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Harvard EdCast. "The Actual Cost of College." (available at: <https://www.gse.harvard.edu/news/19/11/harvard-edcast-actual-cost-college>), November 13, 2019.

WGBH: *All Things Considered* (interviewer: Barbara Howard). "Accidental Gun Deaths Spiked After Sandy Hook." (available at: <https://news.wgbh.org/2017/12/15/local-news/accidental-gun-deaths-spiked-after-sandy-hook>), December 14, 2017.

WGBH: *On Campus* (interviewer: Kirk Carapezza). "New College Cost Calculator Boosts Applications From Low-Income Students." (available at: <http://blogs.wgbh.org/on-campus/2017/5/2/new-college-cost-calculator-boosts-applications-low-income-students/>), May 2, 2017.

Michigan Radio: *State of Opportunity*. "Study: Sesame Street Helps Kids Stay on Track in School." (available at: <http://stateofopportunity.michiganradio.org/post/study-sesame-street-helps-kids-stay-track-school>) June 17, 2015.

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American University Radio (Washington, DC NPR affiliate), *The Kojo Nnamdi Show* (interview with Jennifer Golbeck)

"MTV's Public Service Message: Teen Moms." (available at: <http://thekojonnamdishow.org/audio-player?nid=24729>) January 22, 2014.

Canadian Broadcasting Corporation Radio, *Q* (interview with Jian Ghomeshi). "Have 16 & Pregnant, Teen Mom Affected Birthrates?" (available at: <http://www.cbc.ca/q/blog/2014/01/17/have-16-pregnant-teen-mom-affected-birthrates/>). January 17, 2014.

Southern California Public Radio, *Airtalk* (interview: Larry Mantle). "Can Reality Shows Like '16 And Pregnant' Lower the Teen Birth Rate?" (available at: <http://www.scpr.org/programs/airtalk/2014/01/13/35511/can-reality-shows-like-16-and-pregnant-lower-the-t/>). January 14, 2014.

CNN: *Newsroom* (interviewer: Brooke Baldwin). "Study: MTV's '16 And Pregnant' Led To Fewer Teen Births." (available at: <http://www.cnn.com/2014/01/13/health/16-pregnant-teens-childbirth/index.html?iref=allsearch>). January 14, 2014.

WBUR: *Morning Edition* (interviewer: Bob Oakes). "Wellesley Economist Finds Income Inequality Drives Teen Birth Rates." (available at: <http://www.wbur.org/2012/05/21/teen-birth-rate/player>). May 21, 2012.

SPONSORED RESEARCH

"Simplified Financial Aid Estimates and College Access, The Role of Facebook."

Funding Source: JPAL-North America
Award Amount and Duration: \$50,000 over 18 months
Completion Date: September, 2018

"The Lasting Effect of Sesame Street on Children's Development: Lessons for Early Childhood Interventions"

Funding Source: Spencer Foundation
Award Amount and Duration: \$41,000 over 9 months
Completion Date: December 2015

"The Impact of Simplifying Estimates of College Costs."

Funding Source: College Board
Award Amount and Duration: \$89,000 over 2 years
Completion Date: December 2015

"Income Inequality and the Decision to Stay in School" (co-PI with Melissa Kearney)

Funding Source: Smith Richardson Foundation
Award Amount and Duration: \$50,000 over 1 year
Completion Date: August 2013

"Recessions and Retiree Health" (co-PI with Courtney Coile and Robin McKnight)

Funding Source: Social Security Administration
Award Amount and Duration: \$50,000 over 1 year
Completion Date: October 2012

“Explaining Trends in Teen Childbearing” (co-PI with Melissa Kearney)

Funding Source: National Campaign to Prevent Teen and Unwanted Pregnancy
Award Amount and Duration: \$96,000 over 1 year
Completion Date: August 2011

“Recessions, Social Security, and Living Arrangements of the Elderly” (co-PI with Courtney Coile)

Funding Source: Social Security Administration
Award Amount and Duration: \$40,000 over 1 year
Completion Date: October 2011

“The Economic Crisis and Retirement Income.” (co-PI with Courtney Coile)

Funding Source: Upjohn Institute
Award Amount and Duration: \$10,000 over 8 months
Completion Date: October 2010

“Reconsidering Retirement: How Losses and Layoffs Affect Older Workers” (co-PI with Courtney Coile)

Funding Source: Social Security Administration
Award Amount and Duration: \$37,000 over 1 year
Completion Date: October 2010

“Family Planning Waivers and Teen Fertility” (co-PI with Melissa Kearney)

Funding Source: National Institute of Child Health and Human Development
Award Amount and Duration: \$137,000 over 2 years
Completion Date: April 2009

“Targeting Investments in Children: Fighting Poverty When Resources are Limited” (co-PI with David Zimmerman)

