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Academic Preparation

Ph.D., University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA, Economics, 1980
M.A., University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA, Economics, 1978
B.A., Slippery Rock State College, Slippery Rock, PA, Economics, 1975

Academic Experience – DePaul University

Associate Professor of Economics (1987 - Present)
Associate Dean for Faculty and Compliance, Driehaus College of Business (May 2014-
June 2021)
Chairman, Department of Economics (2001-07)
Associate Dean for Academic Programs, College of Commerce (1984-89)
Assistant Professor of Economics (1980-87)

Articles in Refereed Journals

- Miller, Michael S., and Seth Epstein (2015). "Money, Inflation and the Arab Spring in Bahrain", *European Research Studies Journal*, Vol. XVIII, No.1, pp 25-42.
- Miller, Michael S., and Seth Epstein (2015). "Bahraini Macroeconomic Performance and Policy during the Arab Spring", *International Journal of Applied Economics and Econometrics*, Vol. 23, No. 4, pp.1-26.
- Choi, Jin W. and Michael S. Miller, (2014). "The Effectiveness of the Federal Funds Rate as the US Monetary Policy Tool Before During and After the great Recession", *European Research Studies Journal*, Vol. XVII, No. 3, pp. 37-58.
- Miller, Michael S., and Seth Epstein (2013). "Teaching Applied Macro in Emergent Economies: Lessons from Bahrain", *Journal of Teaching in International Business*, August, Vol. 24, pp. 138-49.
- Miller, Michael S., and Seth Epstein (2011). "The Challenge of Assessing the Output of Emergent Economies: the Case of Bahrain", *Chinese Business Review*, Vol. 10, Issue 12, December.
- Dong, Qi Hong, and Michael S. Miller, (2010), "The Role of Intangible Capital in Wage Inequality between Skilled and Unskilled Workers in China", *Chinese Business Review*, Vol. 9, No. 2, February.

- Dong, Qi Hong, and Michael S. Miller, (2009). “The Course of Wage Inequality between the Skilled and Unskilled Workers in Developed and Developing Countries”, *Journal of Economic Asymmetries*, Vol. 6, No. 1.
- Choi, Jin W. and Michael S. Miller, (2007). “A Futuristic Solution to the North Korean Dilemma: An Economic Perspective”, *The Journal of Economic Asymmetries*, Vol. 4, No. 2.
- Miller, Michael S. (1999). Classroom Assessment and University Accountability. *Journal of Education for Business*. Vol. 75, No. 2, Nov./Dec.
- Miller, Michael S. (1983). Methodology and the Theory of Consumer Behavior. *Review of Social Economy*, Vol. 41, No. 1, April.

Chapter in a Book

- Miller, Michael S. and Seth Epstein (2011), “Fiscal Policy Options in Emergent Economies: the Case of Bahrain”, in *Global Integration, National Strategies and Sectoral Impact*, edited by Bala Batavia, Jin Wook Choi and R. Hema, Chennai, India(Sigma Press).

Co-editor of Collected Volume

- Choi, Jin W., Chang-Hyun Yun, and Michael S. Miller, editors (2014), *Economic and Financial Asymmetries in Ongoing Crises*, Chennai, India(Sigma Press).

