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RESEARCH INTERESTS

Public Economics/Public Finance, Political Economy, Public Policy, and Formal Political Theory.

TEACHING INTERESTS

Public Economics/Public Finance, Micro- and Macroeconomics, Political Economy, Cost-Benefit Analysis, Econometrics, and Statistics

EDUCATION

Ph.D. in Political Economy, Graduate School of Industrial Administration, Carnegie Mellon University, Pittsburgh, PA. 1996.

Dissertation Title: *Essays on Positive Political Economy*

Dissertation Chair: Dr. Dennis Epple

M.S. in Political Economy, Graduate School of Industrial Administration, Carnegie Mellon University, Pittsburgh, PA. 1992.

B.S. in Economics, *Magna Cum Laude*, Wharton School, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA. 1984.

ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT

Visiting Faculty, Wake Forest University, Department of Economics, (2021-current)

Visiting Faculty, University of Florida, Department of Economics, (2019-2021)

Associate Professor of Economics (without tenure), Carnegie Mellon University-Qatar, (2005-2019)

Assistant Professor, Master of Public Administration Program, Department of Government and International Affairs, University of South Florida, (2000-2005)

Visiting Assistant Professor, Martin School of Public Policy & Administration, University of Kentucky (1998-2000)

Assistant Professor, Economics Department, Koç University, Istanbul, Turkey (1996-1998)

OTHER ACADEMIC POSITIONS

Visiting Researcher, Institut d'Economia de Barcelona (IEB), Research Program on Fiscal Federalism, University of Barcelona (February, 2010)

PUBLICATIONS

Calabrese, Stephen M., Dennis Epple, and Richard Romano, “*Majority Choice of Tax Systems in Single- and Multi-Jurisdictional Economies*,” ***Journal of Public Economics***, Volume 131, November 2015, Pages 58-70

Calabrese, Stephen M., Dennis Epple, and Richard Romano, “*Inefficiencies from Metropolitan Political and Fiscal Decentralization: Failures of Tiebout Competition*,” ***The Review of Economic Studies***, July 2012, Vol. 79 Issue 3, Pages 1081-1111

Calabrese, Stephen M., “*Majority Voting Over Publicly Provided Goods, Redistribution, and Income Taxation*,” ***Journal of Public Economic Theory***, Volume 9, Issue 2, 319-334, April 2007

Calabrese, Stephen M., Dennis Epple, and Richard Romano, “*On the Political Economy of Zoning*,” ***Journal of Public Economics***, Volume 91, Issues 1-2, February 2007, Pages 25-49

Calabrese, Stephen M., “*An Explanation of the Continuing Federal Government Mandate of Single-Member Congressional Districts*,” ***Public Choice***, Volume 130, Numbers 1-2, Pages 23-40, January 2007

Calabrese, Stephen M., Dennis Epple, Thomas Romer, and Holger Sieg, “*Local public good provision: Voting, peer effects, and mobility*” ***Journal of Public Economics***, Lead Article, Volume 90, Issues 6-7, Pages 959-1364, August 2006

Calabrese, Stephen M., Dennis Epple, and Rich Romano, “*Non-Fiscal Residential Zoning*” ***The Tiebout Model at Fifty: Essays in Public Economics in Honor of Wallace Oates***, W.A. Fischel, ed., Cambridge, Mass.: Lincoln Institute of Land Policy, 2006, Pgs. 211-231

Calabrese, Stephen M., Glenn Cassidy, and Dennis Epple, “*Local Government Fiscal Structure and Metropolitan Consolidation*” ***Brookings-Wharton Papers on Urban Affairs, 2002***, Pgs. 1-32

Calabrese, Stephen M., “*Local Redistribution Financed by Income Tax*,” ***Public Finance Review***, Volume 29, Number 4, July 2001, Pgs. 259-303

Calabrese, Stephen M., “Multi-Member District Congressional Elections,” *Legislative Studies Quarterly*, Volume XXV, Number 4, November 2000, pgs 611-643

Zimmer, Ron; Hackbart, Merl; Calabrese, Steve; and Luzuriaga, Susana, "Kentucky's Road Fund Tax Structure" (1999). *Kentucky Transportation Center Research Reports*. Paper 361.

MANUSCRIPTS

Calabrese, Stephen M., Dennis Epple, and Richard Romano “Majority Choice of Taxation and Redistribution in a Federation” (2022). Second Round Revised and Resubmitted to the *Journal of Public Economics*.

Calabrese, Stephen M., “Household Mobility and the Political Economy and Welfare Effects of Local Tax Limits” (2022). Revised and Resubmitted at the *Journal of Urban Economics*.

Calabrese, Stephen M., Dennis Epple, and Richard Romano, “The Political Economy of School Finance Systems with Endogenous State and Local Tax Policies” (2022). Submitted to the *American Economic Review*.