Funding Source: Robin Hood Foundation
Award Amount and Duration: \$250,000 over 1 year
Completion Date: September 2008

“Children’s Health and Educational Outcomes” (co-PI with Diane Whitmore)

Funding Source: U.S. Department of Education
Award Amount and Duration: \$100,000 over 18 months
Completion Date: September 2006

“The Impact of Abortion Legalization on the Family” (co-PI with Jon Gruber and Doug Staiger)

Funding Source: National Institute of Child Health and Human Development
Award Amount and Duration: \$930,000 over three years
Completion Date: October 2005

“The Impact of Pay Inequity on the Retirement Income of Women and Minorities” (co-PI with Olivia Mitchell)

Funding Source: American Association of Retired Persons
Award Amount and Duration: \$49,000 over 8 months
Completion Date: December 1998

“What Have We Learned About Abortion Policy?” (co-PI with Douglas Staiger)

Funding Source: Henry J. Kaiser Family Foundation
Award Amount and Duration: \$39,000 over 10 months
Completion Date: November 1998

"The Effects of Maternal Welfare Receipt on Children's Outcomes." (co-PI with David J. Zimmerman)

Funding Source: William T. Grant Foundation
Award Amount: \$220,000 over 3 years
Completion Date: December 1998

"The Unemployment Insurance Appeals Process: "Who Fights and Who Wins." (co-PI with Orley Ashenfelter)

Funding Source: United States Department of Labor
Award Amount and Duration: \$8,500 over 6 months
Completion Date: November 1995

"Women on the Verge of Retirement: Predictors of Retiree Well-Being" (co-PI with Olivia S. Mitchell)

Funding Source: AARP Andrus Foundation
Award Amount and Duration: \$75,000 over 1 year
Completion Date: June 1995

"The Benefit of Additional High School Math and Science Classes for Young Women: Evidence from Longitudinal Data." (co-PI with David J. Zimmerman)

Funding Source: United States Department of Labor, Women's Bureau
Award Amount and Duration: \$40,000 over 1 year
Completion Date: October 1993

SELECTED RECENT PRESENTATIONS AND SEMINARS

“Exposure to a School Shooting and Subsequent Well-Being.”

National Bureau of Economic Research, Summer Institute, Children’s Program Meeting, July 2020.

“Communicating Messages of Affordability and Access using MyinTuition”

NACAC Annual Conference, September 2019

“Do College Applicants Respond to Changes in Sticker Prices Even When They Don’t Matter?”

National Bureau of Economic Research, Education Program Fall Meeting, November 2019

Harvard University PIER Public Seminar, November 2019

Lafayette College, September 2019

DC Econ of Education Seminar, May 2019

“Colleges’ Experiences Using MyinTuition to Simplify College Cost Estimates”

College Board Forum, October 2018

Affordability Roundtable, August 2018

Coalition for Access, Affordability, and Success Conference: Zero to One Million – Team Up, Dream Up

“Financial Sustainability and College Access.”

COFHE Assembly, April 2018.

“Towards Better Communicating College Costs.”

ATI Fall 2017 Strategic Support Meeting, October 2017.
COFHE Financial Aid Officers’ Retreat, June 2017.

“The Accidental Consequences of Spikes in Gun Sales.”

Dartmouth College, April 2017.

“Early Childhood Education by MOOC: Lessons from Sesame Street.”

University of Texas, Department of Economics, March 2016
Texas A&M University, Department of Economics, March 2016
Northwestern University, School of Education and Social Policy, May 2015
Williams College, Department of Economics, April 2015
Georgetown University, McCourt School of Public Policy, April 2015
Harvard University, Department of Economics, March 2015
University of Illinois, March 2015
Federal Trade Commission, March 2015
University of Maryland, Department of Economics, February 2015

“*MyinTuition*: Wellesley’s Game-Changing Cost Estimator.”

College Board Forum. October 2014.

“Designing Effective Mentoring Programs for Disadvantaged Youth”

The Hamilton Project (Brookings Institution). June 2014.

“Income Inequality and the Decision to Stay in School”

World Bank Conference on Equity: Aspirations Poverty and Inequality, May 2014.
University of New Hampshire, April 2014.
Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland Income Distribution Workshop, March 2014.
National Bureau of Economic Research, Universities Research Conference, May 2013.

“Media Influences on Teen Sexual Behavior and Childbearing: The Impact of MTV’s *16 and Pregnant*.”

Canadian Institute for Advanced Research, February 2014.
BU/Harvard/MIT Health Economics Workshop, February 2014.
Dartmouth College, October 2013.
University of Virginia, November 2013.

“Simplifying Estimates of College Costs.”

College Board, New England Regional Forum. February 2014.
The Hamilton Project (Brookings Institution). October 2013.

