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EDUCATION

2009 University of California, Davis
 Ph.D. in Economics

2004 Rice University
 B.A. in Mathematical Economic Analysis

2002-2003 London School of Economics
 General Course, Social Policy and Economics

EXPERIENCE

2014- Assistant Professor, Division of Health Policy and Management,
 University of Minnesota School of Public Health

2014- Adjunct Economist, RAND Corporation

2013-2014 Full Economist, RAND Corporation

2013-2014 Professor, Pardee RAND Graduate School

2009-2013 Associate Economist, RAND Corporation

2004-2009 Graduate Teaching Assistant, University of California, Davis

2004-2008 Graduate Research Assistant, University of California, Davis

2006 Intern, Public Policy Institute of California

MEMBERSHIP AND SERVICE IN PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

American Society of Health Economists	Member
Academy Health	Member, Medicare theme leader for 2016 Annual Research Meeting
American Economic Association	Member

JOURNAL REFEREE SERVICE

American Economic Journal- Economic Policy, American Economic Review, American Journal of Health Economics, Archives of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation, BE Press Economic Policy, BMC Health Services Research, Economic Inquiry, Forum for Health Economics and Policy, Health Affairs, Health Care, Health Economics, Health Services Research, JAMA-Internal Medicine, Journal of Health Economics, Journal of Policy Analysis and Management, Medical Care

Ad hoc proposal reviewer for NSF Economics Program, 2012 and 2014

AWARDS AND HONORS

2012 RAND Health Bob Brook Scholar

GRANTS AND SPONSORED RESEARCH

2016-2020 The Long-Term Benefits of Interventions to Improve T2D Outcomes
NIDDK/NIH (R01)
Co-Principal Investigator

2015-2017 Explaining the Recent Utilization Trends in Ultra-High Rehabilitation Therapy
Services in Skilled Nursing Facilities
Assistant Secretary for Planning and Evaluation
Principal Investigator

2015-2017 Medicare Readmissions Reduction Program Outcomes, Costs, and Inadvertent
Effects
AHRQ R01 sub-award from Cedars Sinai
Principal Investigator

2014-2018 Vertical Integration and Care Coordination in Post-Acute Care Markets
NIA R01 sub-award from University of Southern California
Principal Investigator

2012-2015 Consumer Directed Health Plans and Use of Preventive Services
NIA R01 sub-award from University of Southern California
Principal Investigator

2013-2014 Specialty Payment Model Opportunities Assessment and Design
CMS, MITRE
Co-Principal Investigator

2012-2013 Price Transparency in Consumer Directed Health Plans
California Health Care Foundation
Co-Investigator

- 2012-2013 Analysis for the Committee on Geographic Variation in Health Care Spending
Institute of Medicine
Co-Investigator
- 2011 Provider-Level Risk Adjusted Quality Measures for IRFs
Medicare Payment Advisory Commission
Co-Investigator
- 2008-2009 The Impacts of Recent Public Prenatal Health Insurance Eligibility Expansions
University of California Office of the President, California Program on Access
to Care
Co-Investigator

TEACHING AND COURSE DEVELOPMENT

- 2015- Topics in Health Economics, University of Minnesota School of Public Health,
Executive Masters in Healthcare Administration
- 2013 Health Economics, Pardee RAND Graduate School

PRESENTATIONS

Title of talk: “Medicare Advantage and post-acute care utilization.”
Academy Health Annual Research Meeting, June 2016; Boston, MA
American Society of Health Economists Biennial Conference, June 2016; Philadelphia,
PA

Title of talk: “Harnessing an All Payer Claims Database to inform policy.”
Academy Health Annual Research Meeting, June 2016; Boston, MA

Title of talk: “Consumer-Directed Health Plans and Medication Use Among Enrollees
with Chronic Diseases.”
Medical Research Institute, November 2015

Title of talk: “Trends in outpatient hospital oncology care.”
Academy Health Annual Research Meeting, June 2015; Minneapolis, MN

Title of talk: “Vertical Integration of Hospitals and Post-Acute Care Providers.”
University of Minnesota, Division of Health Policy and Management, October 2014
American Society of Health Economists Biennial Conference, June 2014; Los Angeles,
CA

Title of talk: “Patient responses to incentives in consumer-directed health plans: Evidence from pharmaceuticals”
American Society of Health Economists Biennial Conference, June 2014; Los Angeles, CA

