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### ***Education:***

- Ph.D., Economics, University of Chicago, 1984
- M.A., Sociology, University of Michigan, 1975
- B.A., Sociology, University of Wisconsin-Madison, 1973.

### ***Professional Experience:***

- New York University: Professor of Economics, 1996- ; Associate Professor of Economics, 1987-1996.
- Collegio Carlo Alberto (Moncalieri, Italy): Senior Research Fellow, 2008-.
- University of Wisconsin-Madison: Associate Professor of Economics, 1986-88; Assistant Professor of Economics, 1981-1986.
- University of Padua (Spring 1988); University of Trento (Spring 1989); University of Torino (Spring 1989,2001-2002); Bocconi University (Spring 1991,1995,2001,2002,2003): Visiting Professor of Economics.

### ***Other Professional Activities:***

- Associate Editor, *European Economic Review*, 2003-
- Associate Editor, *Review of Economics of the Household*, 2002-
- Editorial Board, *Labour: Review of Labour Economics and Industrial Relations*, 2006-
- Coeditor, *Journal of Human Resources*, 1996-2004.
- Research Professor (Honorary), Department of Economics, Università di Torino, 2002-
- Research Affiliate, Institute for Research on Poverty, University of Wisconsin-Madison, 1998-
- CHILD (University of Torino), Member of Scientific Committee, 2001-
- President (Elected), European Society for Population Economics, 2004.
- Member (Elected), Council of the European Society for Population Economics, 1998-2001.

***Other Professional Activities (Continued):***

- Member, National Longitudinal Survey (NLS) Technical Review Committee (Bureau of Labor Statistics), 1996-2000
- Organizing Committee Member, “Villa Monragone Workshop in Economic Theory and Econometrics,” Monte Porzio Catone (Rome), 2005 and 2006.
- Leif Johansen Lecturer, University of Oslo, June 1998.
- Visiting Professor, ENSAE/CREST, Paris, February 2002
- Lecturer, CEIS University of Rome, Tor Vergata, Summer School on “Unemployment: Theory and Empirical Evidence,” July 1998.
- Member, Advisory Committee, Survey of Income and Program Participation (SIPP), 1985.
- Associate, National Academy of Science Panel on Research on Criminal Careers, 1984.
- Lecturer, NORC Summer Workshop on the Analysis of Longitudinal Data, July 1982.

***Fellowships and Grants:***

- NSF Grant “Family Law and Investment in Children” (with Meta Brown), 2005-2008.
- Economic Research Initiative on the Uninsured, University of Michigan (from Robert Wood Johnson Foundation), Research Grants, 2002-03; 2003-2004.
- Upjohn Institute for Employment Research, Research Grant, 1999-01.
- Institute for Research on Poverty (University of Wisconsin-Madison) Research Grant, 1993-94.
- International Centre for Economic Research (ICER) Fellow, 1991,1994,1995,1997.
- National Institute for Child Health and Human Development Grant, 1991-93.
- National Institute of Aging Program Grant, 1985-88.
- Alfred Sloan Foundation Grant, University of Wisconsin, 1982-84.
- National Science Foundation Grant, 1981-84.
- National Institute of Mental Health Fellowship, University of Chicago, 1978-80.
- Ford Foundation Fellowship in Population Studies, University of Michigan, 1973-76.

***Books:***

*The Minimum Wage and Labor Market Outcomes: Theory and Evidence.* Under contract to MIT Press, 275 page manuscript, January 2009.

*The Role of Modeling in Policy Analysis.* In progress. Under contract to Upjohn Institute for Employment Research, Kalamazoo, Michigan.

***Articles:***

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“Minimum Wage Effects on Labor Market Outcomes under Search, Bargaining, and Endogenous Contact Rates,” *Econometrica* 74 (July 2006): 1013-1062.

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“An Equilibrium Model of Health Insurance Provision and Wage Determination,” with M. Dey, *Econometrica* 73 (March 2005): 571-627.

“Interpreting Minimum Wage Effects on Wage Distributions: A Cautionary Tale.” *Annales d’Économie et de Statistique* 67-68 (July/December 2002): 309-355.