WORKS IN PROGRESS

Calabrese, Stephen M., Dennis Epple, and Richard Romano, “Toward a Positive Theory of Equilibrium Tax Systems, Unemployment, and the Distribution of Wealth” (2019)

Calabrese, Stephen M., Dennis Epple, and Richard Romano, “A Fiscal Federation with Local Tax Deductions” (2019)

COURSES TAUGHT

Graduate

Political Economy for Public Managers
Public Policy Economics
Quantitative Aids for Public Managers
Public Financial Administration
Research Methods for Public Administrators
The Policy Process
Benefit-Cost Analysis
Public Economics

Undergraduate

Public Economics/Finance
Benefit-Cost Analysis
Public Finance Administration
Corporate Finance
Principles of Microeconomics
Intermediate Macroeconomics
Intermediate Microeconomics
Advanced Economic Theory
Principles of Macroeconomics
Economics of Public Policy

FELLOWSHIPS AND GRANTS

Seed Grant, Carnegie Mellon University-Qatar. (2007-2016) Total Funding \$200,000
Lincoln Institute of Land Policy, “*Non-Fiscal Residential Zoning*” (2006) Total Funding: \$4,000.
NSF Grant (2004), “*Political Economy of Local Public Finance*” (2004) Total Funding: \$8,000.
University of South Florida Sponsored Research Grant, (2003) \$500
Brookings-Wharton Conference on Urban Affairs Grant, “*Local Government Fiscal Structure and Metropolitan Consolidation*” Total Funding: \$4,000 (2001)
Kentucky Transportation Center, Kentucky Road Fund Study KTC 99-50. Co-Principal Investigator 1999 Total Funding: \$25,000.
Lynde and Harry Bradley Fellowship (1989-1992)
Bradley Dissertation Fellowship in Political Economy (1992-1993)
Teaching Assistantships, Carnegie Mellon University (1993-1995)
Graduate Research Assistant on NSF Grant (Dennis Epple, Principle Investigator, 1994-1995)

CONFERENCE PARTICIPATION

Paper Presentations

NYU-DC Federalism and Contemporary Political Problems Conference Washington, D.C. (2014)
Institut d'Economia de Barcelona's (IEB's) V Workshop on Fiscal Federalism, Barcelona, Spain (2013).
Association for Public Economic Theory Annual International Meeting, Taipei, Taiwan, (2012)
International Conference on Modeling of Complex Systems, Doha, Qatar (2009)
Association for Public Economic Theory Annual International Meeting, Nashville (2007)
Annual Meeting of the Southern Economic Association, Charleston S.C. (2006)
LINCOLN INSTITUTE ON LAND POLICY, Tiebout Conference at Dartmouth College, Hanover, NH (2005)
NBER SUMMER INSTITUTE, Real Estate Markets, Local Public Finance, and Public Policy, Cambridge, MA (2004)
TAPES Conference on Fiscal Federalism, NBER, Munich (2004)
Annual Meeting of the Florida Political Science Association, Tampa (2003)
Annual Meeting of the American Economic Association, Washington, D.C., (2003)
Annual Meeting of the American Economic Association, Atlanta, (2002)
Brookings-Wharton Conference on Urban Affairs, Washington, D.C. (2001)
Annual Meeting of the Public Choice Society, New Orleans, (1998)
Midwest Economics Association 62nd Annual Meeting, Chicago, (1998)
Royal Economic Society Conference, University of Warwick, Coventry, England, (1998)
Society for Social Choice and Welfare's Fourth International Meeting University of British Columbia, Vancouver, Canada, (1998)
Society for the Advancement of Economic Theory III. International Conference Antalya, Turkey (1997)
Annual Meeting of the Public Choice Society, New Orleans, (1992)
Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Chicago, (1992)

Discussant

Institut d'Economia de Barcelona's (IEB's) V Workshop on Fiscal Federalism, Barcelona, Spain (2013).

Annual Meeting of the Southern Economic Association, Charleston S.C. (2006)

LINCOLN INSTITUTE ON LAND POLICY, Tiebout Conference at Dartmouth College, Hanover, NH (2005)

DEVOE L. MOORE CENTER, Critical Issues Symposium, *State and Local Government Regulations and Economic Development*, Tallahassee, 2005

NBER SUMMER INSTITUTE, Real Estate Markets, Local Public Finance, and Public Policy, Cambridge, MA (2004)

TAPES Conference on Fiscal Federalism, NBER, Munich (2004)

Annual Meeting of the Florida Political Science Association, Tampa (2003)

Brookings-Wharton Conference on Urban Affairs, Washington, D.C. (2001 and 2002)

European Financial Management Association Conference, Istanbul, Turkey (1997)-Discussant for two different panels. One panel was on "Social Security Reform In EU Countries," and the other panel was on "Effects of Capital Investment Tax Credit Policies in Europe."

