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Education

Ph.D., Economics, 1998. University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI

M.A., Economics, 1995. University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI

B.A. (*summa cum laude*), Economics and International Studies, 1993. Washington University, St. Louis, MO

Professional Positions

Employment

2002 – present, Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI

Current position: Professor since 2010

Past positions: Director of Graduate Studies since 2014-2018, Associate Professor 2005-2010, Assistant Professor 2002-2005

1998 – 2002, RAND, Santa Monica, CA

Positions: Associate Professor 1999-2002, Associate Economist 1998-2002

Editorial Positions

2012 – 2018, Co-Editor, Labour Economics

2005 – 2008, Editorial Advisory Board, Canadian Journal of Economics

Visiting Positions

2015 (fall), Visiting Scholar, Aarhus University, Aarhus, Denmark

2009 (spring), Visiting Scholar, National Poverty Center, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI

2008 (fall), Gruen Fellow, Research School of Social Sciences Economics Program, Australian National University, Canberra, Australia

Appointments and Affiliations

- 2014 present, Research Affiliate, Institute for Research on Poverty, University of Wisconsin, Madison, WI
- 2009 present, Research Fellow, IZA, Bonn, Germany
- 2002 present, Researcher, Michigan Retirement Research Center, Ann Arbor, MI
- 2002 2008, Adjunct Staff, RAND Corporation, Santa Monica, CA

Scholarly Publications

Journal Articles

- Zhuang, Jie, Mary Bresnahan, Yi Zhu, Xiaodi Yan, Elizabeth Bogdan-Lovis, Joanne Goldbort, and Steven Haider. Forthcoming. "The Impact of Coworker Support and Stigma on Breastfeeding After Returning to Work." Journal of Applied Communication Research.
- Haider, Steven J. and Kathleen McGarry. 2018. "Parental Investments in College and Later Cash Transfers." Demography 55(5):1705-1725.
- Haider, Steven J. and Kathleen McGarry. 2018. "Post-Secondary Schooling and Parental Resources: Evidence from the PSID and HRS." Education Finance Policy 13(1):72-96.
- Elder, Todd E., John H. Goddeeris, and Steven J. Haider. 2016. "Racial and Ethnic Infant Mortality Gaps and the Role of SES." Labour Economics 43:42-54.
- Elder, Todd E., John H. Goddeeris, and Steven J. Haider. 2015. "Isolating the Roles of Individual Covariates in Reweighting Estimation." Journal of Applied Econometrics 30(7):1169-91.
- Cascio, Elizabeth U., Steven J. Haider, and Helena Skyt Nelson. 2015. "The Effectiveness of Policies that Promote Labor Force Participation of Women with Children: A Collection of National Studies." Labour Economics 36:64-71.
- Solon, Gary, Steven J. Haider, and Jeffrey Wooldridge. 2015. "What Are We Weighting For?" Journal of Human Resources 50(2):301-316.
- Haider, Steven J., Lenisa Vangjel, Tracie Bolton, Jonathan Gold, Beth H. Olson. 2014. "An Evaluation of the Effects of a Breastfeeding Support Program on Health Outcomes." Health Services Research 49(6):2017-34.
- Elder, Todd E., John H. Goddeeris, Steven J. Haider and Nigel Paneth. 2014. "The Changing Character of the Black-White Infant Mortality Gap, 1983-2004." American Journal of Public Health 104(S1) S105-S111.
- Elder, Todd E., John H. Goddeeris, and Steven J. Haider. 2011. "A Deadly Disparity: A Unified Assessment of the Black-White Infant Mortality Gap." B.E. Journal of Economic Analysis and Policy 11(1): (Contributions) Article 33.
- Bitler, Marianne and Steven J. Haider. 2010. "An Economic View of Food Deserts in the United States." Journal of Policy Analysis and Management 30(1):153-176.

