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ACADEMIC Director, Center of Economic Education, [Northern Kentucky University](#), Highland Heights,
APPOINTMENTS KY July 2016-

Assistant Professor, Economics, [Northern Kentucky University](#), Highland Heights, KY
August 2013-

Assistant Professor, Economics, [Bloomsburg University of PA](#), Bloomsburg, PA August
2010-July 2013

PROFESSIONAL **Board Member**, Kentucky Economic Association
APPOINTMENTS **Board Member**, Journal of Economics Teaching

EDUCATION [The University of Kentucky](#), Lexington, KY

Ph.D., Economics, August 2010

Dissertation Title: *Market Structure and Mortgage Pricing: The Role of Information on Firm and Consumer Behavior*

M.S., Economics, December 2008

[American University](#), Washington DC

M.A Economic Theory, August, 2003

[University of Louisville](#), Louisville KY

B.S, Business Economics. Minor, Finance, May, 2002

PUBLICATIONS

1. Al-Bahrani, Abdullah, Darshak Patel, and Brandon Sheridan “[Have Economic Educators Embraced Social Media as a Teaching Tool?](#)” *Journal of Economic Education*.. 48 (1), 45-50,2017
2. Al-Bahrani, Abdullah and Darshak Patel. “[Incorporating Twitter, Instagram and Facebook in Economics Classrooms](#)” . *Journal of Economic Education*. 46(1), 56-67, 2015
3. Al-Bahrani, Abdullah and Darshak Patel. “[Using ESPN 30 for 30 to Teach Economics](#)” . *Southern Economic Journal*. 81(3), 829-842, 2015
4. Al-Bahrani, Abdullah, Darshak Patel and Brandon Sheridan. “[Using Social Media to Engage Students Outside of the Classroom, the Students Perspective](#)”. *International Review of Economics Education*. 19(1) 36-50, 2015

5. Al-Bahrani, Abdullah, Kim Holder, Adam Hoffer and Solina Lindahl. "[Rockonomix.com](#)". *Journal of Economic Education*. 46(4), 443, 2015
6. Al-Bahrani, Abdullah. "Competition in Online Markets: When Banks, Compete do Consumers Really Win". *Journal of Housing Research*. Forthcoming (Accepted October 2014)
7. Al-Bahrani, Abdullah and Qing Su "[Determinants of Mortgage Pricing: A Quantile Regression Analysis](#)" *Journal of Housing Economics*. 13 (December), 77-85, 2015
8. Al-Bahrani, Abdullah; Kim Holder; Darshak Patel; Jadrian Wooten. "[Art of Econ: An Interdisciplinary Approach for Differentiated Assessment](#)". *Journal of Economics and Finance Education* 15 (2), 1-16, 2016 .
9. Al-Bahrani, Abdullah; Chelsea Dowell; Darshak Patel. "[Video Scrapbooking: An Art Form Revived in the Economics Curriculum](#)". *Journal of Economics and Economic Education Research*. 17(1), 7-15, 2016.
10. Al-Bahrani, Abdullah; Kim Holder; Rebecca Moryl; Ryan Murphy; and Darshak Patel. "[Putting yourself in the picture with an "ECONSelfie": Using student-generated photos to enhance introductory economics courses](#)" *International Review of Economics Education* 22(1) 16-22. 2016
11. Al-Bahrani, Abdullah; Kim Holder, Darshak Patel; and Brandon Sheridan. "The Great Digital Divide: Using Television to Teach Economics?". *Journal of Economics and Economic Education Research*.17 (2), 105-112. 2016.
12. Acchiardo, Charity-Joy; Abdullah Al-Bahrani; Kim Holder ;and Dirk Mateer. "Through the Lens of Life: Teaching Principles of Economics with Humans of New York". *Journal of Economics and Finance Education*. Forthcoming.

PAPERS
UNDER
REVIEW

"Econ Beats: A Semester Long, Interdisciplinary, Project-Based Learning Assignment" with Bradley Libis, Sara Drabik, John Gibson.

"Staying Relevant in Economics Education" with Kim Holder, Darshak Patel, and Jadrian Wooten

"Evaluating Twitter and its Impact on Student Learning in Principles of Economics Courses? with Darshak Patel and Brandon Sheridan.

"Math Aptitude, Perception and Success in Economics? with Whitney Douglas-Buser, Kim Holder and Darshak Patel

"HONYEcon: The HONY Collection for Principles of Economics" with Charity-Joy Acchiardo, Kim Holder, and Dirk Mateer

WORK IN
PROGRESS

"Dive-In! Tips for Teaching Economics Through 'Shark Tank'" With Charity-Joy Acchiardo, Darshak Patel and Brandon Sheridan.