Attendance only

Annual Meeting of the American Economic Association, Atlanta, (2019)

Annual Meeting of the American Economic Association, Atlanta, (2010)

North American Summer Meeting of the Econometric Society, Pittsburgh (2008)

Annual Conference of the Association for Budgeting and Financial Management, Kansas City (2000)

Annual Meeting of the American Economic Association, Boston, (2000)

Annual Conference of Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management (1999)

Annual Meeting of the American Economic Association, San Francisco, (1996)

Annual Meeting of the American Economic Association, Washington, D.C. (1995)

Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Chicago, (1994)

UNIVERSITY SEMINAR PRESENTATIONS

Carnegie Mellon University, Tepper School of Business, 2019

Department of Public Finance at National Chengchi University, 2019

Carnegie Mellon University, Tepper School of Business, 2012

Institut d'Economia de Barcelona (IEB), University of Barcelona, 2010

Carnegie Mellon University, Tepper School of Business, 2006

University of South Florida, Department of Economics, 2003

University of Florida, Department of Economics, 2003

University of South Florida, Public Administration Program, 2000

University of Kentucky, Department of Economics, Applied Microeconomics Workshop, 1998

University of Kentucky, Martin School of Public Policy & Administration, Seminar Series, 1998

Koç University, Department of Economics, Macroeconomics Workshop, 1997

Koç University, College of Administrative Sciences and Economics, 1996

Boğaziçi University, Istanbul, Turkey, 1995

Bilkent University, Seminar Series, 1995

City University of New York-Baruch, 1995

PROFESSIONAL WORK EXPERIENCE

Economic Research Analyst, Heiden Associates (June 1986 - July 1989). Performed economic analyses of proposed government regulations. These included cost/benefit analyses of EPA, OSHA, and various states' environmental regulations, and risk analyses of products subject to Consumer Product Safety Commission regulations.

Research Analyst, Transportation Institute (March 1985 - May 1986). Estimated economic impacts of Federal government policies related to the U.S. maritime industry, lobbied Congress on behalf of the maritime industry, and wrote speeches read by various congressmen during congressional sessions.

REFEREE SERVICE

American Economic Review, Regional Science and Urban Economics, National Science Foundation, Party Politics, Journal of Regional Science, Journal of Public Economics, European Economic Review, DEVOE L. MOORE CENTER: Critical Issues Symposium, Journal of Economic Geography, Economics of Education Review, Public Budgeting & Finance, Review of Economic Studies, Journal of Economic Surveys, Public Finance Review, Journal of Housing Economics, Economics Bulletin, Journal of Public Economic Theory, International Tax and Public Finance, Economic Journal, Review of Economic Design, The Scandinavian Journal of Economics, National Tax Journal, Qatar National Research Foundation.

UNIVERSITY SERVICE

Carnegie Mellon University in Qatar, Faculty Review Committees
Tepper School of Business Finance Club Faculty Advisor, Carnegie Mellon University in Qatar
Tepper School of Business Faculty IT Support Representative, Carnegie Mellon University in Qatar
General Faculty Panel on Graduate School, Carnegie Mellon University Qatar
Computer Committee, College of Arts and Sciences, University of South Florida
Masters of Public Administration Problem Report (Thesis)-Advisor/Reader (Students: Joyce Gibbs and Luis Lleras)
Analyzed data from the University of South Florida MPA Program Exit Evaluation Surveys.
Masters of Public Administration Admissions Committee, University of South Florida
Graduate Certificate Nonprofit Management Admissions Committee, University of South Florida
Graduate Certificate in Public Management Admissions Committee, University of South Florida
Seminar Series Organization Committee, Martin School, University of Kentucky
Ph.D. Qualifying Exam Committee, Bilkent University
Computer Allocation and Support Committee, Bilkent University
Economics Department Recruitment Brochure Committee, Bilkent University

COMMUNITY SERVICE

Statistical Analyses of Tampa Aids Network Surveys, 2000 – 2003

Developed, administered, and assisted in the in annual year long student projects in the Research Methods/Quantitative Aids sequence for various community organizations. These organization included:

- 1) Museum of Science and Technology
- 2) Management Assistance Program (MAP)
- 3) City of Tampa Citizen Satisfaction Surveys
- 4) Zephyrhills Citizen Satisfaction Survey
- 5) Pinellas County Coalition for the Homeless Survey
- 6) New Port Richey Citizen Satisfaction Surveys
- 7) Komen Breast Cancer Foundation
- 8) Zephyrhills Development Services Department

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- American Economic Association

REFERENCES

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