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EDUCATION

Ph.D. 2009 University of California-Berkeley, Economics
M.A. 2005 University of California-Berkeley, Economics
B.S. 2003 Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Mathematics

RESEARCH AREAS

Health, labor, applied econometrics

EXPERIENCE (HIGHER EDUCATION & OTHER)

2015 – Present University of Maryland Baltimore County, Assistant Professor, Economics
2009 – 2015 Workers Compensation Research Institute, Economist
2004 – 2006 University of California-Berkeley, Graduate Student Instructor for Undergraduate Game Theory and Undergraduate Econometrics, Economics and Political Science
2004 Federal Reserve Bank of New York, Payment Studies Intern
2003 – 2008 University of California-Berkeley, Research Assistant for Daniel McFadden, Ken Chay, and Stefano DellaVigna; Economics
2002 State Farm Insurance Company, Marketing Analytics Intern
2001 – 2003 Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Research Assistant (UROP) for Peter Temin, Amitabh Chandra, Jonathan Gruber, and Sendhil Mullainathan; Economics

HONORS RECEIVED

2007 Dean's Normative Time Fellow, University of California-Berkeley
2005 Economics Department Graduate Admissions Committee, University of California-Berkeley
2004 Economics Department Continuing Student Fellow, University of California-Berkeley
2003 Sigma Xi, The Scientific Research Society, MIT Chapter
2001 – 2002 Leader of MIT Varsity Division 1 Fencing Team's Women's Foil Squad

RESEARCH SUPPORT AND/OR FELLOWSHIPS

2016 \$30,000, research support provided by Health Care Financing & Economics, VA Boston Healthcare System
2016 \$6,000, Summer Faculty Fellowship, University of Maryland Baltimore County
2016 \$3,000, Entrepreneurship and Innovation Curriculum Grant, University of Maryland Baltimore County
2009 \$4000, research support provided by Francis Caro at the University of Massachusetts-Amherst for research on assisted living
2006 \$1000, Institute of Business & Economics Research Grant, University of California-Berkeley, Principle Investigator

PUBLICATIONS

Peer-reviewed Works: Articles

Yee, Christine A. "Physicians on Board: An Examination of Physician Financial Interests in ASCs Using Longitudinal Data." *Journal of Health Economics* 30(5): 904-918, September 2011.

Caro, Francis, Christine A. Yee, Samantha Levien, Alison S. Gottlieb, Joachim Winter, Daniel L. McFadden, and Teck-Hua Ho. "Choosing Among Residential Options: Results of a Vignette Experiment," *Research on Aging* 34(1): 3-33, April 2011.

Caro, Francis, Teck-Hua Ho, Daniel L. McFadden, Alison Gottlieb, Christine A. Yee, Taizan Chan, and Joachim Winter. "Using the Internet to Administer More Realistic Vignette Experiments," *Social Science Computer Review* 30(2): 184-201, January 2011.

Peer-reviewed Works: Reports

Yee, Christine A., Steven Pizer, and Olesya Fomenko. *Why Surgery Rates Vary*. Cambridge, MA: Workers Compensation Research Institute, June 2015.

Yee, Christine A. and Philip S. Borba. *Impact of Treatment Guidelines in Texas*. Cambridge, MA: Workers Compensation Research Institute, September 2012.

Yee, Christine A. *Why Surgeon Owners of Ambulatory Surgical Centers do More Surgery*. Cambridge, MA: Workers Compensation Research Institute, May 2012.

Yee, Christine A., Philip S. Borba, and Nicole M. Coomer. *Impact of Preauthorization on Medical Care in Texas*. Cambridge, MA: Workers Compensation Research Institute, June 2011.

Works Submitted or in Preparation: Articles

Yee, Christine A. "Effects of Vertical Integration in the Medical Industry: The Case of the ASC Gold Rush." (in preparation)

Yee, Christine A. and Randall Lea. "The Early Impact of New York's Evidence-Based Treatment Guidelines on the Long-Term Use of Opioids." (in preparation)

Yee, Christine A. "Racial Disparities and the Value of Early Cancer Screening." (in preparation)

Works Submitted or in Preparation: Policy Briefs

Yee, Christine A., Austin Frakt, and Steve Pizer. *Economic and Policy Effects on Demand for VA Care*. Boston, MA: Partnered Evidence-Based Policy Resource Center, U.S. Department of Veteran Affairs, Vol. 1 No. 1, March 2016.

Yee, Christine A., Austin Frakt, and Steve Pizer. *Cost and Quality of Fee-For-Service Purchased Care vs VHA Care for Veterans*. Boston, MA: Partnered Evidence-Based Policy Resource Center, U.S. Department of Veteran Affairs. (in preparation)

Yee, Christine A., Austin Frakt, and Steve Pizer. *Cost, Quality, and Access Under Risk-Based Contracting: The Medicare Advantage Experience*. Boston, MA: Partnered Evidence-Based Policy Resource Center, U.S. Department of Veteran Affairs. (in preparation)

PRESENTATIONS

Conference/Poster Presentations

How Should Public Resources be Allocated to Maximize Access to Mental Health Care? The 3rd Meeting on Patient Reported Outcomes and Person Centered Care in Mental Health - Outcomes in Mental and Addictive Disorders: Personal, Clinical and Social Perspectives, hosted by International Center for Mental Health Policy and Economics. Washington, DC. September 2016.

Why Surgery Rates Vary. The 31st WCRI Annual Issues & Research Conference hosted by WCRI. Boston, MA. March 2015.

To Own or Not To Own: Explaining Why Surgeon Owners of Ambulatory Surgical Centers Do More Surgery Than Non-Owners. The 4th Biennial Conference of the American Society of Health Economists hosted by ASHEcon. Minneapolis, MN. June 2012.

Variation in the Use of Surgery Across States. The 8th World Congress on Health Economics hosted by iHEA (poster session). Toronto, Ontario. July 2011.

Other Professional Presentations

Impact of a VHA Hiring Initiative on Wait Times. UMBC Applied Econometrics Group Seminar. Baltimore, MD. September 2016.

New Evidence on the Use and Value of Colorectal Cancer Screening. UMBC Applied Econometrics Group Seminar. December 2015.

Why Surgery Rates Vary. UMBC CAHSS New Faculty Micro-Talks. Baltimore, MD. October 2015.

Why Surgeon Owners Do More Surgery Than Non-Owners. Webinar hosted by WCRI. Cambridge, MA. Oct 2012.

MEDIA

Cited in *Medical Costs Rise as Retirees Winter in Florida* by Elisabeth Rosenthal. New York Times. January 31, 2015. http://www.nytimes.com/2015/02/01/us/medical-costs-rise-as-retirees-winter-in-south.html?_r=0.

Interviewed by A.M. Best. January 29, 2013. Archive:
<https://www.facebook.com/WCRIpage/posts/544300548927740>

Cited in *Do ASC Owners Do More Surgery?* WorkCompCentral. May 21, 2012.
<https://www.workcompcentral.com/columns/print/id/8ffd7e00ed9cad53ed5618274d731545j>

Cited in *Why Back Surgery Rates Vary By Location.* Insurance Journal. July 14, 2015.
<http://www.insurancejournal.com/news/national/2015/07/14/373978.htm>

SERVICE (ACADEMIC)

2016 – Present	Member, Committee defining objectives of undergraduate Economics majors
2015 – Present	Chair, Applied Econometrics Group Seminar Series
2015	Referee, American Journal of Health Economics