Emory University, Department of Economics, February 2014

Vanderbilt School of Medicine, January 2014

McGill University, Department of Economics, January 2014

University of Minnesota School of Public Health, Division of Health Policy and Management, December 2013

Title of talk: “Decomposing Hospital-Level Variation in Post-Discharge Costs of Care”
Academy Health Annual Research Meeting, June 2013; Baltimore, MD

Title of paper: “Setting and Attaining Glycemic Targets”

(Poster) American Diabetes Association Scientific Sessions, June 2013; Chicago, IL

(Talk) American Journal of Managed Care Patient-Centered Diabetes Care Symposium, The University of Chicago, June 2013

Title of talk: “Medicare payment reform”

UC-Irvine Merage School of Business, December 2012

Title of talk: “The effects of prospective payment on treatment and admission policies”
Conference on Health Aging, and Human Capital, RAND Bing Center for Health Economics, December 2011

NBER Summer Institute, Health Care Workshop, July 2011; Cambridge, MA.

Title of talk: “Price-shopping and intertemporal shifting of health care use in consumer-directed health plans (CDHPs)”

American Society of Health Economists Biennial Conference, June 2012; Minneapolis, MN.

Title of talk: “Medical resource use and patient outcomes under post-acute prospective payment”

Western Economics Association, June 2010; Portland, OR

American Society of Health Economists Biennial Conference, June 2010; Ithaca, NY

Title of talk: “The Impacts of Recent Public Prenatal Health Insurance Eligibility Expansions”

RAND Corporation, February 2009

Federal Trade Commission, February 2009

Mathematica Policy Research, February 2009

Kent State University, January 2009

California State University- Sacramento, November 2008

(Poster) All UC Labor Economics Conference, September 2008; Los Angeles, CA

Title of talk: “Pharmaceutical use following generic entry: paying less and buying less”

PUBLICATIONS

Spencer D, **Huckfeldt PJ**, Blewett L. “Minnesota Integrated Health Partnership Demonstration: Implementation of a Medicaid ACO Model.” *Journal of Health Politics, Policy, and Law* Forthcoming, 2017.

Sood N, Alpert A, Barnes K, **Huckfeldt PJ**, Escarce JJ. “Effects of Payment Reform in More versus Less Competitive Markets.” *Journal of Health Economics* Forthcoming, 2017.

Huckfeldt PJ, Escarce JJ, Rabideau B, Karaca-Mandic P, Sood N. “Less Intense Postacute Care, Better Outcomes For Enrollees in Medicare Advantage Than Those in Fee-For-Service.” *Health Affairs*. 36 (1): 91-100, 2017.

Mehrotra A, **Huckfeldt PJ**, Haviland AM, Gascue L, Sood N. “Patients Who Choose Primary Care Physicians Based On Low Office Visit Price Can Realize Broader Savings.” *Health Affairs* 35(12): 2319-2316, 2016.

Haviland AM, Eisenberg MD, Mehrotra A, **Huckfeldt PJ**, Sood N. “Do ‘Consumer-Directed’ Health Plans Bend the Cost Curve Over Time?” *Journal of Health Economics* 46: 33-51, 2016.

Huckfeldt PJ, Mehrotra A, Hussey PS. “The relative importance of post-acute care and readmissions for post-discharge spending.” *Health Services Research* 51(5):1919-38, 2016.

Trief PM, Jiang Y, Beck R, **Huckfeldt PJ**, Knight T, Miller KM, Weinstock RS. “Adults with Type 1 diabetes: Partner relationships and outcomes”. *Journal of Health Psychology* Forthcoming, 2015.

Willi SW, Miller KM, DiMeglio LA, Klingensmith GJ, Simmons JH, Tamborlane WV, Nadeau KJ, Kittesrud JM, **Huckfeldt P**, Beck RW, Lippman TH. “Racial and Ethnic Disparities in Management and Outcomes Among Children With Type 1 Diabetes.” *Pediatrics* 135: 552-553, 2015

Auerbach D, Mehrotra A, Hussey P, **Huckfeldt PJ**, Alpert A, Lau C, Shier V. “How Will Provider-Focused Payment Reform Impact Geographic Variation in Medicare Spending?” *American Journal of Managed Care* 21(6): e390-8, 2015.

Hussey P, **Huckfeldt PJ**, Hirschman S, Mehrotra A. “Hospital and Regional Variation in Medicare Payment for Inpatient Care Episodes.” *JAMA-Internal Medicine* 175(6): 1056-1057, 2015.