“Labour Market Structure and Inequality: A Comparison of Italy and the U.S.” *Review of Economic Studies* 69 (August 2002): 611-645.

“Modes of Interaction Between Divorced Parents.” *International Economic Review* 41 (August 2000): 545-578.

“Returns to Mobility in the Transition to a Market Economy,” with T. Boeri, *Journal of Comparative Economics* 27 (March 1999): 4-32.

“Equilibrium Wage and Dismissal Processes,” *Journal of Business and Economic Statistics* 15 (April 1997): 221-236

“Rationalizing Child Support Orders,” with D. Del Boca, *American Economic Review* 85 (December 1995): 1241-62.

“Expenditure Decisions of Divorced Mothers and Income Composition,” with D. Del Boca, *Journal of Human Resources* 29 (Summer 1994): 742-61

“The Implications of Cohort Size for Human Capital Investment.” Chapter 5 in *Labour Markets in an Aging Europe* (Johnson and Zimmermann, eds.). Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 1993.

“The Determination of Welfare in Nonintact Families,” with D. Del Boca. Chapter 5 in *The Measurement of Household Welfare* (Blundell, Preston, and Walker, eds.). Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 1994.

“Equilibrium Dismissals without Stigma.” Chapter III.3 in *Labour Demand and Equilibrium Wage Formation* (van Ours et al, eds.). Amsterdam: North-Holland, 1993.

“Cohort Size and Schooling Choice.” *Journal of Population Economics* 6 (1993): 31-55.

“Models of Trip-Timing and Mode Choice Decisions in Transportation Research.” *Research Annual of the University of Trento* 2, 1989.

“Econometric Analysis of CPS-Type Unemployment Data.” *Journal of Human Resources* 21 (Fall 1986): 456-89.

“Dynamic Models of Criminal Careers.” Chapter 9 in *Criminal Careers and “Career Criminals” Volume 2* (Blumstein et al, eds.). Washington, D.C.: National Academy Press, 1986.

**Articles (Continued):**

“Wages and Job Mobility of Young Workers.” *Journal of Political Economy* 94 (June 1986): S88-S110.

“Self-Reported Reservation Wages and the Labor Market Participation Decision,” with D. Del Boca. *Ricerca Economica* 38 (July/September 1984): 363-83.

“Are Unemployment and Out-of-the-Labor-Force Behaviorally Distinct Labor Force States?,” with J. Heckman, *Journal of Labor Economics* 1 (January 1983): 28-42.

“New Methods for Analyzing Individual Event Histories,” with J. Heckman. In *Sociological Methodology 1982* (S. Leinhardt, ed.). San Francisco: Jossey-Bass, 1982.

“New Methods for Analyzing Structural Models of Labor Force Dynamics,” with J. Heckman, *Journal of Econometrics* 18 (1982): 115-68.

“The Likelihood Function for the Multistate-Multiepisodic Model in ‘Models for the Analysis of Labor Force Dynamics,’” with J. Heckman. In *Advances in Econometrics 2* (Basman and Rhodes, eds.). Greenwich, CN: JAI Press, 1983.

“Models for the Analysis of Labor Force Dynamics,” with J. Heckman. In *Advances in Econometrics 1* (Basman and Rhodes, eds.). Greenwich, CN: JAI Press, 1982.

“New Results on the Preference Independence Transformation,” with K. Laitinen and H. Thiel. *Economics Letters* 1 (1978): 179-81.

**Discussions:**

“Wages and the Structure of Unemployment Rates,” by N. Kiefer and G. Neumann. In *Workers, Jobs, and Inflation* (M. Baily, ed.), Washington, D.C.: Brookings Institution Press, 1982.

“Sorting and Private Education in Italy,” by Giuseppe Bertola and Daniele Checchi. *Lavoro e Relazioni Industriali*, 2/2001: 87-124..

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*Empirical Labor Economics: The Search Approach*, by T. Devine and N. Kiefer (1991). In the *Journal of Economic Literature*, 1992.

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***Work in Progress:***

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“Welfare Effects of Fixed and Percentage-Expressed Child Support Awards,” with D. Del Boca. Institute for Research on Poverty (University of Wisconsin-Madison) Discussion Paper 1041, September 1994.

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