, Education, and Action*, a Robert Wood Johnson-supported journal aimed at publishing community-based participatory research focused on community health and improvements to population health.

### **Mary Ann Phillips**

served as member of the 2011 Annual Conference Planning Committee for the National Network of Public Health Institutes.

served as member of the 2010 and 2011 Annual Conference Planning Committee for the Southern Obesity Summit.

served as member of the Leadership Council of the Policy Leadership for Active Youth organization.

was appointed to serve as member of the National Network of Public Health Institutes Quality and

Accreditation Advisory Board.

**Theodore H. Poister**

served as member of the editorial boards of *Public Performance & Management Review* and *Public Works Management & Policy*.

served as a referee for *Public Administration Review*, *Public Performance & Management Review*, the *Journal of Public Administration Research & Theory*, and the *American Review of Public Administration*.

conducted professional development courses on performance measurement for The Evaluators' Institute in Chicago, Washington, D.C., and Ottawa, Canada, and a course of applied statistics for program evaluators at the Institute in Washington, D.C.

served as a consultant to the National Council of State Boards of Nursing to review and critique a comparative performance measurement process focusing on nursing scope of practice, education, licensure, and discipline.

**Felix Rioja**

served as referee for *Journal of Macroeconomics*, *Journal of Public Economics*, *World Development*, *Public Finance Review*, and *Applied Economics*.

**Christine Roch**

served as referee for the *American Journal of Political Science*, *International Journal of Public Administration*, *Political Research Quarterly*, *State Politics and Policy Quarterly* and reviewer for the National Science Foundation.

served as member of the American Political Science Association and Midwest Political Science Association.

**Vjollca Sadiraj**

served as referee for *Games and Economic Behavior*, *Economics Bulletin*, *Economic Inquiry*, *Mathematical Social Sciences*, and *Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization*.

**Antonio Saravia**

served as Associate Researcher at Instituto de Estudios Avanzados en Desarrollo, La Paz, Bolivia.

**Kurt E. Schnier**

served as a referee for *Conservation Letters*, *Ecological Economics*, *Environmental and Resource Economics*, *Fisheries Research*, *Journal of Environmental Economics and Management*, *Marine Resource Economics*, *Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences*, *Journal of Theoretical Biology*, and *Water Resources Research*.

served as member of the Social and Economic Technical Advisory Panel for South Atlantic Fishery Management Council.

served as member of the Social and Economic Technical Advisory Panel for the Gulf of Mexico Fishery Management Council.

See also **Journals Edited by AYSPS Faculty**.

### **Bruce Seaman**

served as member of the Editorial Board of the *Journal of Cultural Economics*.

served as a referee for *Public Finance Review*, *Journal of Cultural Economics*, *International Journal of Cultural Policy*, *Journal of Regional Studies*, *Estudios de Economía Aplicada*, and *Nonprofit and Voluntary Sector Quarterly*.

served as a senior adviser to the Brattle Group consulting firm in Cambridge and Washington; worked with IMS Consulting, Pensacola, Fla., and Denver, Colo.; and collaborated with Rehabilitation Planning Inc., Plymouth Meeting, Penn. Activities include analysis of antitrust, commercial and civil tort damages and other legal/economic issues.

continued work on a major research project funded by the Mellon Foundation, the Kresge Foundation, and other groups: "Over-building in the Arts," in cooperation with the University of Chicago's Cultural Policy Center, the National Opinion Research Center, and researchers from the University of Texas, Austin. Expected completion is 2011.

completed his work (2009-2010) as a co-researcher with Bleakly Advisory Group and PBS&J on the study: "The Economic Impact of Lake Sidney Lanier." He also coordinated collaboration with economists at Clemson University (Strom Thurmond Center), who are working on a similar study of Lake Hartwell.

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### **Cynthia Searcy**

served as member of the Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management, American Education Finance Association, and Association for Budgeting and Financial Management.

### **David L. Sjoquist**

served as member of the Board of Editors for *National Tax Journal*.

served as referee for *Public Finance Review*, *National Tax Journal*, *Journal of Policy Analysis and Management*, *Journal of Urban Economics*, *Public Budgeting & Finance*, *Journal of Regional Science*, and *Regional Science and Urban Economics*.

### **Angela Snyder**

served as member of the American Evaluation Association and AcademyHealth.

"Financial Analysis of Policy Changes under CHIPRA: Analyzing 12-month continuous eligibility and premium assistance options," report for the Department of Community Health, June 2010.

"PeachCare for Kids: Effect of Premium Changes & Health Status on Duration of Program Enrollment," report for the Department of Community Health, June 2010.

### **Paula Stephan**

served as referee for *American Economic Review*, *Journal of Labor Economics*, *Review of Economics and Statistics*, *Science*, Economic and Social Research Council (UK), Belgium Science Policy, Kauffman Foundation, Dissertation Fellowship Program, Higher Education, University of Leuven (K.U. Leuven).

served as member of the Board on Higher Education and Workforce, National Research Council, 2009-2011.

### **Greg Streib**

served as referee for *State and Local Government Review*, *Public Administration Review*, the *American Review of Public Administration*, *Journal of Public Administration and Management*, *Public Integrity*, *Journal of Electronic Government Research*, and *Administration and Society*.

served as consultant for DeKalb County and the Georgia Board of Commissioners.

### **Rusty Tchernis**

served as referee for *Journal of Business and Economic Statistics*, *Journal of Population Economics*, *Southern Economic Journal*, *Review of Economics of the Household*, *Journal of Human Resources*, *Obesity*, *Economics and Human Biology*, *Economic Inquiry*, *Review of Economics and Statistics*, and *Health Services Research*.

### **Erdal Tekin**

served as co-organizer for the Annual Meeting on the Economics of Risky Behaviors hosted by GSU, IZA, and DIW DC.

served as referee for *Journal of Policy Analysis and Management*, *Economics of Education Review*, *International Journal of Manpower*, *Empirical Economics*, *Journal of Development Studies*, *International Journal of Drug Policy*, *Journal of Public Economics*, *Journal of Population Economics*, *Journal of Human Capital*, *Journal of Human Resources*, *Journal of Leadership Education*, *The Review of Economics and Statistics*, *American Economic Review*, *Southern Economic Journal*, *Economic Inquiry*, *Health Economics*, *American Economic Journal: Applied Economics*, and *European Journal of Health Economics*.

served as reviewer for the Luxembourg National Research Fund, grant reviewer for the Child Care Bureau, and panel reviewer for NIH.

served as member of the European Society of Population Economics, Econometric Society, Western Economic Association, Southern Economic Association, Society of Labor Economists, American Economic Association, and the Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management.

### **John Clayton Thomas**

served as member of the Editorial Board for *Journal of Urban Affairs* and *Journal of Public Administration Research and Theory*.

served as member of the International Association for Public Participation, American Society for Public Administration, Public Management Research Association, and the American Political Science Association.

and **Tim N. Todd\***. *School Locational Decisions and Land Use: Addressing a Growing Problem*, report for The Civic League for Regional Atlanta, 19 pp., October 2010.

and **Tara Squitiro\***. *Mapping the Path to Light Rail: What the Atlanta Region Can Learn from Light Rail Adopters*, report for The Civic League for Regional Atlanta, 30 pp., electronic publication, February 2010.

See also **Journals Edited by AYSPS Faculty**.

### **Andrey Timofeev**

won the 2010 Bergson Prize, a prize for the best article in Comparative Economic Studies in 2007-08, given by the Association of Comparative Economics, January 4, 2010.

served as member of the Association for Comparative Economic Studies and the International Institute of Public Finance.

### **Neven Valev**

served as referee for the *Journal of Banking and Finance*, *Journal of Asian Economics*, and *International Economics and Policy*.

carried out 20 interviews with industry and government representatives regarding the impacts of adopting the euro. The objective of the interviews is to evaluate the differential impact of the euro on different sectors of the economy and to investigate the political economy of its implementation. The interviews serve as basis for a national survey of businesses on these topics. The survey will be carried out in Spring 2011.

organized and carried out a major national survey on attitudes toward currency policy and the adoption of the euro. The survey polls a representative sample of 1000 Bulgarians. The topics include the level of information, trust, expectations, the future role of the euro, problems in Greece, and many others. The survey will serve as basis for several scholarly papers as well as a policy report.

### **Mary Beth Walker**

served as referee for *Southern Economic Journal*, *Journal of Regional Science*, *Journal of Human Capital*, *National Tax Journal*, and *Public Budgeting and Finance*.

### **Sally Wallace**

served as reviewer of the International Tax Coordination Program for the Austrian Science Foundation, at the University of Vienna, and for the National Science Foundation.

served as member of the Editorial Board for *State Tax Notes* and *Public Budgeting and Finance*.

served as member of the American Economic Association and National Tax Association.

serves as the Provost and VP for Academic Affairs, International University of Grand Bassam.

### **William L. Waugh, Jr.**

served as member of the Editorial Board for *Public Administration Review*, *International Journal of Economic Development*, and *Public Organization Review*.

served as member of the Advisory Board for the books *Annual Edition: Violence & Terrorism* and *Annual Edition: Homeland Security*, Duskin/McGraw-Hill.

served as referee for *Public Administration Review*, *American Review of Public Administration*, *Administration and Society*, *International Journal of Contingencies and Crisis Management*, *International Journal of Mass Emergencies and Disasters*, *Policy Studies Journal*, *Disasters*, *Journal of Homeland Security and Emergency Management*, *Journal of Public Administration Research and Theory*, *Journal of the American Planning Association*, *Journal of the American Society for Information Science and Technology*, *Journal of Organizational Behavior*, *Journal of Environmental Management and Policy*, and Sage Publications.

served as member of the Board of Scientific Counselors' Ad Hoc Workgroup, Office of Public Health Preparedness and Response, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, and Division of Emergency Operations Program Review (EOC and Directors Critical Information Reports).

served as member of the Federal Emergency Management Agency, Strategic Focus Initiative.

served as Advisor to Senator Mark Pryor, Subcommittee on State, Local, and Private Sector Preparedness and Integration (Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs).

served as member of the Curriculum Mapping Roundtable for Bachelor's Degree Programs, FEMA/ Emergency Management Institute.

served as Commissioner of the Emergency Management Accreditation Program (EMAP) Commission; and served as Vice-Chair of the International Committee and member of the University/College Committee for the EMAP Commission.

served as member of the Advisory Committee for the Senior Crisis Management Seminar, School of Public Affairs, American University (U.S. State Department, Office of Diplomatic Security, Anti-Terrorism Assistance Program).

served as associate/PI at the U.S. Department of Homeland Security Center of Excellence, Center for Natural Disasters, Coastal Infrastructure, and Emergency Management, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill.

served as associated faculty at the Alliance for Innovation, ICMA/Center for Urban Innovation, Arizona State University.

served as member of the ATSM Task Force on Emergency Operations Center Standards and Guidelines.

served as chair for the Scholarship Committee and as member of the Katrina Task Force and the Section on Emergency and Crisis Management for the American Society for Public Administration.

was an invited participant at the Natural Hazards Research & Applications Workshop, University of Colorado, July 2010.

was an invited participant at the Public Entity Risk Institute and National Science Foundation Workshop on "The Theory of Recovery," Center for Natural Disasters and Emergency Management, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, November 10-13, 2010.

served as Program Accreditation Reviewer for the Distance Education and Training Council, Accreditation Commission.

served as External Reviewer for the MPA program at the University of Louisville, January 2010.

See also **Journals Edited by AYSPS Faculty.**

### **Laura Wheeler**

served as referee for *State and Local Government Review*.

attended a three-day workshop on how to use data from the Consumer Expenditure Survey, organized by the Bureau of Labor Statistics, Washington, D.C., July 2010.

### **Katherine G. Willoughby**

served as editor for symposium on performance-based budgeting in the United States forthcoming in *Public Administration Review*. She generated the following research papers, commentary and provided an introduction to the symposium:

Philip Joyce, “The Obama Administration and PBB: Building on the Legacy of Federal Performance-Informed Budgeting?” with commentary by Christopher Mihm, Managing Director, Strategic Issues, U.S. Government Accountability Office.

Yilin Hou, “State Performance-Based Budgeting in Boom and Bust Years: An Analytical Framework” with commentary by Scott Pattison, Executive Director, National Association of State Budget Officers.

Alfred Ho, “PBB in American Local Government: It’s More Than a Management Tool” with commentary by Donald Gloo, Senior Management Associate, ICMA Center for Performance Measurement.

served as referee for *Public Administration Review*, *Public Budgeting and Finance*, *State and Local Government Review*, *American Review of Public Administration*, and *Governance*.

### **Yongsheng Xu**

served as a referee for *Econometrica*, *Economics and Philosophy*, *Games and Economic Behavior*, *Journal of Mathematical Economics*, *Mathematical Social Sciences*, *Publius*, *Public Finance Review*, *Scandinavia Journal of Economics*, *Social Choice and Welfare*, *Southern Economic Journal*, and *Theoretical Economics*.

organized a conference on Individual and Collective Choice, held in Udine, Italy, June 2010.

organized two sessions in microeconomic theory for the SEA meeting in Atlanta, November 2010.

See also **Journals Edited by AYSPS Faculty**.

### **Dennis R. Young**

was given a Doctorate, *honoris causa*, by the School of Management, University of Liege, Belgium, October 2010.

served as member of the Nonprofit Academic Centers Council (representing the Nonprofit Studies Program, Andrew Young School of Policy Studies).

served as President of the National Center on Nonprofit Enterprise.

served as member of the Steering Committee for the Benchmark 3.5 Conference, Nonprofit Academic Centers Council, 2010-2011.

served as member of the Editorial Board for *American Review of Public Administration*.

served as Editor Emeritus and member of the Editorial Board for *Nonprofit Management and Leadership*.

served as member of the International Advisory Board of *The Nonprofit Review* (journal of the Japan Nonprofit Organization Research Association).

served as Conference Liaison for the Annual Conference of Independent Sector, Atlanta, Ga., 2010.

served as referee for *Nonprofit and Voluntary Sector Quarterly*, *American Review of Public Administration*,

*Nonprofit Management and Leadership, and Voluntas.*

served as member of the Board of Directors and Finance Committee for the National Council of Nonprofits.

served as member of the Advisory Board for the Foundation Center–Atlanta.

served as chair of the Dr. Nathan Young Memorial Scholarship Corporation.

served as member of the Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management, American Economic Association, Association for Research on Nonprofit Organizations and Voluntary Action, International Society for Third Sector Research, Academy of Management, and the National Center for Nonprofit Enterprise.

## PAPERS PRESENTED AND CONFERENCE PARTICIPATION: DOMESTIC

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*Faculty and research associates made 169 presentations at U.S. professional meetings and conferences, in special symposia and as invited lecturers. They also were invited abroad to make 48 presentations to universities and at conferences, for a total of 217 presentations. This year's domestic campus lectures included several presentations here in Georgia, at Emory University, Georgia Institute of Technology, Georgia State University and the University of Georgia. Our faculty were also invited across the U.S. to at least 20 different campuses, including Harvard University, University of Maryland, University of Wisconsin, Clemson University, Duke University, Appalachian State University, Cornell University, University of California-Davis, University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill, University of Illinois, North Carolina State University, Baylor University, University of California-Los Angeles, University of Kentucky, University of Arizona, Northern Illinois University, State University of New York-Albany, Florida International University, University of Maryland, and Case Western Reserve University.*

### **Holly Avey**

, **Jane Branscomb**, and **Naima Wong** (with E. Fuller and S.P. Williams) presented “Developing BRAC [Base Realignment and Closure] Installations as Healthy Places: A Health Policy Approach” at the CDC Policy Innovations Award Ceremony, Atlanta, Ga., November 2010.

and **Jane Branscomb** presented “Using HIA to Promote Health in All Policies: An Exploration Through the Base Realignment and Closure Process” at the Health Impact Assessment (HIA) of the Americas Conference, Oakland, Calif., March 25, 2010.

presented “Developing Fort McPherson as a Healthier Place: A Health in All Policies Approach” at the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention Built Environment Work Group, Atlanta, Ga., April 2010.

presented “Health in All Policies and Health Impact Assessment: BRAC and Other Examples” at the National Network of Public Health Institutes Annual Meeting, New Orleans, La., June 8, 2010.

presented “Redeveloping Closed Military Installations with a Health in All Policies Approach” poster presentation at the AcademyHealth Annual Research Meeting, Boston, Mass., June 28, 2010.

presented the webinar “Introduction to Health in All Policies” to the Louisiana Public Health Institute’s Campaign for Tobacco-Free Living Center for Community Capacity Training, September 30, 2010.

presented “Built Environment and Homeless Assistance: BRAC and Health in All Policies” at the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention Symposium on Public Health and Homelessness, Atlanta, Ga., August 25, 2010.

presented “Data Translation: Using Policy Briefs to Communicate the Need for Action” at the PRAMS National Meeting, San Antonio, Texas, December 14, 2010.

presented “Picture, Population and Purpose: Policy Briefs that Pop” at the PRAMS National Meeting, San Antonio, Texas, December 14, 2010.

See also **Jane Branscomb**.

See also **Naima Wong**.

## **H. Spencer Banzhaf**

presented “Segregation and Tiebout Sorting: Investigating the Link between Public Goods and Demographic Composition” as a Kennedy School environmental economics seminar, Harvard University, Cambridge, Mass., 2010.

presented “Heterogeneous Harm vs. Spatial Spillovers: Which Level of Government Should Regulate US Air Pollution?” to the University of Maryland Department of Economics, College Park, Md.; as a Resources for the Future seminar, University of Wisconsin; as a University of Wisconsin Department of Agricultural & Applied Economics seminar; and as a Clemson University seminar, 2010.

presented “Consumer Sovereignty in the History of Environmental Economics” at the conference on The Uses of Economics: Past and Future, A Celebration of the 40th Anniversary of the journal *History of Political Economy* and the editorship of C. Goodwin, Duke University, Durham, N.C., March 26-27, 2010.

presented “Economic Impact Analyses of Environmental Justice Considerations” at the conference on Assessing Environmental Justice Implications of Environmental Regulations, hosted by the U.S. EPA, Washington, D.C., 2010.

presented “The Paradox of Environmental Policy” at the conference on The Paradox of Environmental Policy, hosted by the Liberty Fund, Big Sky, Mont., 2010.

presented “The Coasean Case for Cap-and-Trade” at the conference on Tough Questions for Free Market Environmentalism, hosted by the Property and Environment Research Center (PERC), Bozeman, Mont., July 19-23, 2010.

presented “Markets for Public Goods: How Citizens Win when Cities Compete” to the Columbia Economics Club, and at the Bastiat Society, Columbia, S.C., 2010.

served as discussant on “The Value of Secure Property Rights: Evidence from Global Fisheries” at the NBER Summer Institute, hosted by the National Bureau of Economic Research, Cambridge, Mass., 2010.

## **Michael J. Bell**

presented “Best Practices In Selling Bonds: The Specific Roles of the Underwriting Team” at the Government Finance Officers Association Annual Meeting, Atlanta, Ga., June 8, 2010.

## **Rachana Bhatt**

presented “A Non-Experimental Evaluation of Curricular Effectiveness in Math” at the Southern Economics Association Conference, Atlanta, Ga., November 2010.

presented “A Non-Experimental Evaluation of Curricular Effectiveness in Math” at the Association for Public Policy & Management Conference, Boston, Mass., November 2010.

presented “The Impact of School Lunch Length on Children’s Health” at the Wegmans/Stockman Conference, University of Rochester, Rochester, N.Y., October 2010.

presented “Earmarking & The Business Cycle: The Case of State Spending on Higher Education” at the Public/Labor Brown Bag Seminar, Andrew Young School, Atlanta, Ga., October 2010.

presented “A Non-Experimental Evaluation of Curricular Effectiveness in Math” at the 35th Annual Conference of the American Education Finance Association, Richmond, Va., March 2010.

served as discussant on “Peer Effects in Higher Education: A Look at Heterogeneous Impacts” at the Southern Economics Association Conference, November 2010.

served as discussant on “Athletics, Athletic Leadership and Academic Achievement” at the 35th Annual Conference of the American Education Finance Association, Richmond, Va., March 18-20, 2010.

served as discussant on “Impact of Gender and Rurality on Veterinarian Practice” at the Southern Economics Association Conference, Atlanta, Ga., November 2010.

See also **Mary Beth Walker**.

### **Peter Bluestone**

presented “Georgia State Revenues and Expenditures, a Geographical Analysis” at the 5th International Conference on Social Science Research, New Orleans, La., September 23-25, 2010.

presented “An Analysis of Water Related Infrastructure Spending in Georgia” at the Urban Fellows Brown Bag Seminar Series, Atlanta, Ga., October 20, 2010.

attended three Economics Forecasting conferences presented by the Robinson College of Business, Atlanta, Ga.

attended “The Facts about Freight in Georgia: Where it Goes and How it Gets There,” Atlanta, Ga., February 3, 2010.

attended A 2020 View of Urban Infrastructure, hosted by the Center for the Comparative Study of Metropolitan Growth, Atlanta, Ga., March 25-26, 2010.

### **Jane Branscomb**

presented “Community-Driven and Health-Centered: Redevelopment at Fort McPherson” (with M. Dobbins, H. Howard, B. Lennertz, and D. Scott) at the Congress for the New Urbanism, Atlanta, Ga., May 2010.

, **Karen Minyard, Heather Devlin, Naima Wong, and Holly Avey** (with Karen Cheung) presented “Informing the Redevelopment of Closed Military Installations with a Health in All Policies Approach” at the AcademyHealth Annual Research Meeting, Boston, Mass., June 2010.

, **Holly Avey, Naima Wong, and Karen Minyard** (with S.P. Williams) presented “Health in All Policies for Healthier Communities: An Urban Land Use Case Study” at the 9th International Conference on Urban Health, New York, N.Y., October 2010.

See also **Holly Avey**.

### **Resul Cesur\*\***

and **Erdal Tekin** (with Joseph J. Sabia) presented “Military Service and Mental Health” at the Southern Economic Association Annual Meeting, Atlanta, Ga., November 2010.

presented “Disease and Government Size: The Effect of Longevity on Government Expenditures” at the Eastern Economic Association Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, Penn., February 2010.

### **Yoon Jik Cho**

presented “Does the Federal Government Remember What to Do with New Employees? Implications of the Federal Hiring Boom for Turnover in the Federal Service” at the Annual National Conference of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, Ill., April 2010.

### **James C. Cox**

presented “Bosses, Kings and Dictators: Effects of Asymmetric Power in Private and Common Property Environments” at a Economics Department seminar, Appalachian State University, Boone, N.C., April 16, 2010.

presented “Bosses and Kings: Asymmetric Power in Paired Common Pool and Public Good Games” at the Behavioral and Quantitative Game Theory Conference on Future Directions, sponsored by the National Science Foundation and the U.S. Air Force Office of Scientific Research, Newport Beach, Calif., May 14-16, 2010.

presented “A Theory of Dictators’ Revealed Preferences” at the Biennial Conference on Social Dilemmas, held this year at Rice University, September 23-25, 2010.

served as participant in the panel on “Research on Risk Perceptions” at the CEAR Workshop on Risk Perception and Subjective Beliefs, Robinson School of Business, Georgia State University, Atlanta, Ga., October 27-28, 2010.

served as participant in the CEAR Workshop on Attitudes Towards Risk, Uncertainty and Ambiguity: Theory, Experimental Design and Econometrics, Robinson School of Business, Georgia State University, Atlanta, Ga., May 5-6, 2010.

served as a discussant at sessions of the American Economic Association and the Economic Science Association at the ASSA meeting, Atlanta, Ga., January 3-5, 2010.

### **Rachel Ferencik**

presented “Using Collaborative Modeling to Improve Birth Outcomes” at Academy Health Annual Research Meeting, Boston, Mass., June 28, 2010.

presented “Putting the Changes into Perspective” at Health Reform: From Insights to Strategies, A Variety of Perspectives, Atlanta, Ga., October 21, 2010.

presented “Collaborative Modeling to Address Childhood Obesity: Bridging Research and Policymaking” at Modeling for Public Health Action: From Epidemiology to Operations, Atlanta, Ga., December 10, 2010.

See also **Mary Ann Phillips**.

### **Paul J. Ferraro**

presented “Reductions in Emissions from Deforestation and Degradation (REDD) Evaluations” to the Center for International Forestry Research, Chapel Hill, N.C., January 2010.

presented “Protected Areas, Biodiversity Conservation and Poverty Alleviation” at Cornell University, Ithaca, N.Y., January 2010.

presented “Conservation without Prices: The Impact of Information, Moral Suasion and Social Norms on

Residential Water Use” to the Georgia Association of Water Professionals, Columbus, Ga., April 2010.

presented “Conservation without Prices Non-Pecuniary Strategies to Influence Behavior” to the Department of Agricultural and Resource Economics, University of California-Davis, Calif., May 2010.

presented “Poverty and Ecosystem Protection” to the Department of Environmental Science and Policy, University of California-Davis, Calif., May 2010.

presented “Biodiversity Conservation and Poverty” at the Sanford School of Public Policy, Duke University, Durham, N.C., September 2010; and to the Curriculum in Ecology and Environment program, University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill, N.C., September 2010.

presented “Conservation without Prices Non-Pecuniary Strategies to Influence Behavior” to the Department of Public Policy, University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill, October 2010.

presented “Markets for Ecosystem Services” at the University of Illinois, Champaign-Urbana, Ill., October 2010.

presented “Ecosystem Conservation Performance Contracting: Status and Issues” at North Carolina State University and Property and Environment Research Center, Chapel Hill, N.C., November 2010.

presented the workshop “Measuring Avoided Loss” at the Measuring the Performance of Protected Area Systems: Challenges and Opportunities Workshop, Global Environment Facility/World Bank, Washington, D.C., November 2010.

served as invited panel member on “Combining Environmental and Development Goals: Strategies for Moving Forward” at the Joint Panel of American Economic Association/Association of Environmental and Resource Economists, January 2010.

served as invited panel member on “Tough Questions for Free Market Environmentalism” at the Property and Environment Research Center (PERC), Bozeman, Mont., July 2010.

served as invited panel member on “Markets for Ecosystem Service Values: Putting Theory into Practice” at the Heartland Environmental and Resource Economics Workshop, Champaign-Urbana, Ill., October 2010.

served as discussant on “Microenterprises after the Funding Ends: Two Steps Forward and One Step Back,” Bauch et al., at the American Economic Association Annual Meeting, Atlanta, Ga., January 2010.

### **Shelby Frost**

presented “Avatars Learning Economics: Exploring Virtual Worlds” at the Annual Conference of Council for Economic Education, National Association of Economic Educators, and Global Association of Teachers of Economics, Washington, D.C., October 2010.

presented “When Class Time Runs Out: Creating Online Lectures” at the Association of Private Enterprise Education (APEE) meeting, Las Vegas, Nev., April 2010.

### **Shiferaw Gurm**

presented “Semiparametric Bayesian Inference for Count Data Models with Excess of Zeros and Covariate-Dependent Random Effects” at the 80<sup>th</sup> Annual Southern Economic Association Conference, Atlanta, Ga., November 20-22, 2010.

served as a discussant in a session on “Applications of Advanced Econometric Methods” and a session on “Knowledge Sharing and Mobility Patterns of Scientists” at the 80<sup>th</sup> Southern Economic Association Annual Conference, Atlanta, Ga., November 21, 2010.

### **Andrew Hanson**

served as co-chair of Graduate Student Events at the National Tax Association Annual Conference, Chicago, Ill., November 19, 2010.

organized the sessions “Taxation, Housing, and Education” and “Graduate Student Session” at the National Tax Association Annual Conference, Chicago, Ill., November 19, 2010.

presented “The Effect of Location Based Tax Incentives on Establishment Location and Employment Across Industry Sectors” at the American Real Estate and Urban Economics Association Annual Meeting (a subdivision of the ASSA), Atlanta, Ga., January 3, 2010.

presented “Do Landlords Discriminate in the Rental Housing Market? Evidence from an Internet Field Experiment in U.S. Cities” at Baylor University Department of Economics, Waco, Texas, October 8, 2010.

presented “Do Landlords Discriminate in the Rental Housing Market? Evidence from an Internet Field Experiment in U.S. Cities” at the Urban Economics Association Annual Meetings (subdivision of the Regional Science Association International Annual Meeting), Denver, Colo., November 12, 2010.

presented “Size of Home, Homeownership, and the Mortgage Interest Deduction” at the National Tax Association Annual Conference, Chicago, Ill., November 19, 2010.

served as a discussant at the Urban Economics Association Annual Conference (subdivision of the Regional Science Association International Annual Meeting), Denver, Colo., November 12, 2010.

### **W. Bartley Hildreth**

presented “Build America Bonds” to the “S.E.C. State of the Municipal Securities Markets” hearing, invited by the Commissioner of the Securities and Exchange Commission, Washington, D.C., December 7, 2010.

presented “Getting the Porridge Just Right: Setting and Administering Tax Rules in an Era of Anti-Tax Sentiment” at the 22<sup>nd</sup> Annual Conference of the Association for Budgeting and Financial Management, Omaha, Neb., October 2010.

served as Plenary Coordinator and presented “Debt Management Trends & Outlook” at the 22<sup>nd</sup> Annual Conference of the Association for Budgeting and Financial Management, Omaha, Neb., October 2010.

presented “Public Affairs Programs under Attack” at the Annual Conference of the National Association of Schools of Public Affairs and Administration, Las Vegas, Nev., October 2010.

### **Barry T. Hirsch**

presented “Unions, Dynamism, and Economic Performance” at the Labor and Employment Relations Association (LERA), ASSA Meetings, Denver, Colo., January 7, 2011.

presented “Channels of Labor Market Adjustment: Analysis of the 2007-2009 Federal Minimum Wage Increases” at the Southern Economic Association Meetings, Atlanta, Ga., November 21, 2010.

presented “Underpaid or Overpaid? Wage Analysis for Nurses Using Job and Worker Attributes” at the Public/Labor Brown Bag, Georgia State University, November 16, 2010.

presented “Underpaid or Overpaid? Wage Analysis for Nurses Using Job and Worker Attributes” at the Southeastern Health Economics Study Group (SHESG) 8<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference, University of Georgia, Athens, Ga., October 29, 2010.

presented “Teacher Salaries, State Collective Bargaining Laws, and Union Coverage” at the Western Economic Association International Meetings, Portland, Ore., July 2, 2010.

served as discussant on “The Sources of Wage Variation: An Analysis Using Matched Employer-Employee Data” at the Southern Economic Association meeting, November 21, 2010.

served as organizer and chair of the session on “New Analyses of Minimum Wages” at the Southern Economic Association meetings, November 21, 2010.

served as discussant on “Job Search and Job Finding in a Period of Mass Unemployment: Evidence from High-Frequency Longitudinal Data,” A. Krueger and A. Mueller, at the Employment and the Business Cycle Conference, Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta, November 11, 2010.

served as discussant on “Reevaluating the Effects of Non-Teaching Wages on Teacher Attrition,” G. Gilpin, at the Western Economic Association International meeting, Portland, Ore., July 2, 2010.

served as chair of the session “Market Analysis” at the Western Economic Association International meeting, Portland, Ore., July 2, 2010.

served as chair of the session “Alcohol Consumption, Sexual Activity, and Risky Behaviors” at the Second Annual Meeting on the Economics of Risky Behaviors, sponsored by IZA, AYSPS, DIW DC, Stone Mountain, Ga., March 19, 2010.

### **Julie L. Hotchkiss**

presented “The Path from Smoker to Nonsmoker: How Long Does it Take in the Eyes of the Labor Market?” at the Southern Economic Association meetings, Atlanta, Ga., November 2010.

presented “Undocumented Worker Employment as a Business Cycle Buffer” at the Society of Government Economists, Washington, D.C., November 2010, and at the Southern Economic Association, Atlanta, Ga., November 2010.

presented “Decomposing the Education Wage Gap: Everything but the Kitchen Sink” at the Western Economic Association Meetings, Portland, Ore., June 2010, and at the Fed System Applied Micro Conference, Boston, Mass., May 2010.

served as a chair for two sessions at the Southern Economic Association meetings, November 2010.

served as a session discussant at the American Economic Association meetings, Atlanta, Ga., January 2010, Western Economic Association meetings, Portland, Ore., June 2010, American Society of Hispanic Economists conference, Atlanta, Ga., November 2010, and the Southern Economics Association meetings, Atlanta, Ga., November 2010.

### **Paul Kagundu**

presented “Institutions and Economic Growth: A Panel Data Approach” at the Southern Economic

Association 80th Annual Conference, Atlanta, Ga., November 2010.

served as discussant on “Democracy and Institutions in Post Colonial Africa” at the Southern Economic Association 80th Annual Conference, Atlanta, Ga., November 2010.

### **William M. Kahnweiler**

presented “Enhancing HRD’s Status as a Profession: Where Do We Go from Here?” at the 2010 Global Conference of The Academy of Human Resource Development, Knoxville, Tenn., February 27, 2010.

### **Bruce Kaufman**

presented “The Value of Interdisciplinary Research in IR/HR” to a Doctoral Consortium at the Labor and Employment Relations Association annual meetings, Atlanta, Ga., January 2, 2010.

presented “Institutional Economic Analysis of the Minimum Wage” at the Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta, March 31, 2010.

gave the invited opening speech on “The Origins of the Wagner Act in Light of the Current Economic Crisis” at the 75<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Conference Celebrating Enactment of the National Labor Relations Act, George Washington University Law School, Washington, D.C., October 29, 2010.

### **Janelle Kerlin Bassett**

presented “Explaining the Use of Commercial Revenue Surplus in Nonprofit Organizations” with Lewis Faulk\* and Marcus Lam at the 39th Annual Association for Research on Nonprofit Organizations and Voluntary Action (ARNOVA), Alexandria, Va., November 18, 2010.

presented “Comparative Social Enterprise and Historical Institutionalism: Towards a Conceptual Framework for Social Enterprise” at the 39th Annual ARNOVA Conference, Alexandria, Va., November 18-19, 2010.

presented “Historical Institutionalism and Social Enterprise Development: Towards a Conceptual Framework for Social Enterprise” at University of California, Los Angeles (UCLA), Los Angeles, Calif., November 29, 2010.

served as discussant on “The State of the Field in Social Entrepreneurship and Enterprise Research” at the 39th Annual ARNOVA Conference, Alexandria, Va., November 18-19, 2010.

### **Glenn Landers**

presented “Evaluation of Medicaid Peer Support Programs: Implications for Utility and Accuracy” at the American Evaluation Association Annual Meeting, San Antonio, Texas, November 13, 2010.

presented “The Impact of Medicaid Peer Support Utilization on Cost” at the APPAM Annual Meeting, Boston, Mass., November 5, 2010.

presented “Current Status of State-Based Public Health Surveillance of Alzheimer’s Disease” at the AcademyHealth Annual Research Meeting, Boston, Mass., June 2010.

presented “The Impact of Medicaid Peer Support Utilization on Cost” at the AcademyHealth Annual Research Meeting, Boston, Mass., June 2010.

presented “An ADRC Does What? Using Logic Models to Document and Improve ADRC Outcomes”

at the ADRC National Meeting, hosted by the Administration on Aging, Alexandria, Va., February 24, 2010.

See also **Christopher Parker**.

### **Jesse Lecy**

presented “A Joint Test of Nonprofit Density Theories: Panel Analysis Across U.S. Metropolitan Areas” (with David Van Slyke) at the Association for Research on Nonprofit Organizations and Voluntary Action (ARNOVA), Washington, D.C., November 18, 2010.

### **Gregory B. Lewis**

presented “Changing Attitudes toward Same-Sex Marriage” at the American Political Science Association meetings, Washington, D.C., September 2, 2010.

presented “Turnover, Hiring, and the Changing Face of the Federal Service” at the American Political Science Association meetings, Washington, D.C., September 4, 2010.

presented “Changing Opinion on Same-Sex Marriage” at the Southern Political Science Association meeting, Atlanta, Ga., January 2010.

### **Cathy Yang Liu**

presented “Latino Immigration and the Low-Skill Urban Labor Market: A Case Study of Atlanta” and “Spatial Mismatch among Latino Immigrants” (with Gary D. Painter) at the American Real Estate and Urban Economics Association Annual Meeting, Atlanta, Ga., January 3, 2010.

presented “The Causes and Dynamics of Minority Entrepreneurial Entry” at the Association of Public Policy and Management Annual Fall Conference, Boston, Mass., November 4, 2010.

served as discussant on “Ethnic Entrepreneurship and Other Demographics” at the Small Business, Entrepreneurship, and Economic Recovery conference, hosted by the Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta and Kauffman Foundation, Atlanta, Ga., October 26, 2010.

### **Amanda Phillips Martinez**

presented “Health Resources and Services Administration, Federal Office of Rural Health Policy” at the meeting on Understanding the Impact of the Rural Health Network Development and Rural Health Care Services Outreach Grant Programs: A Sustainability Assessment of Former Grantees, August 2, 2010.

### **Jorge Martinez-Vazquez**

presented “Analyzing the Distributional Impact of Fiscal Policy: Overview of the Main Issues and Challenges” at the Fiscal Policy for Growth and Development Workshop, hosted by The World Bank, Washington, D.C., April 29, 2010.

presented “Opportunities and Challenges in Micro Insurance in Developing Countries: The Experience of the World Bank” at the CEAR Workshop: Insurance for the Poor, September 29, 2010.

### **James H. Marton**

presented “Enhanced Citizenship Verification and Children’s Medicaid Coverage” at the Association for

Public Policy Analysis and Management (APPAM) Annual Meeting, Boston, Mass., November 2010.

presented “Enhanced Citizenship Verification and Children’s Medicaid Coverage” at the Annual Health Economics Conference, hosted by Lehigh University, Bethlehem, Penn., October 2010.

, **Chris Parker, Karen Minyard**, and Honore presented “Does More Public Health Spending Lead to Better Health Outcomes?” at the AcademyHealth Annual Research Meeting, Boston, Mass., July 2010.

presented “The Effects of Medicaid Policy Changes on Adults’ Service Use Patterns in Kentucky and Idaho” at the American Society of Health Economists (ASHE) Bi-annual meeting, hosted by Cornell University, Ithaca, N.Y., June 2010.

presented “A Tale of Two Cities? The Heterogeneous Impact of Medicaid Managed Care in Kentucky” at the Southeastern Health Economics Study Group Annual Meeting, University of Georgia, Athens, Ga., October 2010; and at the University of Kentucky, Lexington, Ky., February 2010.

presented “A Tale of Two Cities? The Heterogeneous Impact of Medicaid Managed Care in Kentucky” at the Eastern Economic Association Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, Penn., February 2010.

and **Angela Snyder** (with Patricia Ketsche) presented “The Price Elasticity of CHIP Premiums” at the AcademyHealth Annual Research Meeting, Boston, Mass., June 2010.

served as a discussant at a session at the annual AEA/ASSA meeting, Atlanta, Ga., January 2010.

served as a discussant at the 2nd Annual Meeting on the Economics of Risky Behaviors (AMERB) Conference on Risky Behaviors, hosted by the Andrew Young School, Stone Mountain, Ga., March 2010.

### **Karen Minyard**

presented “The Science Behind Health Reform” as a webinar to the Public Health Leadership Society/ National Network of Public Health Institutes, October 12, 2010.

presented “Health Reform: Local Safety Net Implications” via Skype to the Care Share Health Alliance, September 24, 2010.

presented “AccessHealth South Carolina and Health Reform” to Access Health South Carolina, Columbia, S.C., August 16, 2010.

presented “Health Reform: Local Safety Net Implications” at the National Health Policy Forum, Washington, D.C., July 16, 2010.

presented “Using Systems Thinking and Collaborative Modeling to Improve State Policymaking” at the 2010 Institute on Systems Science and Health, Columbia University Mailman School of Public Health, New York City, N.Y., June 2010.

and **Mary Ann Phillips** presented “Leveraging Philanthropic Investment to Improve the Health Care Safety Net through Targeted Research” at the 2010 AcademyHealth Annual Meeting, Boston, Mass., June 28, 2010.

See also **Jane Branscomb**.

See also **James Marton**.

### **Robert E. Moore**

served as chair for the session on Discrimination and Economic Outcomes at the 85th Annual Conference of the Western Economic Association International, Portland, Oregon, July 2, 2010.

### **Harvey K. Newman**

moderated a panel session on “Transitions among Undergraduate Public Affairs Programs” at the National Association of Schools of Public Affairs and Administration meeting, Las Vegas, Nev., October 1, 2010.

### **Grace O**

presided a session at the ASSA/AEA 2010 conference, January 2010.

### **Christopher Parker**

presented “Health Status in Central Georgia” at the Central Georgia Obesity Summit, Perry, Ga., November 2010.

, **Glenn Landers**, and **Naima Wong** (with Mathiassen and Romanow) presented “Using EMRs and PHRs to Support the Chronic Care Model in a Rural Setting: Can it Ever Be ‘Meaningful?’” at the AcademyHealth Annual Research Meeting, Boston, Mass., June 2010.

See also **James Marton**.

See also **Naima Wong**.

### **Mary Ann Phillips**

presented “Two States’ Approaches to Legislative Education” at the 2010 Annual Conference of National Network of Public Health Institutes, New Orleans, La., June 8, 2010.

and **Rachel Ferencik** presented “Using a Collaborative System Model to Help Legislators Improve Childhood Obesity Prevention Policies” at the 2010 Southern Obesity Summit, Atlanta, Ga., September 13, 2010.

See also **Karen J. Minyard**.

### **Mark Rider**

presented “Cooperating to Resist Coercion: An Experimental Study” at the Coercion and Social Welfare in Contemporary Public Finance, International Studies Program, Stone Mountain, Ga., October 2, 2010.

presented “Tanzania’s Fiscal Arrangements: Obstacles to Decentralization or Structures of Union-Preserving Federalism?” at the Midwest Political Science Association Meetings, Chicago, Ill., April 25, 2010.

### **Christine Roch**

presented “The Diffusion of the Constitution: Emulation and Adoption of State Court Ordered Education Finance Reform” (with Robert Howard) at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Washington, D.C., September 3, 2010.

### **Vjollca Sadiraj**

presented “Is There a Plausible Theory for Decision under Risk? A Dual Calibration Critique” at the 2010 American Social Sciences Association Meetings, Atlanta, Ga., January 3-5, 2010.

presented “Revealed Altruism Without Independence of Irrelevant Alternatives” at the Behavioral and Quantitative Game Theory Conference on Future Directions, sponsored by the National Science Foundation and the U.S. Air Force Office of Scientific Research, Newport Beach, Calif., May 14-16, 2010.

presented “Revealed Altruism without Independence of Irrelevant Alternatives” at the SEA 80<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference, Atlanta, Ga., November 20-22, 2010.

served as a discussant at the 2010 American Social Sciences Association Meetings, Atlanta, Ga., January 3-5, 2010.

served as a discussant at the CEAR Workshop: Risk Perception and Subjective Beliefs, Robinson School of Business, Georgia State University, October 27-28, 2010.

### **Kurt E. Schnier**

presented “Estimating Heterogeneous Alternative Specific Constants: An Application to Regional Delivery Requirements in Fisheries” at the W2133 Annual Meeting, Tucson, Ariz., February 2010.

presented “Drive ’Til You Qualify: Residential Sorting in Suburbia” at the Southern Economic Association meeting, Atlanta, Ga., November 2010.

presented “Uncovering Club and Congestion Effects: Some Monte Carlo Evidence” at the Southern Economic Association, Atlanta, Ga., November, 2010.

presented “Production Efficiency and Exit in Rights-Based Fisheries” (with W. C. Horrace and R. G. Felthoven) at the University of Arizona, February 2010.

### **Bruce Seaman**

served as panelist and discussant for a session on “Health Economics and Policy” at the Southern Economic Association meetings, Atlanta, Ga., November 2010.

served as panelist and discussant for a session on “Big Time College Athletics and its Relationship to Higher Education” at the Southern Economic Association meetings, Atlanta, Ga., November 2010.

### **Cynthia Searcy**

and **Katherine G. Willoughby** presented “The Great Recession’s Impact on Big City Budgets in the United States: The City of Atlanta” at the Association for Budgeting and Financial Management Annual Conference, Omaha, Neb., October 8, 2010.

presented “A Framework for Monitoring the Financial Health of Charter Schools: A Case Study of Georgia’s Start-up Charter Schools” at the American Education Finance Association Annual Conference, Richmond, Va., March 18, 2010.

served as discussant on Education Finance During a Fiscal Crisis at the American Education Finance Association Annual Conference, Richmond, Va., March 18, 2010.

### **David L. Sjoquist**

presented “Rethinking Local Government Reliance on the Property Tax” (with James Alm) at the conference on Effects of the Housing Crisis on State and Local Governments, co-sponsored by the Lincoln Institute of Land Policy and the Tax Policy Institute of the Urban Institute and Brookings Institution, Washington, D.C., May 2010.

presented “Institutional Factors as Explanations of State Education Grants to Local School Districts” at the annual meeting of the National Tax Association, Chicago, Ill., November 2010.

served as discussant on five papers at the annual meeting of the National Tax Association, Chicago, Ill., November 2010.

### **Angela Snyder**

presented “Using Systems Engineering Tools to Inform a Geographic Needs Assessment” at the Evaluation 2010: Evaluation Quality conference, hosted by the American Evaluation Association, San Antonio, Texas, November 2010.

presented “Geographic Disparities in Service Utilization by Medicaid and CHIP-Eligible Children with Autism” at the AcademyHealth Annual Research Meeting, Boston, Mass., June 2010.

See also **James Marton**.

### **Paula Stephan**

presented the seminar “Conveying Quality and Value in Emerging Industries: Learning and Star Scientists in Biotechnology” at the Georgia Institute of Technology, Atlanta, Ga., February 2010.

helped organize the conference “How Can We Maintain Biomedical Research and Development at the End of the ARRA?” held at Cold Spring Harbor, N.Y., April 25-27, 2010, and presented “Thoughts about Post-ARRA.”

presented “Confessions of a Chronic User” to data users at the National Academies Workshop on Communicating Science and Engineering Information, Washington, D.C., October 27-28, 2010.

presented “Careers in Biomedical Research” at the Burroughs Wellcome Fund Board Meeting, October 29, 2010.

served as a discussant of a paper by Patrick Gaulé at the NBER Summer Institute, July 2010.

served as a discussant for the paper “How Important is U.S. Location for Research in Science?” and as participant at the NBER conference “Rate and Direction of Inventive Activity 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary,” Airlie Center, Warrenton, Va., September 30-October 2, 2010.

organized a session at the Southern Economics Association and served as a discussant.

served as the S&E Workforce Development Rapporteur, at the Science of Science Policy Workshop, National Press Club, Washington, D.C., December 2-3, 2010.

### **Greg Streib**

presented “City Performance Assessments: Lessons for MPA Students” at the MPA Student Colloquium, Division of Public Administration, Northern Illinois University, 2010.

## **J. Todd Swarthout**

presented “Direct Elicitation of Risk-Controlled Discount Rates” at the Southern Economic Association annual meeting, Atlanta, Ga., November 2010.

presented “Direct Elicitation of Risk-Controlled Discount Rates” at Emory University, Atlanta, Ga., March 2010.

served as discussant on “Appearing Honest: Accurate Belief Elicitation does not Require Outcome Verification” at the CEAR Workshop: Risk Perception and Subjective Beliefs, hosted by the GSU Center for the Economic Analysis of Risk, Atlanta, Ga., October 2010.

## **Rusty Tchernis**

organized and chaired the session “Empirical Health” and served as a discussant at the session on “Health System Reform: Essential for Universal Insurance Coverage?” at the American Economic Association conference, Atlanta, Ga., January 3, 2010.

presented a summary of his work on Childhood Obesity at the Obesity Research Group meeting, GSU, Atlanta, Ga., March 3, 2010.

presented “Estimation of Treatment Effects Without an Exclusion Restriction: With an Application to the Analysis of the School Breakfast Program” at the Western Economic Association meeting, Portland, Ore., July 2, 2010.

presented “Effects on Childhood Obesity of Participation in Multiple Nutrition Assistance Programs – New Results” at the Food Assistance and Nutrition Research Conference: Emerging Issues and Recent Findings USDA\ERS conference, Washington, D.C., September 24, 2010.

presented “Estimation of Treatment Effects Without an Exclusion Restriction: With an Application to the Analysis of the School Breakfast Program” at the University of Georgia, Department of Economics, Athens, Ga., October 14, 2010.

presented “On the Estimation of Selection Models when Participation is Endogenous and Misclassified” at the Georgia State Department of Statistics, Atlanta, Ga., October 22, 2010.

presented “Effects of the Built Environment on Childhood Obesity: The Case of Urban Recreation Trails and Crime” at the Southern Economics Association Meetings, Atlanta, Ga., November 20, 2010.

served as a discussant at the Second Annual Meeting on the Economics of Risky Behaviors, sponsored by IZA, AYSPS, DIW DC, Stone Mountain, Ga., March 20, 2010.

served as a discussant at the conference on Incorporating Behavioral Economics into Federal Food and Nutrition Policy, USDA, Washington, D.C., April 16, 2010.

served as a discussant at the session on Quantitative Methods I at the Western Economic Association, Portland, Ore., July 2, 2010.

attended the NBER Summer Institute in Health Economics, Cambridge, Mass., July 26-27, 2010.

served as a discussant on “Social and Environmental Influences on Obesity: Implications for Racial Disparities” at the Southern Economics Association Meetings, Atlanta, Ga., November 20, 2010.

## **Erdal Tekin**

presented “The Effect of Child Care Subsidies on Child Well-Being” at the Southern Economic Association meeting, Atlanta, Ga., 2010.

presented “The Impact of Child Care Subsidies on Child Well-Being: Evidence from Geographic Variation in the Distance to Social Service Agencies” at the State University of New York-Albany, N.Y., December 2010.

presented “Child Care Subsidies and Child Development: An Instrumental Variables Approach” at Florida International University; and at the University of Maryland at Baltimore County, Baltimore, Md., 2010.

served as discussant on “Applying for and Staying on the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program in South Carolina,” hosted by the SEA, Atlanta, Ga., 2010.

served as discussant on Understanding Overeating and Obesity at the Southern Economic Association conference, Atlanta, Ga., 2010.

See also **Resul Cesur**.

## **Beverly A. Tyler**

presented “Sustainability of Rural Health Community Initiatives” at the National Coalition of Rural Health Networks Annual Conference, San Antonio, Texas, April 20-21, 2010.

presented “Sustainability of Rural Health Community Initiatives” at the HRSA Office of Rural Health Policy Outreach and Network Development Programs Conference, Washington, D.C., August 3, 2010.

presented “Evaluating Rural Health Interventions” at the HRSA Office of Rural Health Policy Delta States Program Conference, St. Louis, Mo., September 13, 2010.

presented “Sustainability of Rural Health Community Initiatives” at the Georgia Rural Health Association Annual Meeting, Hiawasse, Ga., September 20, 2010.

gave the guest lecture “The Importance of Advance Care Planning,” School of Nursing, University of Georgia, February 23, 2010.

attended the National Rural Health Association Annual Conference, Savannah, Ga., May 19-29, 2010.

## **Mary Beth Walker**

presented “High School Crime and Academic Achievement” (with Mary G. McGarvey) at the American Education Finance Association Annual Conference, Richmond Va., March 18-20, 2010.

and **Rachana Bhatt** (with Jon Rork) presented “Recessionary Education: Revisiting Higher Education as a Budgetary Scapegoat” at the Urban Institute and Lincoln Land Institute Conference on Effects of the Housing Crisis on State and Local Governments, Washington, D.C., May 20-21, 2010.

presented “Factors Explaining Employment Change across Knowledge Defined Sectors: An Analysis of U.S. Economic Areas, 2001-2008” (with Penelope B. Prime and Donald Grimes) at the Southern Economics Association Annual Meeting, Atlanta, Ga., November 20-22, 2010.

### **William L. Waugh, Jr.**

presented “Collaborative Leadership and Improvisation Skills in Emergency Management” (with Tricia Wachtendorf) at the 58<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of the International Association of Emergency Managers, San Antonio, Texas, October 30-November 3, 2010.

presented “Public Administration and Emergency Management” at the 13<sup>th</sup> Annual FEMA Higher Education Conference, National Emergency Training Center, Emmitsburg, Md., June 6-10, 2010.

presented “The Principles of Emergency Management” (with David McEntire and Lucien Canton) at the 13<sup>th</sup> Annual FEMA Higher Education Conference, National Emergency Training Center, Emmitsburg, Md., June 6-10, 2010.

served as panelist on “Internationalizing the Incident Command System” at the 35<sup>th</sup> Annual Natural Hazards Workshop, University of Colorado, Broomfield, Colo., July 10-13, 2010.

served as panelist on “The State of Emergency Management, 2010: A Guided Discussion with ASPA’s Katrina Task Force” at the National Conference of the American Society for Public Administration, San Jose, Calif., March 2010.

served as panelist on “Response to the Haitian Earthquake” at the National Conference of the American Society for Public Administration, San Jose, Calif., March 2010.

served as panelist on “Conducting Contract and Grant Research in Political Science” at the Annual Conference of the Southern Political Science Association, Atlanta, Ga., January 6-9, 2010.

