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EDUCATION

Ph.D. in Public Administration & Policy (Public Budgeting & Finance), The University of Georgia, 2007
MPA, University of Delaware, 2004
B.A. *Magna Cum Laude* (Phi Beta Kappa) in Political Science, University of Delaware, 2002

FACULTY APPOINTMENTS

University of Delaware

Professor (with tenure), Joseph R. Biden, Jr. School of Public Policy & Administration, 2022–
Affiliated Faculty, M.S. in Data Science Program, 2018–
Associate Professor (with tenure), 2016-22

New York University

Associate Professor (with tenure), Robert F. Wagner Graduate School of Public Service, 2013-16
Assistant Professor, 2009-13

Rutgers University–Newark

Assistant Professor, School of Public Affairs & Administration, January-December 2008

ADMINISTRATIVE APPOINTMENTS

University of Delaware

Associate Dean for the Social Sciences, College of Arts & Sciences, 2021–

(Acting Associate Dean for the Social Sciences, College of Arts & Sciences, 2019-20)

- Manage a portfolio of approximately 100 FTE faculty, 2,250 undergraduate majors, six departments, two centers, and Army ROTC.
- Responsible for faculty and academic affairs; approving department and program budgets (>\$20M in operating expenditures) and faculty positions; writing decanal responses to faculty and department chair peer- and post-tenure reviews; and making faculty appointment, promotion, and tenure recommendations to the Dean.

Director of the Master of Public Administration (MPA) Program, 2016-21

- Led the MPA nucleus faculty and represented the program both on- and off-campus.
- Responsible for accreditation and assessment, admissions, advising, course scheduling, curriculum, faculty and student affairs, faculty and student recruiting, and program marketing.

Associate Director, Joseph R. Biden, Jr. School of Public Policy & Administration, 2018-19

- Advised the School Director on faculty and external affairs.
- Responsible for recommending committee chairs and members, advising on advertisements and brand messaging at national conferences and in other media, and facilitating alumni relations.

New York University

Director of the Finance Specialization in the MPA Program, 2013-16

- Oversaw the 150-student Finance specialization and led the Finance faculty.
- Responsible for advising, course scheduling, curriculum, and recruiting and retaining adjunct faculty.

BOARD AND COMMISSION APPOINTMENTS

Network of Schools of Public Policy, Affairs, and Administration (NASPAA)

Commission on Peer Review and Accreditation (COPRA), 2020–

- Member of the Council for Higher Education Accreditation (CHEA)-recognized accreditation body for master's degree programs in public policy, administration, and affairs, globally.
- Responsible for reviewing programs for conformance with NASPAA accreditation standards, advising programs and site visit chairs, and writing interim reports and conformance decision letters.

BOARD AND COMMISSION APPOINTMENTS CONT'D

Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB)

Governmental Accounting Standards Advisory Council (GASAC), 2014-18

- Member of GASB-appointed body representing preparers, auditors, users, and analysts of U.S. state and local government financial statements.
- Responsible for advising GASB on proposed and draft governmental accounting standards, project priorities, and related matters.

Public Financial Publications (PFP), Inc.

Board of Directors, 2015-18

- Member of governing body of the publisher of *Public Budgeting & Finance*.
- Responsible for advising the journal's publisher, and for selecting the journal's editors in 2017.

New York University Federal Credit Union

Board of Directors, 2009-13

- Member of governing board with fiduciary responsibility for an independent, federally regulated financial institution.
- Oversaw \$14 million in assets as Secretary/Treasurer and Chair of the Assets and Liabilities Management Committee.