Academic Presentations

- Ryan, Robert T, Michael S. Miller, (2021, February), *Data Analytics and Sustainable Value Creation in an Online Format – A Case Study in How to Expand Student Engagement*, 32nd Annual Teaching Economics Conference, Robert Morris University, Moon Township, Pennsylvania
- Miller, Michael S., Ryan, Robert T. (2020, February), *Using Assessment Data to Inform Curricular Decisions in Economics and Finance*, 31st Annual Teaching Economics Conference, Robert Morris University, Moon Township, Pennsylvania
- Miller, Michael S. (2019, March), Presentation and Panel – *AACSB Accreditation: Issues and Opportunities*, 31st Annual Meeting of the Academy of Finance, Chicago, IL
- Miller, Michael S. and Robert T. Ryan (2019, February), *(Mis)Leading with Data*, 30th Annual Teaching Economics Conference, Robert Morris University, Moon Township, Pennsylvania
- Epstein, Seth and Miller, Michael S. (2014, February), *Concurrence Between the Keynesian Cross and AS/AD Model*, 25th Annual Teaching Economics Conference, Robert Morris University, Moon Township, Pennsylvania
- Choi, Jin W. and Michael S. Miller (2013, June), *The Effectiveness of U.S. Monetary Policy during the Great Recession and Thereafter*, APF Conference on Global Economic and Financial Asymmetries: Causes and Consequences, Seoul, South Korea
- Miller, Michael S. and Seth Epstein (2013, June), *Bahraini Macroeconomic Performance and Policy during the Arab Spring*, APF Conference on Global Economic and Financial Asymmetries: Causes and Consequences, Seoul, South Korea
- Miller, Michael S. and Seth Epstein (2013, February), *Teaching Economics in an MBA Program: Less is More*, 24th Annual Teaching Economics Conference, Robert Morris University, Moon Township, Pennsylvania

- Miller, Michael S. and Seth Epstein (2012, October), “*Money, Inflation, and Monetary Policy in Bahrain*”, 19th Annual South Dakota International Business Conference, Rapid City, South Dakota.
- Miller, Michael S. and Seth Epstein (2012, February), *Pedagogical Challenges for Teaching Economics Overseas*, 23rd Annual Teaching Economics Conference, Robert Morris University, Moon Township, Pennsylvania
- Miller, Michael S. and Seth Epstein (2011, September), “*Fiscal Policy Options in Emergent Economies: the Case of Bahrain*”, 18th Annual South Dakota International Business Conference, Rapid City, South Dakota.
- Miller, Michael S. and Seth Epstein (2011, February), *The Challenge of Assessing Emergent Economies for Macroeconomic Potential: the Case of Bahrain*, The 22nd Annual Teaching Economics Conference, Robert Morris University, Moon Township, Pennsylvania
- Dong, Qi Hong, and Michael S. Miller (2010, July), *Reexamining Labor Migration and Wage Inequality in China*, The Chinese Economic Association 2010 Conference, Chengdu, China.
- Dong, Qi Hong, and Michael S. Miller (2009, July), *Intangible Capital and Wage Inequality between Skilled and Unskilled Workers in China*, The Chinese Economists Society 2009 Annual Conference, Nanning, China.
- Dong, Qi Hong, and Michael S. Miller (2008, July). *The Role of Intangible Capital in Explaining Wage Inequality between Skilled and Unskilled Workers*. International Conference on the Global Economics of a Changing Environment, Athens, Greece.
- Choi, Jin W. and Michael S. Miller (2007, January). *A Futuristic Solution to the North Korea Dilemma: An Economic Perspective*. APF-Loyola University Chicago Conference, Chicago, Illinois.
- Miller, Michael S. (1998, May), “Universities, Accountability, and Classroom Assessment”, Eighth Annual Business/Economics Teaching Conference, Chicago.

Research Submitted or in Progress

With Robert T. Ryan – various projects on the teaching of economics and finance, intended for presentation at conferences dedicated to pedagogical research.

Referee during career for:

Journal of Economic Asymmetries
 Review of Social Economy
 Journal of Financial Education

Presentations to Professional & Social Service Groups (all uncompensated)

- Women’s Council of Realtors North Shore, 60-minute presentation and discussion to 40 real estate professionals on Can the US Economy Return to Normal in 2021?, presented online, January 2021
- Chicago Multifamily Forum, short presentation and 30-minute panel discussion to 150 real estate professionals on Rent Control: The Economics, Implications & Alternative Options, Chicago IL, April 2019
- Illinois CPA Society, Midwest Financial Reporting Symposium, presentation to 60 accounting executives on the current economy and Fed policy, Rosemont IL, September 2018