### **Laura Wheeler**

attended a three-day workshop on how to use data from the Consumer Expenditure Survey, organized by the Bureau of Labor Statistics, Washington, D.C., July 2010.

### **Katherine G. Willoughby**

presented (with Yi Lu) “Riding the Economic Cycle: The Influence of Performance Budgeting and Management for State Fiscal Health” at the Annual Conference for the Association for Budgeting and Financial Management (ABFM), Washington, D.C., October 7-9, 2010.

gave (with Marilyn Rubin) the plenary presentation “State Budget Balancing Strategies: Riding into the Future on Lessons Learned from the Past” at the Annual Conference for the Association for Budgeting and Financial Management (ABFM), Washington, D.C., October 7-9, 2010.

and **Soyoung Park\*** presented “The Effect of the Federal Fiscal Expansion on State Government Budgets” at the Annual Conference for the Association for Budgeting and Financial Management (ABFM), Washington, D.C., October 7-9, 2010.

presented “Performance Measurement and Possibilities: Performance Measurement Use by Rural Local Governments in West Bengal, India” at the annual conference of the American Society for Public Administration on Invigorating Public Service for Change, San Jose, Calif., April 9-13, 2010.

served as Moderator of the panel on “Advancing the Results of Government Operations: Using Performance Budgeting in the United States” at the annual conference of the American Society for Public Administration on Invigorating Public Service for Change, San Jose, Calif., April 9-13, 2010.

served as chair of the panel on “Local Governments under Stress and Incorporation Demand” at the Southern Political Science Association annual conference, Atlanta, Ga., January 8, 2010.

See also **Cynthia Searcy**.

### **Naima T. Wong**

and **Christopher Parker** presented “Organizational Development for Health Equity: Lessons Learned from an Environment and Policy Change Community Benefits Health Initiative” at the annual conference of the American Public Health Association, Denver, Colo., November 2010.

and **Holly Avey** presented “Linking Programs to Policy to Prevent Childhood Obesity” at the pre-conference on childhood obesity prevention, at the annual conference of the American Community Garden Association, Atlanta, Ga., August 2010.

presented “Implementing Environment & Policy Change for Healthy Neighborhoods: Reflections from the Field” at the annual conference of the National Network of Public Health Institutes, New Orleans, La., June 2010.

presented “Health Impact Assessment as a Tool for Health in All Policies: A Military Base Redevelopment Case Study” at the annual conference of the W.K. Kellogg Health Scholars Program, Washington, D.C., June 2010.

See also **Holly Avey**.

See also **Jane Branscomb**.

See also **Christopher Parker**.

### **Yongsheng Xu**

presented “Measuring Degrees of Fiscal Decentralization: Theory and the China Experience from 1985-2007” at the Southern Economic Association Meeting, Atlanta, Ga., November 2010.

presented “Procedural Analysis of Nonconvex Bargaining Problems” at the Southern Economic Association Meeting, Atlanta, Ga., November 2010.

presented “On Various Ethical Theories in Welfare Economics” at the Philosophy Department’s Seminar Series, Georgia State University, Atlanta, Ga., November 5, 2010.

served as a discussant at the sessions on the Chinese Economy and of Choice and Rationality at the Southern Economic Association Meeting, Atlanta, Ga., November 2010.

### **Dennis R. Young**

was an invited scholar at the Liberty Fund Colloquium on Higher Education and Markets: Smith, Mill, Veblen, Riesman and Buchanan, Colorado Springs, May 2010.

served as speaker at the Seminar on Social Enterprise, Weatherhead School of Management, Case Western Reserve University, Cleveland, Ohio, August 2010.

served as lead panelist at the ARNOVA/Gates Foundation seminar on Nonprofits and Public Policy, Baltimore, Md., October 2010.

served as keynote speaker at the Conference on Exploring Social Enterprises, University of California-Los Angeles School of Public Affairs, Calif., October 2010.

served as Session Discussant and Plenary Panelist at the ARNOVA Annual Conference, Alexandria, Va., November 2010.

served as featured speaker at the Presidents' Colloquium session on Finance and the Church, hosted at the Seventh-day Adventist World Headquarters, Silver Spring, Md., November 2010.

## SCHOLARLY INTERNATIONAL ACTIVITIES AND PROFESSIONAL FOREIGN TRAVEL

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*In 2010, faculty and research associates continued their international work, as representatives of international agencies and as advisors and lecturers abroad in 32 countries, from China to Jordan to South Africa.*

### **Holly Avey**

attended a training on Health Impact Assessment and Systems Dynamic Modeling, The Netherlands, 2010.

served on the exploratory committee for formation of a global or North American professional association for HIA practitioners.

### **Roy Bahl**

served on the Advisory Board of the Central University of Finance and Banking, Beijing, China.

served on the Board of Directors, Executive Committee, and Faculty Member for the International Center for Land Policy Studies and Training, Taiwan. He attended board meetings, May and November 2010.

served as Professor Extraordinarius, Economics Department and Africa Tax Institute, University of Pretoria, South Africa, and served as external examiner for the graduate program in taxation.

presented “Research on Revenue Options for China based on Comparative Experiences” at Peking University, Beijing, China, July 2010.

gave lectures on Local Public Finance at the African Tax Institute, University of Pretoria, South Africa, July 2010, and lectured on Tax Policy to the university.

made an invited presentation on fiscal policy to the policy division of the National Treasury, Pretoria, South Africa, July 2010.

presented “Property Tax Structure and Administration Constraints in Low Income Countries” at a symposium organized by the Ministry of Finance in Amman, Jordan, August 2010.

presented “Local Government and Economic Development” at a symposium on Public Financing and Urban Development, sponsored by the Andean Development Corporation, Cartagena, Colombia, September 2010.

made a presentation as part of a Roundtable on African Property Taxation, hosted by the African Tax Institute and the Lincoln Institute of Land Policy, Cape Town, South Africa, December 2010.

presented “Local Economic Development and Intergovernmental Transfers” at a conference on Fiscal Decentralization and Economic Growth, sponsored by the University of Cairo, Egypt, December 2010.

met with Prime Minister Bruce Golding and presented to him on tax policy options, Kingston, Jamaica, March 2010.

traveled to Argentina to advise the Government and the World Bank on a comparative study of

intergovernmental fiscal relations, April 2010.

traveled to Mexico to advise the Government and the World Bank on a comparative study of intergovernmental fiscal relations, April and October 2010.

carried out a study of property taxation at the invitation of the Government of Panama and the World Bank, Panama, May 2010.

led a one-day training program in public finance for Ministry of Finance Officials in Cairo, Egypt, December 2010.

### **Rachana Bhatt**

presented “A Non-Experimental Evaluation of Curricular Effectiveness in Math” at the Society of Labor Economists/European Association of Labor Economists Conference, London, England, July 2010.

### **Jane Branscomb**

served on the North American HIA Practice Standards Working Group.

### **Yoon Jik Cho**

presented “Performance Management and Trust: U.S. Perspective” at Yonsei University, Seoul, Korea, June 2010.

### **James C. Cox**

presented “Bosses, Kings and Dictators: Effects of Asymmetric Power in Private and Common Property Environments” at the Workshop on Advances in Experimental Economics, Maison des Sciences Économiques, Centre d’Economie de la Sorbonne, Paris, France, May 21-22, 2010.

presented “Bosses, Kings and Dictators: Effects of Asymmetric Power in Private and Common Property Environments” in the Giants in Experimental Economics International Lecture Series, Otto von Guericke Universität Magdeburg, Germany, May 26, 2010.

presented “Is There a Plausible Theory for Decision under Risk? A Dual Calibration Critique” at the Department of Economics of York University, Heslington, England, June 13, 2010.

presented the keynote lecture “Is There a Plausible Theory for Decision under Risk” at FUR XIV: International Conference on Foundations and Applications of Utility, Risk and Decision Theory, St. James Park, Newcastle, England, June 16-18, 2010.

presented the plenary lecture “Paradoxes and Mechanisms for Choice under Risk” at the Denmark Conference on Risk and Time Preferences, held at the Copenhagen Business School, Copenhagen, Denmark, June 22-23, 2010.

presented “Bosses and Kings: Asymmetric Power in Paired Common Pool and Public Good Games” at the World Meeting of the Economic Science Association, Copenhagen, Denmark, July 8-11, 2010.

### **Paul J. Ferraro**

served as member of the United Nations–Global Environment Facility Learning Mission on the Performance of Performance Metrics, Zambia, November 22–December 3, 2010.

served as member of the dissertation committee for Beria Leimoina, University of Wageningen, The Netherlands.

### **Carol Hansen**

presented “The Cross-Cultural Transfer of American Models and Myths to German and the Cote d’Ivoire” at the Academy of Management Research Methods Conference, Lyon, France, 2010.

### **W. Bartley Hildreth**

constructed a database on Capital Market History for the Ministry of Finance, Province of Ontario, Canada.

### **Bruce Kaufman**

taught an Executive MBA course on human resource management at Poznan University of Economics, Poznan, Poland, March 7-13, 2010.

gave the seminar “Employee Voice: What Works and What Doesn’t?” at Loughborough University, Leicestershire, U.K., June 24, 2010.

gave the seminar “Institutional Economics on the Minimum Wage” at the Central University of Economics and Finance, Beijing, China, June 10, 2010.

presented “New Developments in Graduate Human Resources and Industrial Relations Programs” at Renmin University, Beijing, China, June 12, 2010.

gave the seminar “What is Wrong with SHRM Theory? An Economics Perspective” at the University of Sheffield, Sheffield, U.K., June 28, 2010.

presented “The Theoretical Foundation of Industrial Relations” at the annual meeting of the British Industrial Relations Association, Manchester, U.K., July 2, 2010.

gave the keynote speech “Creating an Efficient and Fair Industrial Relations System” at the First Joe Isaac Memorial Lecture, University of Melbourne, Australia, August 19, 2010.

served as Visiting Research Fellow at Griffith University, Brisbane, Australia, August 22-September 17, 2010.

gave the seminar “The Transformation of Industrial Relations: Two Gestalts and Their Implications” at Griffith University, Brisbane, Australia, September 7, 2010.

### **Janelle Kerlin**

presented “Comparative Social Enterprise and Historical Institutionalism: Towards a Conceptual Framework for Social Enterprise” at the 2010 Research Colloquium on Social Entrepreneurship, hosted by the Skoll Centre for Social Entrepreneurship, Saïd Business School, University of Oxford, Oxford, U.K., June 23, 2010.

gave the Keynote Address on “Social Enterprise Trends in the United States and Japan in Comparison with Other World Regions” at the 12th Annual Conference of the Japan NPO Research Association, held at Ritsumeikan University, Kyoto, Japan, March 13, 2010.

presented “Historical Institutionalism and Social Enterprise Development: Towards a Comparative

Framework for Social Enterprise” at the Ninth International Society for Third-Sector Research (ISTR) Conference, Istanbul, Turkey, July 10, 2010.

### **Cathy Yang Liu**

presented “Intra-Metropolitan Opportunity Structure and the Incidence of Self-Employment among Immigrants” at the Migration in Asia and China Experience and Policy conference, hosted by the International Metropolis Project, Beijing, China, May 20, 2010.

presented “Immigrant Settlement and Employment Suburbanization: Is There a Spatial Mismatch” at the International Association for China Planning 4th annual conference, Shanghai, China, June 19, 2010.

was awarded the OYCF-Gregory C. and Paula K. Chow Teaching Fellowship by the Overseas Young Chinese Forum (OYCF), September 2010.

was given a travel award to attend the IACP conference by the International Association for China Planning, June 2010.

### **Jorge Martinez-Vazquez**

presented “A Roadmap for Achieving Financing for Equitable Service Delivery for All Citizens” at the Delivering Equitable Services to All conference, United Nations Development Program (UNDP), Skopje, Macedonia, June 9, 2010.

presented “The Advancement of Research Effort on Municipal Finance” at the United Cities and Local Governments World Congress, Barcelona, Spain, June 29, 2010.

presented “Public Service Standards and Expenditure Needs Equalization: A General Framework” at the conference on Service Standards and Financial Equalization in Decentralized Countries: International Evidence and Perspectives for Italy, hosted by Bocconi University, organized by DAIMAP, ECONPUBBLICA and CERGAs, Milan, Italy, July 1, 2010.

### **Mark Rider**

presented “A Comparative Study of Decentralization, Equalization, and Growth in China and India” at the 6th Annual Conference on Growth and Development, hosted by the Indian Statistical Institute, Delhi, India, December 18, 2010.

### **Antonio Saravia**

presented “Intellectual Property Rights and Foreign Direct Investment” and “The Role of Agricultural Productivity in Latin American Development” at the Second Bolivian Conference on Development Economics, hosted by the Universidad Privada Boliviana, La Paz, Bolivia, November 18-19, 2010.

### **Bruce Seaman**

, **Dennis Young**, **Amanda Wilsker\***, **Lewis Faulk\*** and **Nicholas Harvey\*** presented “Nonprofit Competition and the Allocation of Philanthropic Resources” at the 9th annual ISTR (International Society for Third Sector Research) conference, Istanbul, Turkey, July 7-10, 2010.

### **Paula Stephan**

presented “Economics of Science” to The Research Institute of Economy, Trade and Industry (REITI), Tokyo, Japan, March 23, 2010.

presented “NIH Funding Strategy” in Tokyo, Japan, March 24, 2010.

presented “U.S. Mechanisms of Research Staffing and Funding: Implications for Studying Collaboration and Productivity” at the U.S.-Japan Workshop on Scientific Collaboration and Productivity, Tokyo, Japan, March 26, 2010.

presented “The Impact of Information Technology on Academic Scientists’ Productivity and Collaboration Patterns” and served as a discussant at the Knowledge in Organization Conference, Monte Verita, Switzerland, May 31-June 3, 2010.

attended the Workshop on Academic entrepreneurship, HEC School of Management Paris, France, September 10-11, 2010.

presented “Changing Incentives to Publish and the Consequences for Submissions and Acceptance Patterns” at the R&D, Science, Innovation and Intellectual Property International Conference in Honor of Jacques Mairesse, held at the Ecole Nationale de la Statistique et de l’Administration Economique (ENSAE), Paris, France, September 16-17, 2010.

### **J. Todd Swarthout**

presented “Direct Elicitation of Risk-Controlled Discount Rates” at Xiamen University, Xiamen, Fujian province, China, June 2010.

### **Erdal Tekin**

presented “The Impact of Child Care Subsidies on Child Well-Being: Evidence from Geographic Variation in the Distance to Social Service Agencies” at the Institute for the Study of Labor (IZA), Bonn, Germany, November 2010.

presented “The Impact of Child Care Subsidies on Child Well-Being: Evidence from Geographic Variation in the Distance to Social Service Agencies” at Gadjah Mada University, Indonesia, 2010.

presented “Child Care Subsidies and Child Development” at Griffith University, Australia, 2010.

presented “The Impact of Child Care Subsidies on Child Well-Being: Evidence from Geographic Variation in the Distance to Social Service Agencies” at the Meetings of the European Society for Population Economics, Essen, Germany, 2010.

### **Andrey Timofeev**

presented “The Long and Winding Road to Local Fiscal Equity in the United States: A Fifty Year Retrospective” at the 66th Annual Congress of the International Institute of Public Finance, Uppsala University, Uppsala, Sweden, August 23, 2010.

served as discussant on “Output Dynamics, Technology, and Public Investment” at the 66th Annual Congress of the International Institute of Public Finance, Uppsala University, Uppsala, Sweden, August 23, 2010.

See also **Katherine Willoughby**.

### **Neven Valev**

presented “The Role of Wage Incentives in Fighting Corruption” at a seminar of the Governance Monitoring Association, Sofia, Bulgaria, October 2010.

presented “Loss Experiences During a Banking Crisis, Expectations and Behavior” (with Konstantin Pashev) at the Title VIII conference, hosted by the Center for International Studies at University of Delaware, Sofia, Bulgaria, July 2010.

**Mary Beth Walker**

and President **Mark Becker** were invited to visit Gadjah Mada University in Indonesia.

was invited to China to visit Renmin University, Jinan University, Huazhong Normal University, Jilin University of Finance and Economics, and Central University of Finance and Economics.

**Sally Wallace**

serves as the Provost and VP for Academic Affairs, International University of Grand Bassam.

gave lectures to the African Tax Institute, University of Pretoria, South Africa, Spring 2010.

**Katherine G. Willoughby**

with **Andrey Timofeev**, conducted a study on *West Bengal’s Modernization of the PRI System for Rural Local Governance*, India, June 2009-February 2010.

served as conference co-chair of the Sixth Transatlantic Dialogue Conference on Rethinking Financial Management in the Public Sector, Siena, Italy, June 24-26, 2010.

presented (with Marilyn Rubin) “Bringing in the Money: Measuring Performance of State Departments of Revenue” at the Sixth Transatlantic Dialogue Conference on Rethinking Financial Management in the Public Sector, Siena, Italy, June 24-26, 2010.

served as course coordinator and lectured on Public Budgeting and Fiscal Management for Budgeting and Finance Officials from African and other countries, Andrew Young School of Policy Studies, International Studies Program, July-August 2010.

**Naima Wong**

traveled with the Kellogg Fellows Leadership Alliance on a site visit to Havana, Cuba, in February 2010, to research the Cuban healthcare, education, and agricultural systems, then presented her findings to Georgia Health Policy Center staff.

**Yongsheng Xu**

organized a conference on Choice and Rationality in the University of Udine, Italy, from June 3-5, 2010.

**Dennis Young**

See **Bruce Seaman**.

## PROFESSIONAL INVITATIONS FOR CY2011

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*Faculty and research associates are in demand for lectures, presentations, scholarly writing and community activities. The following faculty have been invited to perform these activities in the 2011 calendar year.*

### **Roy Bahl**

has been invited to organize and co-chair (with Johannes Linn and Deborah Wetzel) an international conference on “Urban Public Finance in Developing Countries” at the Brookings Institution, July 2011.

has been invited to be a principal in a comprehensive reform study of the fiscal system of China, June through August 2011. This will involve research and presentations in China and Manila.

### **Michael J. Bell**

has been invited to present “Possible Relief for Atlanta (In Fulton) Homestead Property Taxpayers” at the quarterly meeting of the Fulton County Taxpayers Foundation, January/February 2011.

### **Carolyn Bourdeaux**

and **W. Bartley Hildreth** have been invited to write the article “State Systems for Managing Mid-Year Adjustments” for *Public Finance and Management*.

### **Yoon Jik Cho**

has been invited to present (with Sanghee Park) “Top Leadership and Performance of Quasi-Government Organizations in Korea” at the 11th National Public Management Research Conference, Syracuse, N.Y., June 2-4, 2011.

has been invited to present (with Jung Wook Lee) “Toward a Theory of Goal Ambiguity in Public Organizations: An Analysis of Goal Ambiguity in Korean Government” at the Annual National Conference of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, Ill, April 3, 2011.

and **Na Sai\*** have been invited to present “Organizational Justice in Federal Bureaucracy: Multi-level” at the Annual National Conference of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, Ill., April 3, 2011.

### **James C. Cox**

has been invited to participate in the Decisions: Theory, Experiments, and Applications conference organized by HEC Paris and Ecole Polytechnique, Paris, France, June 2011.

### **Paul J. Ferraro**

has been invited to present at the Allied Social Science Association meetings, Denver, Colo., January 2011.

has been invited to present at the InterAmerican Development Bank, Washington, D.C., March 2011.

has been invited to present at the Annual Meeting of the Scientific and Technical Advisory Panel, Global Environment Facility/United Nations Environment Programme, Vienna, Austria, March 2011.

has been invited to present at the London School of Economics, London, U.K., May 2011.

**Andrew Hanson**

has been invited to present “Do Landlords Discriminate in the Rental Housing Market? Evidence from an Internet Field Experiment in U.S. Cities” at the American Real Estate and Urban Economics Association Annual Meeting (a subdivision of the ASSA), Denver, Colo., January 7, 2011.

**W. Bartley Hildreth**

has been invited to serve as track coordinator, Seventh Transatlantic Dialogue (7TAD), June 23-25, 2011.

See also **Carolyn Bourdeaux**.

**Barry T. Hirsch**

served as discussant on “Teacher Mobility Responses to Wage Changes: Evidence from a Quasi-Natural Experiment” at the American Economic Association (AEA) meeting, January 9, 2011.

**Julie L. Hotchkiss**

has been invited to present “The Wage Impact of Undocumented Workers” at UC-Riverside and Claremont-McKenna, February 2011.

has been invited to present “Workers in the New Economy: What We Know and What We Think We Know” at the Winter Institute, Minneapolis, Minn., March 2011.

**Janelle Kerlin**

has been invited to author the chapter “The 501(c)(3) Nonprofit Social Enterprise,” in *Social Entrepreneurship*, Thomas Lyons (ed.), Praeger/ABC-CLIO.

**Jesse Lecy**

has been invited to give a workshop on citation networks and automated literature reviews at the annual conference for the International Network of Social Network Analysis, St. Pete Beach, Fla., February 2011.

has been invited to be part of a panel on NGO Ecology, at the International Studies Association annual conference, Montreal, Canada, March 2011.

**Christopher Parker**

has been invited to attend Annual Research Meeting of AcademyHealth, and the Annual Meetings of the American Evaluators Association and the American Public Health Association.

**Theodore H. Poister**

has been invited to present a paper on performance measurement at a program on strengthening program evaluation, Trachtenberg School of Public Policy and Public Administration, George Washington University.

has been invited to present a paper on strategic planning and transit system performance at the 2011 International Research Symposium in Dublin, Ireland.

**Bruce Seaman**

has been invited to author the chapter “Private Intervention for Cultural Heritage,” for inclusion in

*Handbook on the Economics of Cultural Heritage*, edited by Ilde Rizzo and Anna Mignosa, Edward Elgar; forthcoming 2011.

**Paula Stephan**

has been invited to participate in the dissertation defense of Haniyeh Seyed-Rasoli, University of Strasbourg, France, March 14, 2011.

has been invited to make a presentation at the plenary session of The Economics of Science conference, Observatoire des Sciences et Techniques, Paris, France, April 4-5, 2011.

has been invited to participate and make a presentation at the conference “U.S.–Japan Knowledge Production,” held at the Institute of Innovation Research, Hitotsubashi, University, Tokyo, June 23-24, 2011.

has been invited to be a member of the Committee on Measuring Economic and Other Returns on Federal Investments in Research, National Research Council, November 1, 2010-November 1, 2011.

**Rusty Tchernis**

has been invited to present at the IZA Risky Behaviors conference, Bonn, Germany, April 15, 2011.

has been invited to present at the Economics and Child Nutrition Programs, Pittsburgh, Penn., July 24-26, 2011.

has been invited to present at the meeting Emerging Issues in Agricultural Economics, Rehovot, Israel, May 22, 2011.

has been invited to present at the 10th Annual International Conference on Health Economics, Management & Policy, Athens, Greece, June 27-30, 2011.

**William L. Waugh, Jr.**

has been invited to contribute a chapter on national risk assessments for book edited by Paul Barnes (Queensland Institute of Technology, Australia) and Akira Nakamura (Meiji University, Japan), Edward Elgar Publishers).

**Katherine G. Willoughby**

has been invited to present “Revenue Departments and Performance Measurement: Cashing in for the States” (with Marilyn Rubin) at the American Society for Public Administration annual conference in Baltimore, Md., March 2011.

**Naima Wong**

has been invited to present on a panel at the Society for Community Research and Action biennial conference at Chicago, Ill., in June 2011.

## GRADUATE STUDENT ACTIVITIES

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*Our graduate students were professionally active in 2010, earning an early start on their policy analysis careers with a record number of activities. Jointly with faculty and on their own, they have published or have had accepted 11 scholarly papers and have another nine under review. They presented 23 papers at professional conferences. For Ph.D.'s awarded, see the Academics—Degrees Awarded section of this report.*

### **Menna Bizuneh**, Ph.D. in Economics

presented, served as chair of a session, and served as discussant at the Southern Economic Association annual conference, Atlanta, Ga., November 2010.

has been invited to present at the Midwest Political Science Association annual conference, Chicago, Ill., March 2011.

was awarded the George Malanos Scholarship.

served as president of the Graduate Student Association in the Economics Department, and earned an AYSPS service award for this activity.

served as member of the Southern Economic Association, Midwest Political Science Association, Committee on the Status of Women in the Economics Profession, and the American Economic Association.

### **Spencer T. Brien**, Ph.D. in Public Policy

presented “New City Formation in the Atlanta Metro Region” at the Conference of the Association for Budgeting and Financial Management, Omaha, Neb., 2010.

was awarded the Lincoln Land Institute Dissertation Fellowship, 2010.

### **Gustavo Javier Canavire-Bacarreza**, Ph.D. in Economics

(with Mirna Mariscal (UDAPE-Bolivia)). “Macroeconomic Policy, External Shocks and Social Protection System Effects on Poverty, Inequality, and Social Vulnerability in Bolivia: A CGE analysis,” (in Spanish), UDAPE Editors, 2010.

(with Wilson Jimenez and Mirna Mariscal (UNDP-UDAPE)). “Policies to Reach the Millennium Development Goals in Bolivia: Cost and Financing Scenarios Based on a CGE model,” chapter in *Public Policies for Human Development: Achieving the Millennium Development Goals in Latin America*, English edition, Vos, Ganuza, Lofgren, Sanchez and Diaz-Bonilla (eds.), Palgrave, 2010.

and Nicolás Guadalupe Zúñiga Espinoza. “Fiscal Transfers a Curse or Blessing? Evidence of Their Effect on Tax Effort for Municipalities in Sinaloa, Mexico,” International Studies Program Working Paper 10-30, *National Tax Journal*, submitted 2010.

(with Fernando Rios-Avila). “Domestic Violence and Labor Market Outcomes: Evidence from a Mixed-Race Developing Country,” *IZA Discussion paper 5273*, Economic Development and Cultural Change, submitted 2010.

presented “Financial Development and the Distribution of Income in Latin America and the Caribbean” with Felix Rioja at the American Economic Association Annual Meeting, Atlanta, Ga., 2010.

presented “Ethnic Wage Gaps in Segmented Labor Markets: A Latin American Perspective” at the Seminar Andean Development Corporation (CAF), Caracas Venezuela, 2010.

presented “Ethnic Wage Gaps in Segmented Labor Markets: A Latin American Perspective” at the 4th Georgia International Development Economics Workshop hosted by the Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta, Atlanta, Ga., 2010.

presented “Ethnic Wage Gaps in Segmented Labor Markets: A Latin American Perspective” at the Southern Economic Association Conference, Atlanta, Ga., 2010.

attended the American Economic Association Annual Meeting, Atlanta, Ga., 2010.

attended the Seminar Andean Development Corporation (CAF), Caracas, Venezuela

attended the 4th Annual Georgia International Development Economics Workshop, hosted by the Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta, Atlanta, Ga., 2010.

attended the Southern Economic Association Conference, Atlanta, Ga.

**Tamoya Christie**, Ph.D. in Economics

“The Effect of Government Spending on Economic Growth: Testing the Nonlinear Hypothesis,” *Journal of Macroeconomics*, under review.

presented “The Effect of Government Spending on Economic Growth: Testing the Nonlinear Hypothesis” at the 5th International Conference on Social Science Research, New Orleans, La., September 23-25, 2010.

“The Determinants of New Firm Survival in Georgia,” Fiscal Research Center Report, forthcoming.

**Lauren Edwards**, Ph.D. in Public Policy

and Theodore H. Poister (with David Pitts). “Strategic Management Research in the Public Sector: Synthesis, Assessment and Future Directions,” *American Review of Public Administration*, Vol. 40, No. 5, pp. 522-545, 2010.

presented “The Impact of Strategic Planning on Organizational Outcomes” with Theodore Poister at the 2010 Fall Research Conference of the Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management, Boston, Mass., November 2010.

presented “The Impact of Strategic Stance on Program Outcomes in Local Transportation Agencies” with Theodore Poister, Jason Edwards, Sarah Arnett, and Anita Berryman at the Midwest Political Science Association conference, Chicago, Ill., April 2010.

was awarded the AYS Excellence in Teaching Policy Award.

served as member of the Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management and the American Society of Public Administration.

See also **Lewis Faulk**.

**Lewis Faulk**

, Lauren Edwards, Gregory B. Lewis, and Jasmine McGinnis. “Explaining Gender Pay Disparities in

Nonprofit Industries: A Multilevel Model,” *Nonprofit and Voluntary Sector Quarterly*, revise and resubmit.

**Merlin Hanauer**, Ph.D. in Economics

and Paul J. Ferraro. “Protecting Ecosystems and Alleviating Poverty with Parks and Reserves: ‘Win-Win’ or Tradeoffs?” *Environmental and Resource Economics*, forthcoming.

, Kwaw Andam, and Paul J. Ferraro. “Measuring the Effectiveness of Protected Area Networks in Encouraging Reforestation,” Working Paper, Department of Economics.

and Paul J. Ferraro. “Causal Mechanisms of Protected Area Impacts,” Working Paper, Department of Economics.

**Zackary B. Hawley**, Ph.D. in Economics

with Andrew Hanson. “Do Landlords Discriminate in the Rental Housing Market? Evidence from an Internet Field Experiment in U.S. Cities,” *Journal of Urban Economics*, revised and resubmitted.

with Jon Rork. “The Law of Unintended Consequences Redux: The Case of State Funded Higher Education Scholarship Plans and Interstate Brain Drain,” *Regional Science and Urban Economics*, under review.

authored the report “Why Was the 2007 and 2009 Employment Loss in Georgia So Large?” FRC Brief 213, October 2010.

presented “Do Landlords Discriminate in the Rental Housing Market? Evidence from an Internet Field Experiment in U.S. Cities” at the Western Economic Association, Portland, Ore., July 2010.

presented “Social Interaction and Sprawling Cities” at the Southern Economic Association, Atlanta, Ga., November 2010.

has been awarded the E.D. “Jack” Dunn Fellowship and the Dan E. Sweat Fellowship.

served as member of the American Economic Association, National Tax Association, American Real Estate and Urban Economics Association, Western Economic Association, and the Southern Economics Association.

**Sungman Jun**, Ph.D. in Public Policy

and Carolyn Bourdeaux. “Comparing Georgia’s Revenue Portfolio to Regional and National Peers,” Georgia State Fiscal Research Center Report, forthcoming.

and **Soyoung Park** presented “What Stabilizes State Capital Expenditure? Evidence from the State Level” at the Association for Budgeting and Financial Management annual conference, Omaha, Neb., October 7-9, 2010.

**Hyunghoon Kim**, Ph.D. in Public Policy

and Gregory Streib. “Professional Associations and Public Administration Excellence: The Case of Public Procurement,” *Administration & Society*, under review.

presented “The Effect of Free Time on the Difference in Volunteering by Sector of Employment” at The 39th Association for Research on Nonprofit Organizations and Voluntary Action Conference, Alexandria, Va., November 18-20, 2010.

received the Who's Who Among Students in American Universities & Colleges Award, 2010 – 2011.

**Ric Kolenda**, Joint Ph.D. in Public Policy

, Cathy Yang Liu, Grady Fitzpatrick, and Tim Todd. "Re-creating New Orleans: Driving Development through Creativity," *Economic Development Quarterly*, Vol. 24, No. 3, 2010.

and Cathy Yang Liu. "Counting and Understanding the Contingent Workforce: Using Georgia as an Example," *Urban Studies*, revise and resubmit.

presented "Assessing the Impact of Georgia's Entertainment Industry Incentives: Policy Implications in a Recessionary Period" at the Midwest Political Science Association Conference (MPSA), Chicago, Ill., April 2010.

has been invited (along with co-author Cathy Yang Liu) to present "The Intrametropolitan Geography of Creative Industries" at the Urban Affairs Association Conference (UAA), New Orleans, La., March 2011.

**Jasmine McGinnis**, Joint Ph.D. in Public Policy

"Making the Case for Nonprofit Workforce Diversity," chapter in *Leadership in Nonprofit Organizations*, Kathryn Ann Agard (ed.), Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage Publications, October 2010.

"The Young and Restless: Generation Y in the Nonprofit Workforce," *Public Administration Quarterly*, forthcoming.

"Public Participation in Grantmaking: An Exploratory Analysis of Involving the Public in Grantmaking," under review.

presented "Public Participation in Government Grant Making: The Process, Implications and Impact of Involving the Public in Grant Making Decisions" at the Association for Research on Nonprofit Organization and Voluntary Action (ARNOVA) Conference, Alexandria, Va., November 2010.

presented "Family and Independent Foundation Giving: Implications of Foundation Governance on Grant Making" at the Academy of Management Annual Meeting, Montreal, Canada, August 6-10, 2010.

presented "The Future of Public Work: Examining Generation Y Wage Differentials" at the American Society of Public Administration Conference, San Jose, Calif., April 9-13, 2010.

was awarded an Italian Research in Philanthropy Awards Grant, worth 4,000 Euros.

was awarded the Academy of Management Doctoral Consortium at the 2010 AOM Conference.

was named Winner of Section on Public and Performance Management Conference Scholarship at the 2010 ASPA Conference, a prize worth \$500.

served as member of the Academy of Management and the Association for Research on Nonprofit Organization and Voluntary Action.

See also **Lewis Faulk**.

**Juan Jose Miranda Montero**, Ph.D. in Economics

and Paul J. Ferraro. "Comparing Experimental and Non-Experimental Evaluation Designs using a Large-Scale Randomized Experiment in Environmental Policy," Working Paper, Department of Economics.

and Paul J. Ferraro. “Heterogeneous Treatment Effects from Non-Pecuniary, Information-Based Policies: Evidence from a Large-Scale Field Experiment,” Working Paper, Department of Economics.

and Paul J. Ferraro (with Michael Price). “Long-term Treatment Effects of Norm-Based Policy Instruments: Evidence from a Randomized Environmental Policy Experiment,” Working Paper, Department of Economics.

**Soyoung Park**, Ph.D. in Public Management and Policy

presented “Policy Diffusion is More Viable with Healthier Fiscal Condition?” and “The Effect of the Practice of Balanced Budget on Gubernatorial Re-election” at the Midwest Political Science Association annual conference, Chicago, April 2010.

presented “The Effect of the Practice of Balanced Budget on Gubernatorial Re-election” with Katherine Willoughby at the Association for Budgeting and Financial Management (ABFM) annual conference, Omaha, Neb., October 2010.

presented “Policy Diffusion is More Viable with Healthier Fiscal Condition? California Case” and “Holding Schools Accountable: Financial Reporting and Monitoring of Charter Schools in the United States” with Cynthia Searcy at the SECOPA annual conference, Wilmington, N.C., October 2010.

**Andrew Parks**, MPA (planning, economic development, public health)

is a Licensed Professional Engineer.

was nominated for the Presidential Management Fellowship.

served as President of Engineers Without Borders Atlanta.

**Ali Qazi**, Joint Ph.D. in Public Policy

authored the research study “Institutional Assessment of Probation Department in Pakistan” during summer vacation 2010 with UNICEF regarding based on field visits, data collection, case studies (completed during summer vacation in Pakistan), gap analysis and recommendations. The report has been finalized by UNICEF.

**Rayna Stoycheva**, Ph.D. in Public Policy

was awarded the GSU Dissertation Grant.

presented “Reforming Public Pensions for the Future: Key Strategies and Implications for Retirement Security” at the Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management Conference, November 4-6, 2010.

presented “Public Pension Governance and Management: Retirement Security in Economic Downturns” at the Midwest Political Science Conference, April 2010.



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# **Research Centers and Programs**

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## DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS

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*Department of Economics faculty members are very active in the Centers and Programs of the Andrew Young School of Policy Studies. In addition to the entries in those sections, and to publications listed in “Papers, Books and Chapters: Published or Forthcoming,” various other projects of economics department faculty are listed below. Academic programs are described in the Office of Academic Assistance section. **Sally Wallace is Chair of the Department of Economics.***

### HIGHLIGHTS

- This year, the Andrew Young School hosted the first cohort of students as part of the new dual degree program with the University of Venice Ca’Foscari. Students in this highly selective and prestigious program have the opportunity to earn a degree in Economics from Georgia State University and a degree in Economics and Management from the University of Venice Ca’Foscari, as well as spend time studying at the University of Versailles Saint-Quentin-En-Yvelines. Georgia State University, the University of Venice Ca’Foscari, and the University of Versailles Saint-Quentin-En-Yvelines were awarded a grant for approximately \$1 million to start this unique dual degree program.
- The doctoral program in Economics has an excellent record of placement for its graduates. Recent graduates are starting their careers at a variety of impressive institutions, including the University of Connecticut, Indiana University, Williams College, and the International Monetary Fund.

### PROGRAMS

**Graduate Teaching Assistant Training Program.** This program was created to help GTA’s in Economics perform well in the classroom at Georgia State and in their future careers. Each year the program consists of a Seminar in University Teaching, videotaping of class lectures and mentoring, and class visits by a committee member to evaluate the performance of the GTA. The responses from GTA’s who participate in the program are positive. The program has also helped to improve the Economics Departments undergraduate Principles classes. The GTA Undergraduate Teaching Committee for 2010-2011 consists of **Jon Mansfield (Chair)**, **Shelby Frost**, and **Bess Blyler**.

**Faculty Recruitment.** The Department welcomed three excellent new faculty members in 2010. Professor of Economics **Andrew Feltenstein** joined the AYS after performing extensive consulting work in public economics and in the analysis of financial assets in developing countries. As part of this consulting work, he has carried out research on a variety of countries including China, Singapore, Bangladesh, Pakistan, Mexico, Ecuador, Ethiopia, Tanzania, Uganda, and Australia. Associate Professor **Richard Luger** holds a joint appointment as associate professor in the Department of Economics and the Department of Risk Management and Insurance. His research interests cover a wide array of topics related to econometric methodology, especially for the analysis of financial markets data. Professor of Economics **Lisa Rutstrom’s** research focuses on risk perceptions and risk attitudes among rural residents making wild fire management decisions, and among drivers facing congestion charges during their daily commute.

**Summer Intern Program.** The Department continued its Research Experiences for Undergraduates summer intern program, under the supervision of **Jim Marton** and with funding from the National Science Foundation. The program’s short-term objective is to provide undergraduate students with the opportunity to actively participate in policy research; the program is also intended to achieve the longer-

term objective of attracting qualified, interested students, especially minority and women students, to quality Ph.D. programs in economics, public policy, and other social science disciplines. Students work closely with a faculty mentor on a research project of their own choosing. Interns receive formal and systematic training in a weekly seminar that provides basic research skills, and the program culminates in a presentation and a paper related to the research experience. Two students' evaluation of the experience: "My mentor really appreciated the work I was doing since it was showing him areas he should pursue in the near future. It wasn't all simply doing tasks, my mentor taught me and really helped me understand the backbone of graduate work," and "I ... think the internship is an amazing opportunity for any student in my shoes who is uncertain of the steps they want to take after graduation. [The internship] provides you with the information to fit the last few things in during your senior year that will help you be competitive for graduate school and the career world. I am finally taking a serious look into what I want to do next, and am confident that once I decide, I now know how to make it happen!"

Ten students from around the country attended the seven-week program, which ran from June 2 to July 20, 2010. Interns were from Syracuse University, Georgia State University, Ohio Wesleyan University, Berry College, the University of North Carolina, Drake University, the University of Arkansas, and Washington and Lee University. Research projects included topics such as "Discrimination in Rental Housing Markets: Evidence from Craigslist Audits," "Fiscal Federalism as a Means of Preserving the Cohesiveness of Ethnically Fractured Decentralized Nations," and "Point-of-Purchase Messaging and Sugar-Sweetened Beverage Consumption: Evaluation of a Strategy to Reduce Obesity among First-Year University Students." All students turned in a final paper and delivered a 30-minute presentation before their peers and faculty mentors in the last two days of the program. Students also attended AYSPS faculty lectures and weekly seminars; organized roundtable discussions on economic research; visited the Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta, Martin Luther King Jr. Memorial Site and the CDC; and met with faculty and current graduate students in the department.

The intern program received more than 100 applications. Twenty applicants were interviewed and ten offers were made. Seven of the ten interns that participated in the program were female. Two of the interns were African American, one was Hispanic, and one was Asian (of Korean descent). Many graduates of the program have enrolled in top Ph.D. programs in Economics such as Princeton, Minnesota and UNC-Chapel Hill.

**South Africa Study Abroad.** The May 2010 economics study abroad program, South Africa: Its Evolving Socio-Political Economy, was a success. Several students from Georgia State, Spelman College and Morehouse College traveled to South Africa for a two-week study abroad program, under the direction of **Glenwood Ross**.

This was the ninth year of the Economic Studies Abroad in South Africa Program, which began in 2001. This program is designed to follow the spring semester course, The Economy of South Africa. The aim of the Study Abroad Program is to present students with a broad understanding of the workings of the South African economy, its infrastructure, its environment and its governance. Through a series of lectures, in-country discussions with industry and public officials, and site visits, the program participants examine the process of economic and social development, as well as South Africa's role in the global marketplace. The program also addresses South Africa's current socio-economic challenges, such as unemployment, poverty, economic inequality and the AIDS epidemic. In addition, it is designed to introduce the students to cultural traditions and important moments in South African history and political development.

The program started off with a historical overview of South Africa and a pre-departure lecture on the general state of the South African economy. The following two weeks were spent in South Africa. While in South Africa, time was split between the Pretoria/Johannesburg area in Gauteng Province, the industrial center of the country, and the Cape Town area of the Western Cape Province. During the course of the stay, the group attended seven formal lectures and had numerous site visits and cultural/historical experiences. The lectures dealt with various aspects of the economy of South Africa and were presented by the economics faculty at the

University of Pretoria, the director of the Development Policy Research Unit at the University of Cape Town and economic advisor to President Thabo Mbeki, and senior officials at the South African Department of Trade and Industry. This aspect of the study abroad program was particularly rewarding for the students who had taken the spring course. It helped to bring into focus their understanding of the numerous challenges that this resource-rich economy faces.

Tours included visits to Sun City, Shimansky Diamonds, the winelands of Stellenbosch, Franschhoek, and Paarl, the Lesedi Cultural Village, the Cape of Good Hope, penguin colonies at Boulders Beach, and the Pilanesberg Game Reserve. In addition, there were extensive city tours of Pretoria, Soweto, and Cape Town where the group was exposed to much of the history and diverse culture of the country. Particularly interesting were visits to Nkosi's Haven, an AIDS orphanage, where students were confronted with the direct impact of the disease, and to three museums that highlighted the anti-apartheid struggle: the Hector Peterson Memorial Museum, the District Six Museum and the Apartheid Museum. In addition, they had the privilege of visiting the informal settlements in the Langa Township.

The 2011 Program will take place during the Georgia State Maymester.

## PROJECTS

**The Impact of School Lunch Length on Children's Health. (Georgia State University URSA Research Initiation Grant).** Rachana Bhatt, Principal Investigator, (Summer 2010, \$9,500)

**Support for development of new PERS 2002 course called Common Sense Economics. (Koch Charitable Foundation).** Shelby Frost, Principal Investigator. (Fall 2010-Summer 2011, \$10,000)

**Scholarship of Teaching and Learning. (Georgia State's Center for Teaching and Learning's Research Scholars Program).** Shelby Frost, Principal Investigator. (Fall 2010-Summer 2011, \$1,000)

**Supplemental Instruction for principles courses. (Georgia State Provost's Office).** Shelby Frost, Principal Investigator. (Fall 2010-2018, \$24,000)

**Modeling Spatial and Temporal Land Use Patterns in Coastal Georgia. (Georgia Sea Grant.)** Andrew Hanson and Kurt E. Schnier, Principal Investigators. (\$119,133, February 2010-February 2012)

**Proposal to Establish the Atlanta Census Research Data Center. (National Science Foundation SP00010416).** Barry Hirsch, W. Bartley Hildreth, Principal Investigators, with Co-principle Investigators Julie Hotchkiss (FRBA), Paula Stephan (GSU), and James Singleton (CDC). (October 1, 2010-September 30, 2013, \$300,000)

**Effects of Medicaid Reform on Access to Care, Program Sustainability, and Administrative Efficiency in Idaho and Kentucky. (Robert Wood Johnson Foundation through the Urban Institute).** James Marton, Principal Investigator. (May 2007-March 2010, \$61,098)

**An Empirical Analysis of Georgia Public Health Funding. (Robert Wood Johnson Foundation).** James Marton, Principal Investigator. (June 30, 2009-July 31, 2010, \$4,382)

**Uptake of Comparative Effective Research: Implications for Discharge Decision. National Institute of Health (NIH).** James C. Cox and John Sweeney, Principle Investigators; Judy Lewis, David McClusky, Marc Overcash, Vjollca Sadiraj, Kurt Schnier, Co-Investigators. (\$1,171,865, September 2010-August 2013)

**Collaborative Research: The Proper Scale of Environmental Markets with Application to Nitrogen Trading in the Neuse River Basin. (National Science Foundation).** Martin Doyle, Andrew Yates and Kurt E. Schnier,

Principal Investigators. (09/09-08/12, \$199,861)

**Bruce Seaman** is one of the co-researchers in a grant from the Mellon Foundation and the Kresge Foundation to study “Overbuilding in the Arts Sector,” in cooperation with the Cultural Policy Center, Harris School of Public Policy, University of Chicago, and the National Opinion Research Center (NORC).

**Paula Stephan** had funding during the 2009-2010 academic year from the Andrew W. Mellon Foundation and the Alfred P. Sloan Foundation.

**Dynamics of Childhood Obesity. (U.S. Department of Agriculture). Rusty Tchernis**, Principal Investigator. (2010-2012, \$225,000)

**Effects on Childhood Obesity of Participation in Multiple Nutrition Assistance Programs. (U.S. Department of Agriculture). Rusty Tchernis**, Principal Investigator. (2008-2010, \$200,000)

**The Study of Registered Apprenticeship. (Mathematica). Erdal Tekin**, Co-principal investigator. (Nov. 2010-June 2011, \$10,000)

**Joint Contributions of the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program and Unemployment Insurance to the Nation’s Social Safety. (U.S. Department of Agriculture, Economic Research Service). Erdal Tekin**, Co-principal investigator. (April 2010-April 2012, \$100,000)

**Food Stamps and the Working Poor. (W.E. Upjohn Institute for Employment Research). Erdal Tekin**, Co-principal investigator. (September 2007-September 2011, \$75,000)

**Annual Meeting on the Economics of Risky Behaviors. (Institute for the Study of Labor). Erdal Tekin**, Co-investigator. (March 2010, \$35,000)

**The impacts of adopting the euro in Bulgaria. (NCEEER, U.S. Department of State). Neven Valev**, Principal investigator. (June 2010-October 2012, \$27,000)

**The impacts of adopting the euro in Bulgaria. (IREX, U.S. Department of State). Neven Valev**, Principal investigator. (2010-July 2011, \$18,000)

**International University of Grand Bassam. (Government of Cote d’Ivoire). Sally Wallace**, Co-investigator. (June 1, 2009-August 1, 2010, \$230,000)

## SUBMITTED/UNFUNDED PROJECTS

**Interdependencies Between Academic Learning and In-School Crime. (National Center for Education Research, Institute of Education Sciences). Rachana Bhatt**. Submitted Summer 2010.

**Competition in the Nonprofit Sector. (NSF). Bruce Seaman**, Co-investigator, proposal formally submitted in January 2011, but essentially completed during 2010.

**Bruce Seaman** initiated contact in 2010 with the Barrocas Group regarding a research proposal to be operated through the Georgia State University Research Foundation, with funding of \$15,000 expected to be applicable to Summer 2011.

In collaboration with Assistant Professor Andrew Hanson, began work in 2010 with CC Imports Inc., regarding a research project to be operated through the Georgia State University Research Foundation. If funded, this project should be completed during 2011.

**Child Care Subsidies and Child Development. (NIH). Erdal Tekin**, Principal Investigator. (September 2010-September 2012, \$425,000), rejected.

**Financial Management in Ethiopia. (World Bank). Sally Wallace**, Co-principal investigator. (Q3 2011-Q4 2011, \$300,000) submitted but not reviewed.

## WORKING PAPERS

### Roy Bahl

- (with Richard Bird). *Fiscal Decentralization*, co-authored book in progress.
- (with Johannes Linn and Deborah Wetzel). Editors. *Urban Public Finance in Developing Countries*, book in progress.
- “Financing local governments in metropolitan areas,” chapter of a forthcoming book, in progress.

### James C. Cox

- (with Duncan James), “Arms or Legs: Isomorphic Dutch Auctions and Centipede Games.”
- and Vjollca Sadiraj, “Direct tests of Individual Preferences for Efficiency and Equity.”
- and Vjollca Sadiraj, “On the Coefficient of Variation as a Criterion for Decision under Risk.”
- and Vjollca Sadiraj (with Bodo Vogt and Utteeyo Dasgupta), “Is There a Plausible Theory for Decision under Risk? A Dual Calibration Critique.”
- (with Daniel T. Hall), “Trust with Private and Common Property: Effects of Stronger Property Right Entitlements.”

### Paul J. Ferraro

- Adrison, Vid, Paul J Ferraro, Sarah Jacobson. “The effect of penalties on environmental regulatory compliance with imperfect enforcement,” Working Paper, Department of Economics.
- Andam, Kwaw, Paul J Ferraro, and Merlin Hanauer. “Measuring the effectiveness of protected area networks in encouraging reforestation.” Working Paper, Department of Economics.
- Andam, Kwaw, Paul J Ferraro. “Effect of race on married women’s retirement planning,” Working Paper, Department of Economics.
- Arriagada, Rodrigo, Paul J Ferraro, Subhrendu Pattanayak, R, Erin Sills, Sylvia Cordero. “Do payments for environmental services reduce deforestation? A farm-level evaluation from Costa Rica,” Working Paper, Department of Economics.
- Arriagada, Paul J Ferraro, S Pattanayak, R, and E Sills. “Do payments for environmental services make participants better off? A household impact evaluation from Costa Rica,” Working Paper, Department of Economics.
- Castillo, Marco, Paul J Ferraro, Jeffrey Jordan, Ragan Petrie. “The today and tomorrow of kids: discount rates among adolescents,” Working Paper, Department of Economics.
- Ferraro, Paul J. “Evaluating the effectiveness of conservation policies and programs,” Invited chapter for *Encyclopedia of Biodiversity*, 2nd Edition (S. Levin, ed.), Working Paper, Department of Economics.
- Ferraro, Paul J and Merlin Hanauer. “Causal mechanisms of protected area impacts,” Working Paper, Department of Economics.
- Ferraro, Paul J, Michael Price. “Using non-pecuniary strategies to influence behavior: evidence from a large-scale field experiment,” Working Paper, Department of Economics.

- Ferraro, Paul J and Juan Jose Miranda Montero. “Comparing experimental and non-experimental evaluation designs using a large-scale randomized experiment in environmental policy,” Working Paper, Department of Economics.
- Ferraro, Paul J, Juan Jose Miranda Montero. “Heterogeneous treatment effects from non-pecuniary, information-based policies: evidence from a large-scale field experiment,” Working Paper, Department of Economics.
- Ferraro, Paul J, Juan Jose Miranda Montero [PhD candidate, Economics], Michael Price. “Long-term treatment effects of norm-based policy instruments: evidence from a randomized environmental policy experiment,” Working Paper, Department of Economics.
- Jindal, Rohit, Paul J Ferraro, John Kerr. “Contracting for environmental services,” Invited chapter for *Encyclopedia of Energy, Natural Resource and Environmental Economics* (J. Shogren, ed.). Working Paper, Department of Economics.
- Jindal, Rohit, Paul J Ferraro, John Kerr, Brent Swallow. “Estimating ‘payment’ in payments for environmental services: Results from field auctions in the Uluguru Mountains, Tanzania,” Working Paper, Department of Economics.
- Pressey, Bob, Madeleine Botrill, Paul J Ferraro, Valerie Kapos, M Obersteiner, and A Pfaff. “The mismeasure of conservation.” Working Paper, Department of Economics.
- Zimsky, Mark and Paul J Ferraro. “Biodiversity and the Global Environment Facility.” Invited chapter for *Encyclopedia of Biodiversity*, Second Edition (S. Levin, ed.) Working Paper, Department of Economics.
- Zimsky, Mark, Paul J Ferraro, Flavian Mupemo, Johan Robinson, and Nik Sekhran. 2010. “Results of the GEF Biodiversity Portfolio Monitoring and Learning Review Mission, Zambia: Enhancing outcomes and impact through improved understanding of protected area management effectiveness.” Global Environment Facility-Secretariat, Washington, D.C.

