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PERSONAL INFORMATION

Date of Birth: September 6, 1943
Marital Status: Married (four children)

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND

The University of Oregon
Major: Economics
Degrees: M.A. 1970; Ph.D. 1972

The University of Texas
Major: Economics
Degrees: B.A. 1965; M.A. 1969

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Professor of Economics, Sam Houston State University, 1975-date
Assistant Professor of Economics, Florida International University, 1972-1975
Assistant Professor of Economics, California State University, Northridge, 1970-1972

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Grant Research: "Impact on Investment by Non-U.S. Based Multinational Corporations on Florida Resources and Enterprises," with Mira Wilkens, Florida Department of State.

Grant Research: "Investigation of Locational Patterns and Land Use in Huntsville, Texas," Sam Houston State University Grant.

AWARDS

NDEA Title IV Fellowship, University of Oregon, 1967-1970
University of Texas Fellowship, 1965-1966

LANGUAGE PREPARATION

Reading knowledge in Spanish and French; some conversation.

PUBLISHED PAPERS

"Dollarization and Monetary Control: The Case of Panama," *Papers and Proceedings*, Academy of Economics and Finance, Forthcoming.

“Okun’s Law: Measurement Considerations,” *Papers and Proceedings*, Academy of Economics and Finance, Volume 30, February 2006, pp.277-280.

“What is Expansionary Monetary Policy,” *Texas Labor Market Review*, April 2002.

“Caribbean Migration,” *Proceedings of the International Trade and Finance Association* with Antonio Jorge and Raul Moncarz, May 1998.

"Another Look at Import Structure and Economic Growth," *Working Paper*, Center for Business and Economic Development, Sam Houston State University, No. 94, 06E/BA, June 1994.

"Fringe Benefits; An Ordering," *Journal of Forensic Economics*, Winter 1991.

"Calculating Damages: Real or Nominal Rates," *Journal of Forensic Economics*, Spring/Summer 1990.

"Airline Deregulation: Its Effects and the Competitive Environment," *International Journal of Transport Economics*, June 1990.

"Foreign Debt and Economic Development: IMF Policy Issues," article in K. Fatemi, editor, *International Trade and Finance: A North American Perspective*, Praeger (1988), 100-107.

"Government Production and Regulation: Realities in the U. S.," Edgar Ortiz, ed., *Public Enterprise: Current Issues*, Center for Research and Teaching of Economics, 1987, 492-498.

"The IMF External Debt, and Latin America in the Eighties," *Proceedings of International Symposium on North American Economies in the 1990s*, June 1987.

"Pfeifer and Culver II: Forecasting Uniformity," *Texas Bar Journal*, Vol. 49, No. 10, November 1986.

"Policy and U. S.-Mexico Trade Relations," *Occasional Papers Series Dialogues*, Latin American and Caribbean Center, 1984.

"Imports Substitution Industrialization in Brazil and Mexico," with Raul Moncarz, *Papers and Proceedings of the Southwest Federation of Administration Disciplines*, March 1980.

"Automobile Usage Demand and the Gasoline Tax," *International Journal of Transport Economics*, April 1978.

PAPERS PRESENTED

“Dollarization and Monetary Control: The Case of Panama.” Academy of Economics and Finance, Pensacola, FL, February 2009.

“Okun’s Law: Measurement Considerations,” Academy of Economics and Finance, Houston, April 2006.

"Analysis of Employment in Health Professions: The Case of Hispanics by SMSA in AZ, FL, and TX," San Antonio, March 2006.

"The New Productivity and Growth in the U.S." Southwestern Economics Association, New Orleans, March 2005.

"Risk-Shifting and the Economics of Legal Defense Insurance," with Martin L. Griffin, Southwestern Society of Economists, Dallas, March 2005.

"Labor Market Realities: The Shortage of Nurses," Southwestern Society of Economists, Houston, March 2003.

"External Trade Policies of the EU," Southwestern Society of Economists, March 2000.

"Legal Defense Insurance," Southwestern Economics Association, San Antonio, April 1999.

"The Cost of Capital Punishment," with Martin Griffin, Southwestern Society of Economists, Dallas, March 1998.

"Caribbean Migration," with Raul Moncarz, International Finance and Economics Association, Atlantic City, New Jersey, May 27-30, 1998.

"The Cost of Capital Punishment," with M. Griffin, Southwestern Federation of Administrative Disciplines, Dallas, Texas, March 6, 1998.

"Hispanics in the Medical Profession: Initial Look," with Raul Moncarz, Southwestern Economics Association, New Orleans, March 1997.

"Fringe Benefits: The Question of Inclusion," with Martin Griffin, Southwest Society of Economists, San Antonio, Texas, March 1996.

"The U.S. Economy: Diagnosis and Prognosis," Southwest Society of Economists, Dallas, Texas, March 1994.

"Hedonic Damages: Fact or Fiction?" New Orleans: Southwestern Federation of Administrative Disciplines, March 1993.