“Inequality and Teenage Dropout Behavior”

Cornell University, April 2013.
Purdue University, Department of Economics, March 2012
University of Notre Dame, Department of Economics, March 2012

“Recessions, Older Workers, and Longevity: How Long are Recessions Good for Your Health?”

Retirement Research Center, Annual Meeting, August 2013.
National Bureau of Economic Research, Summer Institute, Aging Meeting, July 2012

“Why is the Teen Birth Rate so High in the United States?”

Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center, Department of Neonatology, October 2012.

“Early Non-Marital Childbearing and the Culture of Despair”

Population Association of America Annual Meeting, May 2012
National Bureau of Economic Research, fall Labor Studies Meeting, October 2011
Brown University, Department of Economics, September 2011

Boston College, Department of Economics, April 2011
Middlebury College, Department of Economics, March 2011
Mount Holyoke Conference, Public Policy and the Economics of Fertility, March 2011
Harvard University, Department of Economics, February 2011
University of Chicago, Harris School, February 2011
Association of Public Policy Analysis and Management Annual Meeting, November 5th, 2010

OTHER RECENT PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES AND AWARDS

- 2018 Boston Globe, 2017 Best of the New People and Ideas.
2015 Nominee, Rosabeth Moss Kanter Award for Excellence in Work-Family Research
Distinguished Faculty Lecture, Wellesley College
paper selection committee, Society of Labor Economists
2014 participant, “Systematic Review Protocol of the Consequences of Teen Pregnancy,” Centers for Disease Control, August.
participant, Clinton Global Initiative – America, June.
2013 participant, “The 37%: Developing a Research Agenda for Addressing Mistimed, Unintended, Unplanned, Unwanted Pregnancy in the U.S.,” National Institute of Child Health and Human Development (NICHD).
conference co-organizer (with Melissa Kearney), NBER Universities Research Conference, May.
member, external visiting committee, Smith College Department of Economics
2011 discussant, American Economic Association Meetings
member, external visiting committee, Swarthmore College Department of Economics

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS AND ACTIVITIES

Associations

American Economic Association

Committee Service

American Economic Association Ad-Hoc Committee on the Job Market (2006 – 2012)

Articles Refereed for:

American Economic Review, American Journal of Political Science, American Sociological Review, Contemporary Policy Issues, Demography, Econometrica, Economic Journal, Economics of Education Review, Education Next, Family Planning Perspectives, Health Economics, Industrial Relations, Industrial and Labor Relations Review, Journal of Business and Economic Statistics, Journal of Development Studies, Journal of Economic Literature, Journal of Health Economics, Journal of Human Resources, Journal of Labor Economics, Journal of Law, Economics, and Organization, Journal of Legal Studies, Journal of Policy Analysis & Management, Journal of Political Economy, Journal of Population Economics, Journal of Public Economics, Journal of Urban Economics, Labour Economics, National Tax Journal, Quarterly Journal of Economics, Research in Labor Economics, Review of Economics and Statistics, Review of Economics of the Household, Social Science and Medicine.

SUBJECTS TAUGHT AT WELLESLEY (all undergraduate)

Introduction to Probability and Statistical Methods
Economic Analysis of Social Policy
Econometrics
Introduction to Microeconomics
Intermediate Microeconomic Analysis
Labor Economics
Women in the Labor Market

WELLESLEY ACTIVITIES

403b Retirement Oversight Committee	2017-2020
Reappointment and Promotion Committee for Adam Van Arsdale	2017-2019
Search Committee, Director of Admission	2015
Search Committee, Dean of Admission and Financial Aid	2015
Member, Faculty Mortgage Task Force	2013-2014
Chair, Admissions and Financial Aid Policy Committee	2012-2015
Trustee Committee on Admissions and Financial Aid	2012-2015
Search Committee, Vice President for Finance and Treasurer	2012-2013
Faculty Chair, Board of Admissions	2011-2012
Registrar's Advisory Group	2010-2012
Member, Board of Admissions	2010-2011
Trustee Task Force on Endowment Spending	2009-2010
Search Committee, Director of Information Services	2009-2010
American Cities Internship Review Committee	2009-2010
Dean's Council	2008-2010
"Ideas" Committee	2008-2009
Trustee Finance Committee	2007-2010
Chair, Budget Advisory Committee	2007-2010
Financial Planning Working Group, 2015 Commission	2005-2006
Trustee-Faculty Committee on Academic Affairs	2000-2002
Chair, Faculty Benefits Committee	1999-2002
Trustee Finance Committee	1998-2000
Faculty Benefits Committee	1993-1999
Institutional Research Task Force	1993-1994
Technical Advisory Committee	1992-1995
Nominating Committee, Truman Scholarship	1992-2007