### **Shiferaw Gurm**

- “Illness and Treatment Choice in Urban and Rural Ethiopia,” with Solomon Tesfay Tesfu.
- “TANF Duration: Evidence from Repeated Spell Data,” with William J. Smith.
- “Semiparametric Bayesian Inference for Count Data Models with Excess of Zeros and Covariate-dependent random effects,” with Getachew A. Dagne.
- “Estimation of Multinomial Logit Models with Sample Selection Using Stata,” with Rafal Raciborski.
- “Alcohol Consumption and Retirement Outcomes: Evidence from the Health and Retirement Survey,” with Eric Sarpong.
- “Publishing and Patenting in Universities: The Role of Personal and Employment related Characteristics,” with Grant Black and Paula Stephan.
- “Bayesian Analysis of Zero-inflated Ordinal Panel Data Models,” with Getachew A. Dagne.

### **Barry T. Hirsch**

- “Earnings Differences among Proxies and Self-Respondents in the Current Population Survey” (with Christopher Bollinger), first draft, 2009.
- “Teacher Salaries, State Collective Bargaining Laws, and Union Coverage” (with David Macpherson and John Winters), first draft, June 2010.
- “Channels of Labor Market Adjustment: Analysis of the 2007-2009 Federal Minimum Wage Increases,” November 2010 (with Bruce Kaufman and Tetyana Zelenska), first draft.

- “Union Statistics,” in *Oxford Companion to United States History*, 3<sup>rd</sup> edition, Oxford University Press, editors Melvyn Dubofsky (lead), Gerald Friedman, and Joseph McCartin, in preparation.
- “Teaching and Learning Labor Economics,” in *International Handbook on Teaching and Learning Economics*, editors KimMarie McGoldrick and Gail M. Hoyt, in preparation.
- “Does the Law of One (Real) Wage Hold?” (with John Winters).

### **Julie L. Hotchkiss**

- Graham, Mary E. and Julie L. Hotchkiss. “Company Structure and the Proportion of Women in Management: A Multilevel Study.”
- Graham, Mary E. and Julie L. Hotchkiss. “Symbol or Substance? HR Executive Status and the Proportions of Women Managers.”
- Hotchkiss, Julie L.; M. Melinda Pitts; and Mary Beth Walker. “The Labor Market Effects of Being a Stay-at-home Mom.”
- Hotchkiss, Julie L. and Myriam Quispe-Agnoli. “The Wage Impact of Undocumented Workers.”
- Armour, Brian S.; M. Melinda Pitts; and Julie L. Hotchkiss. “When Does the Labor Market Consider You a Smoker?”
- Hotchkiss, Julie L. and Robert E. Moore. “Impact of Trade Policy on Employment in Georgia.”
- Brown, J. David; Serife Genc; Julie L. Hotchkiss; and Myriam Quispe-Agnoli. “Undocumented Workers’ Employment Across the U.S. Business Cycle.”

### **Bruce Kaufman**

- *Unity and Diversity: The Development and Current Status of Human Resource Management Across Nations* (Edward Elgar, accepted and forthcoming).
- *Voice and Involvement at Work: International Experience with Non-Union Employee Representation* (Routledge, accepted and forthcoming).

### **James H. Marton**

- James H. Marton, Angela Snyder, and Mei Zhou. “Enhanced Citizenship Verification and Children’s Medicaid Coverage,” working paper.
- James H. Marton, Genevieve M. Kenney, Ariel Klein, Jennifer E. Pelletier, and Jeffery C. Talbert. “The Effects of Medicaid Policy Changes on Adults’ Service Use Patterns in Kentucky and Idaho,” working paper.
- (with Marco A. Castaneda). “Employer Provided Health Insurance and the Adverse Selection Problem,” *The Journal of Public Economic Theory*, working paper.
- (with Stephen A. Woodbury). “The Influence of Retiree Health Benefits on Retirement Patterns,” *Public Finance Review*, revise and resubmit.
- (with Jeff C. Talbert and Aaron Yelowitz). “A Tale of Two Cities? The Heterogeneous Impact of Medicaid Managed Care in Kentucky,” working paper.
- James H. Marton, Karen Minyard and Chris Parker (with Peggy Honore). “Does More Public Health Spending Buy Better Health Outcomes?” working paper.

### **Mark Rider**

- With Robert M. McNabb and Kent Wall. “Are OMB’s Revenue Forecasting Errors Just Noise?” working paper.
- With Yinghua Jin. “A Comparative Study of Decentralization, Equalization, and Growth in

China and India,” working paper.

- With Robert Carroll and David Joulfaian. “Income Mobility: The Recent American Experience,” working paper.
- With Abdullah Khan. “The Impact of Globalization on Agglomeration: The Case of U.S. Manufacturing Employment from 1988 to 2003,” working paper.
- With Robina Aher. “Pakistan’s Tax Gap: Methodology and Estimates by Type of Tax,” working paper.

### **Felix K. Rioja**

- and Neven Valev (with Thorsten Beck and Berrak Buyyukarabacak). “The Determinants of Household and Firm Credit,” working paper.
- and Neven Valev. “The Long Run Effect of Banking Crises on Investment,” working paper.
- (with Antonio Saravia and Carlos Gustavo Machicado). “The Role of Agricultural Productivity in Latin American Development,” working paper.

### **Jonathan Rork**

- Donald Bruce, Jonathan Rork, and Gary A. Wagner. “State Income Tax Reciprocity Agreements and Small Business,” working paper.
- Jonathan Rork and Gary A. Wagner. “The Role of Reciprocity in Interstate Commuting,” working paper.
- Jonathan Rork and Laura Wheeler. “The Effect of State Conformity to the Federal Bonus Depreciation and 179 Expensing Provisions,” working paper.
- Jonathan Rork and Karen Smith Conway. “The Evolution of State Income Tax Preferences for the Elderly: Intelligent Design?” working paper.
- Jonathan Rork and Timothy C. Ford. “Blessings and Curses: A Spatial Analysis of the Spillover Impacts in the United States,” working paper.

### **Vjollca Sadiraj**

- Vjollca Sadiraj (with R. Bosman, P. Maier and F. van Winden). “Let Me Vote! An experimental study of vote rotation in committees.”
- Vjollca Sadiraj (with J. Tuinstra and F. van Winden). “On the size of the winning set in the presence of interest groups.”
- James C. Cox and Vjollca Sadiraj (with U. Schmidt). “Paradoxes and Mechanisms for Choice under Risk.”
- James C. Cox and Vjollca Sadiraj. “Revealed Altruism Without Independence of Irrelevant Alternatives.”

### **Antonio V. Saravia**

- with Gustavo Canavire-Bacarreza. “Intellectual Property Rights, Foreign Direct Investment, and the Informal Economy,” working paper.
- Carlos Machicado, Felix Rioja and Antonio Saravia. “The Role of Agricultural Productivity in Latin American Development,” Department of Economics, AYSPS, 2010.

### **Kurt Schnier**

- Schnier, K.E., Hicks, R.L., Adams, C. and S. Larkin. “A Dynamic Model of Intra-Annual Species

Selection in Fisheries,” in progress.

- Schnier, K.E. “Estimating Heterogeneous Alternative Specific Constants: An Application to Regional Delivery Requirements in Fisheries.” In progress.
- Schnier, K.E. and R.G. Felthoven. “Informational Networks in Fisheries: The Case of the Cooperative.” In progress.
- Schnier, K.E. and R.G. Felthoven. “Hierarchical Rights and Regional Delivery Impacts in Rights-Based Fisheries.” In progress.
- Bhattacharjee, A., Hicks, R.L. and K.E. Schnier. “Uncovering Clubs and Congestion Effects: Some Monte Carlo Evidence.” In progress.
- Balthrop, A. and K.E. Schnier. “Spatial Spillovers in Oil Production.” In progress.
- Schnier, K.E. and R.G. Felthoven. “Dynamic Discrete Choice Modeling in Fisheries: Temporal and Spatial Management in the Atka Mackerel Fishery.” In progress.
- Horrace, W.C. and K.E. Schnier. “Selection Procedures for Policy Analysis: Fishery Capacity Utilization and Risk.” In progress.
- Brasington, D., Flores-Lagunes, A. and K.E. Schnier. “A Spatial Sample Selection Model of Housing Prices.” In progress.
- Schnier, K.E. “Framing Effects and the Common Pool Resource Mechanism.” In progress.

#### **Bruce Seaman**

- Bruce Seaman, Dennis Young, Amanda Wilsker,\* Lewis Faulk\*, and Nicholas Harvey\*. “Concentration, Competition and Collaboration in the U.S. Nonprofit Sector: Implications for Efficiency and Public Policy.” Working paper
- Bruce Seaman and Harvey Newman, 2010. “Agglomeration Economies and Downtown Tourism Sites.” Working paper.
- Seaman, Bruce (2009). “The Relationship Among Regional Economic Impact Models: Cultural and Environmental Assets.” Pending for submission to an environmental journal or to *Economic Development Quarterly*, or *Journal of Regional Science*.

#### **David L. Sjoquist**

- “The Effect of Insurance Premium Taxes on Employment” (with Martin Grace and Laura Wheeler)
- “Economic and Welfare Effect of Replacing the Property Tax in Georgia” (with John Winters)
- “The Effect of HOPE Scholarships on Post-graduation Retention” (with John Winters)
- “The Flypaper Effect: An Experimental Approach” (with James Alm)
- “The Welfare Effect of Land Value Tax in the Presence of Large Lot Zoning (with Ki-Whan Choi)
- “The Economic and Spatial Effects of Land Value Tax in Urban Areas (with Ki-Whan Choi)
- “Spatial Mismatch and Social Capital” (with Bulent Anil)
- “The Effect of Congestion on Wage Rates” (with John Matthews)
- “Do State-Funded Property Tax Exemptions Actually Provide Property Tax Relief” (with Spencer Brien)

#### **Paula E. Stephan**

- Paula Stephan (with Wesley Cohen and Henry Sauermann). “Complicating Merton: The Motives, Incentives, and Commercial Activities of Academic Scientists and Engineers.”
- Paula Stephan (with Sharon Levin, Wolfgang Glanzel and Anne Winkler). “The Diffusion of

Information Technology in the United States and Its Impact on Social Science Research across Institutions of Higher Education.”

### **Rusty Tchernis**

- Sandy R., Tchernis R., Ottensmann J., Wilson J., and G., Liu. “Effects of the Built Environment on Childhood Obesity: the Case of Urban Recreation Trails and Crime.”

### **Neven Valev**

- and Felix Rioja (with Thorsten Beck and Berrak Buyukkarabacak). “The Determinants of the Composition of Private Credit,” working paper.
- and Felix Rioja (with Thorsten Beck and Berrak Buyukkarabacak). “The effects of household and firm credit on economic growth and consumption volatility,” working paper.
- and Menna Bizuneh. “Inflation Uncertainty and the Decision to Devalue,” working paper.

### **Yongsheng Xu**

- and Wenhui Huo, “On cross-border merger and acquisition under regulatory constraints,” working paper.
- and Hanji We, “The Kalai-Smorodinsky solution to finite bargaining problems,” working paper.
- and Prasanta K. Pattanaik, “Choice, internal consistency, and rationality,” working paper.

## **VISITORS AND PRESENTATIONS**

The Economics Department was pleased to host a variety of speakers during 2010.

*Economics, Applied Econometrics, Experimental Economics & Microeconomics Seminar Series and Workshops:*

February 12, 2010

**Bart Wilson** (Chapman University) presented “An Experimental Economic History of Whalers’ Rules of Capture,” by Bart Wilson, Taylor Jaworski, Karl Schurter and Andrew Smyth.

March 19, 2010

**Justin E. Esarey** (Emory University) presented “A Formal Test of Substantive Significance.”

March 26, 2010

**Alexander Gelber** (Wharton School of the University of Pennsylvania) presented “Taxes and Time Allocation: Evidence from Single Women.”

April 16, 2010

**Petra Todd** (University of Pennsylvania) presented “Effects of School Reform on Education and Labor Market Performance: Evidence from Chile’s Universal Voucher System.”

April 23, 2010

**Peter S. Heller** presented “Connecting the Dots of a Global Economic Crisis and Coming Demographic Change: Implications for Development Policy.”

September 17, 2010

**Tim Sass** (Florida State University) presented “What Makes for a Good Teacher and Who Can Tell?”

October 1, 2010

**Aaron Yelowitz** presented “A Tale of Two Cities? The Heterogeneous Impact of Medicaid Managed Care in Kentucky.”

October 15, 2010

**Satanu Chatterjee** (University of Georgia) presented “The Distributional Consequences of Government Spending.”

October 29, 2010

**Peter Wakker** (Economic Institute, Erasmus University, Rotterdam, Netherlands, and the Department of Quantitative Economics, Maastricht University, Netherlands) presented “The Impact of Experiments on the Economic Thinking about Risk Aversion and Preferences.”

November 2, 2010

**Xuejuan Su** (Emory University) presented “Raising Rivals’ Costs Under Open-Access Regulation: Theory and Empirical Evidence From the U.S. Electricity Wholesale Market.”

November 5, 2010

**Ian M. Schmutte** (University of Georgia, Athens) presented “Job Referral Networks and the Determination of Earnings in Local Labor Markets.”

November 15, 2010

Speakers from the U.S. State Department discussed career opportunities within the State Department, then followed with a panel discussion on current events and their impact on the economies of Latin America.

November 16, 2010

**Jacques Thisse** (Université Catholique de Louvain) presented “Are Compact Cities Environmentally Friendly?”

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC MANAGEMENT AND POLICY

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*The Department of Public Management and Policy (PMAP) is ideally positioned for collaborative and interdisciplinary enrichment through its affiliation with the Andrew Young School's other research components. Its faculty, staff, and graduate students are actively engaged in research and public service projects that inform public policy and enhance the quality and effectiveness of policy implementation and evaluation in the United States as well as internationally. Academic programs are listed in the Academics section. PMAP faculty are very active in the Centers and Programs of the Andrew Young School of Policy Studies. In addition to work found in those sections, and to publications listed in the Papers, Books and Chapters: Published or Forthcoming section, various other projects are listed below. **Harvey K. Newman is the Chair of Public Management and Policy.***

### HIGHLIGHTS

- PMAP further enhanced its student support services, continuing events such as the Graduate Student Orientation Program and a series of career development activities such as a federal government career fair and a nonprofit sector career event.
- Student enrollment in the Bachelor of Science in Public Policy degree program continued to grow. There are more than 200 students majoring in Public Policy and new students taking advantage of the three new minors within the Department. Among the important core courses in the degree, PMAP 3021: Citizenship, the Community, and the Public Service, and PMAP 3031: Policy Leadership are popular with undergraduate students.
- New minors were approved, including Nonprofit Leadership, Planning and Economic Development, and Public Policy.
- PMAP offered its inaugural Freshmen Learning Community program to incoming freshmen, entitled "Making a Difference: Public and Nonprofit Leadership."
- Enrollment in the undergraduate and masters-level degree programs continued to grow during 2010. There were also increases in credit hours generated by students in PMAP courses.
- The University System of Georgia's Board of Regents approved the proposal for a Ph.D. Program in Public Policy offered by PMAP, in addition to the continuation of the Joint Ph.D. Program in Public Policy with the School of Public Policy at Georgia Tech.
- The Atlanta Committee for Progress formed a partnership with the AYSPS that produced seven City of Atlanta Case Studies. The materials gathered by the research team helped to inform the policy debate during the fall 2009 city elections and has already been used in MPA classes. The Atlanta Case Studies series is being posted on the AYSPS website and turned over to the University Library for a permanent archive.
- The American Humanics Nonprofit Leadership Student Organization within the PMAP department was awarded ten NextGen Scholarships from the national association, totaling \$45,000.

### PROGRAMS AND ACTIVITIES

**Faculty Recruitment.** The department welcomes new faculty members Jesse Lecy, Assistant Professor, and Michael Bell, Professor of Practice. **Jesse Lecy** earned his doctorate from Syracuse University, and is also a research fellow with the Transnational NGO Initiative at Syracuse. His research focuses on understanding how nonprofits compete for resources and the effects of competition on organizational survival and performance. Some of his specialties include the economics of nonprofits, organizational

ecology, and household poverty. Prior to graduate school, Jesse worked in the field of humanitarian relief in Kosovo and with a social service nonprofit in the Twin Cities. **Michael Bell** earned his advanced degrees in Public Administration, with emphasis on public finance, from the University of Georgia. He has previously served as the Chief Financial Officer for DeKalb County, Ga., and the City of Atlanta, and served as the financial administrator of the City's Aviation Department during the airport's Midfield Project expansion.

**Faculty Return from Leave.** After three years' leave, the PMAP Department welcomed the return of Professor **Carolyn Bourdeaux**. While on leave, Professor Bourdeaux served as Director of the State of Georgia, Senate Office of Budget and Program Evaluation.

**Nonprofit Programs.** The Nonprofit Studies Program (NSP) was created "to educate the next generation of nonprofit leaders, to foster research on the nonprofit sector, and to bridge theory and practice in the creation and dissemination of knowledge." Atlanta has one of the fastest-growing nonprofit sectors in the United States, providing an ideal location in which to study this sector's growing influence and challenges. The NSP tackles major issues facing the nonprofit sector, including the impact of technology changes, shifting demographics, global influences and the sector's increasing linkages to the private and government sectors, through a combination of rigorous academic study, critical research and influential community partnerships.

Faculty members involved with the NSP include recognized experts in areas of nonprofit policy analysis, the economics of the nonprofit sector, nonprofit finance and resource development, nonprofit labor markets, public-private partnerships, philanthropy and international NGOs. The department offers a specialization in nonprofit management in the MPA degree and a specialization in nonprofit and civic leadership in the M.S. in Urban Policy Studies degree program, as well as a 12-credit hour Graduate Certificate in Nonprofit Management.

The department offers several academic programs in partnership with the Nonprofit Studies Program, including:

- The new Ph.D. in Public Policy featuring a specialization in Public and Nonprofit Management
- Joint Ph.D. in Public Policy features a specialization in Public and Nonprofit Management
- Master of Public Administration (MPA)—Nonprofit Management concentration
- Master of Public Policy (MPP)—concentration in Nonprofit Policy
- Graduate Certificate in Nonprofit Management
- Bachelor's of Science in Public Policy—Nonprofit Leadership concentration
- Nonprofit Leadership Alliance certificate
- Dual Degree Program with the University of Barcelona
- Executive Leadership Program in Nonprofit Organizations

For more about this leading-edge center for research and professional education in the nonprofit field, see the *Nonprofit Studies Program* section of this report.

**AYS Stand-Alone Ph.D. Program.** The PMAP Department received approval from the Board of Regents for its own, independent Ph.D. Program in Public Policy. Advertising and recruitment began to enroll the first class for fall semester 2011. **Gregory B. Lewis coordinates the new Ph.D. Program in Public Policy.**

**Joint Ph.D. Program.** The joint Georgia State University-Georgia Institute of Technology doctoral program in public policy graduated two Ph.D.s in 2010, Charles K. Fortner and Juan L. Gomez.

Four excellent new students entered the joint doctoral program in 2010, Choony Kim (South Korea), Christian King (France), Obed Pasha (Pakistan), and Min Su (China). Policy doctoral students' numerous accomplishments are listed in the *Graduate Students* section. **Gregory B. Lewis coordinates the Joint Ph.D. Program.**

**The Public Performance and Management Group.** The Public Performance and Management Group (PPM) of the Andrew Young School is committed to promoting state-of-the-art management practices in the public sectors, to advancing both the efficiency and effectiveness of program and financial operations of public agencies, and to supporting the professional, democratic and ethical administration of government in the United States and around the world. Faculty involved in PPM activities include: **William Kahnweiler, Theodore H. Poister, Gregory Streib, William W. Waugh Jr., and Katherine G. Willoughby.**

**Service-Learning in the Atlanta Community.** During 2010, more than 165 students enrolled in PMAP 3021, Citizenship, the Community and the Public Service. Each of these students completed 40 hours in a service-learning project at a public or nonprofit organization in the Atlanta area. This represents more than 6,600 hours of time contributed as volunteers within the community. In addition to the service-learning experience, students in the course developed skills as citizens who are able to influence policy decisions within their local government.

## INTERNSHIPS

We had 150 students conducting internships in 2010. The overwhelming majority of these students were from the Department of Public Management and Policy (PMAP), but we also draw students from a range of other departments across the University. Undergraduates are required to complete 200 hours of supervised work, and all students in our professional master's degrees complete 300 hours of work for internship credit. Students must also complete a number of other assignments in order to receive credit for our internship courses, including making a presentation about their work accomplishments to other students and producing a written report that describes and evaluates their experience. The resulting effort that flows out into the community from the PMAP internship program is roughly 30,000 hours of community service and engagement.

As for what they do, the two winners of our best internship paper award this year demonstrate both the value and the diversity of PMAP internship work. Graduate student Kris Lugo interned in Washington, D.C., with the International Justice Mission and volunteered for three weeks at The Women's Foundation in Nepal. Tyler Edwards worked with the United States Secret Service at their field office in downtown Atlanta. Both of these students have choices to make about their next steps, but they leave PMAP with valuable experience and exceptional professional accomplishments. Other internship sites of our students this year include:

### Local Governments

- Bureau of Planning, City of Atlanta, Georgia
- Bureau of Cultural Affairs, City of Atlanta, Georgia
- City of Douglasville, Georgia
- Georgia Office of Homeland Security
- The Zeist Foundation: Mayson Avenue Cooperative
- DeKalb County Board of Health
- City of Kennesaw, Georgia
- Fulton County Office of Aging

## State and Federal Governments

- MARTA
- Georgia Council of International Visitors
- Georgia Transit Association
- Georgia Governor's Office of Planning and Budget
- Georgia Senate Budget Office
- CDC Public Health Law Program
- The U.S. Secret Service
- Federal Transit Administration
- UZ Commission on Civil Rights

## Nonprofits

- Marcus Jewish Community Center
- Village Vitals
- Georgia Center for Oncology Research & Education
- American Cancer Society
- The Nature Conservancy
- United Way
- Georgia Public Broadcasting
- The Carter Center
- St. Vincent de Paul
- Georgia Latino Alliance
- Georgia Council on Aging

## Other Countries

- Voluntario Global, Buenos Aires, Argentina
- The Women's Foundation of Nepal

Our students are very happy with their internship experiences, as indicated by the “very satisfied” ranking given by 66 percent of those students successfully completing the course requirements this year. Fewer than 2 percent indicated disappointment with their internship experience. Students are also very pleased with the materials we provide to guide them through their internships. Forty percent of the interns rated our materials as excellent, and 45 percent rated these materials as good.

## PROJECTS

**A Strategic Project For Research In China And Japan—Non-Profit and Non-government Organization in East Asia. (Office of International Affairs). Janelle A. Kerlin, Co-principal Investigator. (August 3, 2010-June 30, 2011, \$10,250)**

**City of Atlanta Case Study Series Project. (Atlanta Committee for Progress). Harvey Newman and David Sjoquist, Fiscal Research Center (an additional \$76,093 for the project; \$21,000 had been previously awarded)**

**New York State's Charter School Program: Regulations, Funding and Fiscal Impacts. (New York**

**State Education Research Finance Consortium).** Cynthia Searcy, Co-principal Investigator. (October 15, 2010-October 15, 2011, \$26,000)

**Multi-Organizational Collaborative Leadership. (Center for Natural Disasters, Coastal Infrastructure, and Emergency Management (DHS Center of Excellence), University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill).** William L. Waugh, Jr., Co-principal Investigator with Tricia Wachtendorf, Disaster Research Center, University of Delaware. (2009-2011, \$159,627)

**Risk-Based Planning. (Center for Natural Disasters, Coastal Infrastructure, and Emergency Management (DHS Center of Excellence), University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill).** William L. Waugh, Jr., Principal Investigator. (2008-10, \$89,277)

**Public Administration and Emergency Management (Course revision). (Federal Emergency Management Agency, Emergency Management Institute).** William L. Waugh, Jr., Principal Investigator. (2007-2010, \$40,000)

**The Principles of Emergency Management. (Federal Emergency Management Agency/DHS, Emergency Management Institute).** William L. Waugh, Jr., lead course developer with Lucien Canton and David McEntire. (2007-, \$60,000)

#### SUBMITTED/UNFUNDED PROPOSALS

**Planning for the Future of the Tourism and Hospitality Industry in Cobb County. (Cobb County Convention and Visitor's Bureau).** Cathy Yang Liu, Co-principal investigator. Not funded.

**The Representation of Immigrants in Federal, State and Local Government Workforce. (Russell Sage Foundation).** Cathy Yang Liu and Gregory B. Lewis, Co-principal investigators. Not funded.

**Undergraduate Research Experiences in Economics and Policy. (National Science Foundation).** Cynthia Searcy, Consultant. (August 2010-August 2013, \$276,351), submitted.

**Assessing Charter School Financial Management Practices: An Empirical Investigation to Address the Knowledge Gaps in Charter School Finance. (Institute for Educational Science).** Cynthia Searcy, Consultant. Not funded.

**The Financial Health of Georgia's Charter Schools: Uniform Reporting for Financial Analysis. (URSA Faculty Mentor Grant Program).** Cynthia Searcy, Co-principal Investigator. (Summer 2010-Summer 2011, \$11,000)

**Planning for the Future of the Tourism and Hospitality Industry in Cobb County: A Research Proposal Prepared for the Cobb County Convention and Visitors Bureau. (Cobb County Convention and Visitors Bureau).** John Thomas, Co-principal Investigator. Rejected.

#### WORKING PAPERS

##### Michael Bell

- "311 as an Efficiency Enhancement at the Local Level: A Case Study of DeKalb County," PMAP, by Greg Streib and Michael Bell.

##### Carolyn Bourdeaux

- Bourdeaux, Carolyn, Peter Bluestone and David Sjoquist. "Criteria for Expanding the Sales Tax

Base: Services and Exemptions” Fiscal Research Center, working paper

- Bourdeaux, Carolyn. “Dimensions of Legislative Budgetary Control”

### **Carol Hansen**

- “Social Development: The role of OD,” working paper.

### **W. Bartley Hildreth**

- Carolyn Bourdeaux and W. Bartley Hildreth, “State Budget Execution and the Great Recession”
- W. Bartley Hildreth (with Robert S. Kravchuk and Christine R. Martell), “Fiscal Federalism Implications of Changes in the Municipal Bond Market”
- W. Bartley Hildreth (with Gonul Colak), “The Preferred Habitat Patterns of Holders of Subnational Debt”

### **William Kahnweiler**

- Sole-authored manuscript being prepared for refereed journal on enhancing the professional stature of Human Resource Development.

### **Janelle Kerlin**

- “Explaining the Use of Commercial Revenue Surplus in Nonprofit Organizations,” working paper.
- “Partnership and contracting by the third sector: A cross national comparison and analysis of the partnership phenomena,” with Carmen Parra and Alex J. Murdock, working paper.
- “External Events and Trends in INGO Financing: Implications for Policy,” working paper.

### **Jesse Lecy**

- Margaret Hermann, Jesse Lecy, George Mitchell, Christiane Page, Paloma Raggio, Hans Peter Schmitz, and Lorena Vnuela. “Transnational NGOs: A Cross-Sectoral Analysis of Leadership Perspectives.” A white paper for the Transnational NGO Initiative, Syracuse University.

### **Gregory B. Lewis**

- “Turnover, Hiring, and the Changing Face of the Federal Service.”
- “The Representation of Immigrants in Federal, State, and Local Government Work Forces.” With Cathy Yang Liu.
- “Party Identification and Support for Torture?” With Jonathan Miller.
- “The Role of Cohort Replacement in Rising Support for Lesbian and Gay Rights.” With Jason Edwards.
- “The Rights of Veterans and the Impact of Veterans’ Preference on Minorities and the Federal Civil Service.”
- “Sexual Orientation, Altruism, and Preference for Public and Nonprofit Sector Employment.” With Ed Ng.

### **Harvey K. Newman**

- “City of Atlanta Case Study Series,” eight case studies of policy issues facing city government during the past ten years, produced in partnership with the Atlanta Committee for Progress and the Fiscal Research Center, Andrew Young School of Policy Studies, 2009-10. These were

accompanied by technical reports on each topic with fuller descriptions of each policy issue and resources used to develop the Case Studies. The Case Studies were:

- Harvey K. Newman and Sanchita Sarkar, “City of Atlanta Business Model Case Study”
- Harvey K. Newman and Ife French, “City Government Talent Case Study”
- Harvey K. Newman and Joy Woodson, “Decreasing Crime Case Study”
- Harvey K. Newman and Janelle Jolley, “Economic Development Case Study”
- Harvey K. Newman and Jeremy Greenup, “Ethics Case Study”
- Harvey K. Newman and Cameron Jones, “New Efficiencies Case Study”
- Harvey K. Newman and Jeremy Greenup, “Engaging the Private Sector Case Study”
- Harvey K. Newman and Tim N. Todd, “Watershed Management Case Study”

### **Theodore Poister**

- “The Impact of Strategic Planning on Performance in Local Public Transit Agencies.” With Lauren Hamilton Edwards and Jason Edwards.

### **Christine H. Roch**

- Nevbahar Ertas and Christine Heike Roch. “Charters Schools, Equity, and Student Enrollments: The Role of For-profit Educational Management Organizations,” working paper.
- (with David Pitts). “Ethnic Representation and Student Discipline in Public Schools,” working paper.
- (with Robert Howard). “The Diffusion of the Constitution: Emulation and Adoption of State Court Ordered Education Finance Reform,” working paper.

### **Cynthia Searcy**

- And So Young Park\*. “Holding Schools Accountable: Financial Reporting and Monitoring of Charter Schools in the United States,” working paper.
- And Courtney M. Raeford\*. “Opportunities for Physical Activity at School for Adolescents Living in Distressed Urban Areas in the United States,” working paper.
- (with Beth C. Weitzman). “Contribution of the School Environment to Healthy Behaviors in Adolescents,” working paper.
- (with Beth C. Weitzman). “Are Eating and Exercise Behaviors at School Related to Weight Outcomes for Urban Adolescents?” working paper.
- (with Beth C. Weitzman). “Are Adolescent Eating and Exercise Behaviors at School Related to Weight?” working paper.

### **Katherine Willoughby**

- “Riding the Economic Cycle: The Influence of Performance Budgeting and Management for State Fiscal Health.” (with Yi Lu).
- “State Budget Balancing Strategies: Riding into the Future on Lessons Learned from the Past.” (with Marilyn Rubin).
- “Bringing in the Money: Measuring Performance of State Departments of Revenue.” (with Marilyn Rubin).

## SEMINARS AND EVENTS

*Including public policy and nonprofit studies events.*

January 29, 2010

*PMAP Sponsors Career Series: Taking your Degree “Public”*

Career Opportunities with the Federal Government, featuring Break-out Workshops on How to Navigate USAJOBS.GOV, Writing An Effective Federal Resume & KSAs, and Federal Internship & Fellowship Programs.

February 3, 2010

*PMAP Sponsors: Explore Career Opportunities with the US Department of State*

February 4, 2010

*PMAP Sponsors: Career Information Session with the Congressional Budget Office*

February 26, 2010

*PMAP Sponsors Career Series: Taking your Degree “Public”*

Career Opportunities with Nonprofit Agencies, featuring Break-out Workshops on Job Search Resources for the Nonprofit Sector, Writing An Effective Resume for Nonprofits, and Information Session on AmeriCorps/Vista & Teach For America.

March 25, 2010

*PMAP Seminar Series*

**M.V. Lee Badgett** (Economics, University of Massachusetts, Amherst) presented “When Gay People Get Married: What Happens When Societies Legalize Same-Sex Marriage.”

April 1, 2010

*Brown Bag Seminar Series in Nonprofit Research*

**Fredrik O. Andersson** (UMKC, Midwest Center for Nonprofit Leadership) presented “Nonprofit Entrepreneurial Behavior and Barriers to Organizational Creativity.”

April 13, 2010

*Brown Bag Seminar Series in Nonprofit Research*

**Mindy Wertheimer** (Georgia State University) presented “Building Nonprofit Board Capacity”

April 22, 2010

*Nonprofit Issues Forum*

“Social Enterprise and Social Change: Should Nonprofits Embrace Business?” with featured speaker **Michael Edwards**, author of *Small Change: Why Business Won't Save the World*.

September 10, 2010

**Carolyn Heinrich**, director of the La Follette School of Public Affairs at the University of WI-Madison, gave a presentation on evidence-based policy and performance management.

September 13, 2010

*PMAP Sponsors: Presidential Management Fellows (PMF) Program – Seminar on How to Apply*

September 20, 2010

*PMAP Sponsors: Career Series Workshop entitled “Brown Bag Resume Workshop”*

September 28, 2010

*Brown Bag Seminar Series in Nonprofit Research*

**Harvey K. Newman** gave a presentation on “Building Social Capital through Civic Engagement”

*PMAP Sponsors: Career Panel Presentation on “International Career Options”*

October 5, 2010

*PMAP Sponsors: Undergraduate Career Development Workshop called “What I Wish I Would Have Known – PMAP Graduate Students Offer Their Advice”*

October 14, 2010

*PMAP Sponsors: Career Development Workshop entitled “Social and Professional Networking”*

November 1, 2010

*PMAP Sponsors: Federal Employment 101*

November 3, 2010

*PMAP Sponsors: Explore Career Opportunities with US Department of Labor*

November 8, 2010

*PMAP Sponsors: Government Career & Internship Fair in collaboration with University Career Services*

November 9, 2010

*PMAP Sponsors: Nonprofit Career & Internship Fair in collaboration with University Career Services*

November 18, 2010

**Dr. Guan Xinping** (Dept. of Social Work and Social Policy, Nankai University, China) presented “Poverty and Social Assistance in Contemporary China”

December 7, 2010

**Elizabeth Kiss**, President of Agnes Scott College, discussed Ethics and Nonprofit Governance with a panel of leaders in the public and private sector, including **Joe Arnold** from Suntrust Bank, **Edward Queen** from the Center for Ethics at Emory University, and **Mindy Wertheimer** from the School of Social Work at Georgia State University.

## DOMESTIC PROGRAMS

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*Domestic Programs (DPO) is home to several separate programs and activities, many of which are described in detail elsewhere in this report. Some of these programs link the college with the community. The other activities and projects aim to inform the debate on public policy in the metropolitan Atlanta area, the state of Georgia, and the nation through research and education. The issues addressed include those associated with the structure of urban areas, government tax and expenditure policy, environmental policy, education, program evaluation, social policies, and economic development. Some of the specific topics include the evaluation of pre-K programs, analysis of the transition from welfare to work, studies of teacher retention, a multi-year study of public housing transformation, and studies of the labor market opportunities of low-skilled workers. Domestic Programs also houses Atlanta Census 2000 — a portal that allows easy mapping of census data. Funding comes from a variety of governmental, foundation and business sources. **David L. Sjoquist is the Director of Domestic Programs.***

*Domestic Programs has extensive experience in measuring performance of programs in areas as diverse as education, transportation and information systems. The evaluation and policy analysis projects have included many studies of educational programs. The office's work in analyzing the effects of Georgia's innovative HOPE Scholarship and in evaluating the nation's first universal pre-kindergarten program has brought national attention. Evaluations conducted by the office's staff range from large-scale statewide and national programs to school-based innovations.*

### ACTIVITIES

The **Fiscal Research Center** provides nonpartisan research, technical assistance and education in the evaluation and design of state and local fiscal and economic policy, including both tax and expenditure issues. (See the *Fiscal Research Center* section of this report.)

**AtlantaCensus2000** is a collaborative effort between the Atlanta Regional Commission and the Fiscal Research Center to support a website that provides access to the 1990 and 2000 Censuses of Population and Housing, allows the creation of maps, and contains reports focused on the Atlanta region.

The **Educational Policy Group** provides research and recommendation on issues related to education policy in Georgia.

The **Environmental Economics Group** provides research and recommendation on issues related to environmental policy and regulations regionally, nationally and globally.

The **Georgia Administrative Data Project** involves the development of a database built on the unemployment insurance records from the Georgia Department of Labor and welfare records for the Georgia Department of Human Resources.

The **Civic League for Regional Atlanta** was founded by the merger of Research Atlanta, the Regional Leadership Forum, and the Metro Group. The Civic League is a metro Atlanta citizen organization dedicated to studying public policy issues confronting the Atlanta region and creating discussions by citizens and leaders about these issues. Although independent, it is housed at the Andrew Young School, which partners with The Civic League.

The **Urban-Regional Policy Group** provides research and recommendations on issues related to urban and regional policy in Georgia.

## PROJECTS

**Kathryn Fuller Science for Nature Fund Visiting Scientist Award. Paul Ferraro.** This project designs economic incentives for achieving conservation goals and evaluates the economic and ecological impacts of conservation programs. This project is funded by the World Wildlife Fund. (\$46,194)

**The Civic League for Regional Atlanta. David Sjoquist.** This program studies public policy issues confronting the Atlanta region. This research program is funded by an endowment from the Metropolitan Atlanta Community Foundation. (\$64,242)

## TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE

The DPO staff provided technical assistance to several government officials and agencies in 2010. These included:

- Atlanta Committee for Progress
- Atlanta Community Foundation
- Georgia Department of Early Care and Learning
- National Bureau of Economic Research
- National Institute for Early Education Research
- North Carolina Disadvantaged Student Supplemental Funding Program
- University of North Carolina
- United Nations Environment Programme
- U.S. Department of Agriculture
- Woodruff Foundation
- World Wildlife Fund

# FISCAL RESEARCH CENTER

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*The Fiscal Research Center (FRC) provides nonpartisan research, technical assistance and education in the evaluation and design of state and local fiscal and economic policy, including both tax and expenditure issues. The FRC mission is to promote the development of sound public policy and public understanding of issues concerning state and local governments. Established in 1995, the program helps provide information to state and local governments so they can make informed decisions about complex fiscal issues. The program has a full-time staff and affiliated faculty from throughout Georgia State University and elsewhere who lead its research projects.*

*One of the objectives of the FRC is to help inform and stimulate debate on fiscal policy. The Center publishes Policy Briefs, which are widely distributed summaries of longer reports, as well as essays on issues confronting the state. The program also organizes periodic seminars, workshops, luncheons and conferences during which fiscal policy makers, administrators, and faculty discuss fiscal policy issues. **David L. Sjoquist is Director of the Fiscal Research Center and Sally Wallace is Associate Director.***

## RESEARCH AGENDA

*The research agenda of the Fiscal Research Program is composed of three broad categories: Intergovernmental Issues, Tax and Expenditure Policy, and the Georgia Economy.*

**Intergovernmental Issues:** This area focuses on education financing and delivery of education in Georgia, and explores issues inherent in relationships between state and local governments. It also examines associated fiscal and financial matters of local governments.

**Tax and Expenditure Policy:** This area consists of studies on all types of revenue sources, including the taxation of banking, insurance, and corporations; the structure and impact of income taxation and property taxation; the structure, administration, and effect of sales and excise taxation; and other revenue sources. In addition, the FRC addresses policy issues associated with government budgeting.

**The Georgia Economy:** This area addresses issues surrounding the state's economic development efforts; FRC studies various sectors and aspects of the Georgia economy such as employment, changes in the distribution of income, and changes in the location of retail sales. In addition, the **Georgia Data Project** supports Georgia economy policy research with a database built on the Unemployment Insurance records from the Department of Labor, welfare records for the Department of Human Resources, and other agency databases.

## REPORTS

*Some Issues Associated with Increasing Georgia's Cigarette Tax. **David L. Sjoquist.** This policy brief provides revenue estimates for an increase in tobacco taxes, discusses the social cost of smoking, and explores the effect on convenience store employment from increases in tobacco taxes. FRC Brief 221 (December 2010)*

*Georgia's Fuel Tax. **David L. Sjoquist.** This policy brief presents revenue estimates from an increase of fuel taxes. FRC Brief 220 (December 2010)*

*Latino Immigration and the Low-Skill Urban Labor Market in Atlanta. **Cathy Yang Liu.** This report examines the dynamic competition between Latino immigrants and black workers in Atlanta's low-skilled urban labor market from 1990 to 2008. FRC Report 219 (December 2010)*

*Georgia's Individual Income Tax: Options for Reform.* **Sally Wallace and Andrew V. Stephenson.** This report analyzes the current structure of Georgia's individual income tax and provides analysis of a variety of reform options. FRC Report 218 (December 2010)

*A Review of State Revenue Actions, 1999-2010.* **Robert Buschman.** This report examines tax changes and other revenue changes enacted by the states since 1999, with particular focus on Georgia's Southeast and AAA-rated peers, and how states have dealt with budget gaps in two post-recession periods. FRC Report 217 (November 2010)

*A Review of State Tax Reform Efforts.* **Carolyn Bourdeaux.** This report reviews the work of 19 state tax commissions, special committees or task forces that have been convened to comprehensively review a state's tax code, and summarizes common themes from their final proposals. FRC Report 216 (November 2010)

*Informing Lottery Budget Decisions: HOPE and Pre-K.* **David L. Sjoquist and Mary Beth Walker.** This report addresses how different allocations of lottery revenue between Pre-K and HOPE programs might affect achievement of the objectives of these two programs. FRC Report 215 (October 2010)

*The Georgia Premium Tax: Options for Reform.* **Martin Grace.** This brief examines the basic structure of Georgia's insurance premium tax and the revenue impact of a number of potential reform options. FRC Brief 214 (October 2010)

*Why Was the 2007 and 2009 Employment Loss in Georgia So Large?* **Zackary Hawley.** This brief investigates the employment loss in Georgia during the recent recession (2007-2009) and suggests three sources from which the loss comes – national growth trends, the local industry mix and local competitive effects. FRC Brief 213 (October 2010)

*An Analysis of Water Related Infrastructure Spending in Georgia.* **Peter Bluestone.** This report examines the effects of past Georgia state and local government infrastructure investments and conservation policies on water quality and quantity and explores the necessary infrastructure investment to maintain future water quality and quantity. FRC Report/Brief 212 (September 2010)

*Transit Infrastructure, Is Georgia Doing Enough?* **Peter Bluestone.** This report is the first of a series on Georgia's public infrastructure and focuses on transit infrastructure in the Atlanta region. FRC Report/Brief 211 (September 2010)

*HB 480 - Eliminating the Motor Vehicle Property Tax: Estimating Procedure, Revenue Estimates, and Distributional Implications.* **Laura Wheeler.** This report reviews the revenue estimates and distributional consequences of HB 480, legislation to replace the motor vehicle sales and property tax with a title fee. FRC Report / Brief 210 (August 2010)

*Estimating Georgia's Structural Budget Deficit.* **Carolyn Bourdeaux and David L. Sjoquist.** This report examines whether the state of Georgia faces a structural deficit and concludes that it does. The deficit will total approximately \$1.8 billion in FY2012 and the state will need to make systemic structural changes to bring its revenues and expenditures back into alignment over the long term. FRC Report 209 (July 2010)

*Revenue From a Regional Transportation Sales Tax.* **David Sjoquist.** This policy brief provides regional revenue estimates of the one percent sales tax for transportation, as specified in HB 277, The Transportation Investment Act of 2010. FRC Brief 208 (June 2010)

*The Magnitude and Distribution of Georgia's Low Income Tax Credit.* **Andrew Stephenson.** This policy brief shows how the value of Georgia's low income tax credit is distributed across income classes. FRC Brief 207 (June 2010)

*Georgia's Taxes: A Summary of Major State and Local Government Taxes, 16th Edition.* **Jack Morton, Richard Hawkins, and David L. Sjoquist.** A handbook on taxation that provides a quick overview of all state and local taxes in Georgia. FRC Annual Publication A(16) (January 2010)

## OTHER PUBLICATIONS

*Atlanta Case Study Reports* are periodically released as a part of the project reviewing public policy issues facing the City of Atlanta. This project is funded by the Atlanta Committee for Progress.

*Fiscal Notes* are revenue estimates of proposed legislation distributed to the General Assembly and staff. During 2010, the Fiscal Research Center conducted analysis for over 100 Fiscal Notes.

*Kenny A. v. Perdue Monitoring Reports* are publicly released twice a year in accordance with the consent decree. Funded by Georgia Department of Human Resources, these reports support the work of the independent accountability agents to achieve and sustain 31 outcomes, as well as maintain certain practice standards, with respect to the children in the custody of the DeKalb and Fulton County Departments of Family and Children Services.

## VISITORS AND OTHER ACTIVITIES

*The Fiscal Research Center was happy to host visiting scholars who traveled to Georgia State University to conduct research. The Fiscal Research Center also participated in several presentations to international visitors to the Andrew Young School of Policy Studies. Visitors learned about various economic development research projects conducted in the FRC and the Andrew Young School.*

The FRC hosted seminars and visiting lecturers on the following subjects:

February 2010

**Michael Price** (University of Tennessee) presented “Sexual Orientation and Discrimination in the Market for New Cars: Evidence from a Natural Field Experiment.”

April 2010

**David Albouy** (University of Michigan) presented “Evaluating the Efficiency and Equity of Federal Fiscal Equalization.”

**Lucas Davis** (University of California Berkeley) presented “The Allocative Cost of Price Ceilings in the U.S. Residential Market for Natural Gas.”

April 2010

*A symposium on “Prospects for Closing the Achievement Gap: Evidence & Issues” was held on April 30, 2010, and hosted by the Fiscal Research Center and the Dan E. Sweat Chair of the Andrew Young School. Attendees gained in-depth information through four sessions:*

**Robert Bifulco, Jr.**, Associate Professor of Public Administration at the Maxwell School of Citizenship and Public Affairs, Syracuse University, presented “Can Interdistrict Choice Boost Student Achievement? Evidence from Connecticut’s Interdistrict Magnets.”

**Christopher Lubienski**, Associate Professor of Education Politics and Policy College of Education, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, presented “School Choice, Information, and Opportunity: How Are Schools Shaping Access for Minority Students?”

**Jane Cooley**, Assistant Professor of Economics, Department of Economics, University of Wisconsin-Madison, presented “Desegregation and the Achievement Gap: Do Diverse Peers Help?”

**Lori L. Taylor**, Associate Professor, The Bush School of Government and Public Service, Texas A&M University, presented “The Cost of Closing the Gaps for English Language Learners.”

## PROJECTS

**Analysis of Consent Decree (Year Four). David Sjoquist.** Funded by the Georgia Department of Human Resources, this project continues to serve as the fiscal agent to assist accountability agents and provide analytical analysis. (\$823,677)

**City Schools of Decatur Attendance Zones. David Sjoquist.** This project will aid in the preparation of attendance zone maps in the Decatur system. This project is funded by City Schools of Decatur. (\$2,500)

**Decision Analytical Tools Study. David Sjoquist.** Funded by the Georgia Department of Transportation, this project analyzes and recommends strategies for evaluating Department of Transportation services. (\$193,784)

**Economic Research on the Joint Contributions of the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) and Unemployment Insurance. Erdal Tekin.** This project will analyze the interaction of SNAP caseload and recipient household composition dynamics aligned with receipt of unemployment insurance, and demonstrate how analyses based on longitudinal files of linked confidential state administrative data files can be replicated, extended and refined in other states. This project is funded by the University of Baltimore. (\$100,000)

**Effects of Food Prices and Food Advertising on Body Composition of Children. Erdal Tekin.** This project estimates empirical models and evaluates results while developing and refining alternative measures of body composition of children. This project is funded by the National Bureau of Economic Research. (\$115,542)

**Evaluating the Effects of Nutrition Programs on Childhood Obesity in the Presence of Selection and Multiple of Program Interactions. Rusty Tchernis.** Funded by the U.S. Department of Agriculture, this research will examine the direct effect of participation in the School Breakfast Program (SBP), the National School Lunch Program (NSLP), and the Food Stamp Program (FSP) on the health of children. Further, this project will examine the cumulative effect of participating in combinations of these programs and will directly addresses USDA FANRP priority research areas. (\$123,321)

**Fiscal Economist, State of Georgia. Kenneth Heaghey.** Funded by the Georgia Governor’s office, this project provides the Governor’s office of planning and budget services including annual forecast of revenue and analysis of the Georgia economy. (\$1,343,383)

**Fiscal Notes and Services. David Sjoquist.** Funded by the Georgia Governor’s Office, this project provides resources to help in the preparation of fiscal notes requested by the state legislature. (\$90,000)

**Food Assistance and Nutrition Research. Rusty Tchernis.** This project examines the dynamic process governing the evolution of child weight from birth to eighth grade to improve our understanding of the persistent overweight and disaggregated demographics. This project is funded by the U.S. Department of Agriculture. (\$94,193)

**Interstate 75 and Interstate 575 Hot Lanes. Theodore Poister.** This project will conduct and analyze

the impact of the West by Northwest managed lane project on the economies of the greater Metro Atlanta region and the State of Georgia with particular emphasis on the construction outlays in the form of jobs created on construction material purchased. This project is funded by Georgia Department of Transportation. (\$22,834)

**Local Government and Employee Survey Analysis. Theodore Poister.** Funded by the Georgia Department of Transportation, this project conducts and analyzes local government and employee surveys. (\$250,857)

**Local Government and Employee Survey Analysis (Additional Tasks). Theodore Poister.** Funded by the Georgia Department of Transportation, this project adds additional tasks to conduct and analyze local government and employee surveys. (\$124,076)

**Modeling Spatial and Temporal Land Use Patterns in Coastal Georgia. Kurt Schnier.** Funded by the University of Georgia, this project will examine how human activities affect coastal habitats and living resources. Determining the factors that drive land use change in Coastal Georgia and its connected interior countries the project will also develop a dynamic discrete choice model of landowners within Georgia. (\$59,630)

**Motorists and Customer Surveys for the Georgia Department of Transportation. Theodore Poister.** Funded by the Georgia Department of Transportation, this project will build on a set of surveys that have been piloted and conducted under previous or existing contracts. (\$220,364)

**Piloting Stakeholder Surveys for the Georgia Department of Transportation. Theodore Poister.** Funded by the Georgia Department of Transportation, this project conducts surveys on the process and performance of external shareholders to improve efficiency and develop a more productive working relationship. (\$1,117,503)

**Policy Issues Facing the City of Atlanta. David Sjoquist.** This project designs case studies of the public policy issues facing the City of Atlanta. This project is funded by the Atlanta Committee for Progress. (\$97,093)

**Southern Appalachian Mountain Willingness to Pay Survey. Spencer Banzhaf.** Funded by Resources for the Future, Inc., this project will design and test mail and Internet surveys of residents' values for ecological improvements in the southern Appalachian Mountains. (\$63,789)

**TANF Study. David Sjoquist.** This project studies and evaluates the impact of participation in TANF and food stamp programs. This project is funded by the National Bureau of Economic Research. (\$3,499)

**Tax Expenditure Report. David Sjoquist.** This project prepares the tax expenditure report to be included in the State of Georgia Budget Report. The project is funded by the Georgia Department of Audits and Accounts. (\$40,000)

**Understanding Implications for Alternative Revenue Sources for Transportation Planning. David Sjoquist.** Funded by the Georgia Institute of Technology, this project will develop a list of state and local revenue sources for financing transportation planning and present advantages and disadvantages for each option. The project will also suggest the extent of public support and attitudes regarding the various options and determine how revenue sources might alter transportation behaviors. (\$121,261)

**Voices for Georgia's Children. David Sjoquist.** Funded by Voices for Georgia's Children, this project analyzes the lottery revenue between Pre-K and Hope Scholarships and will consider how allocations

of lottery revenue affects achievement. The project will also determine how an economically efficient budget allocation would affect what is gained and lost from shifting funds from one program to another. (\$28,047)

**Welfare to Work Dynamics. Erdal Tekin.** Funded by the University of Baltimore, Maryland, this grant supports research on evaluation of the transition from welfare to work. (\$115,000)

## TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE

The FRC staff and associated faculty provided technical assistance to numerous government officials and agencies. These included:

- Annie E. Casey Foundation
- Association County Commissioners of Georgia (ACCG)
- Atlanta Committee for Progress
- Board of Regents
- City of Atlanta
- City Schools of Decatur
- East Lake Foundation
- Georgia Department of Audits and Accounts
- Georgia Department of Early Childcare
- Georgia Department of Human Resources
- Georgia Department of Labor
- Georgia Department of Revenue
- Georgia Department of Transportation
- Georgia Economic Developers Association
- Georgia Institute of Technology
- Georgia Municipal Association
- Georgia Research Alliance
- Kauffman Foundation
- Lincoln Institute of Land Policy
- National Bureau of Economic Research
- National Science Foundation
- Office of Planning and Budget
- Resources for the Future, Inc.
- Senate Research Office
- State of Georgia Budgetary Responsibility Oversight Committee
- Syracuse University
- U.S. Department of Agriculture
- University of Baltimore, Maryland
- University of Georgia
- University of New Hampshire
- Voices for Georgia's Children

In addition, associated staff provided direct assistance to the State of Georgia Senate, House of Representatives, and Governor's Office.

