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### Education

George Mason University, Fairfax, Va.

Ph.D. (May 2015) in Economics

Dissertation: *Searching for Justification of the Policy of Pre-Market Approval of Pharmaceuticals*

Dissertation committee: Daniel B. Klein (chair), Bryan Caplan, Alexander Tabarrok

M.A. (January 2011) in Economics

Fields: Public choice, public finance

Northwestern University, Evanston, Ill.

B.A. (June 1999) in Economics and in Mathematical Methods in the Social Sciences

### Teaching Experience

Austin Community College, Austin, Tex.

Adjunct Associate Professor in the Department of Economics: June 2016–July 2019,

June 2020–July 2022, Jan.–July 2023, Aug. 2024–present

Associate Professor in the Department of Economics: Aug. 2019–May 2020, Aug. 2022–Dec. 2022,  
Aug. 2023–July 2024

Central Texas College, Marble Falls, Tex.

Adjunct Faculty in the Social and Behavioral Science Department: August 2013 to May 2016

George Mason University, Fairfax, Va.

Instructor in the Department of Economics: Spring 2009, Fall 2008, and Summer 2007

### Other Professional Experience and Service

Managing Editor of *Econ Journal Watch*: February 2011 to present

Associate Editor of *Liberal Currents*, New York, N.Y.: March 2017 to present

Adjunct Fellow of the Niskanen Center, Washington, D.C.: May 2018 to June 2023

### Research Interests

Political economy, health economics, sociology of economics, survey research, economics education

## Journal Articles

“Long-Run Determinants of Economic Growth: Putterman and Weil Revisited,” *Econ Journal Watch* 19(1) March 2022: 85–108.

“Foreword to Hume’s Manuscript Account of the Extraordinary Affair Between Him and Rousseau” (with Daniel B. Klein and Jacob R. Hall), *Econ Journal Watch* 18(2) Sept. 2021: 278–285. Reprinted in Klein and Briggeman, ed., *Hume, Smith, Burke, Geijer, Menger, d’Argenson, et EJW cetera* (2022, CL Press), 41–48.

“Are So-Called Normative Statements Practically the Same as Suitably Formulated So-Called Positive Statements? Evidence from a Survey of Economics Professors” (with Daniel B. Klein, William L. Davis, and Abigail Devereaux), *Cosmos + Taxis* 9(1–2) Jan./Feb. 2021: 70–89.

“Product Approvability Recommendations from FDA Advisory Committees: Inconsistently Sought, Indirectly Obtained” (with Joseph V. Gulfo and Asmaa Gamie), *Therapeutic Innovation & Regulatory Science* 52(6) Nov. 2018: 784–792.

Profiles of Paul Krugman and Amartya Sen in “Ideological Profiles of the Economics Laureates,” *Econ Journal Watch* 10(3) Sept. 2013: 400–410 and 604–616.

“Israel Kirzner on Coordination and Discovery” (with Daniel B. Klein), *Journal of Private Enterprise* 25(2) Spring 2010: 1–53. Revised and reprinted as “Owning Up To and Properly Locating Our Looseness: A Critique of Israel Kirzner on Coordination and Discovery” in Klein, *Knowledge and Coordination: A Liberal Interpretation* (2012, Oxford University Press), 261–304.

“44 Economists Answer Questionnaire on the Pre-Market Approval of Drugs and Devices” (with Daniel B. Klein and Kevin D. Rollins), *Econ Journal Watch* 7(2) May 2010: 162–173.

“305 Economists Called to Answer Questionnaire on the Pre-Market Approval of Drugs and Devices” (with Daniel B. Klein), *Econ Journal Watch* 7(1) Jan. 2010: 99–106.

“Governance As a Strategy in State-of-Nature Games,” *Public Choice* 141(3–4) Dec. 2009: 481–491.

“Protecting Cultural Monuments Against Terrorism: A Comment” (with Jeremy Horpedahl), *Defence and Peace Economics* 20(6) Dec. 2009: 509–512.

“Conservative Magazines and the Presumption of Liberty” (with Daniel B. Klein), *The Independent Review* 14(2) Fall 2009: 289–299.

## Other Papers and Publications

“Adam Smith and ‘Market Failure’ Fixers”, *Adam Smith Works*, February 16, 2022.

“Fostering Resilience in the Medical Marketplace: A Plan for Reform of Pharmaceutical Regulation” (with Joseph V. Gulfo), Niskanen Center, July 2018.

### Other Papers and Publications (cont'd)

“Results of Survey of Economics Professors on Immigration, Drug, and Pharmaceutical Policies” (with William L. Davis and Daniel B. Klein), *Journal of Business and Economic Perspectives* (University of Tennessee at Martin) 45(1) Spring/Summer 2018: 118–125.

“How Productive Is the FDA’s Devices Program?” (with Richard Williams and Ethan C. Roberts), Mercatus Center at George Mason University, April 2016.

“How Productive Is the FDA’s Human Drugs Program?” (with Richard Williams and Ethan C. Roberts), Mercatus Center at George Mason University, March 2016.

“The Proper Role of the FDA in the 21st Century” (with Joseph V. Gulfo and Ethan C. Roberts), Mercatus Center at George Mason University, February 2016.

### Edited Books

*Classical Liberalism by Country*, 3 vols. (with Daniel B. Klein and Jane Shaw Stroup), CL Press, 2022–2023.

*Hume, Smith, Burke, Geijer, Menger, d’Argenson, et EJW cetera* (with Daniel B. Klein), CL Press, 2022.

### Awards and Honors

Adam Smith Program fellowship, George Mason University Department of Economics, 2014–2015

Richard Fox Memorial Fellowship in Economics, 2007–2010 (three years)

Young Scholar award, Association of Private Enterprise Education, 2010 and 2009

Mont Pelerin Society meeting fellowship, Earhart Foundation, 2009

Mercatus Center Graduate Student Summer Research Fellowship, 2008

### Conference Presentations

Southern Economic Association, 2021 and 2007

Association of Private Enterprise Education, 2012, 2010, and 2009

Public Choice Society, 2008

### Prior Employment

Richard Day Research, Evanston, Ill.

Project Manager: March 2000 to August 2005