Council of Development Finance Agencies, CDFA Illinois Conference, presentation and panel with 60 development finance professionals on the future of interest rates, Chicago, IL, May 2018

Association for Governmental Leasing & Finance, 38th Annual Conference, presented to 155 leasing professionals an analysis of current Federal Reserve policy, Chicago, IL, May 2018

National Association of Electrical Distributors, Lake Michigan Club, presented to 85 professionals on Where to Now? The Short and Long of It, in Lake Geneva, WI, June 2017

Women Investment Professionals, Women Only Professional Members Series, presentation and panel to 80 women investment executives on Will the Election Outcomes Impact Your Investments? Chicago, IL, September 2016

Illinois CPA Society, Midwest Financial Reporting Symposium, presentation to 85 accounting executives on The Current Economic Environment, Rosemont IL, September 2016

National Multifamily Housing Council, Research Forum, presented to 70 real estate professionals a talk on economic conditions called Headwinds and Tailwinds: the Economic Outlook, Chicago, IL, April 2016

National Association of Electrical Distributors, Lake Michigan Club, presented to 100 professionals on The Challenges in Making Fed Policy after the Great Recession, in Lake Geneva, WI, June 2015

National Association of Electrical Distributors, Lake Michigan Club, presented to 65 professionals on The National and Regional Economies and the Future of Fed Policy, in Lake Geneva, WI, June 2014

Chicago Association of Realtors Conference on Real Estate, presentation to two hundred Chicago-area realtors and real estate professionals on the outlook for the US economy and residential real estate, January 2014

Illinois CPA Society, Conference on Taxation of Real Estate, presentation on the economic outlook for the US, June 2013

Association for Corporate Growth Chicago, Conference on The Primary Drivers of Midwest Job Growth, presentation to 100 mid-sized business executives called Job Growth in an Era of Uncertain Policy, March 2013

Chicago Association of Realtors Conference on Real Estate, presentation to two hundred Chicago-area realtors and real estate professionals on the outlook for the US economy and residential real estate, January 2013

National Association of Electrical Distributors, Lake Michigan Club, presented to 150 professionals on The National and Regional Economies in Uncertain Times, in Lake Geneva, WI, June 2012

Association for Corporate Growth Chicago, Conference on The Primary Drivers of Midwest Job Growth, presentation to 125 mid-sized business executives called Macro Views on Job Growth, Chicago, March 2012

Naperville Area Chamber of Commerce, presentation to 175 business leaders on the economy and economic policy, October 2011

CREW Chicago (Commercial Real Estate Executive Women), presentation to 100 women executives on macroeconomic trends in the economy and real estate, September 2011

National Association of Electrical Distributors, Lake Michigan Club, presented to 200 professionals a summary of the national and regional economy, in Lake Geneva, WI, June 2011

South Suburban Small Business Association, presentation to 150 entrepreneurs and business leaders on the outlook for the US economy and the important role

played by small businesses and entrepreneurs in economic growth, February 2011.