EDITORIAL APPOINTMENTS

Co-Editor

- *Journal of Public Administration Research and Theory*, 2014-18
- *Journal of Comparative Policy Analysis* (Comparative Statistics Section), 2011-14

Editorial Board

- *Public Administration*, 2021–
- *State and Local Government Review*, 2021–
- *Public Administration Review*, 2014-17
- *Journal of Public Administration Research and Theory*, 2011-14
- *Journal of Public Budgeting, Accounting & Financial Management*, 2009-15

ASSOCIATION LEADERSHIP

Association for Budgeting and Financial Management (ABFM)

- Chair, 2017 (Chair-Elect, 2016; Vice Chair, 2015)
- Executive Committee, 2012-15
- Conference Host Committee Chair, 2011-12

Public Management Research Association (PMRA)

Conference Program Committee, 2017

Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management (APPAM)

Conference Program Committee, 2014

Western Social Science Association–Public Finance and Budgeting Section

Conference Program Co-Chair 2010-11

FACULTY LEADERSHIP

University of Delaware

- Faculty Senator, University Faculty Senate, 2021
- University Faculty Senate Budget Committee, 2020-21
- President, College of Arts & Sciences Faculty Senate, 2018-19 (President-Elect, 2017-18)
- Faculty Senator, College of Arts & Sciences Faculty Senate, 2016-19

FACULTY LEADERSHIP CONT'D**New York University**

- Co-Chair, Tenured/Tenure-Track Faculty Senators Council Finance and Policy Planning Committee, 2014-16
- Faculty Senator, Tenured/Tenure-Track Faculty Senators Council, 2014-16

PUBLICATIONS

- 2022 *Financial Management for Public, Health, and Not-for-Profit Organizations* (7th edition, with Steven A. Finkler and Thad D. Calabrese). Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage Publications/CQ Press.
- “Financial Management Curricular Concerns in Public Administration Education” (with Thad D. Calabrese). Karin Bottom, Pamela Dunning, Ian Elliott, and John Diamond, Eds., *Handbook of Teaching and Learning in Public Administration and Management*. Edward Elgar Publishing.
- 2019 *Financial Management for Public, Health, and Not-for-Profit Organizations* (6th edition, with Steven A. Finkler and Thad D. Calabrese). Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage Publications/CQ Press.
- Government and Not-For Profit Accounting: Concepts and Practices* (8th edition, with Michael H. Granof, Saleha B. Khumawala, and Thad D. Calabrese). Hoboken, NJ: Wiley.
- 2016 *Financial Management for Public, Health, and Not-for-Profit Organizations* (6th edition, with Steven A. Finkler, Thad D. Calabrese, and Robert M. Purtell). Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage Publications. Sage Publications/CQ Press.
- Government and Not-For Profit Accounting: Concepts and Practices* (7th edition, with Michael H. Granof, Saleha B. Khumawala, and Thad D. Calabrese). Hoboken, NJ: Wiley.
- 2014 “Federal Budget Reform: Lessons from State and Local Governments” (with Shanna Rose). John W. Diamond and George R. Zodrow, Eds., *Pathways to Fiscal Reform*. MIT Press.
- 2013 “State Unemployment Insurance Trust Solvency and Benefit Generosity” (with Jeffrey B. Wenger). *Journal of Policy Analysis and Management*, 32(3): 536-53.
- “Balanced Budget Requirements and State Spending: A Long-Panel Study” (with Yilin Hou). *Public Budgeting & Finance*, 33(2): 1-18.
- Financial Management for Public, Health, and Not-for-Profit Organizations* (4th edition, with Steven A. Finkler, Thad D. Calabrese, and Robert M. Purtell). Upper Saddle River, NJ: Pearson.
- 2012 “An Empirical Framework for Public Finance and Financial Management.” *Public Administration Review*, 72(6): 934-37. Review of *Managing the Fiscal Metropolis: The Financial Policies, Practices, and Health of Suburban Municipalities* by Rebecca M. Hendrick.
- “Budget Slack, Institutions, and Transparency” (with Shanna Rose). *Public Administration Review*, 72(2): 187-95.
- 2011 “Federalist 7: Is Disunion Among the States a Hidden Source of Strength?” *Public Administration Review*, 71(S1): s15-s21.
- “The Great Recession’s Impact on New York City’s Budget” (with Lawrence J. Miller). *Municipal Finance Journal*, 32(1): 89-113.
- “Why Public Financial Management Matters” (with Kioko et al.). *Journal of Public Administration Research and Theory*, 21(S1): i113-i124.