## ExCEN - EXPERIMENTAL ECONOMICS CENTER

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*ExCEN, the Experimental Economics Center, supports research, teaching, and policy applications involving controlled experiments with human decision makers. The Center's central objective is to promote the development and application of economics and related academic disciplines as empirical science. Ongoing research in ExCEN involves development of economic theory supported by data and policy applications in areas such as healthcare and environmental policy. ExCEN was designated as an official Georgia State University center in June 2007, developed from the experimental economics program that began in January 2006.*

*Teaching and research support facilities developed and maintained by ExCEN include the Experimental Economics Laboratory, the Portable Laboratory, the online Subject Recruitment System, and EconPort, the economics digital library and virtual laboratory. National Science Foundation grants supported development of EconPort and its national and international dissemination. Support for ExCEN comes from research grants from the National Science Foundation, National Institutes of Health, United States Agency for International Development, and other grant sources, as well as from the Georgia Research Alliance and the state government. **Professor James C. Cox is the founding Director, Professor Susan K. Laury is Associate Director, and J. Todd Swarthout is Operations Director.***

### TEACHING AND OUTREACH—EXPERIMENTAL ECONOMICS LAB AND ECONPORT

ExCEN supports graduate and undergraduate teaching. Graduate students **Evana Afreen, Subhasree Basu Roy, Christan Blystone, Alexander Brumlik, Guanlin Gao, Elizabeth Gooch, Dan Grigoras, Jessica Haedrich, Danyang Li, Yuebing Liu, Lori Shefchik, Urmimala Sen, Juan Sun, Hui Xu, Jinjing Wang, Nicholas Warner, Xilin Zhou, Muhammad Husain, Huang Yao, Mark Curtis, Astha Sen** and **Alexander Schuhr** designed research experiments for their graduate studies and participated in ExCEN activities. Economics is a major component of the undergraduate curriculum, and the integration of experiments into economics courses has proven beneficial in supporting student learning to apply the principals of economics to economic decision making in markets and strategic games. Numerous undergraduate students participated in economics experiments held in the laboratory during the spring and fall semesters.

During 2010, the following activities were conducted in the Experimental Economics Laboratory:

- Research: Computerized Experiments – 132.25 hours
- Research: Hand-Run Experiments— 19.5 hours
- Teaching: Active-Learning Experiments – 18.5 hours
- Teaching: Experimental Methods – 48.25 hours
- Software Testing Sessions – 53.75 hours
- Experiment Research Meetings – 7 hours
- Maintenance Sessions – 35.5 hours

**ExCEN faculty and staff** developed and presented EconPort national and international dissemination workshops funded by a \$900,000 grant from the National Science Foundation during 2006-2010. From January 1 to December 31, 2010, the average daily number of page views for the EconPort website was 3,471. At the end of 2010, a total of 2,472 active user accounts were registered on EconPort by instructors and researchers, an annual increase of more than 300 accounts.

## GRANT SUPPORT AND COLLABORATION WITH OTHER RESEARCH LABORATORIES

ExCEN core faculty members **James Cox**, **Susan Laury**, **Elisabet Rutström**, **Vjollca Sadiraj**, and **Todd Swarthout** established and maintained an ongoing collaborative relationship between the Experimental Economics Center (ExCEN) and the Center for the Economic Analysis of Risk (CEAR) in the Robinson College of Business. This collaboration includes supporting ongoing collaboration in research by faculty associated with ExCEN, CEAR, or both centers; coordination of content and scheduling of graduate classes with experimental economics content offered by the departments of Economics and Risk Management and Insurance; shared advising of Ph.D. dissertations by students in the departments of Economics and Risk Management and Insurance on topics involving risk; joint sponsorship of visitors and workshops; and shared use of the experiment laboratory and subject recruiting facility maintained by ExCEN.

Core faculty members **James Cox**, **Vjollca Sadiraj**, and **Kurt Schnier** also initiated communication meetings with faculty and researchers from the Health Policy Center to identify possible joint research topics.

ExCEN core faculty members **James Cox**, **Vjollca Sadiraj**, and **Kurt Schnier** established and maintained an ongoing collaborative relationship with faculty/physicians at Emory University Medical School/ Emory Healthcare, resulting in two collaborative grant proposals submitted to the National Institutes of Health (NIH) and one collaborative grant proposal submitted to the Department of Health and Human Services. One of the proposals submitted for the highly competitive funding announcements, titled “Uptake of Comparative Effectiveness Research: Implications for Discharge Decisions,” was awarded \$1,171,865 from the NIH-National Institute on Aging. Additional information related to this project is detailed in the *Appendix: Report on External Funding*. The proposal to the Department of Health and Human Services is currently under review.

ExCEN faculty member **James Cox** regularly taught graduate students from Georgia Institute of Technology and Emory University who enroll in Econ 9340 and Econ 9940, and he coordinated with dissertation advisers from those universities. He also served as an outside member of the PhD dissertation committee for Bing Jiang, Department of Economics, Emory University.

ExCEN core faculty members **James Cox** and **Vjollca Sadiraj** maintained an ongoing collaborative relationship with faculty in the Workshop in Political Theory and Policy Analysis and the Department of Economics at Indiana University. This collaboration is supported by two collaborative grants from the National Science Foundation to the Experimental Economics Center and to the Workshop in Political Theory and Policy Analysis.

ExCEN core faculty members **James Cox** and **Kurt Schnier** established a collaborative relationship with researchers at SRI International in Menlo Park, California, and faculty researchers at the University of Sydney Medical School, Australia. This collaboration resulted in a proposal to Intelligence Advanced Research Projects Activity that will be awarded in February 2011.

ExCEN core faculty member **Paul Ferraro** collaborated on research with Assistant Professor Toby Bolsen, Department of Political Science, College of Arts and Sciences, Georgia State University, on a project entitled “The Conditional Impact of Social Comparisons on Behavior: Evidence on the Interaction of Norms and Political Affiliation from a Large-Scale Field Experiment.”

ExCEN core faculty member **Kurt Schnier** established and maintained a collaborative relationship with faculty at the both the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill and the University of Richmond (Virginia). The collaboration resulted in a proposal titled “Collaborative Research: The Proper Scale for Environmental Markets with Trading in the Neuse River Basin,” for \$199,861, which was awarded by the National Science Foundation.

## EXPERIMENTAL ECONOMICS WORKING PAPERS

- 2010-01 “Arms or Legs: Isomorphic Dutch Auctions and Centipede Games”  
James C. Cox with Duncan James
- 2010-02 “An Experimental Test of the Pigovian Hypothesis”  
Jason Delaney (former PhD student)
- 2010-03 “Direct Tests of Individual Preferences for Efficiency and Equity”  
James C. Cox and Vjollca Sadiraj  
(Revision of 2006-13)
- 2010-04 “On the Coefficient of Variation as a Criterion for Decision under Risk”  
James C. Cox and Vjollca Sadiraj  
(Revision of 2009-06)
- 2010-05 “Identification of Voters with Interest Groups Improves the Electoral Chances of the Challenger”  
Vjollca Sadiraj with Jan Tuinstra and Frans van Winden
- 2010-06 “Is there a Plausible Theory for Decision under Risk? A Dual Calibration Critique”  
James C. Cox, Vjollca Sadiraj, with Bodo Vogt and Utteeyo Dasgupta
- 2010-07 “Trust with Private and Common Property: Effect of Stronger Property Right Entitlements”  
James C. Cox and Daniel T. Hall (former PhD student)
- 2010-08 “Estimating Subjective Probabilities”  
E. Elisabet Rutström, Glenn W. Harrison with Steffen Andersen and John Fountain
- 2010-09 “Latent Process Heterogeneity in Discounting Behavior”  
E. Elisabet Rutström, Glenn W. Harrison with Morten Lau
- 2010-10 “Theory, Experimental Design and Econometrics Are Complementary (And So Are Lab and Field Experiments)”  
E. Elisabet Rutström, Glenn W. Harrison with Morten Lau
- 2010-11 “Characterizing Risk Attitudes of Industrial Managers”  
Glenn W. Harrison with Sebastian Moritz and Richard Pibernik
- 2010-12 “The Methodologies of Neuroeconomics”  
Glenn W. Harrison and Don Ross
- 2010-13 “The Methodological Promise of Experimental Economics”  
Glenn W. Harrison
- 2010-14 “Inferring Beliefs as Subjectively Uncertain Probabilities”  
E. Elisabet Rutström and Glenn W. Harrison, with Steffen Andersen, John Fountain and Arne Risa Hole
- 2010-15 “Using non-pecuniary strategies to influence behavior: evidence from a large-scale field experiment,” updated from previous 2008 and 2009 working papers, “Common Pool Management without Prices: A large-scale randomized experiment to test the effects of

- imperfect information and pro-social preferences”  
Paul J. Ferraro
- 2010-16 “Do payments for environmental services reduce deforestation? A farm-level evaluation from Costa Rica”  
Paul J. Ferraro
- 2010-17 “Selection Procedures for Policy Analysis: Fishery Capacity Utilization and Risk”  
In progress  
Kurt E. Schnier with W.C. Horrace
- 2010-18 “A Spatial Sample Selection Model of Housing Prices” In progress.  
Kurt E. Schnier

## FACULTY RESEARCH PUBLICATIONS

### James C. Cox:

#### Journal Articles

- James C. Cox, “Some Issues of Methods, Theories, and Experimental Designs,” *Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization*, 73, 24-28, 2010.
- James C. Cox (with Maroš Servátka and Radovan Vadovič), “Saliency of Outside Options in the Lost Wallet Game,” *Experimental Economics*, 13(1), 66-74, 2010.
- James C. Cox and Vjollca Sadiraj, “On the Coefficient of Variation as a Measure of Risk Sensitivity,” *Journal of Mathematical Psychology*, 54, 387-394, 2010.
- James C. Cox (with Daniel T. Hall – former AYSPS student), “Trust with Private and Common Property: Effects of Stronger Property Right Entitlements,” *Games*, 1(4), 527-550, 2010.
- James C. Cox and Vjollca Sadiraj, “Direct Tests of Individual Preferences for Efficiency and Equity,” *Economic Inquiry*, in press.
- James C. Cox (with Duncan James), “Arms or Legs: Isomorphic Dutch Auctions and Centipede Games,” currently revise and resubmit at *Econometrica*.
- James C. Cox and Vjollca Sadiraj (with Bodo Vogt and Utteeyo Dasgupta), “Is There a Plausible Theory for Decision under Risk? A Dual Calibration Critique,” currently under review at *Review of Economic Studies*.

#### Presentations

- Served as a discussant at sessions of the American Economic Association and the Economic Science Association at the ASSA meeting in Atlanta, January 3-5, 2010.
- “Bosses, Kings and Dictators: Effects of Asymmetric Power in Private and Common Property Environments,” seminar at the Economics Department, Appalachian State University, April 16, 2010.
- Participant in the CEAR Workshop “Attitudes Towards Risk, Uncertainty and Ambiguity: Theory, Experimental Design and Econometrics,” May 5-6, 2010.
- “Bosses and Kings: Asymmetric Power in Paired Common Pool and Public Good Games,” invited

presentation at the Behavioral and Quantitative Game Theory Conference on Future Directions sponsored by the National Science Foundation and the US Air Force Office of Scientific Research, Newport Beach, CA, May 14-16, 2010.

“Bosses, Kings and Dictators: Effects of Asymmetric Power in Private and Common Property Environments,” invited presentation at the Workshop on Advances in Experimental Economics, Maison des Sciences Économiques, Centre d’Economie de la Sorbonne, Paris, France, May 21-22, 2010.

“Bosses, Kings and Dictators: Effects of Asymmetric Power in Private and Common Property Environments,” invited lecture in the Giants in Experimental Economics International Lecture Series, Otto von Guericke Universität Magdeburg, Germany, May 26, 2010.

“Is There a Plausible Theory for Decision under Risk? A Dual Calibration Critique,” seminar presentation at the Department of Economics of York University, Heslington, England, June 13, 2010.

“Is There a Plausible Theory for Decision under Risk,” **Keynote Lecture** at FUR XIV: International Conference on Foundations and Applications of Utility, Risk and Decision Theory held at St. James Park, Newcastle, England, June 16-18, 2010.

“Paradoxes and Mechanisms for Choice under Risk,” **Plenary Lecture** at the Denmark Conference on Risk and Time Preferences held at the Copenhagen Business School, Copenhagen, Denmark, June 22-23, 2010.

“Bosses and Kings: Asymmetric Power in Paired Common Pool and Public Good Games,” presented at the World Meeting of the Economic Science Association in Copenhagen, Denmark, July 8-11, 2010.

“A Theory of Dictators’ Revealed Preferences,” invited presentation at the Biennial Conference on Social Dilemmas, held this year at Rice University, September 23-25, 2010.

Participant in the “Panel on Research on Risk Perceptions” at the CEAR Workshop: Risk Perception and Subjective Beliefs, Robinson School of Business, Georgia State University, October 27-28, 2010.

### **Paul J. Ferraro:**

#### Journal Articles

Paul J. Ferraro, “Know Thyself: incompetence and overconfidence,” *Atlantic Economic Journal*, (2010) 38:183-196.

Paul J. Ferraro (with Christian Vossler). 2010. “The Source and Significance of Confusion in Public Goods Experiments.” *B.E. Journal of Economic Analysis & Policy* (Contributions) 10(1): article 53.

Paul J. Ferraro (with Pattanayak, Subhrendu K. and Sven Wunder). 2010. “Show Me the Money: do payments supply ecosystem services in developing countries?” *Review of Environmental Economics and Policy* 4(2): 254-274.

Paul J. Ferraro (with Andam, Kwaw, Katharine E Sims, Andrew Healy, and Margaret B Holland). 2010. “Protected Areas Reduced Poverty in Costa Rica and Thailand.” *Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences* 107(22): 9996-10001. (Andam, Ferraro & Sims share senior authorship)

Paul J. Ferraro and Merlin Hanauer [PhD candidate, Economics]. In Press. “Protecting Ecosystems and Alleviating Poverty with Parks and Reserves: ‘win-win’ or tradeoffs?” *Environmental and Resource Economics*.

Paul J. Ferraro (with Kathleen Lawlor, Katrina Mullan, and Subhrendu K Pattanayak. Forthcoming. "Forest figures: A review of ecosystem services valuation and policy evaluation in developing countries." *Review of Environmental Economics and Policy*.

Paul J. Ferraro (with Merlin Hanauer and Katharine E Sims). Forthcoming. "Conditions Associated with Protected Area Success in Conservation and Poverty Reduction." *Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences*.

#### Presentations

"Reductions in Emissions from Deforestation and Degradation (REDD) Evaluations." Presented at the Center for International Forestry Research (CIFOR), Chapel Hill, NC. January 2010.

"Protected areas, biodiversity conservation and poverty alleviation." Presented at Cornell University, Ithaca, NY. January 2010.

"Conservation without Prices: The Impact of Information, Moral Suasion and Social Norms on Residential Water Use," Presented at the Georgia Association of Water Professionals, Columbus, GA, April 2010.

"Conservation without Prices Non-Pecuniary Strategies to Influence Behavior," Sponsored by the Dept of Agricultural and Resource Economics at the University of California-Davis, May 2010.

"Poverty and Ecosystem Protection," Presented at the Dept of Environmental Science and Policy, University of California-Davis, May 2010.

"Biodiversity Conservation and Poverty." Presented at the Sanford School of Public Policy, Duke University, Durham, NC. September 2010.

"Biodiversity Conservation and Poverty. Curriculum in Ecology and Environment," Presented at the University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill, September 2010.

"Conservation without Prices Non-Pecuniary Strategies to Influence Behavior," Presented at the Department of Public Policy, University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill, October 2010.

"Markets for Ecosystem Services," Presented at the University of Illinois, Champaign-Urbana, IL, October 2010.

"Ecosystem Conservation Performance Contracting: Status and Issues." Presented at North Carolina State University and Property and Environment Research Center. Chapel Hill, NC. November 2010.

Organizer, "Measuring Avoided Loss Workshop on Measuring the performance of protected area systems: challenges and opportunities," at the Global Environment Facility/World Bank, Washington, DC. November 2010.

Invited Panel Member, "Combining Environmental and Development Goals: strategies for moving forward," Joint Panel of American Economic Association/Association of Environmental and Resource Economists, January 2010.

Invited Panel Member, "Tough Questions for Free Market Environmentalism," Property and Environment Research Center (PERC), Bozeman, MT. July 2010.

Invited Panel Member, "Markets for Ecosystem Service Values: Putting Theory into Practice," Heartland

Environmental and Resource Economics Workshop, Champaign-Urbana, IL. October, 2010

Discussant, Bauch et al. "Microenterprises after the funding ends: Two Steps Forward and One Step Back," American Economic Association Annual Meeting, Atlanta, GA. January 2010.

Other Activities:

Board of Directors, Association of Environmental and Resource Economists, 2010-present.

Handling Editor, *Conservation Biology*, 2010-present.

**Andrew Hanson:**

Journal Articles:

Andrew Hanson, "Utilization of Employment Tax Credits: An Analysis of the 'Empowerment Zone' Wage Tax Credit," Forthcoming in *Journal of Public Budgeting and Finance*.

Andrew Hanson (with Shawn Rohlin), "The Effect of Location Based Tax Incentives on Establishment Location and Employment Across Industry Sectors," Forthcoming in *Public Finance Review*.

Andrew Hanson (with Shawn Rohlin), "Do Location-Based Tax Incentives Attract New Business Establishments?" Forthcoming in *Journal of Regional Science*.

Andrew Hanson (with Zackary Hawley, Economics Ph.D. Student), "Do Landlords Discriminate in the Rental Housing Market? Evidence from an Internet Field Experiment in U.S. Cities," Revise and Resubmit at *Journal of Urban Economics*.

Andrew Hanson, "Limiting the Mortgage Interest Deduction by Size of Home: Effects on User Cost Across Metropolitan Areas," Revise and Resubmit at *Housing Policy Debate*.

Andrew Hanson (with Jesse Bricker), "Signaling Behavior in Teenagers: The Timing of College Commitment Decisions of High School Student Athletes," Revise and Resubmit at the *Southern Economic Journal*.

Andrew Hanson, "Size of Home, Home Ownership, and the Mortgage Interest Deduction," Revise and Resubmit at *Journal of Housing Economics*.

Presentations:

"The Effect of Location Based Tax Incentives on Establishment Location and Employment Across Industry Sectors" at the American Real Estate and Urban Economics Association Annual Meeting (a subdivision of the ASSA), Atlanta, GA, January 2010.

"Do Landlords Discriminate in the Rental Housing Market? Evidence from an Internet Field Experiment in U.S. Cities" at Baylor University Department of Economics, Waco, TX, October 2010.

"Do Landlords Discriminate in the Rental Housing Market? Evidence from an Internet Field Experiment in U.S. Cities" at the Urban Economics Association Annual Meetings (subdivision of the Regional Science Association International Annual Meeting), Denver, CO, November 2010.

"Size of Home, Homeownership, and the Mortgage Interest Deduction" at the National Tax Association Annual Conference, Chicago, IL, November 2010.

## **Mark Rider**

### Journal Articles

Mark Rider and J. Martinez-Vazquez (with L. Ackert and A. Gillette), "Risk Tolerance, Self Interest, and Social Preferences," *Experimental Economics*, forthcoming.

Mark Rider (with Lucy Ackert and Ann Gillette), "Cooperating to Resist Coercion: An Experimental Study." in *Coercion and Social Welfare in Contemporary Public Finance*, Jorge Martinez-Vazquez and Stanley Winer eds., forthcoming (publisher is unknown at this time).

### Presentations

"Cooperating to Resist Coercion: An Experimental Study." Conference on Coercion and Social Welfare in Contemporary Public Finance, Stone Mountain, GA: Saturday, Oct 2, 2010, co-authored with Lucy Ackert and Ann Gillette.

**Elisabet (Lisa) Rutström** holds a joint appointment as professor in the Department of Economics and the J. Mack Robinson College of Business. Her research interests are in experimental economics and focuses on risk and decision making. Her research has been published in peer reviewed journals such as American Economic Review, Econometrica, and Experimental Economics. Rutström was a professor of Economics at the University of Central Florida prior to joining Georgia State University.

### Journal Articles

Elisabet Rutström (with Steffen Andersen, Glenn Harrison, and Morten Lau). "Behavioral Econometrics for Psychologists," *Journal of Economic Psychology*, 31 (2010), 553-756.

Elisabet Rutström (with Glenn Harrison and Morten I. Lau. "Individual Discount Rates and Smoking: Evidence from a Field Experiment in Denmark," *Journal of Health Economics*, 29 (2010), 708-717.

### Presentations

"Behavior Towards Endogenous Risk in the Laboratory," Presented at the Risk Theory Society of Georgia State University, April 2010.

## **Vjollca Sadiraj:**

### Journal Articles

Vjollca Sadiraj, Tuinstra J. and F. van Winden. "Identification of voters with interest groups improves the electoral chances of the challenger," 2010. *Mathematical Social Sciences* 60, 210-216.

James C. Cox and Vjollca Sadiraj. "On the Coefficient of Variation as a Criterion for Decision under Risk," *Journal of Mathematical Psychology*, 54, 2010, 387-394.

James C. Cox and Vjollca Sadiraj. "Direct Tests of Individual Preferences for Efficiency and Equity," *Economic Inquiry*, in press.

Vjollca Sadiraj, Tuinstra J. and F. van Winden. "Special interest groups and election outcomes," 2010. *Medium Econometrische Toepassingen* 18(1), 12-17.

Vjollca Sadiraj and James C. Cox (with B. Vogt, U. Dasgupta), "Is There a Plausible Theory for Risky Decisions?" *Review of Economic Studies*, under review.

### Presentations

“Is There a Plausible Theory for Decision under Risk?” presented at the ASSA meetings, Atlanta, Ga., January 3, 2010.

Served as a discussant at the 2010 American Social Sciences Association Meetings, Atlanta, Ga.

“Revealed Altruism Without Independence of Irrelevant Alternatives” presented at the Behavioral and Quantitative Game Theory Conference on Future Directions sponsored by the National Science Foundation and the US Air Force Office of Scientific Research, Newport Beach, CA, May 14-16, 2010.

“Revealed Altruism without Independence of Irrelevant Alternatives” presented at the SEA 80th Annual Conference, in Atlanta, Georgia, November 20-22, 2010.

Served as a discussant at the CEAR Workshop: Risk Perception and Subjective Beliefs, Robinson School of Business, Georgia State University, October 27-28, 2010.

### **Kurt Schnier**

#### Journal Articles

K.E. Schnier (with R.L. Hicks and W.C. Horrace), In Press. “Strategic Substitutes or Complements: The Game of Where to Fish?” forthcoming in *Journal of Econometrics*.

K.E. Schnier (with M. R. Isaac and S. Pevnitskaya). In Press. “Individual Behavior and Bidding Heterogeneity in Sealed Bid Auctions Where the Number of Bidders Is Unknown,” forthcoming in *Economic Inquiry*.

K.E. Schnier (with R.G. Felthoven). In Press. “Accounting for Spatial Heterogeneity and Autocorrelation in Spatial Discrete Choice Models: Implications for Behavioral Predictions,” forthcoming in *Land Economics*.

K.E. Schnier (with A. Flores-Lagunes). In Press. “Estimation of Sample Selection Models with Spatial Dependence,” forthcoming in *Journal of Applied Econometrics*.

K.E. Schnier (with W.C. Horrace). In Press. 2010 “Fixed-Effect Estimation of Highly-Mobile Production Technologies,” *American Journal of Agricultural Economics* 92(5): 1432-55.

K.E. Schnier (with R.L. Hicks), 2010. “Spatial Regulations and Endogenous Consideration Sets in Fisheries,” *Resource and Energy Economics* 32: 117-34.

K.E. Schnier (with W.C. Horrace and R.G. Felthoven), “The Value of Statistical Life: Pursuing the Deadliest Catch,” revise and resubmit at *Review of Economics and Statistics*.

K.E. Schnier (with W.C. Horrace), “Estimating Measures of Spatial Efficiency for Highly-Mobile Production Technologies,” revise and resubmit at *Journal of Applied Econometrics*.

K.E. Schnier (with T. Haab, R. Hicks, and J. Whitehead). “Angler Heterogeneity and the Species-Specific Demand for Marine Recreational Fishing,” revise and resubmit at *Marine Resource Economics*.

K.E. Schnier (with R.G. Felthoven), “Production Efficiency and Exit in Rights-Based Fisheries,” revise and resubmit at *Land Economics*.

K.E. Schnier (with Andrew Hanson and G. Turnbull), “Drive ’Til You Qualify: Residential Sorting in

Suburbia,” under review at *Regional Science and Urban Economics*.

#### Presentations

“Estimating Heterogeneous Alternative Specific Constants: An Application to Regional Delivery Requirements in Fisheries,” Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Center for Environmental and Resource Economic Policy (W2133), Tucson, AZ. February, 2010.

“Drive ‘Til You Qualify: Residential Sorting in Suburbia,” Presented at the 2010 Annual Meeting of the Southern Economic Association, Atlanta, GA. November, 2010. (co-authored with: Andrew Hanson (GSU), Geoffrey Turnbull (GSU)).

“Uncovering Club and Congestion Effects: Some Monte Carlo Evidence,” Presented at the 2010 Annual Meeting of the Southern Economic Association Atlanta, GA. November, 2010. (co-authored with: Robert Hicks (College of William and Mary), Arnab Bhattacharjee (University of St. Andrews)).

“Production Efficiency and Exit in Rights-Based Fisheries,” Presented at University of Arizona, (with W.C. Horrace and R.G. Felthoven). February, 2010.

#### **J. Todd Swarthout:**

#### Journal Articles

J. Todd Swarthout (with Jason Shachat), “Procurement Auctions for Differentiated Goods,” *Decision Analysis*, 7, March 2010, 6-22.

#### Under Journal Review

Martin Dufwenberg and J. Todd Swarthout, “Play Games to Learn Game Theory? An Experiment,” *Journal of Economic Education*, under review.

#### Presentations

“Direct Elicitation of Risk-Controlled Discount Rates,” Presented at Emory University, Department of Economics, Atlanta, GA, March 2010.

“Direct Elicitation of Risk-Controlled Discount Rates,” Presented at Xiamen University, Department of Economics, Xiamen, China, June 2010.

“Direct Elicitation of Risk-Controlled Discount Rates,” Presented at the 2010 Southern Economic Association meeting. Atlanta, Georgia, November 2010.

“Appearing Honest: Accurate Belief Elicitation does not Require Outcome Verification,” discussant, Center for the Economic Analysis of Risk Workshop: Risk Perception and Subjective Belief at Georgia State University, Atlanta, GA, October, 2010.

#### **EXCEN GRADUATE STUDENT ACTIVITIES:**

**Alexander Brumlik**, Ph.D. student (Economics), presented “Ultimatum and Dictator Games in the Nonprofit Sector: A Further Look” at the ARNOVA Conference, Alexandria, VA, November 18-20, 2010.

**Juan Jose Miranda**, Ph.D. student (Economics), presented “Long-term, Heterogeneous Treatment Effects from Non-pecuniary Environmental Programs: a large-scale field experiment,” co-authored with Paul Ferraro, associate professor (Economics), at North Carolina State University’s Camp Resources Workshop, Wilmington, N.C., June 2010.

**Sarah Jacobson**, Ph.D. student (Economics), presented “The Effects of Conservation Reserve Program Participation on Later Land Use” at the American Economic Association annual meeting in Atlanta, GA, January 4, 2010.

**Merlin M. Hanauer**, graduate student (Economics) presented “Protecting Ecosystems and Alleviating Poverty with Parks and Reserves: ‘Win-Win’ or Tradeoffs?” co-authored with Paul Ferraro, associate professor (Economics), at the Western Economic Association International Annual Conference in Portland, OR, June 29-July 3, 2010.

### EXPERIMENTAL ECONOMICS (EXCEN) 2010 SEMINAR SERIES:

January 12

**Jason Shachat**, Xiamen University, presented “Procuring Commodities: Request for Quote or Reverse Auctions?”

February 12

**Bart J. Wilson**, Chapman University, presented “An Experimental Economic History of Whalers’ Rules of Capture”

March 19

**Justin Esarey**, Emory University, presented “A Formal Test of Substantive Significance”

October 22

**John Duffy**, University of Pittsburgh, presented “Equilibrium Selection in Static and Dynamic Entry Games”

October 29

**Peter P. Wakker**, Erasmus University, presented “The Impact of Experiments on the Economic Thinking about Risk Aversion and Preferences”

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# GEORGIA HEALTH POLICY CENTER

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*Georgia Health Policy Center, established in 1995, provides evidence-based research, program development and policy guidance locally, statewide and nationally to improve health status at the community level. The center distills its unbiased, qualitative and quantitative research findings to connect decision makers with the objective research and guidance needed to make informed decisions about health policy and programming.*

*Other projects to date focus on some of the most complex policy issues facing health care today including: community and public health, public and private health insurance coverage, long-term care, child health, and community health systems development. The GHPC manages an average of 40 contracts at any given time. The center is active in all 50 states and more than 200 communities nationwide. **Karen J. Minyard serves as director of the center.***

## HIGHLIGHTS

The Georgia Health Policy Center (GHPC) commemorated 15 years in 2010. In honor of this anniversary, GHPC staff, fellows, and key partners conducted strategic consultations of the likely impact of health reform on 15 Georgia stakeholder groups. The organizations involved were providers, rural and urban community-based groups, small and large businesses, professional associations, local and state government entities, and others.

The 15 analyses culminated in a health reform symposium on October 21, 2010, in Atlanta, Ga. This symposium integrated the information learned from the 15 cases and helped participants begin to examine the impact of health reform on their communities, organizations, and themselves. Representatives from all selected groups were in attendance, along with more than 100 individuals from across the state and the nation. The case studies have been documented and published for other interested parties to access, so they can utilize the findings as well, and are available at [www.gsu.edu/ghpc](http://www.gsu.edu/ghpc).

## COMMUNITY HEALTH SYSTEMS DEVELOPMENT

*The center's community health systems development program focuses on helping communities build local capacity to increase access to primary care and improve the health status of their residents. The center provides tailored, technical assistance to communities throughout Georgia and in the 49 other states.*

**Access South Carolina.** GHPC provided consultation to structure and aid continued development of a Duke Endowment-funded statewide initiative that integrates community-based services to improve access to care and reduce costs for the uninsured. Members of GHPC's Community Health Systems Development (CHSD) team provided on-site training and monthly feedback to strengthen and enhance technical assistance services to support new and existing local networks of care. (\$25,000)

**Care Share Health Alliance, North Carolina.** Care Share Health Alliance in North Carolina is a state-level collaborative effort created to support local initiatives to increase access to care and improve health outcomes, particularly for the state's uninsured populations. GHPC provided consultation and made state-level presentations regarding the design and evaluation of state-level technical assistance programs, as well as informing the state about opportunities and challenges for community-based health networks in an era of reform. (\$5,000)

**HRSA Delta States Rural Development Network.** Georgia Health Policy Center was awarded a contract by the Health Resources and Services Administration's (HRSA) Office of Rural Health Policy to provide technical assistance services to Delta States Rural Development Program (DELTA). (\$394,282)

**HRSA National Technical Assistance.** Georgia Health Policy Center was awarded a contract by HRSA's Federal Office of Rural Health Policy to provide technical assistance to more than 200 grantees in 50 states. Technical assistance, provided by the CHSD Team, includes one-on-one training and resource support to rural communities that have received funding through one or more of the following grant programs: Rural Health Network Planning, Rural Health Network Development and Rural Health Outreach. (\$3,645,585)

**HRSA National Technical Assistance: Outreach.** Georgia Health Policy Center was awarded a contract by HRSA's Federal Office of Rural Health Policy to provide technical assistance to more than 200 grantees across the United States and territories. Technical Assistance, provided by the center's Community Health System Development Team, includes one-on-one training and resource support to rural communities that have received funding through the Rural Health Care Services Outreach program. (\$1,406,108)

**HRSA National Technical Assistance: Network Development.** Georgia Health Policy Center was awarded a contract by the HRSA's Federal Office of Rural Health Policy to provide technical assistance to more than 200 grantees in 50 states. Technical Assistance, provided by CHSD, includes one-on-one training and resource support to rural communities that have received funding through the Rural Health Network Development program and the Rural Health Workforce Development program. (\$876,922)

**HRSA Sustainability Program.** Georgia Health Policy Center was awarded a contract by the Health Resources and Services Administration's Federal Office of Rural Health Policy to provide sustainability technical assistance to community networks and outreach grantees. (\$1,268,128)

**SharedCare, Inc. Network Development.** Georgia Health Policy Center is providing technical assistance to SharedCare, a non-profit agency in Myrtle Beach, S.C. Support will include network development by conducting a sustainability assessment, organizing a strategic alignment event, resource diversification planning, and providing ongoing support. (\$30,207)

## CHILD HEALTH & WELL-BEING

*The center aims to improve child outcomes and child and family policies in Georgia through applied policy analysis and research. Grants from public and private sources fund programs in the areas of school health, childhood obesity, and child well-being.*

**Building Strong Families.** The Health Policy Center is the program home for Georgia Building Strong Families, a randomized control research project sponsored by Mathematica Policy Research, under a grant from the Administration for Children and Families. The program provides relationship sustaining tools to low income, unwed couples who are either expecting a child or have a child less than three months in age. The research measures the well-being of the couple and their focal child over time. This five-year contract ended in December 2010. (\$3,385,244)

**Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) Pregnancy Risk Assessment Monitoring System (PRAMS) Policy Briefs.** The Georgia Health Policy Center is collaborating with the CDC Division of Reproductive Health to create state-specific policy briefs to advance the knowledge around influenza vaccination of pregnant women, including H1N1 and seasonal influenza vaccines. GHPC facilitated two workshops on creating policy briefs at the 2010 PRAMS National Meeting and will collaborate with CDC and its state partners to use PRAMS data to tailor the policy briefs for each of the 33 participating states. (\$64,996.24)

**Evaluation of Department of Education Fitness Assessment Pilot.** An evaluation of the Department

of Education's Fitness Assessment Pilot is being conducted through a partnership with Georgia State's Kinesiology and Health Department, Institute of Public Health, and the Georgia Health Policy Center. The purpose of the pilot project is to provide information on training, procedures and costs for the full implementation of the statewide Fitness Assessments that will begin in the fall of 2011. (\$8,500)

**PeachCare for Kids Outreach.** Georgia Health Policy Center is working with the Georgia Department of Community Health to develop outreach efforts and member materials for PeachCare for Kids, Georgia's health insurance program to serve low-income children. (\$300,000)

**Secondary Research on Autism.** The GHPC is partnering with the Center for Leadership in Disability, Institute of Public Health, on a grant from HRSA to provide secondary research on autism. The study will examine the geographic disparities in health service utilization by Medicaid and CHIP-eligible children with autism. (\$42,000)

**Using System Dynamics and Cost Effectiveness Modeling to Improve State Policies on Childhood Obesity.** In collaboration with Southern Polytechnic State University, GHPC received \$10,000 from the Board of Regents to add a cost-effectiveness component to, and expand the policy interventions considered, on an existing system dynamics childhood obesity model developed by the GHPC. (\$10,000)

## COMMUNITY & PUBLIC HEALTH

*The center works to fulfill its mission of improving health status at the community level by gathering, analyzing, and disseminating information in a manner that fosters collaboration and innovation and builds trust and relationships with local, state and national, public and private agencies interested in improving health status.*

**Atlanta Regional Commission (ARC).** The GHPC provided ARC support for its Fifty Forward agenda on health. GHPC assisted ARC in developing a primer document on health for the forum, facilitating and documenting three technical work group meetings on health, and developing a vision paper on health for the ARC's Fifty Forward capstone event. (\$7,472.94)

**Community Health Works Evaluation.** Georgia Health Policy Center conducted an evaluation of Community Health Works, a multifaceted rural health network serving the un- and underinsured in central Georgia. The center provided meeting planning, facilitation and documentation services to Community Health Work in preparation for the Center Georgia Regional Health Summit. (\$398,883)

**Community Benefit Convening.** Georgia Health Policy Center is convening a leadership discussion about hospital community benefit on behalf of the CDC and the National Network of Public Health Institutes. The purpose of the meeting is to inform and engage leaders on strategies to enhance community benefit practices, with a focus on evidence-based prevention approaches that lower health care costs and reduce health disparities. Particular attention will be given to regional strategies that mobilize complementary expertise and resources of multiple stakeholders. The goal of the meeting is to assess opportunities and commitment for future work together on advancing the practice of community benefit toward better health for Georgians. (\$5,000)

**DeKalb County Board of Health CPPW Tobacco Evaluation.** The DeKalb County Board of Health engaged GHPC to evaluate the processes of policy change and to develop a policy implementation plan for the Communities Putting Prevention to Work (CPPW) Tobacco Control project. GHPC will also provide guidance to the media firm on assessing related media activities. (\$199,572)

**DeKalb County Board of Health Facilitation (CPPW).** The DeKalb County Board of Health engaged GHPC to provide facilitation and guidance support for its CPPW Tobacco Control Project Leadership

Team. GHPC also worked with CPPW staff to develop a monitoring plan to ensure goals and objectives are achieved. (\$15,797)

**Georgia's Nutrition and Physical Activity Initiative Sustainability Plan.** The Georgia Department of Community Health, Division of Public Health has contracted with GHPC to develop a sustainability plan for Georgia's Nutrition and Physical Activity Initiative. (\$36,740)

**Georgia's Nutrition and Physical Activity Initiative Strategic Plan.** The Georgia Department of Community Health, Division of Public Health has contracted with GHPC to update the strategic plan for Georgia's Nutrition and Physical Activity Initiative. (\$47,763)

**Healthy Belvedere Initiative.** Georgia Health Policy Center works with the Community Foundation for Greater Atlanta as the local evaluator for the Kaiser Permanente Community Health Initiative on Healthy Eating and Active Living—a community-based health initiative being implemented in the Belvedere Community in east Atlanta. (\$154,559)

**Implementation of Georgia's Comprehensive Cancer Control Plan.** The Georgia Health Policy Center played a pivotal role in facilitating and providing information for the development of the state's 2009-2010 Implementation Plan. The center will continue to staff and provide support to the Georgia Cancer Coalition and the Division of Public Health throughout the implementation process. (\$45,176)

**Legislative Education Initiative.** Georgia Health Policy Center was awarded a grant from the Robert W. Woodruff Foundation to enhance, over the next three years, its efforts to educate legislators about issues of health policy. The program includes: a pocket glossary of terms and acronyms, the Little Blue Book; one-on-one briefings; issue-specific research; and a comprehensive training series for members of the Georgia General Assembly, known as the Legislative Health Policy Certificate Program. (\$727,906)

**Magnolia Coastlands AHEC Health Reform Consultation.** The Georgia Health Policy Center was engaged by the Board of the Magnolia Coastlands AHEC to provide facilitation services for a strategic planning exercise on based on the passage of the health reform. (\$1,467)

**National Health Museum Health Information Kiosk.** The Georgia Health Policy Center was engaged by the National Health Museum to conduct the formative, process, and preliminary outcome evaluation of a health information kiosk for Early County, Georgia. Assessments included capturing the needs and conceptualizations for the development of the kiosk that will serve a community with low literacy, limited experience with technology, and high rates of health disparities. (\$39,609)

**Oral Health Policy Action Plan.** The GHPC is partnering with the Georgia Department of Community Health, Division of Public Health, Oral Health Program to develop a Policy Action Plan and three associated issue briefs aimed at educating policymakers about the burden of dental disease, the benefits of prevention, and effective strategies to improve the oral health of Georgians. (\$49,668)

**Peach County Needs Assessment.** The Georgia Health Policy Center received a grant to conduct a health needs assessment of Peach County for Community Health Works in support of a decision whether or not to establish a federally qualified health center (FQHC) in Peach County. GHPC collected, synthesized, and presented data, and conducted key informant interviews. (\$50,000)

**Public Health Funding Formula in Georgia.** The Georgia Health Policy Center was commissioned by the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation to provide context for the study on usage of the Funding Formula in Georgia over time. The work is being conducted in partnership with Dr. James Marton in the Economics Department of the Andrew Young School of Policy Studies. (\$10,473)

**RuSH (Registry and Surveillance System for Hemoglobinopathies).** The Georgia Department of Community Health, Division of Public Health awarded the GHPC funding for population-based surveillance of sickle cell disease and thalassemia. The GHPC will work with the state and other partners to provide epidemiological guidance, qualitative research, and project management services in support of Georgia's cooperative agreement with the CDC. (\$235,443)

**SoloHealth.** The Georgia Health Policy Center provided SoloHealth consultation regarding the building and testing of a multifunction health-screening kiosk for distribution in multiple sites throughout the country. The consultation covered topics ranging from health disparities risk factors, the adaptation of educational information for low literacy populations, health risk assessment tools, and scholarly research on health information delivery through kiosks. GHPC also served on SoloHealth's advisory board for the project. (\$6,389)

**Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA) Services in Supportive Housing Evaluation.** Georgia Health Policy Center is working with the River Edge Behavioral Health Center to provide ongoing technical assistance and evaluation support to the River Edge project team implementing the SAMHSA Supported Housing Program. (\$52,082)

## PUBLIC & PRIVATE INSURANCE COVERAGE

*Georgia Health Policy Center helps shape how Georgia addresses the costs—both monetary and societal—of the uninsured. Private foundations and state and federal agencies invest in a wide-range of projects to examine the role of community initiatives in managing care for the uninsured, study health care coverage for young adults, develop a strategy for providing affordable health insurance in Georgia and evaluate existing services including Medicaid and PeachCare for Kids.*

**Georgia Governor's Office of Planning and Budget Health Insurance Exchange Support.** The GHPC is working with the Georgia Governor's Office of Planning and Budget to provide research and policy guidance for a health insurance exchange feasibility study. (\$300,000)

**Money Follows the Person Medicaid Evaluation.** The Georgia Health Policy Center is working with the Georgia Department of Community Health to create a program logic model for the Money Follows the Person Medicaid waiver program. The logic model is being created so that Georgia can focus on state-specific evaluation metrics as the program matures over the next four years. GHPC is also conducting one- and two-year post-transition interviews with consumers who have moved from institutions to community environments as part of the evaluation. (\$87,600)

**PeachCare for Kids Evaluation.** Georgia Health Policy Center was contracted by the Department of Community Health to conduct the annual evaluation of Georgia's health insurance program to serve low-income children, PeachCare for Kids. In addition to assessing the quality of care received by enrolled children, the evaluation has also included stakeholder surveys and statistical modeling to measure enrollment and cost impacts of both proposed and implemented policy changes. (\$390,000)

**Policy Briefs for Florida, Mississippi, and South Carolina.** The Georgia Health Policy Center produced policy briefs related to health reform for other public health institutes, including the Florida Public Health Institute, Center for Mississippi Health Policy, and the South Carolina Public Health Institute. The Health Reform Employer Package, including a policy brief and an online tool, the 50-State Health Reform Calculator for Small Businesses<sup>®</sup>, was also created in partnership with Florida and Mississippi. (\$32,500)

## PRIVATE POLICY & GRANTS MANAGEMENT

*Georgia Health Policy Center partners with public and private grant makers to leverage federal, state, local, and philanthropic resources to understand, prioritize and structure investments in health issues. The center is also the research arm and administrative home for the Philanthropic Collaborative for a Healthy Georgia.*

**Philanthropic Collaborative for a Healthy Georgia.** Georgia Health Policy Center conducted a series of meetings to inform collaborative partners about the infrastructure and capacity of Georgia's health care safety net services. The center is also working with a Georgia Department of Education advisory committee to implement a state law that would require a fitness assessment for all students enrolled in physical education classes (HB 229). (\$613,387)

## LONG-TERM CARE

*Georgia Health Policy Center is a respected voice on long-term care policy, program development and evaluation in Georgia. The program conducts sound, evidence-based research that contributes to the current body of knowledge on long-term care in the United States.*

**Aging and Disability Resource Connection Evaluation.** Georgia Health Policy Center is providing evaluation and technical assistance services to the Division of Aging Services related to their expansion of the Aging and Disability Resource Connection across Georgia. (\$135,000)

**Evaluation of Georgia's Enhanced Care Program.** Since 2005, GHPC has provided external evaluation support to APS Healthcare and United Healthcare in their performance of the Georgia Enhanced Care Program, a disease management program for Georgia Medicaid members who are aged, blind or disabled. (\$390,000)

**DHS Division of Aging Services Community Care Services Program.** The Georgia Health Policy Center is providing research support services to the Division of Aging Services, Department of Human Services for their Community Care Services Program and the design and management of the State Plan on Aging under the federal Older Americans Act (OAA). The GHPC will conduct data collection, analysis, and provide final reports including information from a general population survey and a caregiver survey. (\$75,200)

**DHS Division of Aging Alzheimer's Innovation Programs.** The Georgia Health Policy Center has been engaged by the Division of Aging Services, Georgia Department of Human Services to evaluate their Alzheimer's Disease Innovation Program. This program, awarded by the federal Administration on Aging, will involve the implementation of multiple interventions to improve the system that provides services to those with early Alzheimer's disease and their families. The GHPC will evaluate the outcomes of specific interventions. (\$20,000)

**Policy Support to the Alzheimer's Association, Georgia Chapter.** The Georgia Health Policy Center is providing research support and policy guidance to the Alzheimer's Association, Georgia Chapter in the areas of driver safety, Alzheimer's surveillance, implementation of national guidelines, and funding for persons with Alzheimer's disease. (\$37,500)

## SOCIAL DETERMINANTS OF HEALTH EQUITY

*The center works to reduce health disparities by addressing social determinants of health, which we define as the social factors and systems that interact to facilitate or impede individual and community health. We seek policy solutions at local, state and national levels; in public and private settings; and in alignment among all of these.*

**Center for Leadership in Disability.** Georgia Health Policy Center is working with the Center for Leadership in Disability on their three-year, \$675,000 grant (with the Satcher Health Leadership Institute at Morehouse School of Medicine) to develop a joint program on developmental disabilities. Funding comes from the Administration on Developmental Disabilities of the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services. The partnership will focus on improving access to services and supports to reduce and ultimately eliminate health disparities for individuals from minority backgrounds with disabilities, and their families. (\$12,105)

**Centers for Disease Control and Prevention - A Health in All Policies Approach to Large Scale Redevelopment: The Fort McPherson BRAC Case Study.** The CDC engaged the Georgia Health Policy Center in a “Health in All Policies” project related to the closure and redevelopment of Fort McPherson, a 488-acre Army base in Atlanta, Georgia. The purpose of this project was to: (1) explore the Fort McPherson BRAC redevelopment as a case study of a Health in All Policies approach to large-scale redevelopment; and (2) further explore how Health in All Policies can be operationalized by federal agencies that are relevant to large scale redevelopment efforts such as BRAC.

The first phase of this work involved background research, community engagement, participant observation, and a health impact assessment to gather information about base closure/redevelopment, issues of community concern, and the “windows of opportunity” to influence the redevelopment plans. The second phase involved key informant interviews and a federal stakeholder expert meeting to identify strategies for promoting a Health in All Policies perspective at the federal level. (\$100,000)

**Healthy Places, Infectious Disease Prevention and Health Promotion in the Context of Community Change and Redevelopment (BRAC II).** The CDC and the National Center for HIV/AIDS, Viral Hepatitis, STD and Tuberculosis Prevention, Division of STD Prevention, selected the Georgia Health Policy Center to assist in a community engagement project. The project will assess what policy, systems, data, environmental, and community efficacy opportunities exist for improving sexual health and reducing STDs in the area surrounding Fort McPherson in Atlanta, GA. (\$145,497)

## CENTER PUBLICATIONS

**Mary Ann Phillips**, Mark Rivera, John Shoemaker, and **Karen Minyard** (2010). Georgia’s Utilization Minigrant Program: Promoting Medicaid/CHIP Outreach. *Journal of Health Care for the Poor and Underserved*, Vol. 21, Number 4, November 2010.

**Mei Zhou, Jim Marton, Patricia Ketsche**, “SCHIP Premiums, Enrollment, and Expenditures: A Two State, Competing Hazards Analysis,” accepted for publication in 2010, *Health Economics*.

**Wong, N.T.**, Zimmerman, M.A. & Parker, E.A. (2010). A Typology of Youth Participation and Empowerment for Adolescent Health Promotion. *American Journal of Community Psychology*, 46, 100-114.

**Mary Ann Phillips**, Inas Rashad Kelly, Michelle Revels, Dawud Ujamaa (2010). “Contribution of the School Environment to Physical Fitness in Children and Youth,” *Journal of Physical Activity and Health*, Vol. 7, Issue 3, 333-342, May 2010.

Bhatia R, **Branscomb Jane**, Farhang L, Lee M, Orenstein M, Richardson M (2010). “Minimum Elements and Practice Standards for Health Impact Assessment,” Version 2, North American HIA Practice Standards Working Group, Oakland, CA, November 2010.

**Angie Snyder**, “Financial Analysis of Policy Changes under CHIPRA: Analyzing 12-month continuous

eligibility and premium assistance options,” Georgia Department of Community Health, June 2010.

**Angie Snyder**, “PeachCare for Kids: Effect of Premium Changes & Health Status on Duration of Program Enrollment,” Georgia Department of Community Health, June 2010.

**Angie Snyder**, Senior Research Associate and **Natalie Towns**, Research Associate II with the Georgia Health Policy Center, completed a needs assessment for the Georgia Department of Human Services on the domestic violence services in Georgia. The assessment addressed whether or not the certified violence shelters in Georgia are geographically placed to meet the domestic violence needs of Georgians and determined the optimal mix of shelter versus outreach services.

**Glenn M. Landers, Mei Zhou**, “An Analysis of Relationships among Peer Support, Psychiatric Hospitalization, and Crisis Stabilization,” electronic pre-publication, *Community Mental Health Journal*, June 2009.

## WORKING PAPERS

**Rachel Ferencik**, “Using Systems Thinking in State Policymaking: An Educational Initiative”

**Glenn M. Landers**, “An Analysis of Relationships among Peer Support Utilization and Medicaid Costs”

**Glenn M. Landers**, “The Impact of Medicaid Peer Support Utilization on Cost”

**Chris Parker, Glenn M. Landers** and **Naima Wong** (with Lars Mathiassen and Daryl Romanow), “Technology Acceptance in a Free Clinic: A Georgia Case Study”

**Chris Parker, James Marton, Karen J. Minyard**, Peggy Honore, “Does More Public Health Spending Buy Better Health Outcomes?”

**Chris Parker, Glenn M. Landers**, Daryl Romanow, and Lars Mathiassen (Center for Process Innovation at the J. Mack Robinson College of Business), “IT-Enabled Chronic Care Management: The Role and Impact of Contextual Design,” submitted to the *European Journal of Information Systems*.

## JOURNAL REFEREEING

**Chris Parker** served as reviewer/referee for *Progress in Community Health Partnerships: Research, Education, and Action*, a Robert Wood Johnson-supported journal aimed at publishing community-based participatory research, focused on community health and improvements to population health.

**Holly Avey** served as a referee for the *Journal of Health Care for the Poor and Underserved*.

## PRESENTATIONS

The **Georgia Health Policy Center** held health policy education sessions for the Georgia General Assembly on January 26, 27, & 28, 2010. This abbreviated version of the Legislative Health Policy Certificate Program was designed to assist in vital decision making that will occur in the months ahead with regard to health care. Legislators and staff members were educated on evaluating health policy from a systems perspective, health financing and access to care. Participants were also given the opportunity to experiment with the childhood obesity model, an interactive computer simulation that tests a variety of policy options to reduce childhood obesity.

**Karen Minyard**, director of the Georgia Health Policy Center and associate research professor for Public Management and Policy, and Pat Ketsche, associate professor at the Institute of Health Administration, J.