- Chicago Association of Realtors Conference on Real Estate, presentation to several hundred Chicago-area realtors on the outlook for the US economy and residential real estate, January 2011
- Annual Commercial Real Estate Forecast Conference, presentation to 850 commercial real estate professionals on the outlook for the US economy as well as commercial and residential real estate, January 2011
- Naperville Area Chamber of Commerce, presentation to 175 business leaders on the economy and economic policy after the Great Recession, October 2010
- Lake Forest-Lake Bluff Rotary Club, presentation to 100 professionals on The Great Recession: is it over? Where do we go from Here? April 2010
- Real Estate Lenders Association, presentation to the membership on the government stimulus package and economic conditions, January 2010
- Illinois CPA Society Annual Real Estate Conference, presentation on the outlook for the economy, November 2009
- The Counselors of Real Estate Midwest Chapter, presentation to membership on economic conditions and the TARP bailout, March 2009
- Chicago Association of Realtors, presentation to 400 members, Regional Economic Forecast for real estate, January 2009
- Chicago Association of Realtors, presentation to 400 members, on the economic bailout packages of Congress; October 2008
- Chicago Southland Chamber of Commerce, presentation in September 2008, on current economic conditions
- Real Estate Finance Forum (CREW Chicago, Commercial Real Estate Executive Women), presentation to 75 women professionals in real estate finance on the outlook for housing, commercial real estate, and the economy, January; and Mid-Year Outlook in June 2008
- Chicago Commercial Real Estate Forecast Conference, presentation to 1,800 real estate professionals on the outlook in a slowing economy for monetary policy and the economy as related to commercial real estate, January 2008
- Chicago Commercial Real Estate Forecast Conference, presentation to real estate professionals on the outlook for monetary policy and the economy as related to commercial real estate, January 2007
- Real Estate Finance Forum (CREW Chicago, Commercial Real Estate Executive Women), presentation to 75 women professionals in real estate finance on the outlook for housing, commercial real estate, and the economy, January 2007
- FIABCI, presentation to 75 real estate professionals on the outlook for commercial real estate at the FIABCI Young Professionals Conference; August 2006.
- Chicago Commercial Real Estate Forecast Conference, presentation to 1,200 real estate professionals on the outlook for monetary policy and the economy as related to commercial real estate, January 2006
- YMCA of the USA, Economic Forecast and Discussion on the Economy with YMCA executives from across the U.S.; November 2005.
- Chicago Commercial Real Estate Forecast Conference, presentation to real estate professionals on the outlook for monetary policy and the economy as related to commercial real estate, January 2005
- The Jardines Group, Gave a presentation and led a discussion to 18 senior executives of the Jardines Group (Hong Kong), on the condition of the Midwest and U.S. economies; March 2004.
- Chicago Association of Realtors, the U.S. Economy in 2004; January 2004.

Chicago Commercial Real Estate Forecast Conference, presentation to real estate professionals on the outlook for the economy as related to commercial real estate, January 2003

Chicago Association of Business Economics, Presentation on the Business Cycle, 2002.

Urban Land Institute, Urban Land Institute, presented a session/discussion on the economy, 2000.

Comptroller of the Currency, Chicago Roundtable, presentation on the Midwest economy, May 1998

Center for Professional Excellence, at Northern Trust, on assessing macroeconomic conditions, autumn 1998

Korean Banking Institute (presented in Chicago) on assessing macroeconomic conditions (1996, 1997)

Fox Valley Chapter, Illinois CPA Society, on economic trends, January 1994

Chicago Board of Trade, Education Department, presentation on where the economy stands, January 1990, 1993

Illinois CPA Society, on macroeconomic conditions, November 1992

Four day Presentation/Lectures (with Thomas Mondschean) on macroeconomics, through USAID, in Poznan, Poland, August 1991

Presentation on economic data to school teachers participating in the Chicago Tribune Stock Market Game, two to three times annually, 1991-98

Bartlett Rotary, presentation on economic conditions, March 21, 1991

Cicero Rotary, presentation on economic conditions, February 12, 1991

Business Valuation Association, presentation on economic conditions (1990, 1991)

Society of Professional Audio Recording Services, economic conditions and forecast, September 1989

Three seminar presentations to staff at the Chicago & Northwestern Railroad, with Julian Andorka, on the economics of competition, November 1982

Illinois Vocational Guidance Association, Presentation on the effect of the Reagan administration on the Illinois job market, 1982

Fields of Specialization & Courses Taught

Business conditions analysis (Face-to-face, Hybrid, and Online hybrid and asynchronous)

Money and Banking

Principles of Macroeconomics (Face-to-face, online asynchronous)

Intermediate Macroeconomics (Face-to-Face, online hybrid and asynchronous)

Principles of Microeconomics

American Economic History

Teaching Awards

Recipient, DePaul University Excellence in Teaching Award, 1991 and 2011.

