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Education

Ph.D., New School for Social Research, Economics. Areas of expertise: labor and urban economics, policy and program evaluation, public and non-profit management,

Research on

1989 **McKinsey and Company.** Financial Services Specialist. Worked with financial services practice on research and policy issues.

1986-1989 **Deputy Commissioner for Policy and Research.** New York State Department of Economic Development.

At U.S.



“The Promise and Reality of Social Impact Bonds” (with Mark Willis.) In Valerie Bartlett et al., editors. What Matters: Investing in Results to Build Strong, Vibrant Communities. Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco and Nonprofit Finance Fund. 2017.

“DeBlasio Economics: Growth with Equity.” City and State, December 20, 2013.
<http://www.cityandstateny.com/de-blasio-economics-growth-with-equity/>

“The Political Economy of Austerity in the United States.” Social Research, v. 80, no. 3, fall 2013.

“Regions, Clusters, and Reform: Economic Development Policy Under Andrew Cuomo.” Albany Government Law Review, v. 5, spring 2012.

“Are Subsidies to Keep Firms in New York Worth It?” Crain’s New York Business, March 4, 2012.

Editor, with Jennifer Vey, Retooling for Growth: Building a 21st Century Economy in America’s Industrial Areas (Washington: Brookings Institution Press, 2008).

“Regional

“Recent Research on the Economics of Crime: A Review Essay.” Research Journal of the American Bar Foundation, v. 1984, no. 4. fall.

“Ex-Offender Employment, Recidivism, and Manpower Policy: CETA, TJTC, and Future Initiatives” (with James B. Jacobs and Robert Minion). Crime and Delinquency, v. 30, no.4, October 1984.

“High Tech, Low Hopes.” Sunday New York Times, Op-Ed page, May 15, 1983.

Employment and Crime: A Review of Theories and Research (with James W. Thompson, et al.) Washington: National Institute of Justice, 1982.

“Poverty’s Voguish Stigma.” New York Times Op-Ed page, March 12, 1982.

SELECTED INVITED PRESENTATIONS, SEMINARS, AND CONFERENCES

Institute for New Economic Thinking. “Why Do Estimates of Immigration’s Economic Effects Clash So Sharply?” Panel chair, Conference on “Reawakening: From the Origins of Economic Issues to the Challenges of Our Time.” Edinburgh, October 2017.

International Labour Organization. “The Changing World of Work and Its Impact on Society.” Panelist, United Nations, New York, May 2017.

Institute for New Economic Thinking, “Tomorrow’s Detroits and Detroit’s Tomorrows.” Panel chair, “Bearing Witness to Headwinds: Education, Criminal Justice, and Prisons.” Detroit, November 2016.

Young Scholars Initiative, European Plenary, “Piecing Together a Paradigm.” Central European University, Budapest, October 2016.

United Nations Economic Commission on Latin America and the Caribbean (ECLAC), and the Observatory on Latin America, “Industrial Policy, Macroeconomic Performance, and Cities in Latin America,” presenter, New York, December 2013.

Featured on PBS NewsHour, “What Legacy Does Bloomberg Leave for the Next Mayor of New York?” September 11, 2013,

Schwartz Center for Economic Policy Analysis

Rockefeller and Russell Sage Foundations, “Wage Subsidies and Employment Options for the Poor,” Washington, D.C., January 1997.

The Joan Shorenstein Center, Kennedy School of Government and the Brookings Institution, “Roundtable on Economics and Journalism,” Washington, D.C., January 1997.

Rockefeller and Russell Sage Foundations, conference on “The Future of Work: Employment Opportunities for the Poor in Advanced Economics,” Bellagio, Italy, July 1996.

Ethics and Public Policy Center, “Economic Change, Dislocation, and Values,” May 1996.

Social Science Research Council, “Policy Conference on Persistent Urban Poverty.” November 1993.

Business Roundtable, “USA-NAFTA: Issues and Strategies.” November 1992.