"The Economist as an 'Expert' Witness," Irish Economic Association, May 1991.

"Calculating Damages: Real or Nominal Rates," Southwestern Association of Administrative Disciplines, March 1990.

"Consistent Valuations for Assessing Damages in Tort Cases," Southwestern Association of Administrative Disciplines, March 1989.

"The IMF, External Debt, and Latin America in the Eighties," International Symposium on North American Economies in the 1990s, June 1987.

"Growth and Entrepreneurship of Hispanic Business in South Florida," Allied Social Science Association,

December 1985.

"Government Production and Regulation," North American Economics and Finance Association, July 1985.

"The IMF and Latin America: A New Perspective," North American Economics and Finance Association, July 1984.

"Exchange Policies and U. S.-Mexico Economic Relations," Latin American Studies Association, September 1983.

"The Role of Imports in Growth: Cases of Brazil, Colombia, and Mexico," Southwestern Social Science Association, March 1983.

"The 'Shortage' of Nurses: Problems of Policy," Southwestern Social Science Association, March 1983.

"Imports and Economic Growth," Southwestern Social Science Association, March 1981.

"Imports Substitution Industrialization in Brazil and Mexico," with Raul Moncarz, Southwestern Federation of Administrative Disciplines, March 1980.

"Automobile Usage Demand and the Gasoline Tax," Southwestern Social Science Association, March 1975.

PAPERS SUBMITTED

"The New Economy and Productivity Growth," *Journal of Economic Studies*.

"Analysis of Employment in Health Professions: The Case of Hispanics by SMSA's in Arizona, Florida, and Texas," *Journal of Health Economics*.

DISCUSSANT

"Stock Price Changes in Oil Dependent Industries," Academy of Economics and Finance, Pensacola, FL, February 2009.

"The Effect of Graduate Student Unionization on Stipends," San Antonio: Southwestern Social Science Association, April, 2006.

"Toward a Better Model of Implementing Strategy Change: Combining Insights from Strategy and HR," Houston: Academy of Economics and Finance: February 2006.

"The Impact of the 1997 Medicare Budget Act on Venipuncture Beneficiaries," San Antonio: Southwestern Social Science Association, April 1999.

"An Analysis of Medical Care Prices: A Macro Approach," New Orleans: Southwestern Social Science

- Association, March 1997.
- “Prison Blues—A Self Supporting System,” New Orleans: Southwestern Social Science Association, March 1997.
- “Cost Effectiveness of Erythropoietin as an Alternative to Transfusions in Patients With Advanced Head and Neck Cancers Undergoing Chemotherapy,” San Antonio: Southwestern Federation of Administrative Disciplines, March 1996.
- “New Evidence on the Effect of Unionization on Profitability,” Dallas: March 1994.
- "Economic Loss in Personal Injury Cases; A Suggested Model to Eliminate Inconsistencies," New Orleans: Southwestern Federation of Administrative Disciplines, March 1993.
- "A Critique of Alternative Methodologies for Forecasting Average Wage by Industry," Southwestern Federation of Administrative Disciplines, March 1990.
- "Adjusting Damages to Reflect Life's Unpleasantries," Southwestern Federation of Administrative Disciplines, March 1990.
- "Work, Welfare, and Poverty Among Central City Female-Headed Households," Southwestern Federation of Administrative Disciplines, March 1989.
- "Pemex as a Public Enterprise," North American Economics and Finance Association, July 1985.
- "Public Enterprises and Foreign Investments in Mexico," North American Economics and Finance Association, July 1985.
- "Characteristics of Response Surfaces by Expanded ANOVA Techniques: Case Study of Transportation Costs to the State of Georgia," Southwestern Federation of Administrative Disciplines, March 1985.
- "Student Health Centers in State Supported Universities," Southwestern Federation of Administrative Disciplines, March 1983.
- "Valuation and Life Cycle Concepts," Southwestern Social Science Association, March 1981.
- "The Interdependence of the San Antonio Economic Structure and the Defense Establishment," Southwestern Social Science Association, March 1974.

REVIEW--JOURNAL REFEREE

International Trade Journal

CONSULTING

Bracewell & Patterson, Houston, Texas
R. Jauma, Attorney, Huntsville, Texas
Buckley & Bland, Attorneys, Ft. Lauderdale, Florida

PROFESSIONAL SOCIETY MEMBERSHIPS

Southwestern Federation of Administrative Disciplines
Southwestern Social Science Association

MAJOR AREAS OF INTEREST

Macroeconomic Theory, Urban-Regional, Environmental, Medical Economics, Transportation, Trade and Development

PAPERS IN PROGRESS (TO BE SUBMITTED)

“The Trade Balance Inflation Rate”
“Balanced Budget Multipliers and Tax Cuts”
“The Gasoline Tax--Friend or Foe?”

CONTRIBUTION TO CURRICULUM IMPROVEMENT

ECO. 363. Introduction to Urban and Regional Economics (new course)

UNIVERSITY SERVICE

Member-Dean's Advisory Committee