- Elder, Todd E., John H. Goddeeris, and Steven J. Haider. 2010. "Unexplained Gaps and Oaxaca-Blinder Decompositions." Labour Economics 17(1):284-290.
- Olson, Beth H., Steven J. Haider, Lenisa Vangjel, Tracie Bolton, and Jonathan Gold. 2010. "A Quasi-Experimental Evaluation of a Breastfeeding Support Program for Low Income Women in Michigan." Maternal and Child Health Journal 14(1):86-93.
- Asch, Beth, Steven J. Haider, and Julie Zissimopoulos. 2009. "The Effects of Workforce Shaping Tools on Retirement: The Case of the Department of Defense Civil Service." Journal of Public Health Management & Practice 15(6):S64-S72.
- Haider, Steven J. and David Loughran. 2008. "The Effect of the Social Security Earnings Test on Male Labor Supply: New Evidence from Survey and Administrative Data." Journal of Human Resources 43(1):57-87.
- Haider, Steven J. and Mel Stephens. 2007. "Is There a Retirement-Consumption Puzzle? Evidence Using Subjective Retirement Expectations." Review of Economics and Statistics 89(2):247-264.
- Rohwedder, Susann, Steven J. Haider, and Michael Hurd. 2006. "Increases in Wealth among the Elderly in the Early 1990s: How Much is Due to Survey Design?" Review of Income and Wealth 52(4):509-524.
- Haider, Steven J. and Gary Solon. 2006. "Life-Cycle Variation in the Association between Current and Lifetime Earnings." American Economic Review 96(4):1308-1320.
- Bhattacharya, Jayanta, Janet Currie, and Steven J. Haider. 2006. "Breakfast of Champions? The School Breakfast Program and the Nutrition of Children and Families." Journal of Human Resources 41(3):445-466.
- Haider, Steven J. and Jacob Klerman. 2005. "Dynamic Properties of the Welfare Caseload." Labour Economics 12(5):629-648.
- Asch, Beth, Steven J. Haider, and Julie Zissimopoulos. 2005. "Financial Incentives and Retirement: Evidence from Federal Civil Service Workers." Journal of Public Economics 89(2-3):427-440.
- Klerman, Jacob, and Steven J. Haider. 2004. "A Stock-Flow Analysis of the Welfare Caseload." Journal of Human Resources 39(4):865-886.
- Haider, Steven J., Robert F. Schoeni, Yuhua Bao, and Caroline Danielson. 2004. "Immigrants, Welfare Reform, and the Economy." Journal of Policy Analysis and Management 23(4):745-764.
- Bhattacharya, Jayanta, Janet Currie, and Steven J. Haider. 2004. "Poverty, Food Insecurity, and Nutritional Outcomes in Children and Adults." Journal of Health Economics 23(4):839-862.
- Haider, Steven J., Alison Jacknowitz, and Robert F. Schoeni. 2003. "Food Stamps and the Elderly: Why Is Participation so Low?" Journal of Human Resources 38(S):1080-1111.
- Haider, Steven J., Alison Jacknowitz, and Robert F. Schoeni. 2003. "Welfare Work Requirements and Child Well-being: Evidence from the Effects on Breast-feeding." Demography 40(3):479-497.

- Bhattacharya, Jayanta, Thomas DeLeire, Steven J. Haider, and Janet Currie. 2003. "Heat or Eat? Cold Weather Shocks and Nutrition in Poor American Families." American Journal of Public Health 93(7):1149-1154.
- Grogger, Jeffrey, Steven J. Haider and Jacob Klerman. 2003. "Why Did the Welfare Rolls Fall during the 1990s?" American Economic Review Papers and Proceedings 93(2):288-92.
- Haider, Steven J. 2001. "Earnings Instability and Earnings Inequality in the United States, 1967-1991." Journal of Labor Economics 19(4):799-836.

Book Chapters

- Haider, Steven J. and David S. Loughran. 2010. "Elderly Labor Supply: Work or Play?" In Workplace Flexibility: Realigning 20th Century Jobs to 21st Century Workers (eds., K. Christensen and B. Schneider). Ithaca, NY: Cornell University Press.
- Haider, Steven J. and Kathleen McGarry. 2006. "Recent Trends in Income Sharing among the Poor." In Working and Poor: How Economic and Policy Changes Are Affecting Low-Wage Workers (eds., Rebecca Blank, Sheldon Danziger, and Robert Schoeni). New York: Russell Sage Press.
- Haider, Steven J., Jacob Klerman and Elizabeth Roth. 2003. "The Relationship between the Economy and the Welfare Caseload: A Dynamic Approach." Research in Labor Economics, 22:39-69.

Reports, Book Reviews, and Permanent Working Papers

- Bitler, Marianne and Steven J. Haider. 2009. "An Economic View of Food Deserts in the United States." USDA-ERS.
- Haider, Steven J. 2006. "A Comparison of Surveys for Food Insecurity and Hunger Measurement." Discussion paper prepared for the National Academy of Sciences Panel on Food Insecurity and Hunger Measurement.
- Bhattacharya, Jayanta, Janet Currie, and Steven J. Haider. 2004. "Final Report: Evaluating the Impact of School Nutrition Programs." USDA-ERS.
- Haider, Steven J. 2003. "Review of Divergent Paths: Economic Mobility in the New American Labor Market." Journal of Economic Literature, 16(1):235-236.
- Asch, Beth, Steven J. Haider, and Julie Zissimopoulos. 2003. The Effect of Workforce Shaping Incentives on Civil Service Retirement: Evidence from the Department of Defense. Santa Monica, CA: RAND, DB-404-RC
- Haider, Steven J., Michael Hurd, Elaine Reardon, and Stephanie Williamson. 2000. "Patterns of Dissaving in Retirement." AARP Public Policy Institute Report. September.
- Haider, Steven J., Jacob Klerman, Janet Hanley, Laurie McDonald, Elizabeth Roth, Liisa Hiatt, and Marika Suttorp. 2000. "Welfare Reform in California: Design of the Impact Analysis: Preliminary Investigation of Caseload Data." RAND MR-1226.0/1. 2000.