Mack Robinson College of Business, presented “Pressing Health Issues in Challenging Economic Times,” to a Joint Session of the Georgia Senate and House of Representatives Health and Human Services Committees on Tuesday, February 16, 2010.

**Beverly Tyler**, senior research associate for the Georgia Health Policy Center, presented “The Importance of Advance Care Planning,” as a guest lecturer in the School of Nursing, University of Georgia on February 23, 2010.

**Glenn M. Landers**, senior research associate for the Georgia Health Policy Center, presented “ADRCs Do What? Using Logic Models to Document and Improve ADRC Outcomes” at the Aging and Disabled Resource Center Grantee National Meeting in Washington, D.C., on February 24, 2010.

**Beverly Tyler** presented “Use of Qualitative Research in Identifying Health Care Values,” as a guest lecturer in a class taught by Dr. William Custer, J. Mack Robinson College of Business on March 15, 2010.

**Beverly Tyler** presented “Sustainability of Rural Health Community Initiatives,” at the National Coalition of Rural Health Networks Annual Conference, San Antonio, TX, on April 20 – 21, 2010.

**Jane Branscomb** presented on the role of health impact assessments for a panel session titled “Community-Driven and Health-Centered: Redevelopment at Fort McPherson,” at the Congress for the New Urbanism’s Conference in Atlanta on May 20, 2010.

**Karen Minyard** presented on the center’s recent work related to national health reform at the State Health Policy Collaborative Meeting during the National Network of Public Health Institutes’ annual meeting in New Orleans on June 7, 2010.

**Karen Minyard** moderated the presentation “HRSA’s Role in Public Health,” at the National Network of Public Health Institutes’ annual meeting in New Orleans on June 8, 2010.

**Glenn M. Landers** moderated the panel “*Bridging Hospitals and Community Health: Community Benefit Discussion*,” at the National Network of Public Health Institutes’ annual meeting in New Orleans on June 8, 2010.

**Holly Avey** presented “Health in All Policies and Health Impact Assessment: BRAC and Other Examples” at the National Network of Public Health Institutes’ annual meeting in New Orleans on June 8, 2010.

**Mary Ann Phillips**, senior research associate for the Georgia Health Policy Center, presented “Two States’ Approaches to Legislative Education,” at the National Network of Public Health Institutes’ annual meeting in New Orleans on June 8, 2010.

**Naima Wong**, research associate II for the Georgia Health Policy Center, presented “Implementing Environment & Policy Change for Healthy Neighborhoods: Reflections from the Field,” at the National Network of Public Health Institutes’ annual meeting in New Orleans on June 8, 2010.

**Naima Wong** presented “Health Impact Assessment as a Tool for Health in All Policies: A Military Base Redevelopment Case Study,” at the W.K. Kellogg Health Scholars Program in Washington, D.C., on June 11, 2010.

**Karen Minyard** presented “Using Systems Thinking and Collaborative Modeling to Improve State Policymaking” as the plenary speaker for the 2010 Institute on Systems Science and Health (ISSH) at the Mailman School of Public Health, Columbia University in New York, N.Y., on June 17, 2010.

**Tina Anderson Smith**, a consultant for the Georgia Health Policy Center, presented “From Anecdotes to

Archetypes: A Systems Analysis of the Sustainability of Community-Based Interventions,” by Smith and **Beverly Tyler** at the AcademyHealth Annual Research Meeting in Boston, MA, June 29, 2010.

**Beverly Tyler** presented “Sustainability of Rural Health Community Initiatives,” at the HRSA Office of Rural Health Policy Outreach and Network Development Programs Conference, Washington, D.C., on August 3, 2010.

**Mary Ann Phillips** and **Rachel Ferencik** presented “Using a Collaborative System Model to Help Legislators Improve Childhood Obesity Prevention Policies,” at the Southern Obesity Summit in Atlanta, Ga., on September 13, 2010.

**Beverly Tyler** presented “Evaluating Rural Health Interventions,” at the HRSA Office of Rural Health Policy Delta States Program Conference in St. Louis, MO, on September 13, 2010.

**Beverly Tyler** presented “Sustainability of Rural Health Community Initiatives” at the Georgia Rural Health Association Annual Meeting in Hiawassee, GA, on September 20, 2010.

**Rachel Ferencik** was a guest lecturer for “Health Policy and Ethics,” a Master of Health Administration (MHA) course taught by Dr. Patricia Ketsche, J. Mack Robinson College of Business.

**Chris Parker**, senior research associate (Georgia Health Policy Center), presented “An Overview of Health Reform” as a guest lecturer in a class taught by Dr. Bruce Perry, Institute of Public Health, College of Health and Human Sciences.

**Glenn M. Landers** presented a webinar titled “An Overview of Health Reform and Implications for the Healthcare Safety Net,” to the Colorado Health Institute’s Safety Net Monitoring Network on July 13, 2010.

**Karen Minyard** presented “Health Reform: Local Safety Net Implications” at the National Health Policy Forum Session “Focus on Reform: Health Care Safety Net-Related Provisions” on July 16, 2010, in Washington, D.C. Members of Congress, congressional staff, and executive agency staff were in attendance. More information including the presentation can be viewed online at <http://www.nhpf.org/library/details.cfm/2809>.

**Holly Avey** presented “Built Environment and Homeless Assistance: BRAC and Health in All Policies” at the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention Symposium on Public Health and Homelessness in Atlanta, GA, on August 25, 2010.

**Amanda Phillips Martinez** presented “Understanding the Impact of the Rural Health Network Development and Rural Health Care Services Outreach Grant Programs: A Sustainability Assessment of Former Grantees” at the Health Resources and Services Administration, Federal Office of Rural Health Policy on August 2, 2010.

**Naima Wong** and **Holly Avey** presented “Linking Programs to Policy to Prevent Childhood Obesity” to the American Community Garden Association, Atlanta, GA, on August 5, 2010.

**Karen Minyard** presented “Access Health South Carolina and Health Reform” at Access Health South Carolina on August 16, 2010.

**Karen Minyard** presented “Health Reform: An Overview” at the Healthcare Georgia Foundation’s Board Retreat at Callaway Gardens, Pine Mountains, GA, on September 9, 2010.

**Karen Minyard** presented “Health Reform: Local Safety Net Implications” to the Care Share Health

Alliance via Skype on September 24, 2010.

**Holly Avey** presented “Introduction to Health in All Policies” webinar for the Louisiana Public Health Institute’s Campaign for Tobacco-Free Living Center for Community Capacity Training on September 30, 2010.

**Karen Minyard** presented a webinar titled “The Science Behind Health Reform” to the Public Health Leadership Society, National Network of Public Health Institutes on October 12, 2010.

**Karen Minyard** presented “Health Care Reform: Let’s Talk Practically” at the 2010 Annual Meeting of the Georgia Alliance of Community Hospitals at Lake Oconee, GA, on October 14, 2010.

**Karen Minyard** presented “Health Care Policy Overview and Implications” to the Atlanta Economics Club in Atlanta, GA, on October 19, 2010.

**Glenn M. Landers** and **Mei Zhou**, research associate/data analyst (Georgia Health Policy Center), presented “The Impact of Medicaid Peer Support Utilization on Cost” at the Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management (APPAM) annual conference on November 5, 2010, in Boston, MA.

**Naima Wong** presented a paper by Wong and **Chris Parker** titled “Organizational Development for Health Equity: Lessons Learned from an Environment and Policy Change Community Benefits Health Initiative” at the American Public Health Association Meeting & Expo, Denver, CO, November 8, 2010.

**Glenn M. Landers** presented a paper titled “Evaluation of Peer Support Programs: Implications for Utility and Accuracy” at the American Evaluation Association (AEA) annual conference, San Antonio, TX, November 13, 2010.

**Chris Parker** presented “Health Status in Central Georgia” at the Central Georgia Obesity Summit in Perry, GA on November 2010.

**Holly Avey** presented “Data Translation: Using Policy Briefs to Communicate the Need for Action” at the PRAMS National Meeting in San Antonio, TX on December 14, 2010.

**Holly Avey** presented “Picture, Population and Purpose: Policy Briefs that Pop” at PRAMS National Meeting in San Antonio, TX on December 14, 2010.

## POSTER PRESENTATIONS

**Holly Avey** and **Jane Branscomb** presented a poster on “Using Health Impact Assessment to Promote Health in All Policies: An Exploration through the Base Realignment and Closure Process” at the Health Impact Assessment of the Americas Workshop in Oakland, CA on March 25, 2010.

**Holly Avey** presented “Developing Fort McPherson as a Healthier Place: A Health in All Policies Approach” to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention Built Environment Work Group in Atlanta, GA, April 2010.

**Angie Snyder** presented a poster by Snyder, Daniel Crimmins, and **Mei Zhou** on “Geographic Disparities in Service utilization by Medicaid and CHIP-eligible Children with Autism,” at the AcademyHealth Annual Research Meeting in Boston, MA, June 27, 2010.

**Jim Marton**, Associate Professor of Economics, presented a poster by Marton, Patricia Ketsche, Kathleen Adams, **Angela Snyder**, and **Mei Zhou** on “SCHIP Premiums, Health Status and Price Elasticity,” at the AcademyHealth Annual Research Meeting in Boston, MA, June 27, 2010.

**Rachel Ferencik** presented a poster by Ferencik, **Angela Snyder, Heather Devlin, Karen Minyard,** Chris Soderquist, B. Denise Raynor on “Using Collaborative Modeling to Improve Birth Outcomes,” at the AcademyHealth Annual Research Meeting in Boston, MA, June 27, 2010.

**Holly Avey** presented a poster by Avey, **Karen Minyard,** Heather Devlin, **Naima Wong, Jane Branscomb,** and **Karen Cheung** on “Redeveloping Closed Military Installations with a Health in All Policies Approach,” at the AcademyHealth Annual Research Meeting in Boston, MA, June 28, 2010.

**Glenn M. Landers** presented a poster by Landers and **Mei Zhou** on “The Impact of Medicaid Peer Support Utilization on Cost,” at the AcademyHealth Annual Research Meeting in Boston, MA, June 28, 2010.

**Glenn M. Landers** presented a poster by Landers and Heather Devlin on “Current Status of State-Based Public Health Surveillance of Alzheimer’s Disease,” at the AcademyHealth Annual Research Meeting in Boston, MA, June 28, 2010.

**Mary Ann Phillips** presented a poster by Phillips and **Karen Minyard** on “Leveraging Philanthropic Investment to Improve the Health Care Safety Net through Targeted Research Translation,” at the AcademyHealth Annual Research Meeting in Boston, MA, June 28, 2010.

**Jim Marton** presented a poster by Marton, **Chris Parker,** Peggy Honore, and **Karen Minyard** titled “Does More Public Health Spending Buy Better Health Outcomes?” at the AcademyHealth Annual Research Meeting in Boston, MA, June 28, 2010.

**Chris Parker** presented a poster by Parker, **Glenn M. Landers, Naima Wong,** Lars Mathiassen, Daryl Romanow titled “Using EMRs and PHRs to support the Chronic Care Model in a rural setting: Can it ever be ‘meaningful?’” at the AcademyHealth Annual Research Meeting in Boston, MA, June 28, 2010.

**Karen Minyard** presented a poster by Minyard, **Mary Ann Phillips, Naima Wong, and Jane Branscomb** on “A Theory Based Approach to Public Health Institute Effectiveness Assessment,” at the AcademyHealth Annual Research Meeting in Boston, MA, June 28, 2010.

**Glenn M. Landers** and **Mei Zhou** were accepted to present, “The Impact of Medicaid Peer Support Utilization on Cost” at the Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management (APPAM) annual conference on November 5, 2010, in Boston, MA.

**Angie Snyder** presented a poster by **Natalie Towns,** Christina Scherrer, and Paul Griffin titled “Using Systems Engineering Tools to Inform a Geographic Needs Assessment” at the American Evaluation Association (AEA) annual conference on November 10, 2010, in San Antonio, TX.

**Angie Snyder** presented a poster by **Natalie Towns,** research associate II (Georgia Health Policy Center), Christina Scherrer, and Paul Griffin titled “Using Systems Engineering Tools to Inform a Geographic Needs Assessment” at the American Evaluation Association (AEA) annual conference on November 10, 2010, in San Antonio, TX.

**Glenn M. Landers** presented a paper titled “Evaluation of Peer Support Programs: Implications for Utility and Accuracy” at the American Evaluation Association (AEA) annual conference on November 13, 2010, in San Antonio, TX.

**Rachel Ferencik** presented “Collaborative Modeling to Address Childhood Obesity: Bridging Research and Policymaking” at Modeling for Public Health Action: From Epidemiology to Operations in Atlanta, GA, on December 10, 2010.

## AWARDS/COMMITTEES

**Naima Wong** was awarded the Kaiser Permanente Chris Burch Minority Leadership Development Award through the Kellogg Health Scholars program managed by the Center for Advancing Health. This opportunity will allow her to advance her health policy-related professional development over the next two years.

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention awarded the **Georgia Health Policy Center** with the 2009 Innovations in Public Health Policy Competition Award at a ceremony on Monday, November 15, 2010, for “Developing BRAC [Base Realignment and Closure] Installations as Healthy Places: A Health Policy Approach.” **Naima Wong** and **Jane Branscomb** gave a presentation and accepted the award on behalf of all staff involved, including **Beth Fuller**, **Holly Avey**, **Karen Minyard**, and **Karen Cheung**.

**Glenn M. Landers** was honored in December 2010 with the “Outstanding Student Award” from the Tulane University School of Public Health and Tropical Medicine, Health Systems Management, Executive Doctor of Science, 2009 Cohort.

**Jane Branscomb** was selected as a member of the Phi Chapter of the Delta Omega Honorary Society at the Rollins School of Public Health at Emory University in 2010.

**Chris Parker** was appointed to the Board of the Georgia Rural Health Association in February 2010.

**Chris Parker** was appointed to the National Network of Public Health Institutes Quality and Accreditation Advisory Board in June 2010.

**Chris Parker** organized two Implementation Congresses for the Georgia Comprehensive Cancer Control Consortium in June and October 2010.

**Naima Wong** traveled with the Kellogg Fellows Leadership Alliance on a site visit to Havana, Cuba in February 2010 to research the Cuban healthcare, education, and agricultural systems. Findings were presented to staff at the Georgia Health Policy Center.

**Naima Wong** served on the DeKalb County Community Hero Award Nominee Review Committee.

**Holly Avey** and **Mary Ann Phillips** served on the planning committee for the National Network of Public Health Institutes Annual Meeting, June 2010.

**Holly Avey** is a founding member of Society for Practitioners of Health Impact Assessment.

**Holly Avey** attended a training in DYNAMO-HIA software, which uses systems dynamic modeling for health impact assessments in the Netherlands in November 2010.

**Holly Avey and Angie Snyder** served on Babies Born Healthy Leadership Council for metropolitan Atlanta region.

**Holly Avey** serves on the Plan 2040 Health Impact Assessment (HIA) Advisory Committee for metropolitan Atlanta region.

**Jane Branscomb** served on the North American HIA Practice Standards Working Group.

**Glenn M. Landers** served on the Administration on Aging’s Options Counseling Standards Committee.

**Karen Minyard** served as the chair of the National Network for Public Health Institutes Board.

**Karen Minyard** serves as a board member for the Physicians' Innovation Network.

**Karen Minyard** serves as vice chair and founding board member for Communities Joined in Action.

**Karen Minyard** serves as a board member for Georgia Health Decisions.

**Karen Minyard** is a member of the American Nurses Association, Academy of Health Service Research and Health Policy, Strategic Management Society, Academy of Management, Southern Management Association, National Rural Health Association, and Georgia Rural Health Association.

**Mary Ann Phillips** is a member and advisor to the Georgia Division of Public Health's Georgia Food Policy Council.

**Mary Ann Phillips** is participating as a committee member on the 2010 and 2011 Annual Conference Planning Committee for the Southern Obesity Summit.

**Mary Ann Phillips** serves as a member of the Imagine It! Children's Museum of Atlanta's Exhibits and Education Advisory Committee.

**Mary Ann Phillips** serves as a committee member of the Policy Leadership for Active Youth, Leadership Council.

**Angie Snyder** was a member of the Governor's Leadership Group on Health for the Governor's Cabinet in 2010.

**Angie Snyder** was a steering committee member for the Georgia Children's Health Alliance in 2010.

**Angie Snyder** served as a committee member for the Georgia Division of Public Health's Georgia Dental Coalition.

## INTERNATIONAL STUDIES PROGRAM

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*The mission of the International Studies Program (ISP) is to provide academic and technical training, research, and technical assistance in support of sound public policy and sustainable economic growth in transition and developing economies. **Jorge Martinez-Vazquez** is the Director of the International Studies Program.*

### PROJECTS

**Jordan Fiscal Reform II.** (\$241,586) The USAID/Jordan Fiscal Reform Project II Task Order was awarded to Development Alternatives, Inc. (DAI). As part of this task order, DAI issued a subcontract to the International Studies Program for this project (\$803,649). The purpose of Jordan Fiscal Reform II Project (FRP II) is to support a technical assistance program in Jordan in the areas of tax and customs administration, budget management, more effective economic policy formulation, and an improved system for valuation and taxation of real property at the national and local levels. ISP's main counterpart is the Jordanian Ministry of Finance (MOF). To achieve the project's objectives, FRP II has been broken down into five main components: Tax Revenue Mobilization, Public Financial Management, MOF Economic Policy Analysis, Customs Administration and Trade Facilitation, and MOF Structure and Operations.

As part of the subcontract, ISP was involved in the following work during 2010:

**Eunice Heredia-Ortiz** traveled to Jordan in February to assess the status quo at the Studies and Economic Policies Department (SEPD) and the Macro Fiscal Unit (MFU). The assessment included current capabilities of SEPD employees, tools and models currently adopted, organizational structure, and the current plans to upgrade the performance of this department. She recommended measures to strengthen the in-house capacity to produce sound quantitative and impact analysis of macro-fiscal policy options.

**Roy Bahl** traveled to Jordan in August to conduct a comprehensive property tax assessment that recommended an overall property tax reform strategy for the Government of Jordan. This assessment covered the legal, institutional, and policy issues surrounding the annual property tax and the property transaction fee, and built on the Fiscal Reform I property tax review and recommendations from their Comprehensive Tax Reform Program. His strategy paper analyzed the property tax rates and revenues; assessed the institutions overseeing and administering these taxes and fees, including the Ministry of Finance, Department of Lands and Survey, and the largest municipality – Greater Amman Municipality; reviewed property tax legislation; and developed a property tax reform strategy for the Government of Jordan which included the Greater Amman Municipality.

**Najem Ghraibeh**, with the Jordanian Ministry of Finance, traveled to Atlanta, Ga., from July through October to work with **Cristian Sepulveda** and **Jorge Martinez-Vazquez**. They developed a preliminary policy paper about fiscal decentralization in Jordan that could help guide the current decentralization discussions.

**Naif Salem Y. Ibrahim** (Manager of Budget Governorate General Budget Department in Jordan) and **Majdi Faysal Al-Shuraiqi** (Head of Studies and Information Directorate Budget Department in Jordan) both attended the Public Budgeting and Fiscal Management training program held at the Andrew Young School during August 2010.

**CEPAL: Efficiency, Responsibility, and Innovation: Decentralization and Governance.** (\$24,000)  
The United Nations Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean (ECLAC) contracted

with ISP for the project “A Road to Sustainable Development: Efficiency, Responsibility and Innovation: Decentralization and Governance—Public Service Delivery and Intergovernmental Transfers.” The objective of the project is to strengthen the capacity of the region’s governments to take advantage of the potential benefit and minimize the cost of the decentralization process, within a framework of multi-level governance.

The ISP was contracted to write two reports, “The property tax in Latin-America: an Assessment of the revenue rising problems and options for reform” and “Intergovernmental fiscal transfers and their impact in public service delivery.” The objective of the reports is to identify the main challenges faced by Latin American countries in these two areas and suggest feasible policy reforms. Both studies will be published by ECLAC in a book about fiscal decentralization in Latin America. **Cristian Sepulveda** (ISP) led this project.

**United Cities - Global Observatory on Decentralization and Local Governance.** (\$8,000) The World Secretariat of United Cities and Local Governments contracted ISP to contribute *Chapter 9: Metropolitan Areas to the Global Report on Local Democracy and Decentralisation (GOLD)*. This chapter provides a general diagnostic of the state of subnational finances in a large number of developed, transition and developing countries. The chapter has a particular focus on the current systems of revenue and expenditure assignments along two main dimensions: adequacy in terms of allowing subnational governments sufficient sources of income to fulfill their functional expenditure responsibilities, and the degree of fiscal autonomy that subnational governments can exercise. **Jorge Martinez-Vazquez** (GSU), **Paul Smoke** (NYU), and **Roy Bahl** (GSU) coordinated the research effort.

**West Bengal - The PRI Fiscal Framework (2009–2010).** (\$118,000) ISP was contracted to produce three studies, which were completed in 2010.

Study I provided an update on the status of PRI finances in West Bengal, focusing on the gram panchayat (GP) level. The scope of this task did not include a full update and analysis of the fiscal situation of all GPs. Instead, case studies of nine GPs, two blocks, and one district were used to provide updated information on the finances of West Bengal PRIs, with a focus on the GPs. Data from the PRDD was used to update the status of expenditures, revenues, opening and closing balances for all districts, blocks, and GPs. The first field visits were made in 2009.

Study II provided a detailed assessment of the current state of budgeting and financial management capacity of the PRIs, assessed PRI financial management reforms, and focused attention on the capacity of GPs to manage budgets and fiscal flow. Results from this work supported development of a new grant program. It highlighted budgeting and financial management issues relevant to creating an efficient flow of funds in such a program, given the assessed capacity of the GPs and PRI.

On the basis of the first two studies, Study III outlined a detailed proposal for a new fiscal transfer to Gram Panchayats designed to support their financing needs and incentivize improved institutional performance. The goal of the new transfer is to develop GP-level financial management capacity to increase the efficiency and effectiveness of service delivery. The new grant mechanism also is expected to increase the fiscal autonomy of PRIs. This project was led by **Katherine Willoughby** with support and input from **Juan Luis Gomez**, **Andrey Timofeev** and **Sally Wallace**, with further reports submitted in 2010.

**Egypt Decentralization Initiative – Fiscal Support.** (\$1 million) USAID awarded ISP additional money as part of the Egypt Decentralization Initiative, as a subcontractor to Planning and Collaborative International (PADCO). The continuing work will concentrate six areas of technical assistance where GSU is contributing to the ongoing decentralization initiative in Egypt. These activities will include:

(1) providing technical assistance in the development of a decentralization strategy and implementation plan and continued assistance during the implementation phase of the decentralization strategy, (2) strengthening the policy capabilities of modeling thereby building the analytical capacity of the new technical office, (3) support to the research agenda for decentralization, (4) provision of training programs for central and local government officials, (5) facilitating the development of a national curriculum on decentralization policy, and (6) facilitating donor coordination for decentralization policy.

In 2010, as part of the ongoing work on this subcontract, **Roy Bahl** authored the paper “The Intergovernmental Fiscal Transfers as a Tool to Finance Local Economic Development: International Experiences.” He presented the paper at the Conference on Localizing Economic Development, hosted by the Department of Economics, Faculty of Economics and Political Science, Cairo University, December 18-19, 2010.

In addition, Bahl delivered a training workshop on Intergovernmental Fiscal Transfers for the Permanent Committee for Fiscal Decentralization in Egypt. A Permanent Steering Committee for Fiscal Decentralization was established in the Ministry of Finance to guide and support the implementation of fiscal decentralization in Egypt.

The training included, but was not limited to, the following topics:

- The concept of intergovernmental transfers
- Types of transfers
- Design of intergovernmental transfers and the estimation of vertical and horizontal dimensions of fiscal transfers
- Approaches to designing funding formulas and different approaches to decide on the transfer pool
- Methods of estimating expenditure needs and fiscal capacity and international experiences
- Calculating and treating fiscal gaps

**Perú with the “Corporacion Andina de Fomento” (CAF) – Technical Assistance for Fiscal Decentralization.** (\$464,286) With the fundamental objective to increase the efficiency and equity of a public sector that is highly fragmented into almost 2000 sub-national governments, the decentralizing process in Peru, initiated in 2002, continues to establish pillars of the national system of fiscal intergovernmental relations. In spite of the progress reached in defining key elements of the system, the reform currently lacks integration between its technical components. The Corporacion Andina de Fomento (CAF), in response to the Government of Peru Ministry of Finance’s assistance request, contracted with ISP to support Peru’s fiscal decentralization efforts.

In coordination with the Peruvian authorities, CAF proposes a program of training and technical assistance in the fiscal sector that includes the following objectives:

- Training on sub-national public management
- Analysis and redesign of intergovernmental fiscal relations and defining its impact on the territorial fairness
- Sub-national governance training
- Inter-municipal cooperation for the provision of public services

During 2010, the ISP delivered two policy reports and two trainings programs in fiscal decentralization. The policy reports focused on territorial reform and the public service provision, and on decentralization of revenue sources and the development of revenue collection capacity of regional and municipal

governments in Peru. The training programs, offered to a selected group of sub-national government personnel and university professors, focused on the areas of fiscal decentralization and local economic development and were delivered in two regions of the country.

**Bihar Panchayati Raj Institution Finance Study.** (\$116,830) The World Bank commissioned the ISP to complete a study of Panchayati Raj Institution (PRI) Finances in Bihar, and work continued in 2010 on this assignment. This study aimed to understand how PRIs in Bihar are currently financed and staffed, whether funds and functionaries match PRIs' legal responsibilities, whether there is sufficient fiscal and human resource management autonomy for PRIs to influence development outcome at their localities, the expenditure priorities of PRIs and how these priorities are formally and informally determined, and the existing accountability framework for public finance at the PRI levels. It also examined current revenue assignment to PRI and collection efforts. **Mark Rider** (Econ, ISP) was the lead technical on this study.

**HED-GSU/Cairo University Collaborative Partnership.** (\$400,000) The ISP was awarded an HED grant to develop a partnership between the Andrew Young School and Cairo University's Department of Economics, Faculty of Economics and Political Sciences (DOE-FEPS), with the goal of serving as a regional hub for teaching and research. By increasing the capacity of DOE-FEPS faculty in economics research, the university can strengthen outreach capacity. This partnership will provide technical assistance in economics to Egypt and the Middle East region. It will enhance the quality of economics teaching and research to serve a variety of stakeholders, including think tanks, development agencies, the Egyptian government, civil society, the private sector and government policymakers.

There were a number of significant accomplishments in 2010.

The research component under the project was launched in April 2010. Various steps were planned to expedite work on partnership components. As a result of these discussions, the work plan was modified, and a revised budget was prepared and submitted to HED. Cairo University Department of Economics faculty members were identified on the partnership's research component, and the arrangement to support joint research was planned. At GSU, faculty members **Mary Beth Walker** (AYS Dean), **Mark Rider** (Econ and ISP), and **Andrew Feltenstein** (Econ and ISP) responded to the Call for Papers. Three CU faculty members were short listed and are in contact with GSU faculty members to start work on their joint research projects and are expected to visit GSU to consolidate on their research as part of the work plan.

By the end of 2010, the International Studies Program had made advanced plans for the short-term visit of the three CU faculty members in early 2011. GSU closely followed USAID protocol to make visa and pre-departure arrangements for the visiting scholars. These related tasks required close supervision and significant administrative efforts over a six-month period. Other important activities started were the design and construction of web-based resource center, and the Masters student exchange program. A local Egyptian program manager was appointed to coordinate and facilitate implementation of work plan activities. **Musharraf Cyan** (ISP) took the lead technical role in this project, with operational support from **Paul Benson**, **Shereen Bhan** and **Hiram Seraphin**.

**USAID: Indonesia – Dual Masters Program in Applied Economics.** (\$805,267) The award of this USAID grant, an academic collaboration in Support of the Fiscal Policy Office at the Ministry of Finance of Indonesia, develops a collaborative dual master's degree program between Georgia State University (GSU) and Universitas Gadjah Mada (UGM).

The goals of the program are to contribute to economic development and better governance in Indonesia by enhancing the institutional capacity of the Ministry of Finance's Fiscal Policy Office to perform objective and accurate economic and fiscal analysis, and support reform of economic and fiscal policies in

Indonesia; and to strengthen the outreach capacity at UGM and GSU to serve as providers of teaching, research and technical assistance of economic and public policy in Indonesia.

Five objectives of the program are to:

- Train and award master degrees to 30 Indonesian students, including staff from the Fiscal Policy Office
- Award participants a Master of Arts Degree from Georgia State University and concurrently a Master of Science Degree from Universitas Gadjah Mada
- Offer course work that is specifically designed to the need of Indonesian students and participants from the Fiscal Policy Office
- Engage in the support of more informed decisions and policy making by conducting and disseminating applied research from joint work between faculty and students from both universities which can result in publications, and
- Support the integration of appropriate technology and learning techniques in the academic and outreach components of the program.

In preparation for this program, ISP met with officials from UGM towards program design. ISP also worked with UGM to set up a protocol for applications and screening of suitable candidates for the program, and potential exchange visitors were invited to apply to the program. It is expected that this exchange will begin summer semester in 2011.

#### **UNDP Macedonia - Social Services in Support of Social Development and Cohesion.** (\$150,000)

Towards the end of 2010, the International Studies Program was engaged in a UNDP-sponsored project with the Macedonian ministry of Finance on Social Services in Support of Social Development and Cohesion. The two-year project began in December 2010. An evaluation will be undertaken in 2013, one year after the closing of the project.

The Ministry of Finance (Macedonia) requested UNDP's support in reviewing models of inter-governmental transfers, with emphasis on fiscal equalization framework, to be transposed into the legislative system of the country. To achieve that goal, the project will work at the policy level to reform the IGF system, with the aim of a more responsive and effective local social service delivery system that takes into account vulnerable groups' needs. The project aims to deliver:

- Improved Policy Making for Social Service Delivery, through introduction of a new model of inter-governmental transfers focusing on more equalized distribution of funds
- Capacity Development for Research and Monitoring Framework, through design of a sustainable system for data collection and analysis
- Inclusive Participatory Planning, through introduction of participatory planning service delivery practices in target municipalities.

#### **CURRENT INDEFINITE QUANTITY CONTRACTS (IQC)**

*The ISP is a member of several USAID Indefinite Quantity Contract (IQC) consortia. These contracts give USAID a quick and easy way to contract out advisory services to the ISP.*

#### **USAID IQC: Decentralized Local Governance: The AECOM-GSU Consortium (2004-2010).**

The Decentralization IQC has been commissioned (1) to increase participatory decision-making, transparency, accountability and responsiveness at all levels of government by working with both state and non-state actors; (2) to increase citizen participation in local and national government decision

making; (3) to assist local governments to serve as counterweights to central state authorities and to participate in policy making at regional and national levels; (4) to enhance the fiscal adequacy and probity of decentralized democratic governments; and (5) to enable local governments to influence their own destinies by promoting and sustaining local economic development. Moreover, the objective of this activity is to increase the capacity and performance of all levels of government (with specific focus on sub-national government agencies and elected officials) and NGOs to execute public management functions related to the provision and production of public goods and services. The emphasis will be providing technical assistance and training toward these goals, especially the capacity of sub-national governments to obtain, allocate and monitor resources.

Georgia State University is the team's (PADCO/GSU) major subcontractor, concentrating on supporting policy design and implementation in fiscal decentralization, local revenue generation, local financial management and related training.

**Fiscal Reform in Support of Trade Liberalization II (offered under SEGIR MACRO II).** The U.S. Agency for International Development's Office of Economic Growth, Agriculture and Trade initiated the Fiscal Reform in Support of Trade Liberalization worldwide program (known as The Fiscal Reform Project), which is implemented by a DAI consortium in Washington, D.C., with participation by AYSPS (contracted by DAI through the Louis Berger Group), the Boston Institute for Developing Economies and Training Resources Group, Inc.

## TRAINING 2010

**Perú – Municipal Training in Fiscal Decentralization II.** (\$12,904) The objective of this activity was to train local authorities and officials from the municipalities associated with Red de Municipalidades Rurales del Perú (REMURPE) on the basic principles of fiscal decentralization. The team was expected to make normative contributions to the ongoing debate on fiscal decentralization in Perú based on the most recent academic research, international experiences, and suggestions of decentralization policy design and implementation; provide a common conceptual framework to analyze the processes; and guide local authorities and officials in the analysis of local fiscal issues according to the academic training provided. The team also provided two four-day seminars for local authorities and officials from the associated municipalities, technical advisory assistance to REMURPE staff and representatives, and analytical exercises that applied the concepts delivered during the training. The ISP team consisted of **Juan Luis Gomez** and **Cristian Sepulveda**.

**USAID Fiscal Policy and Management Training 2010.** (\$67,000) The International Studies Program was contracted to provide a week long training program on Fiscal Policy and Management issues under the Fiscal Reform and Governance (Fiscal Reform II) IQC with Development Alternatives, Inc.

This was the sixth time the training was offered since its inaugural run in 2004. The customized training course, which ran from June 14-18 at the Andrew Young School, exposed USAID staff to the principles and recent trends in fiscal policy reform, fiscal policy financial management, tax policy design, revenue administration, and fiscal decentralization. The technical content was coordinated by **Musharraf Cyan**, ISP Senior Research Associate, whilst Hiram **Seraphin**, **Shereen Bhan** and **Paul Benson** provided operational support.

**Public Policy Summer Training Program 2010.** (\$60,395) The International Studies Program presented its annual Public Policy Summer Training Program from July 26–August 6, with a two-week course on Public Budgeting and Fiscal Management coordinated by **Katherine Willoughby** (Department of Public Management and Policy). This course exposes public sector finance officers and

budget officials from developing and transitional countries to the latest developments in budgeting and fiscal management. All participants are employed by government agencies in their home countries.

The training courses, led by a panel of distinguished faculty and leading policy experts with worldwide experience, are designed for government officials and policy makers from developing and transitional countries as well as their counterparts with international donor agencies.

The training program is designed by economics and policy faculty from the Andrew Young School of Policy Studies and took place on the Georgia State campus in Atlanta. Over the past several years, the program has trained senior government officials and donor agency representatives from countries including Ghana, Gabon, Bhutan, Kenya, Namibia, India, Macedonia, Nigeria, Pakistan, Sudan, Tanzania, Uganda, Vietnam and Zambia. Training includes intensive classroom sessions featuring lectures, fiscal policy analysis and simulations, case studies, group discussions, country-specific individual projects and field visits to relevant government offices such as the DeKalb County Tax Assessors office and Georgia Department of Revenue. This is a tuition-based program and has been successfully conducted since 2000. The training courses are led by a panel of faculty and policy experts.

Professors and Research Associates within AYSPS who lectured during the 2010 course included:

- Jorge Martinez-Vazquez – Director, International Studies Program
- Shif Gurmu – Department of Economics
- Andrey Timofeev – International Studies Program
- Katherine Willoughby – Department of Public Management and Policy
- Greg Streib – Department of Public Management and Policy
- Deon Locklin – Department of Public Management and Policy
- Jenny Ligthart – Visiting Professor, Department of Economics

**Summer School in Public Economics – VI.** (\$75,501) The International Studies Program conducted its third Summer School in Public Economics, from July 11–16, 2010. The course was sponsored by the Fundacion Rafael del Pino, Spain, in collaboration with the Instituto de Estudios Fiscales, Spain, and the International Studies Program. The course was organized for Spanish professors and government officials. It was taught by renowned public finance experts, including:

- Jesus Fernandez-Villaverde (University of Pennsylvania), Modeling Fiscal and Monetary Policy with a Perspective of the Spanish Current Crisis
- Paula Stephan (Georgia State University), The Economics of Science
- James Alm (Georgia State University), Research in Tax Compliance and Tax Evasion
- Jonathan Gruber (MIT), Research in Health Economics: Issues and Challenges
- Edward Glaeser (Harvard), Research in Housing and Urban Economics
- Glenn Harrison (Georgia State University), Research using laboratory and field experiments
- Richard Bird (University of Toronto), Research in Fiscal Federalism
- Todd Sandler (University of Texas, Dallas), Public Economics and the Study of Terrorism
- Richard Burkhauser (Cornell University), Research in Income Inequality: Trends and Measurement Issues
- W. Michael Hanemann (University of California, Berkeley), Research in Environmental Economics: Issues and Challenges
- Martin Ravallion (The World Bank), Research in Poverty and Development

## CONFERENCES

### Coercion & Social Welfare in Contemporary Public Finance, October 1-2, 2010

The International Studies Program hosted the Coercion and Social Welfare conference, organized jointly by **Jorge Martinez-Vazquez** (Georgia State University) and **Stanley Winer** (Carleton University) to explore several issues: How can we understand the meaning and role of coercion in contemporary liberal-democratic states? What is or should be the role of coercion in modern public economics? How does a concern with coercion or fiscal disharmony in public finance mesh with, or conflict with, welfarist objectives? What are the important issues and problems that may guide future research?

1. Violence and Structured Anarchy
  - I. “The Constitution of Coercion: An Extension of Wicksellian Thinking about Violence & the Ordering of Society” - John Wallis (Maryland)
  - II. “Proprietary Public Finance: Its Emergence & Evolution Out of Anarchy” - Stergios Skaperdas (U.C. Irvine)

We can imagine a world of structured anarchy, one without most of the modern fiscal institutions that exist today, where coercion of one form or another was much greater. What is (or was) ‘public finance’ in this world? How does the study of structured anarchy inform us today?
2. Philosophical Perspectives on Coercion and Public Finance
  - I. “Coercion, Taxation and Voluntary Association” - Roger Congleton (George Mason)
  - II. “Kaldor-Hicks Coercion, Coasian Bargaining and the State” - Michael Munger (Duke)
3. The Role of Coercion in Public Economic Theory
  - I. “Social Welfare and Coercion in Public Finance” - George Tridimas (Ulster), Walter Hettich (California State, Fullerton) and Stanley Winer (Carleton)
  - II. “Non-Coercion, Efficiency, & Incentive Compatibility in Public Goods Decisions” - John Ledyard (CalTech)
4. Coercion in Applied Policy Analysis
  - I. “Lindahl Net Fiscal Incidence: An Application at the Regional Level” - Jorge Martinez-Vazquez and Saloua Sehili (Georgia State)

How can we quantify the distributional impact of coercion using fiscal incidence analysis with the Lindahl solution as a neutral benchmark?
  - II. “Coercion and Federal/Decentralized Government” - Giorgio Brosio (Torino)
  - III. “How can an analysis at the institutional level in public finance diagnose and deal with institutional pathologies that break the ‘Wicksellian connection’ between what you pay and what you get. What works, what doesn’t?” - Juergen von Hagen (Bonn)
  - IV. “Environmental Issues and Coercion” - Thomas Rutherford and co-author (ETH Zurich)
5. Productive Coercion? Experimental Evidence
  - I. “Partial Coercion and Beliefs In Voluntary Contributions to Public Goods” - Elena Cettolin and Arno Riedl (Maastricht)
  - II. “Cooperating to Resist Coercion: An Experimental Study” - Lucy Ackert (Kennesaw State), Ann Gillette (Kennesaw State) and Mark Rider (Georgia State)

## WORKING PAPERS

The International Studies Program continued publication under its *Working Papers* series as summarized below.

### **Working Paper Number 10-34**

Institutional Reforms Debate and FDI Flows to MENA Region: Does One “Best” Fit All?

Wasseem Michel Mina, December 2010

The paper revisits the policy debate on institutional reform approaches to property rights protection and empirically examines it in the context of FDI flows to the MENA region. Using panel data on 11 MENA countries for the period 1991-2007 and adopting FGLS methodology, the paper finds a positive influence of improvement in the risk of investment expropriation in non-GCC MENA countries and of bilateral investment treaties in GCC countries. The joint influence of domestic institutional functions and bilateral investment treaties is positive in specifications containing investment expropriation risk and government stability in non-GCC MENA countries, and corruption in GCC countries. Results have important policy implications for the institutional reform approach to be adopted.

### **Working Paper Number 10-33**

The New Spanish System of Intergovernmental Transfers

Antoni Zabalza, Julio López-Laborda, November 2010

This article analyzes the workings of the new Spanish system of intergovernmental transfers, which has been in operation since 2009, and compares its expected effects with those of the model that was in force until 2008. The paper considers the effects of the new model at the base year of application and the growth over time of these effects. On the positive side, the reform has significantly reduced the dispersion of the distribution of resources per unit of need. On the negative side, the system has become very complex and obscure regarding the distribution criteria it uses; also, of the five (1987, 1992, 1997, 2002, 2009) major revisions of the system, this is the most expensive.

### **Working Paper Number 10-32**

Decentralization and Regional Government Size: An Application to the Spanish Case

Patricio Perez, David Cantarero, November 2010

This paper studies the impact of decentralization on the size of regional governments in Spain controlling for economies of scale, interregional heterogeneity and institutional framework, and successfully tests some implications of the model. Firstly, it supports the classic public goods theory of a trade-off-between the economic benefits of size and the costs of heterogeneity. Secondly, it rejects the “Leviathan” hypothesis because of vertical power imbalance and lack of fiscal competition among regions. Thirdly, the paper argues that government size is mediated by financial resources obtained through intergovernmental grants, consistent with welfare economics and positive economic politics.

### **Working Paper Number 10-31**

Taxing Alcohol in Africa: Reflections and Updates

Richard M. Bird, Sally Wallace, October 2010

Governments arguably exist in part to cope with such weaknesses of their citizens as those arising from infirmity, ignorance, and irrationality. At the same time, however, governments themselves partly subsist on the strength of such other popular ‘weaknesses’ as smoking, drinking, gambling, and polluting. In many countries, alcoholic beverages have long played a critical role on both sides of this equation. Over-indulgence in drink is a factor in crime, injury, and illness. In recent decades, although the level of alcohol consumption worldwide has been relatively stable, in some developing countries, including a number in Africa, such consumption has increased (WHO 2004). At the same time, in many of the same countries, alcohol has also proved to be a lucrative source of public financing.

### **Working Paper Number 10-30**

Fiscal Transfers a Curse or Blessing? Evidence of Their Effect on Tax Effort for Municipalities in Sinaloa, Mexico

Gustavo Canavire-Bacarreza, Nicolás Guadalupe Zúñiga Espinoza, October 2010

This article studies the impact of vertical fiscal transfers on local tax effort in Mexico, considering evidence for municipalities in Sinaloa between 1993 and 2008. Based on cadastral information, gross added value and property taxes, we create a “pure” indicator of fiscal effort which is used to analyze the effect of conditional and unconditional transfers on this indicator. We employ econometric techniques such as panel data and the Arellano Bond method to correct endogeneity. The results show that conditional transfers, which began in 1998, have generated laziness towards property tax collection, negatively affecting the fiscal effort, even after controlling for demographic factors, population and the index of exclusion.

### **Working Paper Number 10-29**

Coordinated Tax-Tariff Reforms, Informality, and Welfare Distribution

Jenny Ligthart, Gerard van der Meijden, October 2010

The paper studies the revenue, efficiency, and distributional implications of a simple strategy of offsetting tariff reductions with increases in destination-based consumption taxes so as to leave consumer prices unchanged. We employ a dynamic micro-founded macroeconomic model of a small open developing economy, which features an informal sector that cannot be taxed, a formal agricultural sector, and an import-substitution sector. The reform strategy increases government revenue, imports, exports, and the informal sector. In contrast to Emran and Stiglitz (2005), who ignore the dynamic effects of taxes and tariffs on factor markets, we find an efficiency gain, which is unevenly distributed. Existing generations benefit more than future generations, who—depending on pre-existing tax and tariff rates and the informal sector size—may even become worse off.

### **Working Paper Number 10-28**

Expenditure Assignments in China

Jorge Martínez-Vázquez, Baoyun Qiao, September 2010

China has been carrying out a significant fiscal decentralization policy for over three decades. However, reforms have largely concentrated on the revenue side of budgets, and generally they have not been coordinated with an explicit strategy for the decentralization of expenditure assignments. Although significant strides have been made in the areas of tax assignments and tax administration, other areas—in particular, the assignment of government functions—have

advanced much less. Yet a stable, efficient, and fair decentralized system of public finance in China will require an unambiguous and well-defined institutional framework in the assignment of expenditure responsibilities among the different levels of government. The assignment of responsibilities is by no means the only condition, but it is the most important, and it should also be the first in a well-sequenced decentralization reform effort.

### **Working Paper Number 10-27**

The Long and Winding Road to Local Fiscal Equity in the United States: A Fifty Year Retrospective  
Jorge Martínez-Vázquez, Andrey Timofeev, September 2010

Outside the United States, fiscal equity is a common explicit objective for intergovernmental transfers at the central and regional levels, with transfers often having specific equalization targets. In contrast, the United States does not have a comprehensive federal transfer scheme for explicit fiscal equalization but rather employs an array of categorical and block grants, some of which are formula-based while others are project-driven. However, the allocation of many of these grants has equalization effects, resulting in the narrowing of fiscal disparities among jurisdictions. Indeed, almost half of federal grants in the United States are allocated to healthcare and another quarter to income security programs. In addition, the largest category of state grants is allocated to school districts using formulae similar to those used in other countries for fiscal equalization by the central government, including the measurement of fiscal capacity and expenditure needs.

Few studies have attempted to quantify the extent of equalization achieved with federal and state grants in a manner that would allow comparisons across states and over time. While recently several important studies have been published on fiscal inequities between and within states (e.g., Murray et al., AER 1998), their focus has been narrowed to school districts. In this study, we set out to take this literature further by measuring the extent of equalization across local governments in the United States that is implicit in the federal grants system and more explicit in the grants implemented by the individual states. Rather than focusing on specific types of local services, we look at the evolution of per capita resources available to all types of local governments combined. The extent of equalization is measured by the ratio of inequality indices before and after the allocation of grants, following the methodology used in Martínez-Vázquez and Timofeev (JCE 2008).

We find that, on average, state grants tend to considerably reduce the within-state inequality but tend to slightly increase the between-state inequality. States showing more equalization are those with less socio-political fractionalization, higher income inequality, less decentralization of revenue, and court-ordered reforms of school financing. The equalizing impact of direct federal grants to local governments has fluctuated over time, but all in all it has been much smaller than that of the state grants. Overall, federal grants tend to slightly reduce the between-state inequality but slightly increase the within-state inequality. Because the within-state disparities in own-source revenues have become dominant, the overall level of inequality across local jurisdictions has tended to increase with the allocation of federal grants.

### **Working Paper Number 10-26**

Value Added Tax: Onward and Upward?  
Jorge Martínez-Vázquez, Richard M. Bird, August 2010

The most important tax development of the last half century has undoubtedly been the rise to

prominence of the value-added tax (VAT). This tax has taken center stage almost everywhere (with the significant exception of the United States) and has become a revenue mainstay for many countries. The success of the VAT reflects a variety of factors: its high revenue potential, its relative simplicity and logic from an administrative perspective, its impact on economic efficiency, trade, and growth, the ease with its relatively mild consequences on income distribution and equity may be mitigated, and the fact that fewer and relatively less complex political economy issues than often arise with respect to other potential revenue producing taxes seem to afflict its introduction and development.

### **Working Paper Number 10-25**

Capital Transfers and Equalization: An Application to Spanish Regions

Ana Herrero-Alcalde, Jorge Martínez-Vázquez, Encarnación Murillo-García, July 2010

This paper analyzes the main design issues for utilizing capital transfers with an equalization objective within a system of sub-national finance. Although there is a vast literature and ample policy practice with the design of equalization grants involving needs for recurrent expenditures and/or fiscal capacity associated with current revenues, there is a dearth at the theoretical design and actual practice levels for how to use capital transfers with an interregional equalization objective. This is an area of fiscal federalism that has not been studied in depth. The aims of this paper are to identify the singular characteristics of capital expenditures and capital financing sources which allow us to quantify both needs and capacity to finance capital infrastructure and incorporate them in a capital equalization transfer formula. The theoretical design is applied to the Spanish regional level of government to reveal its advantages and shortcomings. This paper analyzes the main design issues for utilizing capital transfers with an equalization objective within a system of sub-national finance. Although there is a vast literature and ample policy practice with the design of equalization grants involving needs for recurrent expenditures and/or fiscal capacity associated with current revenues, there is a dearth at the theoretical design and actual practice levels for how to use capital transfers with an interregional equalization objective. This is an area of fiscal federalism that has not been studied in depth. The aims of this paper are to identify the singular characteristics of capital expenditures and capital financing sources which allow us to quantify both needs and capacity to finance capital infrastructure and incorporate them in a capital equalization transfer formula. The theoretical design is applied to the Spanish regional level of government to reveal its advantages and shortcomings.

### **Working Paper Number 10-24**

Output Dynamics, Technology, and Public Investment

Pedro R. D. Bom, Ben J. Heijdra, Jenny E. Ligthart, June 2010

This paper studies the dynamic output effects of public infrastructure investment in a small open economy. We develop an overlapping generations model that includes a production externality of public capital and a wealth effect on labor supply. Public capital enters the firm's production function under various technological scenarios. We show that if factors of production are gross complements and public capital is Solow neutral, which is the empirically plausible case, the long-run output multiplier falls short of its Hicks-neutral value. The way in which public capital augments factor productivity crucially affects the dynamics of private capital and net foreign assets, but yields qualitatively similar output dynamics. In contrast to conventional results obtained from hysteric models, we find non-monotonic output dynamics of a public

investment impulse in the non-hysteretic model. Schmitt-Grohe and Uribe's (2003) finding of identical impulse responses across the two model types is thus not robust to the inclusion of spillovers of public capital.

### **Working Paper Number 10-23**

Corruption in the Tax Administration: Is there Scope for Wage Incentives?

Konstantin Pashev, Neven Valev, Vanya Pasheva, May 2010

We use unique survey data from Bulgaria's tax administration to evaluate the determinants of corruption risk. We construct a novel measure of corruptibility, defined as the gap between actual income and the self-reported corruption-proof income. The survey data show that raising incomes leads to lower corruption risk. However, incomes would have to almost triple to eliminate the risk of corruption, which makes such a policy intervention politically and financially unfeasible. The results suggest that strengthening monitoring and control might be more cost-effective for addressing corruption risks in the case of the tax administration in Bulgaria. They also suggest that gender, age, and tenure can be used to inform human resource allocation.

### **Working Paper Number 10-22**

Political Regimes, Institutions and the Nature of Tax Systems

Stanely L. Winer, Lawrence W. Kenny, Walter Hettich, May 2010

To a casual observer who does a quick survey of the data, tax systems present a confusing array of structures and forms, particularly if international comparisons are included. To the political economist, the variety of observed forms of taxation raises a number of important questions. Can the seemingly confusing array of data be classified in a meaningful way? Is it possible to explain both differences and similarities in tax regimes? How do political factors and institutions influence the nature of observed tax systems? How do such factors interact with the underlying economy in determining the use of different revenue sources? Can the comparison of international tax regimes help in formulating better policy?

In this paper, we assess the contributions of current research in political economy to provide answers to these questions, while also presenting some new statistical results on the relation between tax structure and political regimes. Our discussion of the literature is selective and is empirically oriented. Our primary goal is to give a sense of some of the empirical research possibilities that lie ahead.

### **Working Paper Number 10-21**

The Administration of Tax Systems

John Hasseldine, May 2010

This paper analyses recent developments in tax administration and best practice, beginning by contextualizing tax administration through a discussion on the necessary separation between the operational tasks performed in tax administration and the more generic, but nevertheless crucial, issues of organization, strategy and internal management required in tax administration. The paper then describes the recent genesis and the current context of tax administration—especially in Europe (and in Spain)—identifies prior attempts at benchmarking best practice, and finally offers some conjectures on future best practice.

**Working Paper Number 10-20**

Financing Subnational Governments with Decentralized Taxes

Roy Bahl, May 2010

This paper is about the case for assigning taxing powers to subnational governments, and about the structure of this revenue assignment. As Musgrave (1983) put it in perhaps the seminal paper on this subject, “Who Should Tax, Where and What?” This review reconsiders the Musgrave questions after 25 years, asks whether the international trend in tax assignment is in step with what economists have prescribed, and concludes with some thoughts about the most likely future for the decentralization of tax systems.

**Working Paper Number 10-19**

The Scale and Scope of Environmental Taxation

Emilio Albi, May 2010

This paper provides a discussion of the principles of environmental taxation. It considers the empirical identification of environmental taxes and the problems associated with the choice of the right tax base from the point of view of the correction of market incentives. It then presents a model of optimal second best environmental taxation when taxes must fulfill the double role of modifying market incentives and generating tax revenue. It also considers the issues of the double dividend, the interaction between intrinsic and extrinsic incentives, and the problem of designing a tax policy for the alleviation of global environmental problems.