International Teaching Experience

Poznań, Poland (Graduate Macroeconomic Theory)

Hong Kong, S.A.R., People's Republic of China (Business Conditions Analysis)

Čelákovice, Czech Republic (Business Conditions Analysis)

Manama, Kingdom of Bahrain (Business Conditions Analysis, Principles of Economics)

Professional Education Teaching:

MBA Primer - Economics, DePaul center for continuing education (2008-15)
CFA Review Course, modules on economics (1988-2006)
DePaul Center for Professional Education, Certificate in Purchasing Management,
modules on economics and forecasting, (1985-99)
DePaul Center for Economic Education, modules on economics, (1986-90)

DePaul University Service:

University Committee Appointments:

Assessment Advisory Board, (2014-21)
Committee on the Status of the Faculty (2012-14)
Faculty Council – elected position - (1986-97; 2005-11; 2013-14)
Faculty Council Committee on Committees (1989-97, 2009-10)
Academic Integrity Board (1994-2000; 2007-10)
University Task Force on the Liberal Studies Board (2000-01)
University Task Force on Teaching, Learning, and Assessment (1999-2001)
Faculty Council Agenda Committee (1996-97)
Public Service Council, (1992-95)
Suburban Campus Strategic Planning Steering Committee (1986-88)
University Advisory Committee on Word Processing Services (1986)
University Committee on Enrollment Management and College Offices (1986)
Steering Committee on North Central Reaccreditation (1985-88)
Senate Committee on Public Relations, Development and Alumni (1982)

College Committee Appointments:

College Assessment Committee (2016-21)
Commerce Strategic Planning Committee (2008-16)
Graduate Assessment Committee, *ex officio* chairman (2014- 16)
Undergraduate Assessment Committee, *ex officio* chairman (2014- 16)
Faculty Advisory Council – elected position – (2007-10)
On-Line Learning Committee (2006-10)
Graduate Curriculum Committee (1996-2001; 2007-10)
Task Force on MBA in ERP (1999-2000)
Graduate Program Review Committee (1999-2001)
Naperville Campus Task Force (1996)
Assessment Committee (1996-2000)
Commerce Exchange Editorial Committee (1996-99)
Quantitative Methods Committee (1994-95)
Grade Challenge Review Board (1994-98)
Senior Seminar Committee
Full-Time MBA Task Force
College Undergraduate Curriculum Committee (1990-92)
Center for Economic Education Advisory committee (School of Education) (1991)
College Teaching Committee (1988-90)
Association Management Advisory Board (1985-87)
Advisory Board for High Tech Conferences (1985-86)
College Curriculum Committee (1985-89)
Common Body of Knowledge Committee, (1981-86)

Department Committee Appointments:

Committee on the Assessment of Learning (2007-08)

Faculty Recruitment Committee (2007-08)
Faculty Search Committee (2000)
Business and Public Policy Committee (1997)
Graduate Curriculum Committee (1981-90; 1997)

Activities Related to Students and Public Service:

Faculty Mentor, Young Americans for Freedom (2014-21)
Faculty Mentor, DePaul College Republicans (2006-21)
Faculty Mentor, DePaul Students for Free Speech (2016-19)
Faculty Mentor, DePaul Conservative Alliance (2006-10)
Illinois Bell College Relations Advisory Council (1985-87)

Media Appearances and Interviews

TV: Numerous appearances (40+) on WYCC, WTTW, WGN
Radio: Numerous appearances (90+) on WLS /WCGO/WIND (nationally syndicated),
WGN

Memberships:

American Economic Association
National Association for Business Economics
Heterodoxacademy.org
Delta Mu Delta Honorary Society
Beta Gamma Sigma Honorary Society

References: Provided upon request.