Lau C, Alpert A, **Huckfeldt P**, Hussey P, Auerbach D, Liu H., Sood N, Mehrotra A. “Post-acute referral patterns for hospitals and implications for bundled payment initiatives.” *Healthcare* 2(3): 190-195, 2014.

Huckfeldt PJ, Sood N, Escarce JJ, Grabowski DC, Newhouse JP. “Effects of Medicare Payment Reform: Evidence from the Home Health Interim and Prospective Payment Systems.” *Journal of Health Economics* 34: 1-18, 2014.

Sood N, **Huckfeldt PJ**, Grabowski DC, Newhouse JP, Escarce JJ. “The effect of prospective payment on admission and treatment policy: Evidence from inpatient rehabilitation facilities.” *Journal of Health Economics* 32(5): 965-979, 2013.

Huckfeldt PJ, Sood N, Romley JA, Malchiodi A, Escarce JJ. “Medicare payment reform and provider entry and exit in the post-acute care market.” *Health Services Research* 48(5): 1557-1580, 2013.

Sood N, Philipson TJ, **Huckfeldt PJ**. “Quantifying the Value of Personalized Medicines: Evidence from COX-2 Inhibitors.” *Forum for Health Economics and Policy* 16(1): 1-22, 2013.

Sood N, Wagner Z, **Huckfeldt PJ**, Haviland AM. “Price-shopping in Consumer-Directed Health Plans.” *Forum for Health Economics and Policy* 16(1): 1-19, 2013.

Grabowski DC, **Huckfeldt PJ**, Sood N, Escarce JJ, Newhouse JP. “Medicare postacute payment reforms have potential to improve efficiency of care, but may need changes to cut costs.” *Health Affairs* 31(9): 1941-50, 2012.

Huckfeldt PJ, Meeker D, Peters A, Guterman JJ, Diaz G, Goldman DP. “Diabetes Management For Low-Income Patients in Los Angeles: Two Strategies Improved Disease Control In The Short Term.” *Health Affairs* 31(1): 168-176, 2012.

Sood N, **Huckfeldt PJ**, Escarce JJ, Grabowski DC, Newhouse JP. “Medicare's Bundled Payment Pilot For Acute and Postacute Care: Analysis and Recommendations on Where to Begin.” *Health Affairs* 30(9): 1708-1717, 2011.

TECHNICAL REPORTS

Huckfeldt PJ, Yang Z, Bershady B, Woodhouse W, Kane RL. “Interim Report: Explaining the Recent Utilization Trends in Ultra-High Therapy Services in Skilled Nursing Facilities.” Report for the Assistant Secretary of Planning and Evaluation, January 2017.

White KM, Knutson D, Abraham J, **Huckfeldt P**, Johnson H, Eikenberry J, Grude L. “Case Comparative Analysis of Select Market-Based Medicare Shared Savings Program (MSSP) Accountable Care Organizations.” Report for the Medicare Payment Advisory Commission, 2015.

Mulcahy AM, Chan C, Hirshman S, **Huckfeldt PJ**, Kofner A, Liu JL, Lovejoy SL, Popescu I, Timbie JW, Hussey PS. “Specialty Payment Model Opportunities and Assessment: Gastroenterology and Cardiology Model Design Report.” RAND Report RR-831-CMMS, 2014.

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Huckfeldt PJ, Chan C, Hirschman S, Kofner A, Liu JL, Mulcahy AM, Popescu I, Stevens C, Timbie JW, Hussey PS. “Specialty Payment Model Opportunities and Assessment: Oncology Model Design Report.” RAND Report RR-763, 2014.

Auerbach D, **Huckfeldt PJ**, Hussey PS, Alpert A, Liu H, Shier V, Lau C, Totten M, Mehrotra A. “IOM Committee on Geographic Variation in Health Care Spending and Promotion of High-Value Care: A Modeling of Policy Recommendations.” RAND Working Paper WR-970-IOM, 2013.

Dick A, **Huckfeldt PJ**, Liu H, Yu A, Mehrotra A, Lovejoy SL, Ashwood JS. “Provider-Level Risk-Adjusted Quality Measurement for Inpatient Rehabilitation Facilities.” RAND Technical Report; 1183-MEDPAC, 2012.

BOOK CHAPTERS

Huckfeldt PJ, Lakdawalla DN, Philipson TJ. “Economics of Obesity”. In. A. M. Jones (Ed.) *The Elgar Companion to Health Economics, Second Edition*. (pp.70-80). Cheltenham, UK: Edward Elgar. 2012.