**Working Paper Number 10-18**

The Economics of Excise Taxation

Sjibren Cnossen, May 2010

This paper reviews the economics of taxation. It falls into three parts. The first part examines the rationale of excise taxation by reference to the non-revenue objectives that are pursued through the imposition of the various duties. The second part discusses the instruments that can be applied, i.e.: duties, regulations and permits. The third part reviews some issues—discrimination, coordination and earmarking—that often arise in connection with excise taxation.

**Working Paper Number 10-17**

Wealth and Wealth Transfer Taxation: A Survey

Helmuth Cremer, Pierre Pestieau, May 2010

This paper provides a survey of the theoretical literature on wealth and wealth transfer taxation. Both forms of taxation are highly controversial, and we present arguments in favor and against them. We adopt a theoretical and normative perspective. Our approach is comprehensive in the sense that wealth taxation is discussed as part of an overall tax system, dominated by income and commodity taxation. We show that a crucial factor in designing the tax structure is the motive underlying wealth accumulation and transfers.

**Working Paper Number 10-16**

The Challenges of Corporate Income Taxes in a Globalized World

Emilio Albi, May 2010

This paper reviews corporate income taxation in the context of the economic globalization experienced in the last 30 years. Given present flows of capital and income between nations and the importance of multinational firms, due consideration can no longer be given to corporate taxation without contemplating international issues. The main purpose of this paper is to examine the current corporate tax trends derived from the changes which occurred in the last three decades with a view to defining potential policy prescriptions aimed at making corporate taxation less distortionary and costly.

### **Working Paper Number 10-15**

Individual Income Taxation: Income, Consumption, or Dual?

Robin Boadway, May 2010

The personal tax is one of three main broad-based taxes whose bases overlap to a considerable extent, the others being the VAT and payroll taxes. The bases of the latter two taxes are roughly similar in present value terms. They differ only to the extent that an individual's net inheritances (the present value of inheritances less bequests) and other net transfers are positive. Both are essentially taxes that distort the labor-leisure choice (including the participation decision), at least to the extent that payroll taxes are not used to finance actuarially fair transfer programs. Thus, if payroll taxes finance the equivalent of fully contributory pension funds, they are unlikely to impose a distortion on the labor-leisure choice. In practice, payroll taxes are usually not earmarked to individual accounts, so this is not an issue. Since for most taxpayers the bulk of taxable income consists of labor income, there is considerable overlap among the three bases. The main difference is that individual taxes might include elements of capital income in the base (for which the overlap might be with wealth or property taxes). That being the case, the overall tax rate faced by individuals includes all three tax rates.

### **Working Paper Number 10-14**

Direct versus Indirect Taxation: Trends, Theory and Economic Significance

Jorge Martinez-Vazquez, Violeta Vulovic, Yongzheng Liu, May 2010

The choice of the direct-indirect tax mix also is likely to have, as we review below, important consequences in other dimensions of the economy including macroeconomic stability, disparities in income distribution, and foreign direct investment flows. All those, including economic growth, will be revisited in this paper. There are several other potential effects of the choice of tax mix, including the impact on risk taking and entrepreneurship or taxpayers' moral and voluntary tax compliance. As Atkinson (1977) points out, taxpayers may supposedly show preference for indirect taxation on the grounds that it offers them choice, and some politicians may have similar preferences because indirect taxes may be perceived by the public as being less visible. None of these other possible effects will be explored further in this paper.

### **Working Paper Number 10-13**

Tax System Change and the Impact of Tax Research

Richard M. Bird, May 2010

This paper considers the proposition that recent tax policy trends have been decisively influenced by tax research. In both the OECD countries and developing countries, the two most important changes in tax systems in recent decades have been the introduction of the VAT and the general

lowering and flattening of statutory income tax rates. The downward pressure on personal and corporate income tax rates has certainly been supported, if not initiated, by the increasing research measuring the distortions caused by high marginal tax rates. Equally, the widespread adoption of VAT is probably due at least in part to acceptance of the economic argument that this form of sales tax is less economically distorting. For the most part, however, countries have not done these things because economists produced persuasive theories or empirical evidence that it would be good to do them but for their own reasons. After reviewing a number of aspects of how tax policy decisions are made in practice, the paper concludes that if tax scholars are interested in improving policy, they should focus not on the short-term political game within which policy decisions are inevitably made in all countries but rather on the long-term game of building up institutional capacity, both within and outside governments, to articulate relevant ideas for change, to collect and analyze relevant data, and to assess and criticize the effects of such changes as are made. Economic research may provide valuable inputs into policy decisions, both because it is the only approach focusing on efficiency concerns and because it can (but often fails to) say some useful things about the distributional outcomes that impact more immediately on policy decisions in most countries. But it is not and cannot be a substitute for the development of the political institutions that need to exist if “good” tax policy is to be developed and implemented.

### **Working Paper Number 10-12**

Tax Systems in the OECD: Recent Evolution, Competition and Convergence  
Vito Tanzi, May 2010

In this paper the focus of attention will be on the 30 countries that belong to the grouping that goes under the name of Organization for European Cooperation and Development (OECD). This international organization started as a European entity but over the years it has expanded its membership to include several countries from other continents. Its current membership includes countries from all continents with the exception of Africa.

### **Working Paper Number 10-11**

Intra-Regional Equalization & Growth in Russia  
Jorge Martinez-Vazquez, Andrey Timofeev, April 2010

Until 2009, the Russian economy had been enjoying above 5% annual growth since it hit bottom along with the oil prices in 1998. However, the dynamics of the economic recovery have been very uneven across Russian regions. Thus, the determinants of regional economic growth are likely to have a strong sub-national level component. In this paper we examine the potential role played by the fiscal relations between regional governments and their constituent localities. Our empirical results strongly suggest that intra-regional fiscal inequality across local governments and inter-jurisdictional equalization policies pursued by the regional governments have a substantial impact on regional growth. Specifically, we find the following policy tradeoff: one standard deviation higher level of regional equalization translates into half a standard deviation lower rate of regional growth. One question for future research is whether decentralization designs into a hierarchical system result in more local government equalization in comparison to other inter-governmental design, such as a bifurcated system, where the central government is in charge of local equalization.

**Working Paper Number 10-10**

Decentralization (Localization) &amp; Corruption: New Cross-Country Evidence

Maksym Ivanyna, Anwar Shah, April 2010

This paper attempts to improve our understanding and measurement of decentralization and its relationship with corruption in a worldwide context. This is done by presenting the conceptual underpinnings of such relationship as well as using superior and more defensible measures of both decentralization in its various dimensions as well as corruption for a sample of 182 countries. It is the first paper that treats various tiers of local governments (below intermediate order of government) as the unit of comparative analysis. In contrast, previous analyses had erroneously focused on subnational governments as the unit of analysis which yields invalid cross-country comparisons. By pursuing rigorous econometric analysis, the paper demonstrates that decentralization, when properly measured to mean moving government closer to people by empowering of local governments, is shown to have significant negative effect on the incidence of corruption regardless of the choice of the estimation procedures or the measures of corruption used. In terms of various dimensions of decentralized local governance, political decentralization matters even when fiscal decentralization is controlled for. Further voice (political accountability) is empirically shown to be more important in combating corruption than exit options made available though competition among jurisdictions.

**Working Paper Number 10-09**

Fiscal Federalism and Long-Run Macroeconomic Performance

Lars P. Feld, Jan Schnellenbach, February 2010

In this paper, we offer both a broad survey of the literature on fiscal federalism and long-run economic performance, and a detailed report of some of our own recent studies in this field. We look at the difference between study types (cross-country versus single-country studies), and at the relevance of the broader institutional framework into which fiscal decentralization is embedded. We also look into structural change and intergovernmental transfers as a detailed mechanism through which federalism may have an impact on aggregate economic performance. It turns out that fiscal decentralization has no robust effect on growth, but the evidence hints at a positive effect on overall productivity, conditional on the broader institutional framework.

**Working Paper Number 10-08**

Moving Beyond Expenditures: Reevaluating the Way We Test Theories of Fiscal Federalism

Cameron A. Shelton, February 2010

This paper reviews the literature on the effects of fiscal decentralization on the magnitude and composition of expenditures. There is consistent evidence that vertical imbalance leads to larger general government. The evidence on the effects of balanced decentralization is mixed, depending a great deal on the sample and the fiscal federal margin in question. Theory and case studies suggest such heterogeneity in the comparative effectiveness of fiscal decentralization is due to heterogeneity in the institutional environment by which citizens gather information, register preferences, and monitor officials. Unfortunately, quantifying this institutional heterogeneity remains elusive. More troubling, there is sufficient distance between recorded expenditure and the quality of service delivery that using the former to assess the efficacy of fiscal decentralization is surely inadequate. We then review those studies which progress beyond measures of expenditures to measures of outcomes. Here, too, the results of fiscal decentralization vary a great

deal and the determinants of that variation remain elusive. There is thus room for clever work highlighting the conditions delivering effective monitoring, thereby enabling successful fiscal decentralization.

### **Working Paper Number 10-07**

Does Fiscal Decentralization Strengthen Social Capital? Cross-Country Evidence and the Experiences of Brazil and Indonesia

Luiz de Mello, February 2010

This paper tests the hypothesis that, by giving people more voice in the government decision-making process, fiscal decentralization fosters social capital, measured in terms of interpersonal trust. Empirical evidence based on World Values Survey data and seemingly unrelated probit estimations for a cross-section of countries suggest that people living in federal/decentralized countries find it more important than their counterparts living in unitary/centralized countries to have voice in government decisions, which, in turn, is associated with greater social capital. The cross-country estimations are complemented by country-specific regressions for Brazil and Indonesia on account of these countries' experiences with fiscal decentralization. The results show that the cohorts of individuals that have been exposed to decentralization are in general more pro-voice (and trustful of strangers in the case of Brazil) than their counterparts that have not been exposed to decentralization. These findings are not driven by the effects of political liberalization on people's attitudes towards the importance of having voice in government decisions and interpersonal trust.

### **Working Paper Number 10-06**

Decentralization and Nationalization of Party Systems

Ignacio Lago-Penas, Santiago Lago-Penas, February 2010

Based on a sample of 227 elections in seventeen Western European countries over the period of 1945-1998, this paper examines to what extent party systems are shaped by fiscal and political decentralization. With the exception of a few special cases, empirical evidence does not support the existence of a robust relationship between the degree of decentralization and the nationalization of party systems.

### **Working Paper Number 10-05**

Fiscal and Political Decentralization and Government Quality

Andreas P. Kyriacou, Oriol Roca-Sagales, February 2010

In this paper we apply both cross-section and panel analysis to the relationship between fiscal and political decentralization and government quality. We find that fiscal decentralization has a positive impact. Moreover, political decentralization tends to reduce the positive impact of fiscal decentralization on the quality of government. This negative impact of political decentralization on government quality persists when controlling for the degree of democratic maturity of countries but disappears when controlling for the extent of experience with statehood or public administration. This suggests that it is more affordable, in terms of government quality, to combine fiscal and political decentralization in countries with a long history of statehood. In this paper we apply both cross-section and panel analysis to the relationship between fiscal and political decentralization and government quality. We find that fiscal decentralization has a

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#### **Working Paper Number 10-04**

Tax Assignment: Does the Practice Match the Theory?

Roy Bahl, Musharraf Cyan, February 2010

The goal in this paper is to build on the existing literature to better explain the tax assignment choices made by countries in different economic circumstances. In particular, we explain why tax assignment to subnational governments is five times greater in industrial than developing countries, even when adjustment is made for differences in income level. Following on from the theory of tax assignment, we consider four arguments for this disparity. First, electoral regimes are not in place for the accountability gains to be captured. Second, tax decentralization may result in unacceptable fiscal disparities, and third, tax administration costs are higher for subnational governments and there is not enough incentive to take steps to lower them. Finally, we find empirical evidence to reject the hypothesis that giving more discretionary powers to subnational governments in developing countries will lead to a crowding out of central revenues, but find the opposite in the case of industrial countries.

#### **Working Paper Number 10-03**

Is Decentralization “Glue” or “Solvent” for National Unity?

Richard Bird, Francois Vaillancourt, Edison Roy-Cesar, February 2010

The last two centuries have seen the rise of the nation-state as the dominant political institution around the world. During this period, the colonial empires of varying duration and reach created first by the Portuguese, Spanish, and Dutch, then the French and British, then the Germans and Italians, and finally the Russians and Americans crumbled and were replaced by independent nation-states. However, “state” and “nation” are not always equivalent. In a surprising number of countries, as we discuss later in this paper, autonomist and secessionist movements of varying strength and character remain active. The broad question we consider in this paper is whether decentralization is likely to hurt or help national unity in these “countries at risk.”

#### **Working Paper Number 10-02**

The Consequences of Fiscal Decentralization on Human Development and Income Inequality

Cristian F. Sepulveda, Jorge Martinez-Vazquez, February 2010

Many countries around the world are currently pursuing policies for poverty reduction and improving income distribution. Many of these same countries are also aggressively implementing fiscal decentralization reforms. Although fiscal decentralization, poverty and the distribution of income have been the subject of extensive separate theoretical and empirical research, to date we have little understanding of what may be the impact of fiscal decentralization on poverty and inequality. This paper sets out to shed some light on those relationships. After reviewing the literature addressing different aspects of these relationships, the paper describes the possible

channels through which fiscal decentralization might affect poverty and income inequalities. We also carry out an empirical analysis with panel data for a large number of countries at different stages of development covering the period 1971-2000. We find that fiscal decentralization may have significant effects on poverty and inequality. In particular, fiscal decentralization appears to reduce poverty as long as the share of sub-national expenditures is not greater than one third of total government expenditures. Fiscal decentralization appears to also help reduce income inequality only if the general government represents a significant share of the economy (twenty percent or more).

### **Working Paper Number 10-01**

Public Policies and FDI Location: Differences Between Developing and Developed Countries

Timothy Goodspeed, Jorge Martinez-Vazquez, Li Zhang, January 2010

Host country government officials in developing and developed countries alike would like to know the impact of their public policies on foreign investment in their countries. Unfortunately, the literature does not provide a single view, and there are likely to be differences between developing and developed countries. This paper examines the impact of three host country government policies on the host's FDI stock: taxation, good governance, and infrastructure. We focus on whether the impact of these factors on FDI differs depending on the level of development of the host country. The regression results indicate that FDI is sensitive to host country taxation in developed countries, but not in developing countries; FDI is sensitive to host country governance measures and corruption in developing countries but not developed; and FDI shows sensitivity to host country infrastructure quality in both developed and developing host countries.

### **ISP SEMINAR SERIES 2010**

As part of ISP Seminar Series 2010, the following invited speakers gave presentations at AYSPS.

April 23, 2010

**Peter S. Heller** (former Deputy director of the Fiscal Affairs Department of the International Monetary Fund, and currently a Senior Adjunct Professor of International Economics at the Paul H. Nitze School of Advanced International Studies at The Johns Hopkins University) presented on “Connecting the dots of a Global Economic Crisis and Coming Demographic Change: Implications for development policy.”

July 22, 2010

**Peter van Oudheusden** (Tilburg University, and a visiting scholar at ISP—see below) presented on “Fiscal Policy Reforms and Dynamic Laffer Effects.”

September 24, 2010

**Stan Winer** (Carleton University, and a visiting scholar at ISP—see below) presented “Environmental Regulation and Trade Openness in the Presence of Private Mitigation.”

October 8, 2010

**Uwe Dulleck** (Queensland University of Technology, Brisbane, Australia) gave a presentation on “The Impact of Distributional Preferences on (Experimental) Markets for Expert Services.” Before Dulleck joined QUT, he was a Professor of Economics at the University of Linz, Austria, and an Assistant

Professor at the University of Vienna. He was also appointed as one of three editors of *Economic Analysis and Policy*, Queensland's leading Economics journal.

November 12, 2010

**Andrea Szabó** (University of Houston) presented “The Value of Free Water: Analyzing South Africa's Free Basic Water Policy.” Szabó's research lies at the intersection of industrial organization and development economics, and he studies topics such as the impact of family financing on the productivity of small manufacturing firms in Ghana, or the role of language in labor market networks in Indonesia.

## VISITING SCHOLARS 2010

**Montserrat Ferre**, Visiting Fulbright Scholar

*August 2010 - June 2011*

**Montserrat Ferre** holds a Ph.D. in Economics from the London Business School (University of London). She also has a Master's degree in Economics from the London School of Economics and a Diploma in European Studies from the College of Europe (Bruges, Belgium). She is a Professor of Economics at the Department of Economics at the Universitat Rovira i Virgili (Spain), where she teaches undergraduate and graduate courses in Macroeconomics, International Economics and Monetary Economics, amongst others. Her research interests focus on fiscal and monetary policy interactions within a monetary union, analysis of central bank interventions in the foreign exchange market and exchange rates behavior.

During her stay at the International Studies Program, she will conduct research on fiscal decentralization. In particular, she plans to study the relationship between fiscal decentralization and the conduct of monetary and fiscal policy in a monetary union, with a special focus on the outcomes of such relationship in terms of fiscal deficits.

**Stanley Winer**, Visiting Research Professor

*October 2010 - November 2010*

**Professor Winer** is the Canada Research Chair Professor in Public Policy in the School of Public Policy and Administration and the Department of Economics at Carleton University, Ottawa. He is also a research associate of the Center for Economic Studies at the University of Munich (CESifo) and a fellow at the International Center for Economic Research (ICER) in Turin.

Professor Winer's research lies at the intersection of economics and political science. It relies on microeconomics, game theory, the study of collective choice mechanisms and applied econometrics. Essentially he builds formal models of why governments do what they do, and tests them with data from Canada, the United States and sometimes from the world as a whole. Much of this work over the past two decades is concerned with understanding the formation and evolution of tax systems—nothing governments do so clearly reveals the nature of the public sector as the way in which “we” choose to tax ourselves. More recently, with colleagues in Canada and the United States, he has embarked on a program of research that aims to provide a deeper understanding of why the competitiveness of electoral politics in mature democracies varies across time and space, and the implications of this for the well-being of citizens.

During Professor Winer's visit at Georgia State University, he presented a seminar titled “Environmental Regulation & Trade Openness in the Presence of Private Mitigation,” and co-organized and presented at the ISP conference “Coercion & Social Welfare in Contemporary Public Finance.”

**Najem Ghraibeh**, Visiting Scholar

*July 2010 - October 2010*

Born in Irbid, Jordan, Najem Ghraibeh holds a Bachelor's degree in economics from Hashemite University (located 12 miles east of Amman). Najem currently works for the Jordanian Ministry of Finance, conducting research in economics. While at the Andrew Young School, Najem will be researching subjects including fiscal decentralization and tax policy.

**Haibo Feng**, Visiting Scholar

*December 2009 - December 2010*

**Haibo Feng** is associate professor with the Department of Public Finance, Jinan University, China. He holds a Ph.D from Renmin University of China since 2004. In the past five years, he published about 20 papers which concentrated on public policy, and finished two academic projects sponsored by the National Social Science Found and Guangdong Province.

During his stay at ISP, he is going to conduct a research of fiscal reform and public goods provision in rural China. This study will rethink the effect of the current fiscal system in China through a careful comparative analysis of fiscal decentralization of other countries.

**Qichun Zhang**, Visiting Scholar

*September 2009 - October 2010*

**Qichun Zhang** is a professor in the School of Economics and management in Huazhong Normal University, China. She obtained her Ph.D degree from the Institute of Regional Economy and Urban Management, School of Public Administration, Renmin University of China. She continued to post-doctoral research at the Research Center of Institute of Finance and Trade Economics, Chinese Academy of Social Sciences. She has published more than 30 academic papers and a book. She is in charge of a national social science fund project, a research project sponsored by the Ministry of Personnel of PRC and a provincial social science fund project. She has participated in a national natural science fund project and a national key social science fund project.

During her time at the International Studies Program, she will conduct research on the equalization in basic regional public service and the balance system of governmental finance, a comparative study of intergovernmental fiscal relations in the United States and China.

**Jenny Ligthart**, Visiting Professor

*June 2010 - August 2010*

**Jenny Ligthart** holds a chair in Macroeconomics at the Department of Economics of Tilburg University, the Netherlands. She is a Honorary Professor at the University of Groningen and a Senior Research Fellow at CentER (Tilburg University) and CESifo (University of Munich). Her research focuses on the macroeconomic repercussions of fiscal policy in an international context. In addition, she analyzes the economic and welfare effects of policy instruments aimed at addressing (international) tax evasion.

During 2002-2008, Ligthart was the Director of the Netherlands Network of Economics (NAKE), a graduate school in Economics in which six Dutch universities participate. Prior to joining Tilburg University, she worked for five years (1997-2002) at the IMF's Fiscal Affairs Department in Washington, D.C., where she was involved in advising governments on fiscal matters. Presently, she is a member of the IMF's panel of fiscal experts and occasionally is a consultant for the Netherlands Organization for Applied Scientific Research. She holds MA, MPhil, and PhD degrees in Economics from the University of Amsterdam.

**Peter van Oudheusden**, Visiting Scholar

*June 2010 - August 2010*

**Peter van Oudheusden** is currently a Ph.D. student of Economics at the Department of Economics of Tilburg University, the Netherlands (CentER). He holds a M.Phil in Economics (2006 - 2009) and a M.Sc. in Economics (2001 - 2006), both from Tilburg University. Peter's research interests include macroeconomics, public economics, and economic growth. Currently, Peter is a teaching assistant of Comparative Economic Studies and thesis supervisor at CentER.

**Yajun Gao**, Visiting Scholar

*August 2009 - August 2010*

**Yajun Gao** is an associate professor in the School of Public Finance and Taxation of Zhongnan University of Economics and Law, China, where she obtained her Ph.D. in economics. She has published more than 20 academic papers and three books. Two books are on the taxation system and laws of China, published by BBP (United Kingdom). She has participated in projects including two related to the national natural science fund and the others with the Education Ministry fund.

During her time at the International Studies Program, she will conduct research on the system of personal income tax and the local tax system in the United States, and hopes to do a comparison with the systems in China.

**Xiaodong Wang**, Visiting Scholar

*September 2009 - September 2010*

**Xiaodong Wang** is a lecturer with the Department of Economics, Changchun Taxation College, China, the only university under the administration of State Bureau of Taxation. She holds two Bachelor degrees, one in Public Finance from Changchun Taxation College, the other in Law from Jilin University, China, and a Master's degree in International Relation (mainly focusing on international trade and economic cooperation) from Waseda University, Japan. She is now a Ph.D. candidate majoring in economics in Jilin University, China.

She has been doing academic research on environmental policy and institutional arrangements in the U.S., Japan and Germany. During her stay at ISP, she is conducting comparative research of the environmental policy in U.S., Japan and Germany, and applying benefit-cost analysis tools to the evaluation of their environmental policy; and she will examine the economic incentives for natural resource regeneration and environmental protection, which would provide some enlightenment to environmental problem-solving in China. She is also interested in issues including emission trading, green index accounts and more.

**Magomet Batchaev**, Visiting Fulbright Scholar

*September 2009 - March 2010*

**Magomet Batchaev** holds a Ph.D. in Economics from Peoples' Friendship University of Russia, Moscow. He is an Associate Professor of Economics at the Department of Accounting, Analysis & Audit of Karachay-Cherkessian State University, Russian Federation, where he teaches Public Finance, Financial Management, Money & Banking, Taxation and other allied disciplines. His research interests focus on fiscal and monetary policy issues, rural finance and credit infrastructure.

During his stay at Georgia State University, he plans to conduct research on Taxes and Economic Growth in Developed Economies (with special emphasis on the U.S.) and its applicability to the Russian Federation.

## NONPROFIT STUDIES PROGRAM

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*The Nonprofit Studies Program (NSP) was organized in 2001 to foster collaborative research on the nonprofit sector within the academic community, to promote policy research that is relevant in today's political and economic environment, to educate nonprofit managers and leaders, and to serve as a link between scholars and nonprofit practitioners in creating and disseminating knowledge about the sector. The Program involves educational, research and service activities focused on helping nonprofit organizations address their social missions effectively through problem-solving, policy advocacy and effective deployment of their resources. The Program is interdisciplinary, and has special strengths in economic analysis, resource development and management, and policy analysis applied to the concerns of nonprofit organizations. It includes some 30 core and associated faculty from the Andrew Young School, other schools and colleges of Georgia State University, and other universities, locally and nationally. **Dennis R. Young is Director of the Nonprofit Studies Program.***

### HIGHLIGHTS

In 2010, the Nonprofit Studies Program continued to grow as a major academic center. By fall semester, we had:

- 47 students enrolled in the Bachelor of Science in Public Policy Program who had chosen a concentration in Nonprofit Leadership
- 29 enrolled in the B.S.-PP who chose Public and Nonprofit Human Resources
- 57 students were enrolled in the MPA program with a concentration in Nonprofit Management
- Four students were enrolled in the Nonprofit Management certificate program
- Six doctoral students were focusing their research on nonprofit studies

The Nonprofit Studies Program welcomed **Professor Teresa Harrison** from Drexel University as a visiting professor for a year-long sabbatical stay, beginning fall semester 2010. Prof. Harrison is an Associate Professor in the Department of Economics and International Business at LeBow College of Business at Drexel University in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. She is an applied microeconomist with interests in nonprofit and hospital behavior and applied microeconometrics. Her research on hospitals and nonprofits has mostly focused on dynamic issues within these industries, including entry, exit, mergers, and growth. Several of Dr. Harrison's papers explore organizational differences between nonprofits and for-profits and the possible consequences for market structure. She has also examined how tax policies affect the location decisions of nonprofit organizations.

The NSP continued to extend its network of affiliated faculty members. New members who joined in 2010 include **Shena Ashley** of Syracuse University; **Terry Blum** of the Georgia Institute of Technology; **Woods Bowman** of DePaul University; **Chao Guo** of the University of Georgia; **Teresa Harrison** of Drexel University; **Joe Iarocci** of CARE; **Catherine Mickle** of American Cancer Society; **Steve Olson** of the Robinson College, GSU; **Janet Rechtman** and **Rob Williams** of the Fanning Institute, UGA; **Kim Riemann** of the Department of Political Science, GSU; **Mindy Wertheimer** of the School of Social Work, GSU; and **Jenny Zhan** of the Department of Sociology, GSU. Affiliated faculty members participate in various NSP activities including teaching, NSP community and professional events, and research projects.

With the help of its Advisory Board, the NSP has continued to pursue strategic planning and resource development. Individual board members have generously contributed to a fund designed to match the

challenge grant of board member **Michael Kay** for the purpose of developing our new journal *Nonprofit Policy Forum*, which began publication in December 2010. New advisory board members who joined in 2010 include **Val Porter** of the Foundation Center/Atlanta, **Joe Arnold** of SunTrust Bank and **Brad Branch** of Deloitte.

## HONORS, AWARDS, AND GRANTS

Several NSP students and faculty received notable recognitions this year, and the Program has been granted support from organizations and people throughout the nonprofit community.

**Catherine Ann Slocum**, an MPA student, was selected as the Georgia State University 2010 recipient of the Torch of Peace Award for Graduate Students. Torch of Peace recipients are chosen for their outstanding leadership and contributions to Georgia State and the Atlanta community, and their work to promote positive race relations. Awards were presented at the university's 27th Annual Martin Luther King, Jr., Convocation in January 2011.

**Lewis Faulk**, a doctoral student in Nonprofit Studies, received the 2010 Outstanding Doctoral Student in Public Policy Award, which recognizes academic excellence and scholarship in the field of public policy, from Georgia State University and Georgia Institute of Technology's joint Ph.D. in Public Policy Program. He is a reviewer for *Public Administration Review*. Mr. Faulk also received the RGK Center for Philanthropy and Community Service Summer Fellowship in 2010 from the LBJ School of Public Affairs, University of Texas, Austin, as well as an ARNOVA Doctoral Fellowship to participate in the ARNOVA dissertation seminar and the 2010 ARNOVA conference. Mr. Faulk has accepted a tenure track position in the Department of Public Administration and Policy in the School of Public Affairs at American University, starting in August 2011.

**Jasmine McGinnis** is one of four recipients of a grant from the Italian Research in Philanthropy Awards. Ms. McGinnis will travel to Sweden during Spring 2011 to collaborate on this research with colleagues Hannah Schneider, Ph.D. Candidate at the Vienna University of Economics and Business, and Stefan Einarsson, Ph.D. Candidate at the Stockholm School of Economics. During summer 2011, Jasmine and her collaborators will travel to Torino, Italy, to present "Exploring the Talk Action Gap: A Qualitative Investigation of Foundation Practices Across Three Regime Types." This research is a mixed methods case study of the potential disconnect between foundations' espoused strategies and goals, and the realities of their grantmaking behaviors. Ms. McGinnis also was invited to participate in the Academy of Management Doctoral Consortium at the 2010 AOM Conference. In addition, she was named recipient of the Section on Public and Performance Management Conference Scholarship at the 2010 ASPA Conference.

**Hyung Hoon Kim** was listed in the Who's Who Among Students in American Universities & Colleges Award, 2010 – 2011.

**Prof. Janelle Kerlin** was designated an Honorary Fellow in the Third Sector Research Centre Fellowship Programme at the University of Birmingham, U.K.

**Prof. Dennis R. Young** was an Invited Scholar to the Liberty Fund "Colloquium on Higher Education and Markets: Smith, Mill, Veblen, Riesman and Buchanan," held in Colorado Springs, May 2010. Prof. Young also received an honorary doctorate degree from the University of Liege in Belgium for his work on social entrepreneurship and nonprofit research.

The Nonprofit Studies Program continued to be generously supported by the community in pursuit of its mission. The NSP received gifts from the Georgia Power Foundation, the UPS Foundation, Northern

Trust Bank, Alston + Bird, Calvin Edwards & Company, the Marcus Foundation, the Mark and Evelyn Trammel Foundation, Deloitte, United Way of Metro Atlanta, Goodwill of North Georgia, the Woodruff Arts Center, and Coxe Curry & Associates, and its advisory board members—including Michael Kay, Brad Currey, Michael Mescon, and John O’Kane—to support its 2010 Executive Leadership Program for Nonprofit Organizations and other programs.

## EDUCATIONAL INITIATIVES

**Nonprofit Leadership Alliance.** Nonprofit Leadership Alliance (NLA, formerly known as American Humanics) is a national alliance of colleges, universities and nonprofit organizations dedicated to preparing students for careers in nonprofit leadership. Since joining NLA in late 2008, the AYS student membership in this certification program has grown from an inaugural class of 3 students in 2008 to a student body of 75 undergraduate and graduate students at the end of 2010.

As part of developing and improving their leadership competencies, the NLA student organization sponsored their 2nd annual Nonprofit Career Showcase event, which yielded 32 sector employers and over 100 students from the Andrew Yong school. NLA is also competing at a national level, and to date, the GSU NLA chapter has secured \$81,000 in scholarship monies from the National NLA office via their NextGen Scholarship program. The student organization worked on its fundraising campaign strategy, and in 2010 supported 18 students with their registration fees to attend the National American Humanics Management Institute in Orlando, Florida, in January 2011.

**Executive Leadership Program for Nonprofit Organizations (ELPNO).** The Executive Leadership Program for Nonprofit Organizations (ELPNO) is a professional development program for upcoming executives and leaders in the nonprofit sector. Piloted in 2007, the program offers an engaging format that provides opportunities for peers to translate theory into practice and concepts into strategies that are relevant, immediately practical, and useable in their work.

In June 2010, the NSP partnered with the Fanning Institute at the University of Georgia and the Institute for Leadership and Entrepreneurship at Georgia Tech, and collaborated with the Public Performance and Management Group of the Andrew Young School of Policy Studies at Georgia State, the Georgia Center for Nonprofits, and the Center for Ethics at Emory to offer a one-week course in executive leadership for top leaders of nonprofit organizations. Twenty-seven executives from nonprofit organizations in Georgia, as well as one from Arizona, participated in the course and received a certificate of completion.

The ELPNO faculty team included a mix of industry leaders, subject matter experts, and nationally recognized local professors from Emory, Georgia Institute of Technology, the University of Georgia, the Andrew Young School of Policy Studies, and the Department of Social Work at Georgia State University. Participants’ perceptions of and satisfaction with the week-long program were assessed by the Public Performance and Management Group (PPM) at Georgia State University. Participants evaluated the individual sessions and the overall program, providing valuable feedback to program sponsors. The information garnered from the evaluation is helping to shape ELPNO 2011, scheduled for June 12-17.

**Barcelona Distance Learning Program.** The NSP continued its collaboration with the Center for Research in Social Enterprise, University of Barcelona, Spain, to expand that University’s Spanish-language, web-based, distance learning master’s degree programs in Social Economy and Corporate Social Responsibility. The purpose of the collaboration is to help extend the reach of these programs in North and South America and to enhance their content with American perspectives. The NSP, in conjunction with the Center for Ethics at the Robinson College of Business, hosted a third residential program in

Atlanta in May 2010 for students in the University of Barcelona's programs. The residential program included lectures by leaders in social enterprise and corporate social responsibility as well as on-site visits to a number of notable social enterprises in the Atlanta area.

## EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES

**Research Seminar Series.** Our research seminar series in 2010 offered opportunities for faculty, students and interested members of the Atlanta community to discuss research in progress. The sessions were led by faculty and researchers associated with the NSP:

February 23

**Janelle Kerlin**, GSU, AYSPS Nonprofit Studies Program, presented "The Diffusion of State-Level Nonprofit Program Innovation: The T.E.A.C.H. Early Childhood® Project"

March 2

**Chao Guo**, UGA, School of Public & International Affairs, presented "Volunteering for Social Change: The Influence of Religion and Occupation"

March 30

**Clarence Wardell**, CNA, Institute for Public Research, presented "Social Giving, Transaction Costs, and How Information Guides (or Doesn't Guide) Us"

April 1

**Fredrik Anderson**, UMKC, presented "Nonprofit Entrepreneurial Behavior and Barriers to Organizational Creativity"

April 13

**Mindy Wertheimer**, GSU, School of Social Work, presented "Building Nonprofit Board Capacity"

August 17

**Dr. Sondra N. Barringer**, Univ. of Arizona, Dept. of Sociology, presented "Declining Sector Differences in Higher Education?: A Comparison of Financial Strategies of Public and Private Nonprofit Colleges and Universities"

September 21

**Dr. Teresa Harrison**, Drexel University, LeBow College of Business, presented "Measuring the Degree of Competition Between Nonprofits and For-Profits: The Case of Fitness Centers"

September 28

**Dr. Harvey Newman**, GSU, AYSPS, presented "Building Social Capital through Civic Engagement"

October 14

**Luciana D. Costa**, Drexel University, presented "Do Insured Patients Care About Charity Care Provision?" (Presentation co-sponsored with the Georgia Health Policy Center)

November 4

ARNOVA Paper Presentations

November 18

**Dr. Guan** Xinping, Dept. of Social Work and Social Policy, Nankai University, China, presented “Poverty and Social Assistance in Contemporary China.” (Presentation co-sponsored with Department of Sociology, Gerontology Institute, Center for Asian Studies and International Studies Program of the Andrew Young School)

**Nonprofit Executive Roundtable.** The *10<sup>th</sup> Annual Nonprofit Executive Roundtable* took place on March 26, 2010, and featured **Elizabeth Boris**, founding director of the Center on Nonprofits and Philanthropy at the Urban Institute in Washington, D.C., who spoke on “Recessionary Times: Challenges and Opportunity.” This presentation was followed by a panel discussion, which included **Kim Anderson**, President and CEO of Families First, Inc.; **Greg Johnson**, Chairman of the Board of The Atlanta Opera; **Michael Kay**, Chairman of the Board of The Community Foundation for Greater Atlanta; and **William Lampley**, President of Boys and Girls Clubs of Atlanta. The second half of the program featured roundtable discussions with audience members, facilitated by discussion leaders: **Doug Ammar**, Executive Director, Georgia Justice Project; **Nell Benn**, Executive Director, AGAPG Community Center; **Jacqueline Brown**, Executive Director, Atlanta Children’s Shelter, Inc.; **Bobbi Cleveland**, Executive Director, Tull Charitable Foundation; **Lisa Cremin**, Director, Metropolitan Atlanta Arts Fund; **Emily Ellison**, Executive Director, Literacy Action, Inc.; **Joe Iarocci**, Senior Vice President, CARE; **David Jackson**, President and CEO, Families, Inc.; **Marilyn Midyette**, CEO, Girl Scouts of Greater Atlanta, Inc.; and **Jim Reese**, CEO, Atlanta Union Mission.

**Nonprofit Issues Forum.** The Nonprofit Studies Program, along with community partners Foundation Center-Atlanta, the Southeastern Council of Foundations, United Way of Metropolitan Atlanta, the Woodruff Arts Center, and Alston+Bird, sponsored three public forums in 2010. The first event took place at the Rich Theater in the Woodruff Arts Center on April 22 and featured **Michael Edwards**, speaking about his book *Small Change: Why Business Won’t Save the World*. The event was attended by more than 350 nonprofit leaders and scholars.

The second event featured **Michael Kaiser**, President of the Kennedy Center, on the subject of “Arts in Crisis: A Kennedy Center Initiative.” The talk, held February 24 at the Ferst Center at Georgia Tech, was sponsored by a coalition of Arts Organizations in Atlanta, and more than 500 people attended.

The third event in the Nonprofit Issues Forum series featured **Dr. Elizabeth Kiss**, President of Agnes Scott College, who spoke on “Ethics and Nonprofit Governance.” Dr. Kiss’s speech was followed by a panel that included **Joe Arnold** from SunTrust Bank, **Edward Queen** from the Center for Ethics at Emory University, and **Mindy Werthheimer** from the GSU School of Social Work. Some 120 nonprofit leaders and scholars attended the event, which was held at AYSPS December 7.

**ARNOVA Conference.** The NSP continues to be one of about a dozen Institutional Supporting Members of the Association for Research on Nonprofit Organizations and Voluntary Action (ARNOVA). This year’s 39th annual research conference was held in Alexandria, Virginia, in November. The NSP was prominently represented at the conference with three regular faculty members, one visiting faculty member, five doctoral students, and one staff member delivering papers or serving as chairs and discussants of sessions.

**Other Invited Presentations and Conference Participation.** Faculty and staff of the NSP gave invited presentations, discussed papers and led sessions at several other national and international scholarly and professional conferences and venues in 2010. These included the 9<sup>th</sup> International Society for Nonprofit Research biennial conference in Istanbul, Turkey, in July; the annual conference of the Southern

Economic Association; the 2010 Research Colloquium on Social Entrepreneurship, Said Business School, University of Oxford, Oxford, U.K., in June; the 12th Annual Conference of the Japan NPO Research Association, Ritsumeikan University, Kyoto, Japan, in March; and the conference on Exploring Social Enterprises, School of Public Affairs, UCLA in Los Angeles in October.

**Executive Blogs.** NSP Director **Dennis Young** posted five short essays on the NSP website during 2010 offering thoughts on a variety of issues related to NSP initiatives and nonprofit sector issues, including government relations and public policy, nonprofit executive education, nonprofits and business, the arts and nonprofit governance. The blog may be accessed at <http://aysps.gsu.edu/nsp/5372.html>

## RESEARCH PROJECTS

**Establishment of a New Policy Journal.** *Nonprofit Policy Forum*, a refereed international electronic journal sponsored by the Nonprofit Studies Program of the Andrew Young School of Policy Studies, began publication with its first issue in December 2010. The journal is available at [www.bepress.com/npf](http://www.bepress.com/npf). A primary goal of NPF is to provide nonprofit leaders, scholars and policy-makers worldwide with readily accessible and relevant scholarly research on public policy affecting nonprofit organizations.

The first issue of *Nonprofit Policy Forum* included an essay, five articles, and an interview:

- “Why a Journal of Nonprofit Policy?” (essay)
- “Policy Challenges and the Phenomenon of Social Businesses”
- “Constituent Participation and Nonprofit Advocacy”
- “Foundation Strategy for Social Impact”
- “Public Private Partnerships in Japan”
- “An Interview with Ambassador Andrew Young”

This year, the journal added another institutional partner to its board, which now includes Ben Gurion University of the Negev (Israel), Caring to Change (associated with the Aspen Institute), George Mason University, Georgetown University, Heidelberg University (Germany), Open University (U.K.), Osaka University (Japan), Queensland University of Technology (Australia), Rockefeller Archives Center, Stockholm School of Economics (Sweden), Stockholm University (Sweden), Trinity College (Ireland), University of Minnesota, University of Pittsburgh, University of Southern California, Vienna University of Economics, and the Urban Institute.

**Competition and Collaboration in the Nonprofit Sector.** NSP researchers continued in 2010 to work on a variety of topics that related to the structure of the nonprofit sector and its subsectors: the distribution of public charities and foundations by geography, the giving patterns of institutional philanthropy, concentration of nonprofit activities in the largest organizations, the financial composition of nonprofit revenues, and the measures and determinants of financial health. This work is identified with an overarching theme: *Competition and Collaboration in the Nonprofit Sector*. A team of NSP researchers led by **Dennis Young**, **Bruce Seaman**, and **Teresa Harrison** produced a National Science Foundation grant proposal requesting funding from the NSF Economics Division to pursue this research on a national scale.

## SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

### *Books and Monographs*

Janelle Kerlin’s book, *Social Enterprise: A Global Comparison*, Tufts University Press, 2009, will be released

as a Korean edition, with Young-Bohk Cho translating, Pusan, Korea: Research Institute for Social Enterprise, Fall 2010.

Harvey K. Newman. Editor. *Citizenship, the Community, and the Public Service*, Kendall Hunt Publishing Company, 2010. Within this book, Newman authored the chapters “Citizenship in the Local Community,” “Informal Decision Making in the Community,” and “Participating as a Citizen in Your Community” (with Jim Watkins).

Bruce Seaman and Dennis Young. Co-editors. *Handbook of Research on Nonprofit Economics and Management*, Cheltenham: Edward Elgar: 2010. Within this book, Seaman authored Chapter 10, “Pricing Strategies,” pp. 142-155.

### ***Journal Articles and Book Chapters***

Shena Ashley and Lewis Faulk. “Nonprofit Competition in the Philanthropic Marketplace: Exploring the Relationship Between Nonprofit Financial Health and Grant Amount.” *Nonprofit Management and Leadership*, 21(1), 2010, 43-57.

Robert L. Fischer, Amanda L. Wilsker and Dennis R. Young. “Exploring the Revenue Mix of Nonprofit Organizations – Does it relate to Publicness?” *Nonprofit and Voluntary Sector Quarterly* 2010; published in electronic form; print version forthcoming 2011.

Janelle A. Kerlin. (forthcoming) “Considering Context: Social Innovation as Social Enterprise in Comparative Perspective.” In Nicholls, Alex and Murdock, Alex (eds.) *Social Innovation: Blurring Boundaries to Reconfigure Markets*. Basingstoke, UK: Palgrave MacMillan. (chapter)

Janelle A. Kerlin and Manikowski, Susan. (forthcoming) “Organizational Change in the U.S. Afghan Diaspora: A Response to Homeland Events or Heightened Government Scrutiny?” *Nonprofit Management and Leadership*. (journal article)

Janelle A. Kerlin and Pollak, Tom H. (forthcoming) “Nonprofit Commercial Revenue: A Replacement for Declining Government Grants and Private Contributions?” *The American Review of Public Administration*. (journal article)

Janelle A. Kerlin and Reid, Elizabeth J. (2010) “The Financing and Programming of Advocacy in Complex Nonprofit Structures.” *Nonprofit and Voluntary Sector Quarterly*. 39(5): 802-824. (journal article)

Janelle A. Kerlin. (2010) “The Diffusion of State-Level Nonprofit Program Innovation: The T.E.A.C.H. Early Childhood® Project.” *Nonprofit and Voluntary Sector Quarterly*. 39(3): 478-497. (journal article)

Janelle A. Kerlin. (2010) “A Comparative Analysis of the Global Emergence of Social Enterprise.” *Voluntas: International Journal of Voluntary and Nonprofit Organizations*. 21(2):162-179. (journal article)

Jesse Lecy, George Mitchell, and Hans Peter Schmitz. “Advocacy Organizations, Networks, and the Firm Analogy,” chapter in *Advocacy Organizations and Collective Action*, Aseem Prakash and Mary Gugerty (eds.), Cambridge, 2010.

Jesse Lecy. “New Approaches to Evaluation: Comparative Impact Assessment.” *Journal of Civil Society and Social Transformation*, Vol. 1, Winter 2010.

Cathy Yang Liu and Ric Kolenda (with Grady Fitzpatrick and Tim N. Todd). “Re-Creating New Orleans:

Driving Development through Creativity,” *Economic Development Quarterly*, Vol. 24, No. 3, pp. 261-275, August 2010.

Cathy Yang Liu. “Employment Concentration and Job Quality for Low-Skilled Latino Immigrants,” *Journal of Urban Affairs*, forthcoming.

Cathy Yang Liu’s article “Ethnic Enclave Residence, Employment, and Commuting of Latino Workers,” originally published in *Journal of Policy Analysis and Management*, Vol. 28, No. 4, pp. 600-625, September 2009, was reprinted in “Home Sweet Home: Recent Research in Housing & Community Development Policy,” *Journal of Policy Analysis and Management Virtual Issue*, Maureen Pirog (ed.), October 2010.

Jasmine McGinnis. “The Young and Restless: Generation Y in the Nonprofit Workforce” *Public Administration Quarterly*, (forthcoming Summer 2011).

Jasmine McGinnis. “Making the Case for Nonprofit Workforce Diversity” (Book Chapter) in *Leadership in Nonprofit Organizations*. Ed. Kathryn Ann Agard. Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage Publications.

Harvey K. Newman. “Expanding Opportunities for Teaching Civic Engagement in a Bachelor of Public Policy Degree,” *Journal of Public Affairs Education*, forthcoming.

Bruce Seaman. “Economic Impact of the Arts,” Chapter 28, in *A Handbook of Cultural Economics, 2<sup>nd</sup> edition*, ed. by Ruth Towse (Edward Elgar: Cheltenham), 2010. (A substantial update and re-write of his chapter 27 in the first edition, published in 2003).

Bruce Seaman. “Pricing Strategies,” Ch. 10 in *Handbook of Research on Nonprofit Economics and Management*, ed. by B.A. Seaman and D. Young (Edward Elgar: Cheltenham), 2010: 142-155.

Bruce Seaman was invited to author a chapter, “Private Intervention for Cultural Heritage,” for inclusion in *Handbook on the Economics of Cultural Heritage*, edited by Ilde Rizzo and Anna Mignosa, Edward Elgar; forthcoming 2011.

David Sjoquist and Rayna Stoycheva. “The Property Tax Exemption for Nonprofits,” chapter in *Handbook of Research on Nonprofit Economics and Management*, Bruce Seaman and Dennis Young (eds.), Cheltenham, U.K.: Edward Elgar, pp. 303-319, 2010.

Amanda L. Wilsker and Dennis R. Young. “How Does Program Composition Affect the Revenues of Nonprofit Organizations? Investigating a Benefits Theory of Nonprofit Finance,” *Public Finance Review*, 38(2): 193-216, 2010.

Dennis R. Young, Amanda L. Wilsker and Mary Clark Grinsfelder, “Understanding the Determinants of Nonprofit Income Portfolios,” *Voluntary Sector Review* 1(2): 161-173, 2010.

Dennis R. Young, Taehyun Jung and Rick Aranson, “Mission-Market Tensions and Nonprofit Pricing,” *American Review of Public Administration*, Vol. 40, No. 2, March 2010.

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Dennis R. Young, “An Interview with Ambassador Andrew Young,” *Nonprofit Policy Forum*, 1(1), 2010.

Dennis R. Young, “Nonprofit Umbrella Associations as Reluctant Clubs,” chapter 3 in Mary Kay Gugerty and Aseem Prakash (eds.), *NGO Accountability Clubs: Voluntary Regulation of Nonprofit and*

*Nongovernmental Organizations*, Cambridge University Press, 2010, pp. 101-124

Dennis R. Young, "Nonprofits and Public Policy in the United States: The Evolution of Accountability," chapter 3 in Benjamin Gidron and Michal Bar (eds.), *Policy Initiatives towards the Third Sector in International Perspective*, Edward Elgar, 2010, pp. 45-66

Dennis R. Young and Lewis Faulk, "Franchises and Federations: The Economics of Multi-site Nonprofit Organizations," chapter 15 in Bruce A. Seaman and Dennis R. Young (eds.), *Handbook of Research on Nonprofit Economics and Management*, Edward Elgar, 2010, pp. 220-237

Dennis R. Young, "Nonprofit Finance: Developing Nonprofit Resources," chapter 18 in *The Jossey-Bass Handbook of Nonprofit Leadership and Management*, David O. Renz (ed.), 3<sup>rd</sup> edition, 2010, pp. 482-504

Dennis R. Young and Lewis Faulk, "Nonprofit Federations," short article in the *International Encyclopedia of Civil Society*, Helmut Anheier, Regina List, and Stefan Toepler, eds., Springer Science Publications, 2010

Dennis R. Young and Janelle Kerlin, "Social Enterprise," short article in the *International Encyclopedia of Civil Society*, Springer Publications 2010

## WORKING PAPERS, REPORTS, AND CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

Teresa D. Harrison presented "Measuring Competition between Nonprofit and For-profits: The Case of Fitness Centers." Conference presentation at ARNOVA in Arlington, VA; Nov, 2010

Teresa D. Harrison presented "Nonprofit Entry, Competition, and Fundraising" at Southern Economic Association; Atlanta, GA, Nov, 2010

Janelle Kerlin, "Historical Institutionalism and Social Enterprise Development: Towards a Conceptual Framework for Social Enterprise," Exploring Social Enterprises, School of Public Affairs, UCLA, Los Angeles, CA, October 29-30, 2010.

Janelle Kerlin, "Historical Institutionalism and Social Enterprise Development: Towards a Comparative Framework for Social Enterprise," Ninth International ISTR Conference, Istanbul, Turkey, July 7-10, 2010.

Janelle Kerlin, "Comparative Social Enterprise and Historical Institutionalism: Towards a Conceptual Framework for Social Enterprise," 2010 Research Colloquium on Social Entrepreneurship, Said Business School, University of Oxford, Oxford, United Kingdom, June 22-25, 2010.

Janelle Kerlin, "Social Enterprise Trends in the United States and Japan in Comparison with Other World Regions," keynote address, 12th Annual Conference of the Japan NPO Research Association, Ritsumeikan University, Kyoto, Japan, March 13, 2010.

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Kerlin, Janelle A. (Under Review) "External Events and Trends in INGO Financing: Implications for Policy." *Nonprofit Management and Leadership*.

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Jesse Lecy, Hans Peter Schmitz, and Haley Swedlund. "Non-governmental and non-profit organizational effectiveness: a modern synthesis." Under review at *Voluntas*.

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Lewis Faulk, Marcus Lam, and Janelle Kerlin. "Explaining the Use of Commercial Revenue Surplus in Nonprofit Organizations." Association for Research on Nonprofit Organizations and Voluntary Action (ARNOVA), Washington, D.C., November, 2010.

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Fredrik O. Andersson and Lewis Faulk. "Exploring Nonprofit Organizational Evolution: An Assessment of the Relationship between Life-Stages and Organizational Capacity." Association for Research on Nonprofit Organizations and Voluntary Action (ARNOVA), Washington, D.C., November, 2010.

Kim, Hyung Hoon. 2010. "Do Public and Nonprofit Employees Volunteer More with More Free Time?" The 39th Association for Research on Nonprofit Organizations and Voluntary Action Conference: Alexandria, Virginia. November 18-20.

McGinnis, Jasmine. (2010) "Public Participation in Government Grant Making: The Process, Implications and Impact of Involving the Public in Grant Making Decisions" Paper Presentation at Association for Research on Nonprofit Organization and Voluntary Action (ARNOVA) Conference.

McGinnis, Jasmine. (2010) "Family and Independent Foundation Giving: Implications of Foundation Governance on Grant Making" Paper Presentation at Academy of Management (AOM).

McGinnis, Jasmine. (2010) "The Future of Public Work: Examining Generation Y Wage Differentials" Paper Presentation at American Society of Public Administration (ASPA) Conference.

Murdock, Alex, Kerlin, Janelle A., and Parra, Carmen. Partnership and contracting by the third sector: A cross national comparison and analysis of the partnership phenomena. (working paper)

Seaman, Bruce (with Dennis Young, Amanda Wilsker, Lewis Faulk and Nicholas Harvey), "Concentration, Competition and Collaboration in the U.S. Nonprofit Sector: Implications for Efficiency and Public Policy."