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Selected Professional Service

Referee and Reviewer Service

Selected Referee Service: American Economic Review, American Journal of Agriculture Economics, American Journal of Public Health, B.E. Journals in Economic Analysis & Policy, Canadian Journal of Economics, Contemporary Economic Policy, Demography, Econometrica, Economic Development and Cultural Change, Economics of Education Review, Industrial Labor Relations Review, Journal of the American Statistical Association, Journal of Applied Econometrics, Journal of Business and Economic Statistics, Journal of Development Economics, Journal of Econometrics, Journal of Human Resources, Journal of Health Economics, Journal of Labor Economics, Journal of Policy Analysis & Management, Journal of Population Economics, Journal of Public Economics, Labour Economics, Quarterly Journal of Economics, Review of Economics and Statistics, Review of Economic Studies

Selected Reviewer Service: American Association of Retired Persons Economic Policy Institute, Institute for Research on Poverty Small Grants Program, National Institute of Health, National Poverty Center Small Grants program, National Science Foundation, Public Policy Institute of California, RAND

Advisory Service

- 2008 2009, Commissioned expert report, "An Economic View of Food Deserts in the United States", United States Department of Agriculture-Economic Research Service; Washington, DC
- 2008 2010, Population Association of America Economic Demography Workshop committee member
- 2005 2007, Co-Director, MSU Health, Institutions and Policy Initiative (HIPI); East Lansing, MI
- 2004 2006, Labor Section Working Group Member, Health and Retirement Study, Institute for Social Research; Ann Arbor, MI
- 2004, Invited remarks to the National Academy of Sciences Panel on Food Insecurity and Hunger Measurement, July; Washington, DC
- 2004, Invited remarks to the National Academy of Sciences Panel on Enhancing the Data Infrastructure in Support of Food and Nutrition Programs, Research, and Decision Making, June; Washington, DC

Honors and Awards

Department of Economics Graduate Student Association Outstanding Graduate Faculty Award (2017-18)

Michigan State University Teacher-Scholar Award (2008-09)

Upjohn Institute Dissertation Award for Outstanding Employment Related Dissertation, First Prize (1998)

The University of Michigan John E. Parker Memorial Prize in Labor Economics and Human Resources for "Earnings Instability" manuscript (1997)

NIA Fellow at the Population Studies Center, University of Michigan (1996-98)

Regents Fellow, University of Michigan (1993-1995)

Selected Funded Research

- "Improving the Estimation of the Infant Mortality Rate." National Institute of Child Health And Development. Total budget: \$153,500/2 years (P.I. Steven Haider), 2014.
- "Are Individuals Prepared for Retirement? Five Decades of Retirement Surveys." National Institute on Aging. Total budget: \$154,444/2 years (P.I. Melvin Stephens), 2006.
- "Household Savings and Retirement: Expectations and Realizations." Michigan Retirement Research Center. Total budget: \$25,000/1 year (P.I. Steven Haider), 2005.
- "Economic and Health Determinants of Retirement Behavior." National Institute of Aging. Total budget: \$50,782/3 years (P.I. Arie Kapteyn), 2004.
- "Understanding Widow Poverty." National Institute of Aging. Total budget: \$86,664/1 year (P.I. Steven Haider), 2002.
- "Intrahousehold Allocation in Poor U.S. Households." National Institute of Child Health and Development. Total budget: \$168,703/2 years (P.I. Steven Haider), 2002.
- "How Important Are Wages to the Elderly?" Michigan Retirement Research Center. Total budget: \$50,000/1 year (P.I., David Loughran and Steven Haider), 2001.
- "Evaluating the Impact of School Breakfast and Lunch." U.S. Department of Agriculture. Total budget: \$150,000/1 year (P.I., Jayanta Bhattacharya and Steven Haider), 2001.
- "Entry, Exit, and the Changing Composition of the Welfare Caseload." Assistant Secretary for Planning and Evaluation, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services. Total budget: \$135,940/1 year (P.I., Steven Haider), 2000.
- "The Impact of Social Security and Medicare on Retirement Incentives: Exploiting Variation in Coverage." Michigan Retirement Research Consortium. Total budget: \$100,000/1 year (P.I., Steven Haider), 2000.

- "How Should We Measure Hunger?" The Institute for Research on Poverty Small Grants Program. Total budget: \$50,000/1 year (P.I., Jay Bhattacharya and Steven Haider), 2000.
- "Insights into Dynamic Determinants of the Welfare Caseload." Assistant Secretary for Planning and Evaluation, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services. Total budget: \$123,989/1 year (P.I., Steven Haider), 1999.

Ph.D. Students (* chair or co-chair)

Linda Bailey, Michael Carlton, Lenisa Vangjel Chang*, Simon Chang, Wen-Hao Chen, Hassan Enayati, Deborah Foster*, Seth Gershenson*, Mary Hamman, Po-Chun Huang, Hsiu-Fen Hsu, Alison Jacknowitz*, Kyong Hyun Koo*, Paula Kazi*, Soobin Kim, Jin Young Lee, Daniel Litwok*, Olena Nizalova*, Elisabeth Quin, Ilya Rahkovsky, Ehren Schuttinger, Brian Stacy*, Amanda Stype*, Yi Zhu*