"Gatekeepers and the Double Marginalization Rule in Online Markets" with Darshak Patel.

“ Brokers and Lenders in the Mortgage Market”. With Qing Su.

“ The Internet, Mortgages and the Race Premium” with Frank Scott and Aaron Yelowitz.

INVITED
LECTURES

“EconBeats: NKU 360. Innovative Teaching at NKU” Highland Heights, KY. November 2016

“ DIGinEcon: Presented by Cengage Economics”, National Economics Teachers Association. Tampa, FL. October 2016

“ DIGinEcon: Presented by Cengage Economics”, Cincinnati teachers workshop, Covington, KY September 2016

“ Expectations for Incoming Professors”, Finance Doctoral Students Association Conference, Ph.D Project, Park City Utah 2016

“ The Internet, Mortgages and the Race Premium”, Economics Department Seminar, Gatton College of Business, University of Kentucky, Lexington, KY USA Sept 2015.

“ Professional Development Teaching Workshop for Economics, Hosted by W.W. Norton & Company”. Minneapolis , MN USA May 2015

“ Professional Development Teaching Workshop for Economics, Hosted by W.W. Norton & Company”. Atlanta, GA , USA February 2015

“ Professional Development Teaching Workshop for Economics, Hosted by W.W. Norton & Company”. Chicago, IL, USA November 2014

“ The Decision to Rent vs Buy”, Personal Finance class, Northern Kentucky University, Highland Heights KY, USA October 2014

“Using Social Media to Enhance Teaching, Research and Your Faculty Brand”, Academy of Economics and Finance, Chattanooga TN, USA February 2014

“When Banks Compete, Do Consumers Really Win?”, Lafayette College, Easton, PA USA March 2013

“The Financial Crisis: The Role of Mortgage Brokers”. College of Business and Economics, Roanoke College, Roanoke, VA USA March 2012

“Understanding the Mortgage Market”. Personal Finance, College of Business, Bloomsburg University, PA, USA April 2011

“Gatekeepers in Online Markets”. Campbell School of Business, Berry College, Rome, GA, USA Feb 2010

CONFERENCE
LECTURES

Southern Economics Association. Washington DC November 2016— National Council for Economic Education Conference. Phoenix, AZ October 2016— Conference on Teaching and Research on Economics Education. Atlanta, May 2016— Association of Private Enterprise Economist. Las Vegas. April 2016— Eastern Economics Association. Washington, DC Feb 2016— Allied Social Sciences Association. San Francisco Jan 2016— Southern Economics Association. New Orleans Nov 2015— Conference on Teaching and Research on Economics Education. Minneapolis MN, May 2015— Kentucky Economics Association, Frankfort, KY

October 2015— University of Kentucky Economics Teaching Workshop, Lexington Kentucky
 April 2015— Allied Social Science Association Conference Boston MA January 2015— Kentucky
 Economics Teaching Workshop , Lexington KY April 2015— Conference on Teaching and
 Research on Economic Education, Washington D.C 2014— Southern Economic Association
 Conference , Atlanta, GA 2014— Department of Marketing, Economics and Sports Business
 Working Paper Series. Highland Heights, KY USA April 2014— Southern Economic Association,
 Tampa, FL USA November 2013— Kentucky Economic Association, Frankfort, KY, USA
 October 2013— Southern Economic Association, Tampa, FL USA November 2013— Haile/US
 Bank College of Business Summer Grant Series, Highland Heights, KY USA March 2014—
 Teaching and Learning Enhancement Center at Bloomsburg University. Bloomsburg, PA
 USA October 2012— Southern Economic Association Annual Meeting, Atlanta, GA, USA
 Nov 2010— Southern Economic Association Annual Meeting, San Antonio, TX, USA NOV
 2009— Kentucky Economic Association Annual Meeting, Lexington, KY, USA Oct 2009—
 Economics Department seminar, University of Kentucky, KY, USA Oct 2009