Seaman, Bruce. Panelist and Discussant for session on "Health Economics and Policy," at the Southern Economic Association meetings in Atlanta, November 2010. Session organized by Roger Blair, University of Florida.

Seaman, Bruce. Panelist and Discussant for session on "Big Time College Athletics and its Relationship to Higher Education," at the Southern Economic Association meetings in Atlanta, November 2010. Session organized by Charles Clotfelter, Duke University.

Bruce Seaman continued working on a major research project funded by the Mellon Foundation, the Kresge Foundation, and other groups: "Over-building in the Arts," in cooperation with the University of Chicago's Cultural Policy Center, the National Opinion Research Center, and researchers from the University of Texas, Austin. Expected completion is 2011.

Wilsker, Amanda. "Estimating Government Grants at the Organizational Level: A New Approach to Testing Efficiency Proxies" Southern Economic Association, Atlanta, GA, November 22, 2010.

Wilsker, Amanda. "The Effects of Perceived Efficiency on Nonprofit Fundraising: The Case of Government Grants," Association for Research on Nonprofit Organizations and Voluntary Action, Alexandria, VA, November 19, 2010.

Wilsker, Amanda. "Nonprofit Competition and the Allocation of Philanthropic Resources" (with D. Young, B. Seaman, L. Faulk and N. Harvey) International Society for Third Sector Research, Istanbul, Turkey, July 2010.

Dennis R. Young, "The State of Theory and Research on Social Enterprises," presented to the conference on Exploring Social Enterprises, UCLA School of Public Affairs, October 29, 2010.

Dennis R. Young, "Economic Issues and the Policy Research Agenda for Nonprofit Organizations," presented to the ARNOVA/Gates Foundation seminar on Nonprofit Policy Research, Baltimore, October 2010.

Dennis R. Young, "Understanding Social Enterprise," Weatherhead School of Management, Case Western Reserve University, Cleveland, Ohio, August 2010.

Dennis R. Young, "Strategic Finance of Nonprofit Organizations" Presidents' Colloquium, Seventh-day Adventist World Headquarters, session on Finance and the Church, November 2010.

Dennis R. Young, Bruce A. Seaman, Amanda L. Wilsker, Lewis Faulk, and Nicholas Harvey. "Nonprofit Competition and the Allocation of Philanthropic Resources." International Society of Third Sector Research (ISTR), Istanbul, Turkey, July 2010.

## SERVICE

The NSP faculty has been engaged in a variety of service activities aimed at improving the management capacity of local, national and international nonprofit organizations, including the following:

- NSP faculty participated on advisory boards of local nonprofit organizations, including the Foundation Center-Atlanta; and as consultants for organizations including the Georgia Aquarium, the Woodruff Arts Center, Atlanta Sports Council, Atlanta Housing Authority, Georgia Arts Council, the Metropolitan Atlanta Arts Coalition, and the 1071 Coalition (Lake Lanier).
- NSP faculty members are serving on a number of important national or international advisory committees or boards, including the Board of the National Center on Nonprofit Enterprise; the Advisory Council for Social Entrepreneurship of Ashoka; the governing board of the National Council of Nonprofits Associations (NCN); the Nonprofit Academic Centers Council; the ARNOVA Publications Committee; the Benchmark 3.5 Conference Steering Committee of the Nonprofit Academic Centers Council; the International Advisory Board of *The Nonprofit Review* (journal of the Japan Nonprofit Organization Research Association); and the editorial boards of *American Review of Public Administration*, *Journal of Cultural Economics*, *Nonprofit Management and Leadership* and *Nonprofit Policy Forum*.
- NSP faculty offered workshops, speeches, lectures and other presentations to several groups including the Indiana University Center on Philanthropy Ph.D. Research seminar (webcast).
- NSP faculty served as reviewers for various professional journals including the *International Journal of Public Administration*, *Voluntas*, *Nonprofit and Voluntary Sector Quarterly*, *Nonprofit Policy Forum*, *Journal of Cultural Economics*, *Public Administration Review*, *Routledge Press (books)*, *International Journal of Cultural Policy*, *Nonprofit Management and Leadership*, and *American*

*Review of Public Administration.*

- NSP core faculty member Bruce Seaman volunteered his time to assist the Metropolitan Atlanta Arts Coalition in conducting a study of the Economic Impact of the Arts in Georgia, results released and media interviews with *Atlanta Business Chronicle* conducted in early 2010.

## PUBLIC PERFORMANCE AND MANAGEMENT GROUP

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*The Public Performance and Management Group (PPM) was established in 2006 to offer an array of resources and solutions to assist public administrators strengthen strategic and operational performance. Core activities include executive level training & development; applied research, policy analysis and evaluation; short- and long-term assistance with planning and performance improvement; and dissemination of effective practices. Deon Locklin is Director of PPM.*

*The goal of PPM is improved public sector performance. Faculty and associates pool their diverse skills and expertise to assist state and local governments with various projects. Activities are highly customized to meet the unique needs of public sector administrators facing the complex challenges of contemporary governance. PPM is funded through external grants and contracts.*

### HIGHLIGHTS

Multiple State of Georgia agencies and programs participated in PPM's statewide studies in 2010, and all research activities were guided by Governor Sonny Perdue's goal for Georgia to be at the top of national rankings for the "Best-Managed States in America."

#### *State of Georgia Customer Satisfaction Research*

In partnership with the Governor's Office of Customer Service, PPM implemented the Georgia Service Quality Index (GSQI), which measures customers' perceptions of service quality and level of satisfaction with a wide range of State of Georgia services. Results from this research enabled the State of Georgia, as well as individual state agencies and programs, to identify and address priority areas for service improvement and service redesign. The GSQI, developed by PPM specifically for the State of Georgia, measures six attributes of service quality: accessible, courteous, faster, helpful, knowledgeable, and responsive. A measure of overall customer satisfaction is also included.

#### *State of Georgia Employee Satisfaction Research*

The Governor's Office of Customer Service continued working with PPM in 2010 to implement the Workplace Satisfaction Index (WSI), which measures state employees' perceptions of the quality of their workplace and level of employee satisfaction. Results from this research enabled the State of Georgia, as well as individual state agencies and programs, to identify and address priority areas for workplace improvements that will drive higher satisfaction among employees. The WSI, developed by PPM specifically for the State of Georgia, measures five dimensions of workplace quality: credibility, respect, fairness, pride and camaraderie. Measures of overall employee satisfaction and job security were also implemented in 2010.

### PPM FUNDED PROJECTS FOR 2010

**Research projects for the Georgia Governor's Office of Customer Service. Deon Locklin, Principal Investigator.** (2008-2010, \$755,203) This project involved statewide application of the Georgia Service Quality Index, involving customers of multiple state agencies representing the following policy areas for Georgia: Healthy, Educated, Safe, Growing, Best Managed. Customer groups included citizens, businesses, local governments, and state agencies providing internal services. PPM developed service quality survey instruments for the State Personnel Administration and the State Accounting Office, two agencies that provide services to other State of Georgia agencies. The development of these "internal

report cards” included multiple individual and group interviews with agency heads, human resource directors, and chief financial officers throughout the state. The report cards will be pre-tested in 2011.

**Research projects for the Georgia Governor’s Office of Customer Service. Deon Locklin, Principal Investigator.** (2009-2010, \$209,906) The projects are two-phased state agency level applications of workplace quality/employee satisfaction surveys to assist managers with identifying areas for performance improvement and subsequently measuring progress. Seven agencies of the Great State to Serve initiative, sponsored by The Governor’s Office of Customer Service, participated in the first survey: Department of Juvenile Justice, Department of Revenue, Department of Corrections, Georgia Forestry Commission, Georgia Perimeter College, Governor’s Office of Customer Service, and State Accounting Office. The State Personnel Administration and the Department of Community Affairs were added for the second survey.

**Customer satisfaction research project. (Georgia Department of Early Care and Learning). Deon Locklin, Principal Investigator.** This project was in its third year of implementation of satisfaction surveys for four customer groups of the Bright From the Start program. (2009-2010, \$92,000)

**Customer satisfaction research project. (Georgia Department of Early Care and Learning). Deon Locklin, Principal Investigator.** This project is in its fourth year of implementation of satisfaction surveys for four customer groups of the Bright From the Start program. (2010-2011, \$94,000)

**Technical assistance project (Fulton County - S.T.A.R.T. collaborative). Deon Locklin, Project Director.** PPM compiled and reported performance data collected by Fulton County during fiscal year 2010 from community based organizations that provide an array of services for at-risk children and youth. (2010, \$5,000)

**Technical assistance project (Georgia Department of Community Health). Deon Locklin, Project Director.** PPM designed, produced, and electronically scanned survey forms used within schools throughout the State of Georgia for oral health screenings of 3<sup>rd</sup> graders. (2010-2011, \$24,943)

**Technical assistance project (Georgia Department of Corrections and Pardons and Paroles Board). Deon Locklin, Principal Investigator.** PPM identified redundancies and areas for improvement within the Department of Correction’s Offender Administration Unit and the Board of Pardons and Parole’s Clemency and Selection Division, in order to establish the feasibility of an integrated offender administration system between the two agencies. (2009-2010, \$40,000)

**Technical assistance project (Georgia Department of Corrections and Pardons and Paroles Board). Deon Locklin, Principal Investigator.** This project designed and implemented a transition plan and completed a performance analysis for the integrated offender administration system. (2009-2010, \$40,000)

**Technical assistance project (Georgia Department of Corrections and Pardons and Paroles Board). Deon Locklin, Principal Investigator.** This project provided an analysis of the viability of consolidating probation and parole functions. (2009-2010, \$38,000)

**Staffing analysis (DeKalb County Board of Commissioners). Deon Locklin, Principal Investigator.** This project provided an analysis of organizational structure and staffing of ten departments to identify size reduction opportunities. (2009-2010, \$48,000)

**Technical assistance project (Georgia Department of Agriculture). Deon Locklin, Project Director.** PPM provided technical assistance for the implementation of agency strategic plan. (2009-2010, \$38,351).

**Managerial training series (Georgia Department of Labor). Deon Locklin, Project Director.** PPM provided skills training sessions targeting supervisors and mid-level managers throughout the Georgia Department of Labor. (2008-2010, \$17,500)

**RSA Scholars Program. Deon Locklin and Roger Weed, Project Directors.** This program provided scholarships to Georgia State University students seeking a Master's degree in rehabilitation counseling. The five-year award was granted by the U.S. Department of Education, Rehabilitation Services Administration, and the project is a collaborative project of the Andrew Young School and the Department of Counseling and Psychological Services within the College of Education. Scholarships cover full tuition/fees and provide a modest monthly stipend for up to 36 graduate students to pursue a five-semester course of study. This project is unique in its strategic emphasis on the human resource planning priorities of the Georgia public vocational rehabilitation program. (2009-2014, \$749,277)

## USERY WORKPLACE RESEARCH GROUP

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*The W.J. Usery Workplace Research Group (UWRG) includes scholars at the Andrew Young School with research interests bearing on the workplace, labor markets, education, health, and related areas. Research papers by UWRG faculty are available through the Usery Workplace Research Paper Series. In addition to the group's research, related activities involving the UWRG include the annual W.J. Usery Distinguished Lecture Series, seminar speakers, and an occasional research conference. UWRG members are involved in a wide range of professional activities. **Barry Hirsch is the W.J. Usery Chair of the American Workplace and coordinates the Usery Workplace Research Group, part of the Andrew Young School of Policy Studies.***

### LECTURE SERIES

In 2005, W.J. Usery and the Andrew Young School of Policy Studies inaugurated a lecture series on issues in the American Workplace. The first lecture featured Richard B. Freeman, Ascherman Chair of Economics at Harvard University. The sixth lecture in this series took place in February 2010 and featured **Claudia Goldin** (Harvard University). Her lecture was on "The Career-Family Conundrum," which is available on the GSU "channel" at iTunesU. The UWRG hosted a luncheon with a discussion of labor issues and policy with Dr. Goldin, and a "Conversation with Claudia Goldin," an informal open Q&A and discussion for graduate students and faculty.

The 2011 W.J. Usery Distinguished Lecture will feature a lecture on "U.S. Census Bureau: Measuring America," by **Robert M. Groves**, Director of the U.S. Census Bureau, to be held April 15.

### SPEAKER SERIES

The UWRG was pleased to host and/or sponsor the following speakers at the Andrew Young School:

March 26

**Alex Gelber** (University of Pennsylvania) presented "Taxes and Time Allocation: Evidence from Single Women"

April 14

**William Evans** (University of Notre Dame) presented "The Short-Term Mortality Consequences of Income Receipt"

April 2

**David Albouy** (University of Michigan) presented "Evaluating the Efficiency and Equity of Federal Fiscal Equalization"

April 16

**Petra Todd** (University of Pennsylvania) presented "Effects of School Reform on Education and Labor Market Performance: Evidence from Chile's Universal Voucher System"

April 22

**Theodore Joyce** (CUNY) presented "Changes in Teen Fertility Following Access to the Pill and

Abortion in the Early 1970s”

September 17

**Tim Sassi** (Florida State University) presented “What Makes for a Good Teacher and Who Can Tell?”

#### PUBLIC/LABOR BROWN BAG SEMINARS

Barry Hirsch of the UWRG coordinates with Mark Rider (Econ/ISP) the Joint Public/Labor Brown Bag Seminar Series, held twice a month. Labor sponsored presentations during 2010 included:

January 19

**Klara Peter** presented “The Price of the Hippocratic Oath: Determinants of Bribery in Russian Health Care” (with Tetyana Zelenska)

February 16

**Bruce Kaufman** presented “The Optimal Level of Competition in Labor Markets”

March 16

**Rusty Tchernis** presented “Effects of the Built Environment on Childhood Obesity: The Interplay of Urban Recreation Trails and Crime” (with Robert Sandy, Jeffrey Wilson, John Ottensmann, and Gilbert Liu)

April 20

**Gustavo Canavire-Bacarreza** presented “Wage gaps, indigenous population and informality in Latin America”

September 21

**Teresa Harrison** presented “Measuring the Degree of Competition Between Nonprofits and For-Profits: The Case of Fitness Centers”

October 19

**Rachana Bhatt** presented “Earmarking and the Business Cycle: The Case of State Spending on Higher Education” (with Jon Rork and Mary Beth Walker)

November 2

**Fernando Rios Avila** presented “Domestic Violence and Labor Market Outcomes: Evidence from a Mixed-Race Developing Country” (with Gustavo Canavire-Bacarreza)

November 16

**Barry Hirsch** presented “Underpaid or Overpaid?: Wage Analysis for Nurses Using Job and Worker Attributes” (with Edward Schumacher)

## UWRG RESEARCH PAPER SERIES

This working paper series was initiated in 2008, and includes 67 papers to date. These research papers are available through the UWRG website and are also sent to SSRN.

- 2010-11-3 Christopher R. Bollinger and **Barry T. Hirsch**, “Is Earnings Nonresponse Ignorable?” November 2010.
- 2010-11-2 Ian M. McCarthy and **Rusty Tchernis**, “On the Estimation of Selection Models when Participation is Endogenous and Misclassified,” November 2010.
- 2010-11-1 Manan Roy, Daniel L. Millimet and **Rusty Tchernis**, “Federal Nutrition Programs and Childhood Obesity: Inside the Black Box,” November 2010.
- 2010-10-1 **Barry T. Hirsch**, “Unions, Dynamism, and Economic Performance,” October 2010.
- 2010-8-1 **Julie L. Hotchkiss** and Menbere Shiferaw, “Decomposing the Education Wage Gap: Everything but the Kitchen Sink,” August 2010.
- 2010-2-3 **Julie L. Hotchkiss**, M. Melinda Pitts, and **Mary Beth Walker**, “Assessing the Impact of Education and Marriage on Labor Market Exit Decisions of Women,” February 2010.
- 2010-2-2 **Bruce E. Kaufman**, “Institutional Economics and the Theory of What Unions Do,” February 2010.
- 2010-2-1 Daniel L. Millimet and **Rusty Tchernis**, “Estimation of Treatment Effects Without an Exclusion Restriction with an Application to the Analysis of the School Breakfast Program,” February 2010.
- 2010-1-3 **Bruce E. Kaufman**, “The Future of Employment Relations: Insights from Theory,” January 2010.
- 2010-1-2 **Bruce E. Kaufman**, “Comparative Employment Relations: Institutional and Neo-Institutional Theories,” January 2010.
- 2010-1-1 **John Winters**, “Teacher Salaries and Teacher Unions: A Spatial Econometric Approach,” January 2010.

## OTHER ACTIVITIES

The UWRG provides travel and research supplement for UWRG members and funds occasional travel/research needs (including data purchases) for graduate students. It also funds or assists in funding selected department functions.

Barry Hirsch maintains and updates the website Union Membership and Coverage Database (<http://www.unionstats.com>), with D. Macpherson. They communicate regularly with site users and reporters.

Barry Hirsch works with and provides support for activities of the Atlanta Census Research Data Center (ACRDC), and maintains the website at [aysps.gsu.edu/acrdc/](http://aysps.gsu.edu/acrdc/).

**UWRG Members** (see individual annual reports for faculty activities)

Barry Hirsch (UWRG coordinator)

Rachana Bhatt

Shiferaw Gurmu

Julie Hotchkiss

Bruce Kaufman

Cathy Liu

James Marton

Paula Stephan

Rusty Tchernis

Erdal Tekin

Mary Beth Walker

Inas Rashad Kelly (affiliated member, Queens College, CUNY)

Klara Peter (affiliated member, University of North Carolina)

John Winters (affiliated member, Auburn University at Montgomery)

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# **Outreach and Technical Support**

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## STATE AND COMMUNITY SERVICE

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*Outreach is an essential part of the mission of the Andrew Young School. Faculty, research associates and graduate students were heavily involved in Georgia and in the Atlanta region, in all manner of ways. We developed and implemented training programs, carried out applied research projects, spoke at public and private meetings, worked directly with government officials in evaluation of policy options, and served on boards of non-profit agencies. We tried to help make better policy in our state and believe we added value in many areas. The following listing shows the very great breadth of our state and community service.*

### **Holly Avey**

presented “Linking Programs to Policy to Prevent Childhood Obesity” to the American Community Gardening Association Pre-Conference, Atlanta, Ga., August 5, 2010.

served on the Babies Born Healthy Leadership Council for the metropolitan Atlanta region.

served on the Plan 2040 HIA Advisory Committee for metropolitan Atlanta region.

won the Innovations in Public Health Policy Competition, with her submission titled “Developing Base Realignment and Closure Installations as Healthy Places: A Health Policy Approach,” awarded by Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Office of the Associate Director for Policy, November 2010.

conducted site visits, co-authored issue briefs, and participated in the symposium, Health Reform: From Insights to Strategies, A Variety of Perspectives, October 2010.

provided consultations on Health Impact Assessment and Health in All Policies strategies for City of Atlanta Department of Planning and Atlanta Regional Commission.

### **Roy Bahl**

served as a member of Governor Perdue’s Council of Economic Advisors. In this role, he attended meetings, prepared notes and made presentations.

### **Michael J. Bell**

delivered a speech on “Possible Methods for Property Tax Relief Within the City of Atlanta” for the general public, sponsored by the Fulton County Taxpayer Foundation, November 10, 2010.

### **Carolyn Bourdeaux**

served as Director of the Senate Budget and Evaluation Office through end of April 2010 and received recognition and honorary resolution from the State Senate for service as Director.

worked with House and Executive staff to develop a budget that closed a \$1.7 billion shortfall, following the prior year’s \$3.3 billion shortfall, and oversaw the effort to develop legislation to raise fees.

assisted the Senate Budget and Evaluation Office with the search for a new Director in May 2010 and assisted with the transition to the new Director.

presented “Georgia’s Tax Revenue Portfolio” at the first meeting of the Special Council on Tax Reform and Fairness for Georgians, Atlanta, Ga., July 28, 2010.

presented “Georgia’s Budget Outlook” at the Federal Reserve of Atlanta, Atlanta, Ga., September 24, 2010.

presented “Georgia Budget Outlook” at the Georgia Municipal Association Annual Meeting, Athens, Ga., October 20, 2010.

presented “Georgia’s Tax Revenue Portfolio” at Trinity Presbyterian Church, Atlanta, Ga., November 19, 2010.

presented “Georgia’s Budget Outlook and the Future of Managed Care in Georgia” to the Marwood Group, hedge fund and mutual fund managers, August 6, 2010.

### **James C. Cox**

served as member of the Board of Directors of Upside Risk, a Georgia start-up company.

### **Rachel Ferencik**

provided on-going support to Georgia state legislators on issues regarding health policy.

presented information about GHPC legislative activities and its childhood obesity model to The Robert Wood Johnson Foundation Center to Prevent Childhood Obesity, February 24, 2010.

presented the childhood obesity model to a working group at Children’s Health Care of Atlanta, March 2, 2010.

provided technical assistance to the Florida Public Health Institute, April 29, 2010.

presented to the Georgia Trauma Care Network Commission, October 21, 2010.

### **Paul J. Ferraro**

presented “Conservation without Prices: The Impact of Information, Moral Suasion and Social Norms on Residential Water Use” to the Georgia Association of Water Professionals, Columbus, Ga., April 2010.

### **Shelby Frost**

is Director of Georgia State’s Center for Business and Economic Education, related to the Georgia Council on Economic Education.

served as member of the Board of Directors of the Georgia Association of Economic Educators.

served as reader for The National Economics Challenge, GCEE.

attended the Georgia Council on Economic Education Annual Directors Retreat, Young Harris, Ga., September 2010.

### **W. Bartley Hildreth**

served as Member of the Executive Director Search Committee for The Civic League, Atlanta, 2010.

**Barry Hirsch**

and **Julie Hotchkiss** organized the February 2011 Atlanta Census Research Data Center (ACRDC) research conference.

**Paul Kagundu**

presented “Sub-Saharan Africa’s Socio-Economic and Political Past, Present and Future” at the National African Students Association, March 20, 2010.

**Bruce Kaufman**

presented at the “2010 Jobs Outlook in Metro Atlanta” Career Fairs organized by U.S. Congressman Hank Johnson, Conyers, Ga., April 30, and Norcross, Ga., July 9, 2010.

**Janelle Kerlin**

has been invited to present “Social Enterprise: A Global Comparison” to The Hub Atlanta, January 6, 2011.

**Glenn Landers**

served as member of the Options Counseling Standards Committee for the Administration on Aging.

**Jesse Lecy**

serves as a volunteer with the Vita tax program, as part of the Atlanta Prosperity Campaign.

**Cathy Yang Liu**

presented at a Town Hall Forum on “The Economics of an Arizona Law: What Would it Mean to Georgia,” hosted by the Asian American Legal Advocacy Center and the Latin American Association, September 28, 2010.

**Karen Minyard**

presented, as the Guest Luncheon Speaker, “Health Care Policy Overview and Implications” to the Atlanta Economics Club, Atlanta, Ga., October 19, 2010.

presented “Health Care Reform: Let’s Talk Practically” at the 2010 Annual Meeting of the Georgia Alliance of Community Hospitals, The Ritz Carlton at Lake Oconee, Greensboro, Ga., October 14, 2010.

presented “Health Reform: An Overview” to the Healthcare Georgia Foundation at their Board Retreat, Callaway Gardens, Pine Mountains, Ga., September 9, 2010.

**Robert E. Moore**

served as member, executive committee member, and Chair of the Board of Glisson Camp and Retreat Center, an agency of the United Methodist Church, North Georgia Conference.

served as a member of the Bishop’s Task Force on Camp and Retreat Ministry for the North Georgia

Conference of the United Methodist Church.

**Harvey K. Newman**

presented “Atlanta’s Development as a Region” to the participants in the Policy Institute for Civic Leadership, sponsored by Georgia Stand-Up, March 13 and September 8, 2010.

presented “History of the Atlanta Metropolitan Area” to a site-visit team from the Ford Foundation, Atlanta City Hall, October 25, 2010.

served as judge for “We the People” State High School Competition, sponsored by the Georgia Humanities Council, State Capitol, December 10, 2010.

**Christopher Parker**

presented “Health Status in Central Georgia” at the Central Georgia Obesity Summit, Perry, Ga., November 2010.

presented “Status of Obesity in Central Georgia” at the Regional Health Summit hosted by Community Health Works, Perry, Ga., November 2010.

facilitated the development of a Public Health Funding Formula by the Funding Formula Task Force appointed by the Georgia Division of Public Health, March-September 2010.

provided facilitation to DeKalb County Communities Putting Prevention to Work Leadership Team as they engaged in policy and environmental approaches to tobacco control.

facilitated the revision of a statewide Nutrition and Physical Activity Plan focused on policy, systems and environmental change.

facilitated the development of a strategic plan for the state’s Cardiovascular Health Initiative, led by the Georgia Division of Public Health.

conducted a series of Health Reform Strategic Assessments with Community Health Works, Piedmont Physician Group, Magnolia Coastlands AHEC, Richmond and Laurens County Health Departments, May-August 2010.

facilitated the development of the Healthy Belvedere Community Action Plan in the Kaiser-sponsored Healthy Eating Active Living Community Initiative, January 2010.

hosted a Town Hall Forum on Prostate Cancer with Caribbean immigrants, August 2010.

**Mary Ann Phillips**

served as member and advisor to the Georgia Food Policy Council, part of the Georgia Division of Public Health.

served as member of the Exhibits and Education Advisory Committee for Imagine It! Children’s Museum of Atlanta.

served as member of the Health and Education Program Advisory Committee, Georgia Department of Education.

served as member of the Advisory Committee for HB 229 Implementation, Georgia Department of Education.

### **Theodore Poister**

conducted a training program on “Using Performance Measures to Strengthen Local Government Performance” for the Local Government Institute of the Atlanta Regional Commission.

### **Bruce Seaman**

served as a consultant or unpaid adviser to the Georgia Aquarium, the Woodruff Arts Center, Atlanta Sports Council, Atlanta Housing Authority, Georgia Arts Council, the Metropolitan Atlanta Arts Coalition, Alisias Group, Wayne Reece and Associates, the 1071 Coalition (Lake Lanier), the Bleakly Advisory Group, PBS&J, the Georgia Department of Economic Development, and numerous law firms both inside and outside the state of Georgia.

volunteered his time to assist the Metropolitan Atlanta Arts Coalition in conducting a study of the Economic Impact of the Arts in Georgia, results released and media interviews with *Atlanta Business Chronicle* conducted in early 2010.

### **Cynthia Searcy**

served as petition reviewer and interviewer on the Charter Petition Review Committee for the Atlanta Public Schools System.

### **David Sjoquist**

gave the speech “Georgia’s Taxes” to the Justice, Advocacy and Public Policy Committee at Trinity Presbyterian Church, Atlanta, Ga., May 2010.

gave the speech “Perspectives on Current and Future Tax Structures in Georgia” to the Georgia Society of CPA, Cobb Galleria, August 2010.

gave the speech “Work of the Special Council on Tax Reform and Fairness for Georgians and the Revenue Picture” to the Georgia School Boards Association and the Georgia School Superintendents Association, Macon, Ga., November 2010.

presented “Georgia’s Tax Structure and Reform Issues” at a Atlanta Federal Reserve Bank conference on The Crisis in Real Estate and Its Impact in Public Finance, Atlanta, Ga., September 2010.

served as member of the Board of the Atlanta Regional Commission.

served as AYSPS Representative to the Neighborhood Nexus.

served as member of the 2010 Special Council on Tax Reform and Fairness for Georgians.

served as member of the Advisory Committee for a study of the feasibility of an Atlanta-to-Macon commuter rail.

### **Angela Snyder**

served as committee member for the Babies Born Healthy Coalition, a part of the United Way.

served as committee member for the Georgia Dental Coalition, a part of DPH.

served as committee member for the Governor's Leadership Group on Health.

served as steering committee member for the Georgia Children's Health Alliance, part of CHOA.

### **John Thomas**

served as AYSPS Representative for the Governing Board at The Civic League for Regional Atlanta.

### **Beverly Tyler**

gave the guest lecture "The Importance of Advance Care Planning" at the School of Nursing, *University of Georgia*, Athens, Ga., February 23, 2010.

### **Mary Beth Walker**

served as member of the Neighborhood Nexus Advisory Board.

### **William L. Waugh, Jr.**

served as Commissioner on the Planning Commission for the City of Decatur, Ga., since 2004.

assisted the City of Roswell in implementing an energy security program (business continuity program), provided a training session for the program administrator, an AYSPS intern, and the city public works director, and helped the program administrator select the intern.

participated in the Atlanta Regional Commissions' Workshop for Local Planning Officials, March and May 2010.

### **Laura Wheeler**

provided estimates to the Department of Revenue of all provisions adopted at the federal level that have state-level revenue consequences.

provided numerous estimates to the General Assembly on various legislation with potential impact to Georgia state revenues, including a substantial number of meetings and estimates of House Bill 480, concerning the taxation of motor vehicles.

provided to the Department of Audits and Accounts a tax expenditure report for Georgia to be published with the annual state budget. This task was accomplished with the assistance of Peter Bluestone (Senior Research Associate for FRC and AYSPS graduate), Zachary Hawley and Andrew Stephenson (Graduate Assistance for FRC), and William Smith (University of West Georgia and former research associate for FRC and graduate of AYSPS).

aided the Special Council on Tax Reform and Fairness for Georgians in estimating the revenue consequences of various options associated with tax reform for the state.

### **Naima Wong**

served on the DeKalb County Community Hero Award Nominee Review Committee.

consulted and served as co-facilitator on healthcare reform strategic assessments for the Georgia Nurses Association and Richmond County Public Health Department.

**Dennis Young**

served as member of the Advisory Board for the Foundation Center-Atlanta.

served as Chair of the Dr. Nathan Young Memorial Scholarship Corporation.

# RESEARCH AND TEACHING COLLABORATION WITHIN THE UNIVERSITY

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## **Holly Avey**

guest lectured for PMAP 8911 on How to Write a Policy Brief, February 22, 2010.

participated in 2CI initiatives.

served as member of the Health Equity journal club, Healthy Places Research Group, and the Health Policy Interdisciplinary Consortium.

## **Michael Bell**

guest lectured for PMAP 8501 on “Determining Financial Trends from Comprehensive Annual Financial Report (CAFR) Information 2006–2008,” November 8, 2010.

guest lectured for PMAP 8501 on “Specifics of Monthly Pension Fund Operations and Determinants of Overall Funding Levels,” November 29, 2010.

## **Peter Bluestone**

served as faculty affiliate for the Urban Fellows program in conjunction with the Georgia State Law School.

## **Carolyn Bourdeaux**

taught Strengthening Legislative Budget Institutions for the International Studies Program series on Financial Management at the Andrew Young School, August 2, 2010.

## **James C. Cox**

established and maintained an ongoing collaborative relationship between the Experimental Economics Center (ExCEN) and the Center for the Economic Analysis of Risk (CEAR) in the Robinson College of Business. This collaboration includes:

- Supporting ongoing collaboration in research by faculty associated with ExCEN, CEAR, or both centers
- Coordination of content and scheduling of graduate classes with experimental economics content offered by the departments of Economics and Risk Management and Insurance
- Shared advising of Ph.D. dissertations by students in the departments of Economics and Risk Management and Insurance on topics involving risk
- Joint sponsorship of visitors and workshops
- Shared use of the experiment laboratory and subject recruiting facility maintained by ExCEN served as co-author and joint sponsor of the 2CI proposal linking the departments of Economics, Political Science, and Psychology titled “Cooperation and Collective Action Problems: A Cluster Hire Proposal for Political Science, Economics and Psychology.”

regularly taught graduate students from Accounting and Risk Management and Insurance departments who enroll in Econ 9340 and Econ 9940, and coordinated with dissertation advisers from those departments.

initiated communication meetings with faculty and researchers from the Health Policy Center to identify possible joint research topics.

### **Rachel Ferencik**

spoke to graduate MBA/MHS students in the J. Mack Robinson College of Business for Dr. Patricia Ketcher's class.

### **Paul J. Ferraro**

collaborated on research with Assistant Professor Toby Bolsen, Department of Political Science, College of Arts and Sciences, Georgia State University, on a project entitled "The Conditional Impact of Social Comparisons on Behavior: Evidence on the Interaction of Norms and Political Affiliation from a Large-scale Field Experiment."

### **Shelby Frost**

is Director of Georgia State University's Center for Business and Economic Education.

### **W. Bartley Hildreth**

worked with other Deans of colleges within Georgia State University.

### **Barry Hirsch**

and **James Marton** co-chaired the Second Century Initiative (2CI) Atlanta Census Research Data Center (ACRDC) Health Policy & Risky Behaviors Cluster Hire Proposal, joint proposal from the Department of Economics (lead), the Institute of Public Health (IPH), and the Department of Sociology.

contributed to planning by Traci Drummod of the Southern Labor Archives, GSU Library, for a possible conference on the 30<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the PATCO strike.

### **Cathy Yang Liu**

served as affiliated faculty at Asian Studies Center.

served as faculty advisor for the Urban Fellows program hosted by Center for the Comparative Study of Metropolitan Growth.

served as affiliated faculty for the Partnership for Urban Health Research (PUHR) for a 3-year term.

### **James Marton**

attended meetings associated with the Partnership for Urban Health Research, including one brainstorming session about grants.

See also **Barry Hirsch**.

### **Harvey K. Newman**

presented “Learning about Leadership” to GSU’s SAIL Group (Sophomores Achieving in Life), at the University Lofts, April 26 and November 30, 2010.

presented “Leadership and Theater” to the GSU Freshmen-Sophomore Political Science Honor Society, June 23, 2010.

presented “Building Social Capital through Civic Engagement” to the Nonprofit Studies Program Brownbag Luncheon, September 28, 2010.

led a walking tour of downtown Atlanta for students in the PMAP Community Network, March 20, 2010.

led a walking tour of Atlanta’s historic Oakland Cemetery for students in the PMAP Community Network, November 7, 2010.

participated in development of Second Century Initiative grant application with Economics Department, AYS and College of Law.

participated in development of Second Century Initiative grant application with Department of Hospitality Management, Robinson College of Business and Heritage Preservation Program, History Department, College of Arts and Sciences.

### **Christopher Parker**

presented an Overview of Health Reform to undergraduate students of the Institute of Public Health, at the invitation of Dr. Bruce Perry.

co-authored a paper with faculty from the Center for Process Innovation at the J. Mack Robinson College of Business: Daryl Romanow, Lars Mathiassen, Chris Parker and Glenn Landers, “IT-Enabled Chronic Care Management: The Role and Impact of Contextual Design,” submitted to the *European Journal of Information Systems*.

### **Vjollca Sadiraj**

participates in an ongoing collaborative relationship between the Experimental Economics Center (ExCEN) and the Center for the Economic Analysis of Risk (CEAR) in the Robinson College of Business.

participated in meetings with faculty and researchers from the Health Policy Center and the Political Science Department to identify possible joint research topics.

### **Bruce Seaman**

continued collaboration with Deborah Cannon (Department of Hospitality, Robinson College of Business Administration) and various members of the local Atlanta hospitality sector (including the Atlanta Convention and Visitors’ Bureau, and Intercontinental Hotel Group) regarding research opportunities.

collaborated with Marketing Department professor emeritus Ken Bernhardt to author an opinion piece “Should Atlanta Care about Georgia State Football,” published in the Georgia State University Alumni Magazine.

**Paula Stephan**

made presentations to the freshman learning communities entitled “Credit Card Craze,” fall 2010.

**Beverly Tyler**

gave the guest lecture “Use of Qualitative Research in Identifying Health Care Values,” class taught by Dr. William Custer, Robinson School of Business, March 15, 2010.

**Sally Wallace**

served as a member of the Search committee of the Office of International Affairs.

**William L. Waugh, Jr.**

is a member of the Public Management and Policy and the Political Science Graduate Faculties, the Nonprofit Management and Environmental Policy Program faculties, and the Public Performance Management Group.

is an Associate in the Center for Human Rights and Democracy.

**Yongsheng Xu**

served as a member of the dissertation committee for Jin Gao, J. Robinson College of Business, defended in December 2010.

## OUTREACH TO OTHER UNIVERSITIES IN THE STATE

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*The Andrew Young School works in collaboration with other Universities in the State of Georgia. These joint efforts span teaching, research and outreach. Note: Names of the Georgia universities with which AYSPS collaborated are shown in italics.*

### **Georgia State University**

and the *Georgia Institute of Technology* offer a joint Ph.D. in Public Policy. The doctoral curriculum utilizes the strengths and faculty expertise of the two institutions.

### **James C. Cox**

established and maintained an ongoing collaborative relationship with faculty/physicians at *Emory University Medical School/Emory Healthcare*, resulting in two collaborative grant proposals submitted to the National Institutes of Health (NIH) and one collaborative grant proposal submitted to the Department of Health and Human Services. One of the proposals submitted for the highly competitive funding announcements was awarded \$1,171,865 from the NIH-National Institute on Aging, titled “Uptake of Comparative Effectiveness Research: Implications for Discharge Decisions.” Additional information related to this project is detailed in the *Appendix: External Funding* section of this report. The proposal to the Department of Health and Human Services is currently under review.

regularly taught of graduate students from *Georgia Institute of Technology* and *Emory University* who enroll in Econ 9340 and Econ 9940, including coordination with dissertation advisers from those universities.

is an outside member of the Ph.D. dissertation committee for Bing Jiang, Department of Economics, *Emory University*.

### **Paul J. Ferraro**

serves on two dissertation committees at *Georgia Institute of Technology* (Department of Biology and School of Civil and Environmental Engineering).

conducts a collaborative research project with faculty at *University of Georgia* (Department of Agricultural Economics).

### **Gregory B. Lewis**

directs the *Georgia Institute of Technology*-Georgia State University joint Ph.D. program in public policy.

### **Christopher Parker**

collaborated with the *Emory Prevention Research Center, Morehouse School of Medicine Medical College of Georgia, Mercer University* and six regional cancer coalitions to apply for the establishment of a U54 Center to Reduce Cancer Health Disparities.

### **Vjollca Sadiraj**

participant in an ongoing collaborative relationship with faculty/physicians at *Emory University Medical School/Emory Healthcare*, resulting in two collaborative grant proposals submitted to the National

Institutes of Health (NIH) and one collaborative grant proposal submitted to the Department of Health and Human Services.

**Kurt E. Schnier**

collaborated with *Emory University* on the National Institute of Health (NIH) grant for “Uptake of Comparative Effective Research: Implications for Discharge Decision.” Principle Investigators are James C. Cox, John Sweeney; Co-Investigators: Judy Lewis, David McClusky, Marc Overcash, Vjollca Sadiraj, Kurt Schnier.

**Bruce Seaman**

continued to serve as an adjunct faculty member in the School of Public Policy at *Georgia Institute of Technology*, teaching within the Joint Ph.D. in Public Policy degree program, and participating in the administrative affairs of the program.

**Paula Stephan**

is a regular participant in seminars in the School of Management, *Georgia Institute of Technology*.

**Beverly Tyler**

guest lectured at the School of Nursing, *University of Georgia*, Athens, Ga., February 23, 2010.

**Laura Wheeler**

taught Public Finance (Pubp 6118) to masters students in the Ivan Allen School of Public Policy at *Georgia Institute of Technology*.

served on dissertation committee for Youngsun Baek, Ph.D student in public policy at *Georgia Institute of Technology*.

## UNIVERSITY, COLLEGE AND DEPARTMENT SERVICE

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### **Holly Avey**

For GHPC, she served on departmental search committee for Research Associate II position, and served as member of a conversational systems thinking interest group.

### **Roy Bahl**

For the Andrew Young School, he chaired the evaluation committee for Professor Jorge Martinez as Director of the International Studies Program; presented lectures in various ISP programs; served as dissertation chair and performed committee work; and hosted alumni reunion functions in China and South Africa.

### **H. Spencer Banzhaf**

For the Department of Economics, he served as member of the Graduate Committee, and led the department's 2CI proposal for urban policy. For the Andrew Young School, he served as member of the Andrew Young School of Policy Studies, Promotion and Tenure Committee. He served as dissertation committee member for Merlin Hanauer, Sarah Jacobson, and William Holmes.

### **Michael J. Bell**

For the Department of Public Management and Policy, he served as member of the MPA academic program committee.

### **Rachana Bhatt**

For the Department of Economics, she served as member of the Undergraduate Program, Focal Group/2CI Committees, Dan Sweat Lecture on Education & Race organizational committee, and the Dan Sweat Fellowship Committee. She held mock job interviews for job market candidates; met with graduate students and provided details and advice on job market applications, interviews, and more; attended the International Economics & Modern Languages Fair to promote a major in Economics; and met with potential Ph.D. students and talked with them about labor economics. She is a member of the Usery Workplace Research Group, and has submitted research papers as part of Working Paper Series, and attended the Usery Lecture and Usery Conference. For the Andrew Young School, she served as member of the AYS Faculty Diversity Committee, and attended Spring and Fall Commencements and the 2010 Honors Day awards ceremony.

### **Carolyn Bourdeaux**

She is Associate Director of the Fiscal Research Center. For the Department of Public Management and Policy, she served on the 2CI hiring committee for PMAP hire, served as Chair of the MPA WEAVE Committee, and served on the Faculty Affairs Committee.

### **Resul Cesur**

For the Andrew Young School, he managed an intern in Summer Internship Program.

### **Yoon Jik Cho**

In the Department of Public Management and Policy, he served as member of the MPA Program Committee. In the Andrew Young School, he served as member of the Academic Programs Committee.

### **James C. Cox**

He is Director of the Experimental Economics Center. For the Andrew Young School, he served as co-chair of the Dean Search Committee, chair of the Self-study Committee for the Academic Program Review of the Experimental Economics Center, chair of the AYS Visiting Faculty Committee, and as member of the Management Committee and Promotion & Tenure Committee. He also served as co-chair of the AYS/RCB Recruitment Committee in experimental economics, member of the Recruitment Committee for the 2CI position in randomized field policy experiments, and member of experimental economics field exam committee.

### **Paul Ferraro**

In the Andrew Young School of Policy Studies, he served as member of the Visiting Scholar Program Committee, Management Committee, Dean Search Committee, and Provost's Committee to Evaluate University's Second Century Initiative Proposals. He served as a co-chair of the Faculty Recruiting Committee, Public Performance Management (Full Professor), served as a co-chair of the Faculty Recruiting Committee, Education Policy (Full Professor), served as the Chair, Faculty Recruiting Committee, Policy Field Experiments (Assoc. Professor), and served as a member of the Ph.D. Graduate Admission Committee in Public Policy. In the Department of Economics, he served as a member of the Undergraduate Program Committee, served as a member of the Educational Policy Committees in the fields of Resource & Environmental/Urban & Regional, Economic Development, and Experimental, served as faculty advisor to the Georgia State University chapter of the Omicron Delta Epsilon Honors Society, served as the coordinator of the Department of Economics seminar series scheduling, served as the Department Liaison of the University's Institutional Review Board protocols and served as co-author of Andrew Young School's successful Second Century Initiative proposal. He served as chair of the dissertation committees for Merlin Hanauer and Juan Jose Miranda Montero, and as member of the committees for Andrew Balthrop, William Holmes, Rohit Jindal (Michigan State University), Fred Kimaite (Georgia Tech), Liliana Letteiri (Georgia Tech), and Beria Leimoina (University of Wageningen).

### **Shelby Frost**

She is the Associate Director of Georgia State's Center for Teaching and Learning for Teaching with Technology. In the Department of Economics, she served as chair of the Undergraduate Programs Committee, member of the Undergraduate Teaching Committee, and served as CTW ambassador (with Paul Kagundu). She is Director of Undergraduate Studies and Faculty Academic Advisor to all undergraduate economics majors with last names beginning with A-I; and served as department lead for Dual Degree Program with University of Venice. For the Andrew Young School, she served as an AYSPS faculty representative on University Senate. At Georgia State University, she served as member of the CTW Leadership Group, Center for Teaching & Learning Advisory Board, Undergraduate Assessment Committee (formerly called General Education Assessment Committee), Committee on Academic Programs, Teaching Effectiveness Committee, and Faculty Affairs Committee; and chair of the Undergraduate Council (a standing subcommittee of Committee on Academic Programs, University Senate) and Nominations Committee.

### **Shiferaw Gurmu**

For Georgia State University, he served as member of the University Senate, Cultural Diversity Senate Committee, Information System and Technology (IS&T) Senate Committee, Student Technology Fee Subcommittee of IS&T Senate Committee, Salary Inequity Subcommittee of the Cultural Diversity Senate Committee, University Research Review Committee, and the Internal Grant Review Committee. He also served as mentor in the African-American Male Initiative Faculty Mentoring Program. In the Department of Economics, he served as coordinator of the Economics Seminar Series, coordinator and member of the Time Series and Financial Econometrics Recruiting Committee, chair of the Econometrics Visiting Professor Recruiting Committee, interim department chair from June to July 2010, chair of the Econometrics and Statistics Educational Policy Committee, and coordinator of the Departmental Computer and Technology Activities. He also served as member of the Usery Workplace Research Group. He taught Revenue Forecasting in summer training program of the International Studies Program, Summer 2010, and assisted colleagues and students with econometrics, data, programming problems/issues, and their research and refereeing work. He served as chair on the dissertation committee for Solomon Tesfu, Andinet Wolde Michael, and Yared Seid, and as member of the committees for Harold A. Vasques-Ruiz, Menna Bizuneh, Tamoya Christie, Robert Buschman, Andrew Stephenson, and Leanora Alecia Brown.

### **Carol Hansen**

For the Department of Public Management and Policy, she served as member of the Committee to review the masters in public policy, and as faculty adviser to UNN exchange program. For Georgia State, she served as AYS representative to the OIA advisory board.

### **Andrew Hanson**

In the Department of Economics, he served as Graduate Student Brown Bag Coordinator, member of the Graduate Committee, member of the Committee to nominate a Chair of the Economics Department, Public Finance Search Committee, the Dan Sweat Dissertation Fellowship Committee, as a committee member for Zackary Hawley's dissertation, and as a dissertation Reader for Andrew Balthrop and Juan Jose Miranda Montero.

### **W. Bartley Hildreth**

He served as Dean of the Andrew Young School of Policy Studies, Georgia State University, Atlanta, Georgia, July 2009 to March 2010. He served on the Council of Deans and on the MPA Committee. He served as member of the dissertation committees for Sarah Arnett and Spencer Brien, and served as mentor to international graduate student Min Su.

### **Barry Hirsch**

In the Department of Economics, he served as member of the econometrics recruiting committee, visiting econometrics recruiting committee, and 2CI-Education recruiting committee, and as chair and member of the Assistant Professor evaluation committee. He organized and coordinated the Usery Workplace Research Group (UWRG) and the UWRG Research Paper Series, provided travel/research supplement for UWRG members and occasionally funded travel/research/data needs for graduate students. He organized, coordinated, and hosted the Sixth Annual W.J. Usery Distinguished Lecture by Claudia Goldin, "The Career-Family Conundrum," February 11, 2010. He served as co-organizer (with Mark Rider) for the Public/Labor Brown Bag seminar series, held on 1st (Public) and 3rd (Labor/

Education/Health) Tuesdays. For the Andrew Young School, he and James Marton co-chaired the Second Century Initiative (2CI) Atlanta Census Research Data Center (ACRDC) Health Policy & Risky Behaviors Cluster Hire Proposal, joint proposal from the Department of Economics (lead), the Institute of Public Health (IPH), and the Department of Sociology. He served as member of the Promotion & Tenure committee, the Dan Sweat Scholarship Selection Committee, and as participant in Child Policy meetings and presentations.

### **Julie Hotchkiss**

For Georgia State University, she coordinated the effort to participate in the Distance Learning course offered by Cornell University in order to educate the GSU and AYSPS community on the data available through and usage of Census Research Data Centers.

### **Paul Kagundu**

In the Department of Economics, he served as member of the Undergraduate Programs Committee, as Undergraduate Academic Advisor, as Faculty Advisor for GSU Economics Club, and as the Critical Thinking Through Writing Ambassador for the department. For Georgia State University, he served as member of the Undergraduate Assessment Committee.

### **William M. Kahnweiler**

For Georgia State University, he served as member of the Faculty Senate, Faculty Senate Student Discipline Committee, Faculty Senate Research Committee, and Sub-Committee on Research Integrity. He served as representative of the Andrew Young School of Policy Studies on the Upper Division Admissions Committee (a sub-committee of the University Senate Admissions and Standards Committee). He was selected and agreed to serve as an Instructional Mentor, Center for Teaching and Learning, and as member of the Freshmen Learning Community (FLC) Advisory Board. For the Andrew Young School of Policy Studies, he served as member of the Committee on Faculty Diversity. For the Department of Public Management and Policy, he served as chair of the post-tenure review committee for Dr. Christine Roch, faculty advisor for new and prospective students in the BS in Public Policy Human Resources Concentration, member of the WEAVE Committee, and provided support, guidance, and mentoring to a PMAP colleague who began teaching at the university level for the first time in Fall 2009.

### **Bruce Kaufman**

He served as chair of the dissertation committee for Tetyana Zelenska.

### **Janelle Kerlin**

In the Department of Public Management and Policy, she served as chair of the Admissions committee, member of the Undergraduate committee, and as coordinator of the Four Plus One Initiative and as Critical Thinking Through Writing (CTW) Coordinator for the Department.

### **Jesse Lecy**

In the Department of Public Policy and Management, he served as member of the Master's of Public Policy curriculum committee and served as the PMAP representative for the Campus Campaign in fall 2010.

### **Gregory B. Lewis**

For the Andrew Young School, he chaired the dean search committee, served as member of the PMAP Executive Committee. He serves on the Admissions and Coordinating Committee of the Georgia Institute of Technology-Georgia State University joint Ph.D. program in public policy, and served as primary advisor for most of the joint doctoral students. He served as chair of Sue Frank's dissertation committee and served on the dissertation committees of Lewis Faulk, Reynold Galope, Monica Yu, and Gabriel Leonardo.

### **Cathy Yang Liu**

In the Department of Public Management and Policy, she served as member of the MPP Program Committee, Clinical Faculty Search Committee, and faculty advisor for undergraduate and graduate (MPP, MPA, certificate, doctoral) students in the concentration of planning and economic development. For the Andrew Young School, she served as member of the AYSPS Faculty Diversity Committee, and contributed to Economics/PMAP/Law joint 2CI proposal on urban initiatives, "The Future of Cities." For Georgia State University, she met with the university president, provost and AYSPS dean in discussing potential GSU-Chinese university partnerships related to the theme of comparative urban studies.

### **Jon Mansfield**

In the Department of Economics, he served as member of the MBA Program Committee, Academic Program Review Committee, and Undergraduate Program Committee. He served as chair of the GTA Teaching Committee.

### **Jorge Martinez-Vazquez**

He is the Director of International Studies Program, Georgia State University, Andrew Young School of Policy Studies; Director of the International Studies Program Annual Summer Training Program (Tax Policy & Revenue Forecasting, Fiscal Decentralization & Local Governance, Public Budgeting & Fiscal Management); and Director of the Summer School in Public Economics in Atlanta, Andrew Young School and Fundación Rafael del Pino, Spain. For Georgia State University, he served as member of the University Strategic Plan Committee, and as member of the Advisory Council of the Center for International Business Education and Research (CIBER) at Georgia State.

### **James Marton**

In the Department of Economics, he served as member of the Senior Public Finance Hire Recruiting Committee, PhD Student Job Market Committee, Department Chair Recruiting Committee, Public Finance Educational Policy Committee, and Health Economics Educational Policy Committee. For Economics PhD students, he helped review CVs for the job market and participated in IM football and summer softball. He assisted with organization of the AYS picnic and served as the "host" for the Family Feud game. He attended special events on and off campus, including the AYS Picnic, Honors Day, the AYS graduation ceremony, the Usery Lecture, the Dan Sweat Conference, a meet and greet with the Provost, a posthumous degree granting ceremony for an economics major, the GHPC's health care reform symposium, and Economics and Experimental receptions at the AEA meetings. He was the MC for the first AYS-only graduation ceremony in Spring 2010. He continued leading the summer internship program, reviewing applications and selecting the 10 interns that completed the program, and prepared the NSF application for three additional years of funding.

**Karen Minyard**

She is Director of the Georgia Health Policy Center.

**Harvey Newman**

He is chair of the Department of Public Management and Policy. He served on the Dan Sweat Dissertation Fellowship Selection Committee and as a member of the AYSPS Academic Programs Committee. He served as a volunteer mentor for the University's Center for Teaching and Learning, and represented the PMAP Department in University's WEAVE Committee at the graduate and undergraduate levels.

**Grace O**

She wrote letters of recommendation for Isaac Boring (internship in AYS, MA in AYS, both accepted), Lourdes Mantecon (law school), Giulio Zilia (Ph.D. program) and others. She attended Panther Preview to recruit high school students, informed high school students and parents about economics, policy studies and AYS, and gave college/job counseling. She served as member of the Georgia State Undergraduate Research Conference Advisory Board.

**Christopher Parker**

In the Andrew Young School, he served as member of the Health Policy Interdisciplinary Consortium.

**Theodore Poister**

In the Department of Public Management and Policy, he served as a member of the PMAP executive committee, chaired the Post-Tenure Review Committee for Professor John Thomas, and served as a member of the committee that developed a winning 2nd century initiative proposal for a cluster hire in the area of evidence based policy and performance management. He served as a member of the search committee for a high visibility senior faculty member in PMAP to take a leading role in building the evidence-based policy and performance management workshop. He served as a member of AYS Alumni Award Planning/Development Committee.

**Mark Rider**

In the Department of Economics, he served as member of the Department's Action Plan Committee, chair of the ISP seminar series, Chair of the Public Finance Committee, and as part of the Labor/public brown bag series, and Undergraduate Economics Tutoring Lab. In the Andrew Young School, he served as member of the Academic Programs Committee.

**Felix Rioja**

In the Department of Economics, he served on the Undergraduate Committee and the Macro Policy Committee of the Department of Economics. For Georgia State, he served as member of the Honors Program Executive Committee, Senate Sub-Committee for the Creation of the Honors College, and Honors College Dean Search Committee. He also served as co-chair of the dissertation committee for Tamoya Christie.

### **Christine Roch**

In the Department of Public Management and Policy, she served as chair of the MPP Committee, as Departmental Library Liaison, and as member of the Admissions and Coordinating Committee for the Joint Ph.D. Program and the State Ph.D. program, and Core Ph.D. Exam Committee. In the Andrew Young School, she served as chair of the 2CI Committee on Human Capital and member of the Faculty Affairs Committee and Sweat Symposium Committee. For Georgia State University, she served as member of the URSA Internal Grant Review Committee. She served as a member of the dissertation committee for Jim Flowers.

### **Glenwood Ross**

In the Department of Economics, he served as Omicron Delta Epsilon (ODE) faculty adviser, Undergraduate career adviser, and Economic undergraduate adviser. In the Andrew Young School, he served as member of the Diversity Committee. For Georgia State University, he served as member of the GSU University Scholarship Search Committee, IEF Scholarship Review Committee, Study Abroad Advisory Committee, and as Judge for GSU Undergraduate Research Conference. He is the Director of the Economic Studies Abroad in South Africa Program. He was chair of the master's level thesis for Rodney Stanev.

### **Vjollca Sadiraj**

In the Department of Economics, she served as Assessment Coordinator for the Economics Graduate Program, member of the Economics Graduate Program Committee, member of the Experimental Economics Ph.D. Field Committee, and member of the Experimental Methods Focus Group for the Matrix of Focused Excellence. She also served as chair of the dissertation committee for Juan Sun, and member of the dissertation committee for Sarah Jacobson, Daniel Hall, Jason Delaney, Danyang Li, and Omer Baris.

### **Kurt Schnier**

In the Department of Economics, he served as the Director of Ph.D. graduate program, as the faculty advisor to the Economics Graduate Student Association, as member of the Department of Economics Graduate Recruiting Committee, and on the Faculty Achievement Awards Committee for Georgia State University.

### **Bruce Seaman**

He served as member of the Search Committee for new faculty hire in PMAP. He served as chair of the AYSPS Faculty Affairs Committee, representative of the AYSPS in the GSU Faculty Senate, and on the Planning and Development and University By-Laws committees. In the Department of Economics, he served as placement director for Ph.D. in Economics students, as affiliated faculty with the Fiscal Research Center, and as core faculty member of the Nonprofit Studies Program. He also served as faculty adviser to Pi Kappa Alpha (Georgia State University) social fraternity and member of the qualifying exam committee for a joint Ph.D. in Public Policy degree program.

### **Cynthia Searcy**

In the Department of Public Management and Policy, she served as the member on the Search Committee for Non-profit Hire and served on MPA WEAVE Committee. She served as faculty advisor

for the Presidential Management Fellows (PMF) program; coordinated with Maggie Tolan on the solicitation, review, and nomination of students for PMF. For Georgia State University, she served as member of the Dan Sweat Symposium committee.

### **David Sjoquist**

He is the Director of the Fiscal Research Center and Director of the Domestic Studies Program. He served as member of the AYS Management Committee, chair of the Departmental Associate Professors' Annual Review Committee, co-chair of the Public Management Group, and as member of two Faculty Search Committees. He served as External reviewer for Don Bruce (Tennessee) and Richard Hawkins (University of West Florida). He served as chair of the dissertation committee for Spencer Brien and Kelley Dean, and as member of the committees for Rayna Stoycheva, Andrew Stephenson, Ashley Custard, Amanda Wilsker, and Sarah Arnett.

### **Paula Stephan**

She made a presentation to the Summer Interns, and served on the Andrew Young School Alumni Award Committee.

### **Greg Streib**

In the Department of Public Management and Policy, he served on the College curriculum committee, ad hoc committee to study the methods courses offered in the BS Public Policy Degree, and the MPA committee in the Department of Public Management and Policy.

### **J. Todd Swarthout**

In the Department of Economics, he served as member of the Experimental Economics Field Examination Committee. For the Andrew Young School, he presented about the Experimental Economics Center at the yearly AYSPS orientation for new faculty and staff. For Georgia State, he served as member of the GSU Intellectual Property Committee.

### **Rusty Tchernis**

In the Andrew Young School, he served as a member of the Undergraduate Policy Committee, Academic Programs Committee, and Econometrics search committee.

### **Erdal Tekin**

In the Department of Economics, he served as member of the 2CI faculty recruiting committee, Economics Department Action Plan Committee, and Graduate Program. In the Andrew Young School, he served as member of the Visiting Scholar Program Committee, Admissions and Coordinating Committee for the Georgia Tech-GSU Joint Ph.D. Program on Public Policy, and the Faculty Affairs Committee. He served as member of the dissertation committee for Gustavo Canavire-Bacarreza, Solomon Tesfu, and chair of the master's thesis for Kristy Joseph.

### **John Thomas**

In the Department of Public Management and Policy, he served as member of the Executive Committee and chair of the Search Committee. For the Andrew Young School, he served as member of the

Admissions & Coordinating Committee for the Public Policy Ph.D. Program, Promotion and Tenure Committee, and chair of the Evidence-based Policy: Second-Century Initiative (2CI). He served as member of the dissertation committee for Lauren Edwards, Nicholas Henry, and chair for Jim Flowers.

### **Andrey Timofeev**

He served as reader for Leanora Brown and Harold Vasquez-Ruiz.

### **Neven Valev**

In the Department of Economics, he served as member of the Graduate Studies Committee and chair of the Master's in Economics Programs Advisor. He served as chair of the dissertation committees for Menna Bizuneh and Tamoya Christie.

### **Mary Beth Walker**

She is Dean of the Andrew Young School. Along with **Rachana Bhatt** and **Cynthia Searcy**, she organized the Dan E. Sweat Symposium titled "Prospects for Closing the Achievement Gap: Evidence and Issues," Atlanta, Ga., April 30, 2010. She served on a College of Education faculty search committee.

### **Sally Wallace**

She is the chair of the Department of Economics. She served as member of the dissertation committee for Yongzheng Liu, reader for the dissertations of Omer Baris and Menna B. In the Andrew Young School, she served as member of the Clinical assistant professor search committee, chair of the public finance committee, and for Georgia State, member of the Search committee of the Office of International Affairs.

### **William J. Waugh, Jr.**

For Georgia State University, he served as member of the African American Male Initiative Faculty Mentoring Program, Perspectives Course Committee, and Environmental Programs Advisory Committee (Office of Research Integrity). In the Andrew Young School, he served as member of the Faculty Affairs Committee. In the Department of Public Management and Policy, he served as member of the Master of Public Policy Committee and the Admissions Committee for the MPA, MPP, and certificate programs. He is Coordinator of the Graduate Certificate and MPA, MPP, and Ph.D. concentrations in Disaster Management, and the MPA concentration in Public Health, and is Faculty Advisor of the GSU Pi Alpha Alpha Honorary Society.

### **Laura Wheeler**

She managed implementation of search engine for the Fiscal Research Center website and updated the website on an ongoing basis with new publications.

### **Katherine Willoughby**

For Georgia State, she served as chair of the University Senate Budget Committee. For the Andrew Young School, she served as chair of the Academic Programs Committee, member of the Promotion and Tenure Committee, member of the Visiting Professor Advisory Committee, and member of International Studies Program Director Evaluation Committee. In the Department of Public Management and Policy, she served as member of Faculty Evaluation Committee.

**Yongsheng Xu**

For Georgia State, he served as Senator in the University Senate. For the Department of Economics, he served on the Graduate Micro Committee of the Department of Economics. He served as chair of the dissertation committee for Omer Baris, and member for Yinghua Jin, Roberta Calvet, Musharraf Cyan, Juan Sun, Sean Turner, and Yongzheng Liu.

**Dennis R. Young**

He is the Director of the Nonprofit Studies Program. In the Department of Public Management and Policy, he served as chair of the Faculty Search Committee and the three-year review committee for Prof. Janelle Kerlin, and as member of the Masters of Public Policy faculty committee. In the Andrew Young School, he served as chair of the Promotion and Tenure Committee, and member of the Visiting Scholars Advisory Committee and Management Committee. He served as chair of the dissertation committees of Nicholas Harvey, Amanda Wilsker, Lewis Faulk, Jasmine McGinnis, and Hyunghoon Kim, and as external member for Kymberly Nash, Department of Fine Arts, Museum/School Collaboration in Education.



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# Staff Activities

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## RESEARCH SUPPORT

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*Research Support offers assistance and support to faculty and students in their research needs, helping both in literature searches and finding data. Gardner Neely manages the Andrew Young School of Policy Studies Research Support office.*

Located on the Ground Floor of the AYS building, Research Support provides research services to graduate students and faculty. In the past year, about 800 publications and conference announcements were circulated to faculty and graduate research assistants, with many recent journals and reports kept for reference.

Research Support collects, catalogs and makes available relevant literature and electronic resources for curriculum and research projects. Support staff worked with college faculty and their research assistants to help them access and interpret ever-changing information databases. The unit provided access to websites, journals and data sets in such areas as public finance, economics, nonprofit studies, domestic and international policy studies, with an emphasis on taxation and revenue issues.

Faculty who served on the advisory committee in 2010 were **Bruce Kaufman, Neven Valev, Dennis Young,** and **Roy Bahl.**

### NONPROFIT STUDIES PROGRAM

Neely worked with Nonprofit Studies Program Director **Dennis Young**, PMAP Chair **Harvey Newman** and associated faculty to locate and provide literature and electronic resources on nonprofits. These resources helped the Nonprofit Studies Program's research activities, including topics on managing and funding nonprofit agencies and organizations. A selection of journals, conferences, and lectures was featured in the Research Support area, including the *Aspen Idea*, *The Nonprofit Times*, *Nonprofit Quarterly*, *the Chronicle of Philanthropy*, *Nonprofit and Voluntary Sector Quarterly*, and *Giving USA* annual.

Selected books added in 2010:

- *A Way Out of No Way: The Spiritual Memoirs of Andrew Young* by Andrew Young, 1994
- *Walk in My Shoes: Conversations between a Civil Rights Legend and his Godson on the Journey Ahead*, by Andrew Young & Kabir Sehgal, 2010
- *This Time Is Different: Eight Centuries of Financial Folly*, by Carmen M. Reinhart & Kenneth Rogoff, 2009
- *VAT in Africa*, by Richard Krever, 2008

Research Support cataloged additional titles on economics, philosophy, and policy that were given to the Andrew Young School by the family of Georgia Economist Dr. **Hank Thomassen**, as a memorial to the long-serving economist to the governor's office. Many of these were included in the AYS collection in his honor and memory.

### RESEARCH SUPPORT OFFICE RESOURCES

The office maintained an online catalog of resources, listing subscriptions, government documents, books, CDs and data sets available for use by AYS researchers. The catalog is accessible through the Andrew Young School website, with journal holdings and data sets listed. In 2010, many new titles, data CDs, and print annuals were added, including the following:

- *World Bank World Development Indicators 2010*
- *IMF International Financial Statistics 2010*
- *IMF Government Finance Statistics 2010*
- *Direction Of Trade Statistics 2010*
- *European Tax Handbook 2010*
- *OECD Revenue Statistics 1965-2008*
- *The Georgia County Guide CD 2010*
- *Statistical Abstract of the United States 2010*
- *Business Statistics of the United States 2010*
- *Georgia Statistical Abstract 2010-2011 CD*
- *Employment, Hours and Earnings: States and Areas 2010*
- *Handbook of U.S. Labor Statistics 2010*
- *Journal of Economic Literature CD 2010*
- *The American Economic Review CD 2010*
- *Journal of Applied Econometrics 2010*
- *Journal of Econometrics 2010*
- *Journal Economic Literature 2010*
- *Journal of Economic Perspectives 2010*
- *Occupational Outlook Handbook 2010-2011*
- *County and City Extra: Annual Metro, City and County Data Book 2010*

## GIFT JOURNALS

Some of the gift journals received this year are past issues of the following: *Journal of Forecasting*, *Journal of Planning Education & Research*, *Journal of Public Affairs Education*, *Journal of Urban Affairs*, *Review of Public Personnel Administration*, *State & Local Government Review*, *Review of Policy Research*, *Journal of Policy Analysis & Management*, *Journal of Public Administration Review*, and *Public Administration Times*.

## UNIVERSITY OUTREACH

Research Support coordinated with Joel Glogowski, and other University “Subject Librarians” in orienting new faculty and graduate students to the relevant literature in policy studies, economics and public administration. New to the Andrew Young School are Criminal Justice, served by Mary Jo DeJoice, and Social Work served by Sarah Steiner. The University Library has research guides written and posted online for subjects including Public Management and Economics. We also worked with La Loria Konata, the coordinator of the Learning Commons on the second floor of the GSU University Library. Research Support worked with the College of Business on access to such business databases as WRDS, as requested.

Research Support worked with both Library and AYS staff to update our databases and coordinate resource sharing. Relevant Library improvements were electronic archiving of faculty publications, both for preservation and for more complete access to this research via web searches by colleagues. Research Support worked with the College of Business on access to such business databases as WRDS, as needed. Ulearn and Google Documents were used to host frequently requested materials and training materials for staff. We used new media tools to present literature orientation on other public access software. EndNote, from ISI, is the bibliographic citation manager required for all dissertations. We trained staff to provide assistance with this citation tracking tool, and interface with library databases, such as ABI Inform, Lexis-Nexis, EbscoHost, EconLit, PAIS, and many others.

Research Support's website features frequently used international tax literature links, pertinent publishers, suppliers and data centers, and links to the University Library's menu. Additionally, tables of contents of scholarly journals that the University Library licensed were posted. Research Support continued to build its working collection of faculty publications primarily through gift copies of monographs. Excess gift reports, books, and journals have been shared with students.

Neely is retiring at end of 2010, after 15 years of service with the Andrew Young School.

## STAFF ACTIVITIES

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**Ila M. Alfaro**, *Associate to the Director, Experimental Economics Center*

completed her first year with the AYSPS-Experimental Economics Center in October 2010.

completed the GSU Research Administrators Certificate Program, Dec. 2010.

completed the Myers-Briggs Certificate Workshop training program, July 2010.

completed the IRB Reference Resource Basic Course (IRB Wise), Aug. 2010.

completed the IRB-Research Administrator “Conduct of Research” Course, Aug. 2010.

**Margo Doers**, *Senior Administrative Coordinator, Domestic Programs and Fiscal Research Center*

continued as a security and safety representative for the Andrew Young School.

received Cardio Pulmonary Resuscitation (CPR) and Automated External Defibrillator (AED) Certification.

participated in GSU Management and Staff Development workshops.

**Huiping Du**, *Research Associate, Fiscal Research Program*

assisted GSU visiting scholars in relocation, finding housing, and settling in Atlanta.

participated in GSU Management and Staff Development workshops, and various user groups.

served as member and officer (Finance Committee Co-Chair) in AAUW (American Association of University Women) Atlanta Branch.

served as member and officer in Association of Chinese Professionals (ACP).

served as a consultant in Chinese Student Union at GSU.

**Jennifer Giarratano**, *Public Relations Specialist, Dean’s Office*

served as an active member of the Georgia State Wellness Committee.

attended the Atlanta Press Club seminars on social media and media coverage of the oil spill.

attended seminars on social media and using video in public relations, hosted by the Georgia Chapter of the PRSA, a nonprofit special interest group.

served as secretary of the Atlanta-Auburn alumni club.

served as secretary of the Parkview Civic Association.

**Caroline Griffin**, *Administrative Specialist-Managerial, Department of Economics*

received a Research Administration Certificate from Georgia State University.

attended the Financial Research Administration Workshop, Seattle, Wash.

attended the 52nd Annual NCURA Meetings, Washington, D.C.

attended the National Science Foundation Workshop, Washington, D.C.

**Jaiwan Harris**, *Business Manager, Domestic Programs and Fiscal Research Center*

continued as a security and safety representative for the Andrew Young School.

participated in university research administration meetings/workshops, and various user-groups.

participated in the university's Research Administration Focus Group to identify essential skills and abilities for new hires, and standard operating procedures and ongoing training for university research administrators.

successfully completed the eleven-course GSU Research Administration Certificate for competency in all GSU policy and procedures related to pre- and post-award administration of federal, sponsored, and foundations accounts.

**Shannan R. Hodgman**, *Administrative Specialist - Academic*

completed the GSU Research Administrator Certificate Program

**Gardner Neely**, *Research Support*

assisted AYS School visiting scholars in orientation and finding housing.

prepared training materials for new Research Support staff.

updated the website for Research Support.

audited classes at AYS in nonprofit management.

served as volunteer hike leader with Touch the Earth, Georgia State Recreation Department.

participated as member of the choir of Glenn Memorial United Methodist Church.

served on a Decatur community committee on transportation and safety issues.

nominated Hometown Hero by the City of Decatur 2010.

served as member and officer in the Metro Atlanta Library Association.

served as member of the Special Libraries Association.

**Dorie Taylor**, *Assistant Director, Domestic Programs and Fiscal Research Center*

participated in GSU Management and Staff Development workshops.

participated in university research administration meetings/workshops, and various user-groups.

participated in professional development opportunities with the National Council of University Administrators (NCURA) on a variety of research administration topics.

successfully completed the eleven-course GSU Research Administration Certificate for competency in all GSU policy and procedures related to pre- and post-award administration of federal, sponsored, and foundations accounts.

Leadership Academy for Women Alumni, Class of 2006.

**Ina “Maggie” Tolan**, *Director, Academic Programs & Alumni Relations and Campus Executive Director, American Humanics Nonprofit Leadership Program*

attended the American Humanics Nonprofit Management Leadership Institute (Phoenix, AZ), January 2010.

attended the American Humanics Campus Executive Director Professional Development Institute (Kansas City, MO), June 2010.

served as a mentor for the GSU Advancement of Women Staff Mentor program (Spring 2010).

trained to serve as a Grievance Committee member (GSU Human Resources/Employee Development).

served as a committee member on the GSU Student Retention Committee.

served as Chair of the Midvale Elementary School Council (DeKalb County).

served as a career consultant for the Opportunity Knocks Career Conference (Spring and Fall).

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# Advancement

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## AYSPS BOARD OF ADVISORS

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*The Board of Advisors is an important part of the Andrew Young School. Members provide ideas and suggestions, serve as a sounding board of our ideas, and represent us in the community.*

Our board is a non-governing advisory board, with a strong focus on the advancement of the School and helping the AYS achieve its mission by providing resources, assistance and advice. The Board meets quarterly.

We ask each board member to find an area of particular interest in the School, such as one of our centers, programs or departments. We want them to learn about that program in some depth, get involved with what the program does, and then help us find intellectual and practitioner support as well as core funding for that program. This is a long-term activity—it takes time to develop programs and to raise funds. Board members provide critical perspective, and their advice and leadership are very important to us.

### *Chair*

#### **Samuel E. Allen**

Chairman, Globalt, Inc.

### *Founding Member*

#### **Ingrid Saunders Jones**

Senior vice president, The Coca-Cola Company; chair, The Coca-Cola Foundation and Community Foundation of Greater Atlanta; director, Council on Foundations, Congressional Black Caucus Foundation

### *Charter Members*

#### **Billye Suber Williams Aaron**

Former vice president, United Negro College Fund; director, Morehouse College, Georgia Telecommunications Commission, NAACP Legal Defense and Education Fund

#### **Angela Allen**

Chairman, Full Circle Living

#### **Thomas Carroll**

Vice president, Tiffany and Company

#### **Evern Cooper Epps**

Former President, UPS Foundation and vice president, UPS Corporate Relations; chair, Board of Corporate Advisors of United Way of America

#### **J. Veronica Biggins\***

Partner, HNCL Search; former assistant to the President of the United States and director, Presidential Personnel

#### **Sidney Kirschner**

Headmaster, Davis Academy; Retired president and CEO, Northside Hospital

#### **Dennis P. Lockhart**

President and Chief Executive Officer, Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta

**Arnold L. Martin, III**

President, Absolute Lending and Mortgage

**Carlton A. Masters**

President, CEO and co-founder, GoodWorks International; former executive, Bank of Montreal; director, Africare

**Robert A. Meier**

President, Atlanta Office, Northern Trust Bank, FSB

**Michael Mescon\***

Former Holder, Ramsey Chair of Private Enterprise, Andrew Young School of Policy Studies; founder and chair, HA&W Mescon Group; dean emeritus, Georgia State University College of Business Administration

**Paul C. Rosser, P.E.**

Chair, Rosser International, Inc.; former commander, Reserve Naval Construction Force and First Naval Construction Brigade; former chair, Georgia Board of Electrical Contractors; former director, Georgia Board of Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors

**Sally Rosser\***

Strategic and Planning Consultant; member, Governor's Action Group for Safe Children

**John Rutherford Seydel, II**

Of Counsel, Lawson Davis Pickren & Seydel; co-founder and chair, Upper Chattahoochee River Keeper Fund; director, Southern Environmental Law Center, Trust for Public Land, Council for Western Rivers

**Paula Stephan**

Professor Emerita of Economics, Andrew Young School of Policy Studies

**Dianne Wisner**

Development and Policy Consultant; assistant to Andrew Young; formerly with GoodWorks International

**Andrea Young**

Executive Director, The Andrew Young Foundation

**Andrew J. Young**

Chairman, GoodWorks International; former chairman, Southern Africa Enterprise Development Fund; ordained minister, international businessman, human rights activist, author and former U.S. representative, ambassador and Atlanta mayor

**Carolyn McClain Young**

Executive, GoodWorks International; former educator; director, Southern Christian Leadership Conference, Apex Museum, Starlight Foundation, Literacy Action

*Dean*

**Mary Beth Walker**

Dean, AYSPS

*\* Note: Several members of the advisory board hold Georgia State University degrees: Angela Allen (M.B.A '80), J. Veronica Biggins (M.Ed. '70), and Sally Rosser (M.H.A. '75).*

## DEVELOPMENT HIGHLIGHTS

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### Endowment

The Andrew Young School continues to grow our endowment through gifts and earnings. As of December 31, 2010, the total endowment for the college stood at \$9,046,939, representing funds for professorships, scholarships, and operations.

### Outreach

Through donor support, the Andrew Young School was able to sponsor numerous outreach activities and public seminars covering important public policy topics such as childhood obesity, nonprofit governance, measurement of economic activity, and the mortgage crisis.

## SCHOLARSHIPS AND FELLOWSHIPS

### Ending Balances

(Endowment and Operating)	FY2007	FY2008	FY2009	FY2010
<i>Rick Anderson Scholarship</i>				
Public Administration, Established December 2008		\$25,266	\$18,968	\$21,196
<i>The Quantitative Economics Award</i>				
Economics, Est. May 2006	\$27,621	\$25,232	\$18,455	\$20,171
<i>Theodore Boyden Excellence in Teaching Economics Award</i>				
Economics, Est. January 1984	\$4,867	\$4,367	\$3,867	\$3,367
<i>Jack Blicksilver Scholarship</i>				
Economics, Est. May 1999	\$25,465	\$23,385	\$18,121	\$19,694
<i>Coca-Cola Endowed Scholarship Fund</i>				
Est. March 2001	\$711,121	\$803,165	\$625,146	\$785,933
<i>E.D. Jack Dunn Fellowship</i>				
Economics, Est. August 1997	\$310,985	\$349,099	\$284,695	\$305,173
<i>Governor Joe Frank Harris Scholarship</i>				
Public Administration, Est. August 1998	\$125,225	\$119,970	\$97,278	\$108,908
<i>Amanda G. Hyatt Fellowship</i>				
Public Administration, Est. March 2002	\$342,897	\$314,268	\$234,717	\$252,980
<i>Carole Keels Scholarship</i>				
Economics, Est. March 1999	\$26,288	\$24,868	\$19,589	\$21,719

<i>George Malanos Scholarship</i>				
Economics, Est. December 1990	\$31,857	\$29,523	\$22,495	\$24,480
<i>Jack Mills Memorial Scholarship</i>				
Public Administration, Est. November 1990	\$13,318	\$11,853	\$10,792	\$11,767
<i>Mark Schaefer Fellowship</i>				
Economics, Est. November 1985	\$4,648	\$3,548	\$3,348	\$3,048
<i>Dan Sweat Scholarship</i>				
Public Administration, Est. August 1990	\$219,266	\$209,746	\$169,267	\$176,590
<i>Carolyn McClain Young Leadership</i>				
Dean's Office, Est. March 1998	\$159,368	\$239,368	\$279,368	\$309,368
<i>Jean Childs Young Fellowship</i>				
Dean's Office, Est. June 2005	\$536,821	\$693,099	\$546,899	\$613,978

## ENDOWMENT

Our endowment will continue to grow and so will our impact on the lives and futures of policy leaders and scholars in Georgia and around the world.

	<b>FY2007</b>	<b>FY2008</b>	<b>FY2009</b>	<b>FY2010</b>
<b>AYSPS Endowment</b>	<b>\$11,832,936</b>	<b>\$7,461,384</b>	<b>\$8,167,498</b>	<b>\$9,046,939</b>

## PUBLIC RELATIONS

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*The mission of Andrew Young School of Policy Studies' public relations is to promote a favorable environment for student and faculty recruitment, private giving and public funding by raising awareness of the college and its accomplishments among essential constituencies. Our public relations efforts use planned and purposeful communication ideas, strategies and tactics. **Avani Raval and Jennifer Giarratano coordinate public relations, publications and events.***

### HIGHLIGHTS

The AYSPS audience is widespread. It includes potential students, alumni, and parents; potential faculty and research associates; members of the State Legislature; peer researchers; government, nonprofit and business leaders in the Atlanta, regional, national, and global arenas; the media; the community at large; and decision makers at national and international development agencies such as USAID, The World Bank, and IMF, as well as the leaders in foreign governments with whom the AYSPS works.

The Andrew Young School mission—to “inform the debate” on local, state, national and global policy—hinges on its research being widely known. AYSPS public relations efforts strive to reach its many audiences via its media relations, event management, and publications efforts.

### Online Seminars on iTunesU

Within the past few years, the Andrew Young School has utilized new communication outlets by taping its seminars, lectures, and conferences and posting them online as free podcasts via iTunesU. The School's podcasts are located in the Georgia State University section of iTunesU. This outlet furthers the School and University mission by publicizing research and lectures that benefit the public, ranging from trauma care conferences to visits by world leaders. Anyone can access these lectures, and they offer valuable information and insight to the community.

### Media Relations

The Andrew Young School was often cited in 2010, including media hits in newspapers, online news sources, blogs, radio shows, and television news. In addition, AYS faculty members often write articles and op-eds for newspapers and magazines around the world. Locally, faculty were quoted in (or their research was cited in) news sources such as: *The Atlanta Journal-Constitution*, *Atlanta Business Chronicle*, *Creative Loafing*, *Marietta Daily Journal*, *Athens Banner-Herald*, *Rome News-Tribune*, *Fayette County News*, *Griffin Daily News*, *The Augusta Chronicle*, *Georgia Public Broadcasting*, *WABE-FM Public Radio*, *WSB-TV*, and *WXIA-TV 11-Alive News*. Faculty were also sought for their opinions and expertise in national news stories featured in *National Public Radio*, *Associated Press*, *Bloomberg News*, *Mother Jones*, *The Christian Science Monitor*, *USA Today*, and *The New York Times*. Several international newspapers and websites utilized AYS faculty expertise, including *The Australian*, *Nueva Economía*, and *Manager*.

The weekly *Atlanta Business Chronicle* and the hometown daily newspaper *Atlanta Journal-Constitution*, whose influence drives much of Metro Atlanta and North Georgia's media decisions, are important media outlets for the School, and often include expertise from the Andrew Young School. Topics range widely. Samples include: tax policy, health policy, elections, charter schools, the economics of sports, obesity, environmental economics, and disaster preparation and response. See the *Media Hits* section for a list of media hits from 2010.

Georgia State University's Department of University Relations assists in Andrew Young School media

relations. A designated public relations specialist works with the School, writing and distributing press releases on college research, programs and events and proactively pitching experts who can discuss newsworthy topics. Reporters from local and national media outlets often contact University Relations seeking commentary for their news stories, and the department matches them with faculty members in the Andrew Young School who have the appropriate expertise. Many of the school's professors are frequently sought for interviews on a wide variety of subjects. Media hits in *The Atlanta Journal-Constitution* and other news sources are tracked and distributed to the School via the Dean's weekly *E-News* publication.

## PUBLICATIONS

***The Briefing.*** A key component of the school's visibility efforts is *The Briefing*, the Andrew Young School's newsletter showcasing research, teaching and outreach by the School's faculty, students, alumni and friends. *The Briefing* is sent three times a year to 13,000 constituents (4,800 alumni and 8,200 friends, about half of whom are colleagues, deans and department heads, and many of whom are government officials), and is featured on the School website. Feedback is impressive regarding the content and presentation of the newsletter, as well as the sheer magnitude of activity that the School consistently achieves. **Jennifer Giarratano** continues to write *The Briefing*, bringing clarity to the issues and setting stories in context with what is happening in the world. The publication's annual highlight is the Research Issue.

**Annual Report.** Each year the School conducts a thorough accounting of what it has done, producing an approximately 250-page report. Hardcopies of the report are distributed to select peers and are available for distribution throughout the year, and announcement cards of the annual report's availability online are sent to 12,000 alumni and friends of the school. **Bonnie Naugle** continues to coordinate this effort.

**Academic Brochures.** Academic brochures are available for each of the Andrew Young School programs. In addition to the brochures, **Wanda Cooley** and members of the PMAP and Economics departments distribute flyers to undergraduates as a way to encourage majoring in current and new AYSPS programs.

**Website.** The Andrew Young School is using the University content management system, ensuring all centers that choose to participate have an easily-managed website. The website is continually being updated and upgraded to offer a wide array of current information about the School. "Expert pages" are maintained for AYSPS faculty and research associates, including contact information, vitae, and photos. Story ideas, news releases, and the online experts guide provide assistance for the news media. An active calendar site and informational intranet area prove useful for faculty and staff. Information on academic programs, courses and syllabi are popular with current and prospective students, as well as those that advise them. Availability of working papers online continues to grow.

**Dean's E-News.** The *Dean's E-News* was published weekly in 2010, serving as a vehicle for sharing achievements within the School and for identifying news to be distributed to external audiences. Publications Specialist **Gayon McFarquar-Johnson** produces the newsletter, which is archived on the AYSPS intranet.

**Georgia State Magazine and The Villager.** The Georgia State University Office of University Relations promotes the Andrew Young School along with other colleges on campus through its publications, including *Georgia State Magazine*, a 40-page glossy magazine published quarterly for alumni, donors, legislators and the university community (circulation: 110,000), and *The Villager*, the university's official faculty/staff newspaper, distributed monthly to all employees (circulation: 3,500).

**Advertising.** The Andrew Young School advertises its programs in relevant publications, both internal

and external. PowerPoint templates with the AYSPS identity are offered to researchers; publications are in adherence to the University's identity guide. Georgia State University's professional photographers are often used. The School's Social Science Research Network (SSRN) working paper series is widely distributed through SSRN networks, eLibrary, and electronic journals. The research centers produce a wide array of publications, including working paper series, fiscal research notes, child policy brochures, and conference brochures.

## EVENTS

The Andrew Young School is a vibrant place, with a busy calendar of events. Each of the academic departments and centers within the School has a wide array of research and outreach initiatives, with a corresponding variety of events. The Dean's office coordinates events within the college to ensure minimum overlap and maximum attendance per event. **Avani Raval** oversees scheduling of rooms, coordination with University photographers and audio/video production crews, catering, and event promotion for AYSPS events.

**Honors Day.** Honors Day is an annual, special day in the life of the college. Exemplary students are recognized in a formal reception, dinner and awards ceremony. See the "Student Awards, Honors and Scholarships" section of this report for further information.

Coordination between the AYS and other units on campus via monthly **PR Council and PR Executive Roundtable** meetings, to review events underway as well as major publications and media initiatives, was hosted by the Office of University Relations. AYS also works in conjunction with such offices as the Office of Development, routinely providing materials and assisting these offices in their work for the AYS, and working groups such as the College Webmasters Group.

**Academic Department and Research Center Seminar Series.** The academic departments and research centers of the Andrew Young School keep their calendars full of activities that benefit both the School and the broader AYSPS audience.

Lecture series include the Child Policy Speaker Series, Dan Sweat Lecture Series, W.J. Usery Distinguished Lecture Series, Applied Econometrics Workshop Series, Experimental Economics Seminar Series, Fiscal Research seminars, Health Policy Center Conference, International Studies Program lecture series and conference, Microeconomic Theory Seminar Series, Nonprofit Executive Roundtable and seminars, Public Administration and Urban Studies seminars, and exciting new conferences and seminar series hosted by Domestic Programs.

Seminar speakers came from such institutions as Dartmouth University, University of Illinois, Florida State University, University of Georgia, Emory University, Vanderbilt University, University of Michigan, Maastricht University, University of Minnesota, Nankai University, and University of St. Gallen.

## MEDIA HITS

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*Journalists from dozens of local, regional, national and international publications and broadcast outlets call on the Andrew Young School's faculty experts each week for information and commentary on breaking news stories and features. In 2010, researchers and data from the Andrew Young School were featured in over 235 articles. The college encourages its faculty—as employees of a taxpayer-funded research university—to make themselves and their work available to the public through these news outlets. The list below represents a sampling of the year's major media hits.*

### **School and center mentions**

**The Andrew Young School** was featured in “Obama Begins Rebuilding Academic Ties to Indonesia,” *The Chronicle of Higher Education*, July 11, 2010.

**Fiscal Research Center** research was cited in “Governor candidates are overselling tax-breaks savings,” an opinion column by Kyle Wingfield in *The Atlanta Journal-Constitution*, July 1, 2010. FRC research was cited in “Georgia’s fiscal shortfalls: An ax isn’t the only tool the state needs,” an op-ed in *The Atlanta Journal-Constitution*, August 13, 2010.

**Georgia Health Policy Center** was featured in the National Network of Public Health Institutes’ Newsletter, GHPC Hosts Interactive Discussion on Health Reform, January 2010. The Georgia Health Policy Center was featured as a gold sponsor of Georgia Rural Health Day in the Georgia Rural Health Association’s Newsletter, February 22, 2010. The Georgia Health Policy Center was referenced in “Tips to finding affordable healthcare options,” *The Atlanta Journal-Constitution*, March 9, 2010. The article quoted a 2008 report on the uninsured in Georgia. GHPC appeared in the article “Georgia Health Policy Center assembles a Health Reform Work Group” in the Georgia Rural Health Association newsletter, April 13, 2010. GHPC was featured in “Tighten Your Belt: By and large, Middle Georgians losing battle of the bulge,” *Macon Telegraph*, May 2, 2010. GHPC was featured in “What’s on America’s Plate: A Dynamic Look at Today’s Food Policy and Sustainability Discussion.” This report served as a summary for policymakers in Washington focused on reforming the food system. GHPC was listed in “Organizations and programs to watch” for recent work with childhood obesity and fitness assessments. The Georgia Health Policy Center’s work on national health reform was featured in “Wellness and prevention health reform digest,” *Trust for America’s Health*, June 4, 2010. GHPC and affiliate faculty member, Patricia Ketsche with the J. Mack Robinson College of Business, were the focus of the article “Chamber sheds light on healthcare bill,” *Fayette County News*, June 11, 2010. GHPC was included in the story “Peach Co, Macon Group Discuss Possible Health Center,” *13WMAZ*, the CBS Affiliate in Macon, Ga., August 25, 2010. GHPC’s Health Reform Employer Package, including the 50-State Health Reform Calculator for Small Businesses,<sup>®</sup> was featured in “Can you get new health law tax credit? Find out,” *The Atlanta Journal-Constitution*, September 1; “Businesses Get Help on Health Care,” Georgia Public Broadcasting, September 1; My FOX Atlanta 5 News, September 1; 11 Alive News, NBC affiliate, September 1; CBS Atlanta News, September 1; WXVT, CBS affiliate, Greenville, MS, September 1; FOX 4 television, Fort Myers, FL, September 1; News Channel 7, CBS affiliate, Greenville, S.C., September 1; WCTV News, CBS affiliate Tallahassee, FL, September 1; in the radio segment “Calculator simplifies healthcare subsidy,” WABE, NPR affiliate, Atlanta, GA, September 5; and in the article “Ga. State U. unveils tax credit calculator online,” which ran in the *Miami Herald*, September 1; *San Francisco Examiner*, September 1; *Washington Examiner*, September 1; *The Augusta Chronicle*, September 1; *Sun Herald* (Biloxi-Gulfport and South MS), September 1, 2010. GHPC and Patricia Ketsche were featured in “Straight talk about health care reform and what it means for seniors,” *The Citizen*, October 3, 2010.

GHPC and Patricia Ketsche were featured in “Seniors can learn about health care bill,” *Fayette Daily News*, October 7, 2010. GHPC was highlighted in “Health Policy Center holds symposium,” *GSU Signal*, October 28, 2010. GHPC was featured in “New tax break for providing insurance,” *The Atlanta Journal-Constitution*, December 26, 2010.

### **Faculty mentions**

**Holly Avey** was quoted in “Blueprint for Health,” by R. DeGross Valdes, Georgia State University News Archive, June 2010; and was featured in “A Blueprint for Healthy Living,” *The Briefing*, AYSPS publication, Fall/Winter 2010.

**H. Spencer Banzhaf** and **Paul Ferraro** authored the opinion article “Tax the other Smoke: Raise the Gas Tax,” *The Atlanta Journal-Constitution*, 2010.

**Michael J. Bell** was quoted in “Miller Jumped at Chance to Run Hartsfield,” *Atlanta Business Chronicle*, September 17-23, 2010. Bell and the Andrew Young School were referenced in *Buckhead Reporter*, November & December issues, regarding upcoming presentation on applying HOST tax to City of Atlanta Tax Digest. He was interviewed by WSBTV at Andrew Young School regarding MARTA Internal Audit Results, October 11, 2010; and interviewed by WSBTV at Andrew Young School regarding S&P’s Rating “Outlook Change” on the City of Atlanta General Fund, November 1, 2010.

**Carolyn Bourdeaux** was interviewed on Fox 5 at 10:00, live news story about Georgia’s FY11 and FY12 budgets, June 30, 2010; was quoted in the story “Budget shortfall expected,” GPB News, July 1, 2010; was interviewed by Suzanne Capaluto on WABE (Georgia Public Broadcasting) for a story about Georgia’s FY11 and FY12 budgets, July 7, 2010; and was quoted in “Hang onto your wallet – The Tax Reform Commission is at work,” *Insider Advantage*, July 28, 2010. Her research was cited in “State deficit challenges candidates’ schools plans,” covering the study: Permanent cuts or revenue increases are vital to balanced budget, *The Atlanta Journal-Constitution*, August 1, 2010. She was interviewed by Jim Burress on WABE (Georgia Public Broadcasting) for “Higher specialty tag fees could have unintended consequences,” August 9, 2010; quoted in “Higher fees are changing minds,” *The Moultrie Observer*, August 9, 2010; quoted in “Time for tax reform?” *Connect Savannah*, August 10, 2010; quoted in “Georgia’s Fiscal Shortfalls: An ax isn’t the only tool the state needs,” *The Atlanta Journal-Constitution*, August 13, 2010; and quoted in “Georgia budget deficit likely to continue more than five years,” *The Florida Times-Union*, August 22, 2010. The story also appeared in the *Rome News-Tribune*, August 22, *Savannah Morning News*, August 23; *GPB News*, August 23; r.j.’s profile (blog), August 23; realpolitik (blog), August 24; editorial in the *Times-Herald* (Newnan), August 24; and in JasonPye (blog), August. She and **David Sjoquist** wrote “Georgia’s fiscal future,” *Georgia County Government magazine*, November/December 2010.

**James C. Cox** was featured in the article “Stimulus funds boost research in Georgia,” by Jeremy Redmon, *The Atlanta Journal-Constitution*, Page A1, February 14, 2010. He was quoted in “Should stimulus pay for studies?” *Apria Healthcare*, retrieved Feb. 14; “Leading economists gather at University of Canterbury,” *New Zealand Educated*, December 18; “Leading economists converge on Christchurch,” *Voxy.co.nz*, December 16; “Where I’ll be on Friday and Saturday,” *Anti-Dismal*, December 16; “Study Findings from Georgia State University Broaden Understanding of Experimental Economics,” *Economics Week*, April 2; “Our conjecture was that the original protocol may not have made the size of the forgone outside option salient to second movers,” *VerticalNews.com*, April 2; “UC set to take leading role in field of experimental economics,” University of Canterbury (New Zealand) website, February 9; and was featured in “President-Elect: James C. Cox, Georgia State University,” Announcements, *Southern Economic Journal*, January 2010, BNET, The go-to-place for management, retrieved February 11.

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# **Appendix: Report on External Funding**

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## EXTERNAL FUNDING

### ACTIVE SPONSORED GRANTS, CY2010

Department/Research Center	Budgeted Amounts
International Studies Program	\$2,569,383
Economics Department	\$958,670
Experimental Economics Center	\$871,523
Domestic Programs	\$4,696,688
Georgia Health Policy Center	\$15,931,213
Public Management and Policy Department	\$566,470
Public Performance & Management Group	\$1,707,278
<b>AYSPS Totals</b>	<b>\$27,301,225</b>

#### Detail:

Short Title of Grant	Budgeted Amount	Principal Investigator	Funding Source
<b>International:</b>			
CAF Fiscal Policy-Peru	464,286	Martinez	CAF
TO# 3: Rebuilding Countries	40,434	Martinez	Berger Louis Gp
Egypt: Enhancing Capacity	399,780	Martinez	Higher Ed for Development
PRI Fiscal Framework India	116,830	Martinez	Depart for Int'l Development
Trust in Banking Stability	15,582	Martinez	University of Delaware
V Summer School-Public Economics	75,902	Martinez	Fundacion
Fiscal Aspects-Indonesia	18,654	Martinez	Asian Dev Bank
Dual master's Degree-Indonesia	805,266	Martinez	USAID
Jordan Fiscal Reform II	241,586	Martinez	DAI
Fiscal Policy & Mgt Training	67,000	Martinez	DAI
Public Policy Tng Courses	60,395	Martinez	Multiple
V Summer School-Public Econ	75,501	Martinez	FRFP
Social Services: Development	150,000	Martinez	UNDP
Egyptian TO# 8	56,821	Martinez	Aecom
<b>Subtotal International</b>	<b>\$2,569,383</b>		
<b>Economics:</b>			
Diffusion of Info Technology	217,362	Stephan	Mellon Foundation
Career Patterns	38,000	Stephan	Sloan Foundation
Food Stamps	22,500	Tekin	Upjohn
Undergraduate Research	214,806	Alm	NSF
Economics of Science	49,964	Stephan	Sloan Foundation
Medicaid Reform on CARE	61,988	Marton	University of Kentucky
Atlanta Consortium	20,000	Stephen	Georgia Research Alliance
Effect of Higher Labor	14,600	Kaufman	Georgia Research Alliance

Atlanta Census Resch Data	300,000	Hirsch	NSF
CED Internship	9,450	Wallace	Fed Reserve Bank
Perspective on Common Sense Econ	10,000	Frost	Koch Foundation
<b>Subtotal Economics</b>	<b>\$958,670</b>		

**Experimental Economics:**

Enhanced Market Design	249,979	Cox	NSF
Doctoral Dissertation Research	8,640	Petrie	NSF
Proper Scale for Environment	116,139	Schnier	NSF
Asymmetric Power	105,393	Cox	NSF
Uptake of Comparative Effectiveness	167,254	Cox	Emory Univ
<b>Subtotal Experimental Economics</b>	<b>\$1,495,634</b>		

**Domestic:**

Welfare to Work	115,000	Tekin	Univ of Baltimore
Fiscal Economist Services	217,125	Sjoquist	Ga OPB
**Fiscal Research Program	659,304	Sjoquist	State of Georgia
Piloting Shareholder Surveys	1,117,503	Poister	Ga DOT
Legislative Policy Briefing	80,498	Sjoquist	RACL
Gov't/Employee Surveys	250,857	Poister	Ga DOT
Local Gov't & Employee Survey	124,076	Poister	Ga DOT
Food Prices and Advertising	115,542	Tekin	NBER
TANF Study	3,499	Sjoquist	NBER
City of Atlanta Policy Issues	97,093	Sjoquist	Atlanta Committee
Analysis of Data for Consent	823,677	Sjoquist	Ga Dept HR
2010/11 Stakeholder Survey	220,364	Poister	Ga DOT
Eval Nutrition Programs	123,321	Tchernis	Dept Agriculture
Land Use Patterns	119,260	Schnier	Univ of Ga
I75/575 Hot Lanes	22,834	Poister	Ga DOT
Voices for Ga Children	28,047	Sjoquist	Ga's Children
Decatur Attendance Study	2,500	Sjoquist	School of Decatur
Research on Joint Contributions	100,000	Tekin	Univ of Baltimore
Fiscal Economist Services	90,000	Sjoquist	Ga Gov Office
Food Assistance & Nutrition	224,996	Tchernis	Dept Agriculture
Ga Dept of Audits	40,000	Sjoquist	Ga Dept of Audits
Revenue Sources: Trans Planning	45,000	Sjoquist	GaTech
Revenue Sources: Trans Planning	76,261	Sjoquist	GaTech
<b>Subtotal Domestic</b>	<b>\$4,696,688</b>		

**Health Policy Center:**

Building Strong Families	5,087,080	Parker	Mathematica
Philanthropic Collaborative	692,906	Minyard	Multiple
GHD Admin Home	120,000	Minyard	Ga Health Decision
Shifting the Legislative Prog	547,905	Minyard	Woodruff Foundation
Belvedere Community Health	154,559	Parker	CF of Atlanta
Ga Disease Mgt Program	305,000	Landers	United Healthcare
Analysis of GA Public Health	37,940	Minyard	U of S. Mississippi
PeachCare Outreach	150,000	Phillips	Ga Dept CH

PeachCare Evaluation FY 2008	280,000	Snyder	Ga Dept CH
SAMUSA Housing Evaluation	52,082	Snyder	River Edge Behavioral
Research Support	37,500	Landers	Alzheimer Association
Health Needs Assessment	65,484	Parker	Kaiser Permanente
HRC Technology Evaluation	39,608	Avey	National Health Museum
ORHP Sustainability Technical	416,542	Minyard	HRSA/DHHS
NNPHI Community Benefit Meeting	5,000	Minyard	National Network of PH
CJA Admin Home	151,964	Minyard	Community Joined in Action
ADS Healthcare Evaluation	85,000	Landers	APS Healthcare
PeachCare Evaluation 2008	390,000	Snyder	Georgia Dept of CH
Developing BRAC	245,496	Minyard	National Network PH
Develop Access South Carolina	25,000	Minyard	Access South Carolina
ORHP Technical Assistance	1,748,120	Minyard	HRSA/DHHS
ORHP Technical Assistance Program	98,651	Minyard	HRSA/DHHS
Outreach-PeachCare	300,000	Phillips	Georgia Dept of CH
ORHP Sustainability Technical	416,542	Minyard	HRSA/DHHS
MNPHI Community Benefit	5,000	Minyard	National Network
Georgia Enhanced Care	85,000	Landers	APS Healthcare
Network Development Technical	30,207	Minyard	SharedCare, Inc
Needs Assessment-Peach Co	50,000	Landers	CHW
Money Follows the Person	87,600	Landers	Ga Dept CH
Dissemination County Rankings	5,000	Minyard	National Network
Aging & Disability Resource	25,000	Landers	Ga Dept HS
Development of Case Share	5,000	Minyard	Care Share
Shifting Legislative Paradigm	539,999	Minyard	Woodruff Foundation
Consultant Services	6,389	Avey	SoloHealth
Meeting Support & Guidance	7,472	Avey	Atlanta Regional Com
Cancer Plan Implementation	45,176	Parker	Ga Cancer Coalition
CDC PRAMS Data	64,999	Avey	CDC
Development of Health Policy	1,928	Minyard	Florida Public Health
Population-Based Surveillance	235,443	Snyder	Ga Dept CH
Oral Health Policy	49,668	Snyder	Ga Dept Ch
KP Cares for Community	10,000	Minyard	Kaiser Permanente
Developing a Sustainability Plan	36,740	Tyler	Ga Dept of CH
External Evaluation	199,574	Parker	DeKalb Co
National Health Reform	1,467	Parker	AHEC
Health Reform Policy Brief	20,000	Minyard	Mississippi Health
Webinar	500	Avey	Louisiana PHI
Strategic Planning	47,763	Parker	Ga Dept CH
Outreach-Tech Assistance	1,406,108	Minyard	HR&S
Network Development-Delta States	199,874	Minyard	HR&S
Technical Assistance-Rural Health	876,921	Minyard	HR&S
Health Insurance Exchange	300,000	Minyard	Ga Gov Office
Community Care Services	75,200	Landers	Ga Dept HS
Funding Formula	4,533	Minyard	Ga Dept CH
Facilitation Services	15,797	Parker	DeKalb Co
Cardiovascular Health	40,476	Parker	Ga dept CH
<b>Subtotal Health Policy Center</b>	<b>\$15,931,213</b>		

**Public Management and Policy:**

Processing ICMA	196,592	Streib	International City
CREA II	55,160	Lewis	GaTech
Risk-Based Planning	245,904	Waugh	U of NC
Research Services for Graduate	5,516	Lewis	GaTech
Research Services for Graduate	10,800	Lewis	GaTech
Research Services for Graduate	28,800	Lewis	GaTech
Research Services for Graduate	17,200	Lewis	GaTech
NY State Charter School Program	6,498	Searcy	Syracuse Univ
<b>Subtotal PMAP</b>	<b>\$566,470</b>		

**Public Performance & Management Group:**

Customer/Employee Study	740,204	Locklin	Governor's Office of CS
2008-2009 Customer Satisfaction	60,001	Locklin	Ga Dept of Early Care
Conduct GA DOL Supervisory	17,500	Locklin	Ga Dept of Labor
Strategic Plan Initiative	38,350	Locklin	Ga Depart of Agriculture
Customer/Employee Study	209,905	Locklin	Governor's Office of CS
Rehab Long-Term Training	299,375	Locklin	US Dept of Education
Transition of Offender	40,000	Locklin	Ga Dept Corrections
2009/2010 Customer Satisfaction	92,000	Locklin	Ga Dept of Early Care
Analysis of Structural Options	38,000	Locklin	Ga Dept Corrections
DeKalb Staffing Analysis	48,000	Locklin	DeKalb Co B of D
2010-1022 Customer Satisfaction	94,000	Locklin	Ga Dept Early Care
START Impact Report	5,000	Locklin	Fulton Co Government
Georgia 3rd Grade Oral Health	24,943	Locklin	Ga Dept CH
<b>Subtotal PPM</b>	<b>\$1,707,278</b>		

**Total All AYSPS Dept/Centers: \$27,301,225**

\* Active Sponsored Grants are defined as any grant that had activity at any point during CY 2010. Where possible, long-term grants have been adjusted for the amount associated with just CY 2010.

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