TEACHING 21th Annual University of Kentucky Economics Teaching Workshop, Lexington, KY 2016
 CONFERENCES Meet, Greet, Grab an Idea 2015. Northern Kentucky University, Highland Heights, KY 2015
 AND The Fifth Annual AEA Conference on Teaching. Minneapolis, MN 2015
 PROFESSIONAL 20th Annual University of Kentucky Economics Teaching Workshop, Lexington, KY 2015
 DEVELOPMENT Meet, Great, Grab a Seat 2014. Northern Kentucky University, Highland Heights, KY 2014
 The Fourth Annual AEA Conference on Teaching. Washington, D.C 2014
 19th Annual University of Kentucky Economics Teaching Workshop, Lexington, KY 2014
 Academy of Economic and Finance, Teaching Workshop, Chattanooga, TN 2014
 Meet, Great, Grab a Seat 2013. Northern Kentucky University, Highland Heights, KY 2013
 18h Annual University of Kentucky Economics Teaching Workshop, Lexington, KY 2013
 The Second Annual AEA Conference on Teaching. Boston, MA 2012
 14th Annual University of Kentucky Economics Teaching Workshop, Lexington, KY 2009
 Midwest Economic Education Conference, University of Cincinnati, Cincinnati, OH 2009
 13th Annual University of Kentucky Economics Teaching Workshop, Lexington, KY 2008

RESEARCH Industrial Organization, Labor Economics, Applied Microeconomics, Real Estate Economics,
 INTERESTS Education of Economics, Personal Finance.

TEACHING Industrial Organization, Labor Economics, Econometrics, Statistics, Real Estate Economics.
 INTERESTS Financial Literacy

THESIS **Kelsey Paulsen.** “*Who’s to Blame? A Story of the 2008 United States Financial Crisis.*”
 ADVISOR Honors Thesis. Bloomsburg University. December 2012

TEACHING **Northern Kentucky University: Instructor-**
 EXPERIENCE *Intermediate Microeconomics, Principles of Macroeconomics, Principles of Microeconomics*

Bloomsburg University: Instructor-
*Economics for Non-Economist, Principles of Macroeconomics, Principle of Microeconomics,
 Honors Economics, Business and Economics Statistics, Labor Economics/Gender Studies,
 Industrial Organization*

University of Kentucky: Instructor-
*Principles of Microeconomics, Principles of Macroeconomics, MBA Microeconomics, Independent
 Studies Economic Instructor.*

PROFESSIONAL **T21: A Social Learning Platform** (October 2012 to 2014)
 EXPERIENCE Consultant

Career Guidance Center at the Ministry of Education of Oman (August 2012 to 2015)

Labor Market Consultant

Research Assistant (Fall 2008)

Frank Scott, University of Kentucky Economics Department

New Equity Financial Corporation

Licensing Officer (March 2005-June 2006)

Loan Officer (December 2003-March 2005)

DEPARTMENT **Northern Kentucky University**

AND Faculty Benefits, MBA, Signature and Emerging Areas, Assurance of Learning Committee,

UNIVERSITY Principles department and General Education Coordinator, Economics Club Advisor, Student

SERVICES Enrichment Committee. NKU R.O.C.K.S Mentor. Northern Exposure.

Bloomsburg University

Econ Club Advisor, Model UN advisor, College of Liberal Arts Curriculum Enhancement Committee (member), Department of Economics Internship Coordinator, Department of Economics Curriculum Committee (Chair), Department of Economics Tenure Committee (Chair), Department of Economics Sabbatical Committee (Chair). University Forum.

University of Kentucky

Micro-Teach group leader TA orientation, Graduate Student Workshop coordinator, Graduate Studies Committee.

AWARDS, Excellence in Teaching and Instruction Award, Northern Kentucky University (2016)

HONORS AND Presidential Ambassador Spark Recipient by Kyle Bale (2016)

SCHOLARSHIPS Dean's Citation Award for Outstanding Teaching, Haile/US Bank COB (2014-2015) Recipient

Dean's Citation Award for Outstanding Teaching, Haile/US Bank COB (2013-2014) Finalist

Kentucky Opportunity Fellowship (2009-2010)

Outstanding Teaching Award (2009)

Academic Scholarship, Ministry of Higher Education, Oman (2006-2010)

REFEREE Cuadernos de Economa, Eastern Economic Journal, International Review of Economic Education, Journal of Economic Education

PROFESSIONAL American Economic Association

AFFILIATIONS American Real Estate Society

Southern Economic Association

CITIZENSHIP Sultanate of Oman

SKILLS AND Stata, LaTeX, MS Office, Arabic (Fluent), English (Fluent)

LANGUAGES

IN THE MEDIA [CentSai Blab" Why Fin Lit is as Important as Sex Ed.](#)

[EconBeats Rocks NKU's Campus](#)

[Economic Rockstar Podcast Interview.](#)

[They've got '99 problems but extra credit ain't one.](#)

[Ask The Experts: Making Sense of Dynamic Pricing](#)

[Online book rentals offer students inexpensive alternative to bookstore](#)

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REFERENCES

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