PUBLICATIONS CONT'D

- 2010 "Do State Balanced Budget Requirements Matter? Testing Two Explanatory Frameworks" (with Yilin Hou). *Public Choice*, 145(1-2): 57-79.
- "Informal Norms as a Bridge between Formal Rules and Outcomes of Government Financial Operations: Evidence from State Balanced Budget Requirements" (with Yilin Hou). *Journal of Public Administration Research and Theory*, 20(3): 655-78.
- "Adding Value in a World of Diffuse Power: Reintroducing Public Management and Public Financial Management" (with Justin Marlowe). O'Leary, Kim, and Van Slyke, Eds., *The Future of Public Administration Around the World: The Minnowbrook Perspective*. Washington, D.C.: Georgetown University Press.
- 2007 "Rules, Participants, and Executive Politics in State Tax Revenue Forecasting." *Journal of Public Budgeting, Accounting & Financial Management*, 19(4): 472-87.
- 2006 "A Framework for Understanding State Balanced Budget Requirement Systems: Re-examining Distinctive Features and an Operational Definition" (with Yilin Hou). *Public Budgeting & Finance*, 26(3): 22-45.
- "E-Government as an Instrument of Fiscal Accountability and Responsiveness: Do the best practitioners employ the best practices?" (with Jonathan B. Justice and James Melitski). *The American Review of Public Administration*, 36(3): 301-22.

MANUSCRIPTS IN PROGRESS

"What are State Fiscal Monitoring Systems Monitoring?" (with Jonathan Justice and Casey Moore).

"Long-Term Financial Planning in the States: Practice and Prospects"

TEACHING

University of Delaware

- Advanced Quantitative Methods (Econometrics) (Ph.D./MA/MPA)
- Financial Management in Public & Nonprofit Sectors (MPA)
- Capstone Project in Public Management and Policy (MPA)
- Public and Nonprofit Administration (BA)

New York University

- Seminar in Public Finance and Financial Management (Ph.D.)
- Financial Management for Public, Nonprofit, & Health Organizations (MPA/EMPA/MUP)
- Government Budgeting (MPA)
- Multiple Regression and Econometrics (MPA)
- Statistical Methods for Public, Nonprofit, & Health Management (MPA/MUP)

Rutgers University–Newark

- Analytical Methods (MPA)
- Government Budgeting Systems (MPA)
- Public Financial Management (MPA)
- Quantitative Methods II (Econometrics) (Ph.D.)

INVITED PRESENTATIONS

University of Central Florida, 17 th Annual Public Administration Conference (Keynote address)	2023
American University, School of Public Affairs	2019
George Washington University, Trachtenberg School of Public Policy & Public Administration	2018
Indiana University, School of Public and Environmental Affairs (SPEA)	2015
McGill University/University of Montreal European Union Center of Excellence and CIRANO	2013

INVITED PRESENTATIONS CONT'D

Texas A&M University, Bush School of Government and Public Service	2013
University of Kentucky, Martin School of Public Policy & Administration	2013
University of North Carolina, School of Government	2013
University of Washington, Evans School of Public Affairs	2013
German Research Institute for Public Administration (co-sponsored by Indiana University SPEA)	2012
Arizona State University, School of Public Affairs	2011
The University of Georgia, Department of Public Administration and Policy (Inaugural Del Dunn Lecture)	2011

KEY COMMITTEE SERVICE**University of Delaware**

- University Research Council, 2021–
- Co-Chair, Dean (Biden School) Search Committee, 2022
- University Strategic Planning Task Force, Intellectual and Physical Capital Committee, 2021

University of Delaware, Biden School

- Chair, Domestic Policy Faculty Search Committee, 2018-19
- Co-Chair, Domestic Policy Faculty Search Committee, 2017-18

New York University

- Provost Search Committee, 2015-16
- Tenured/Tenure-Track Faculty Senators Council Committees*
 - Faculty Benefits & Housing Committee, 2015-16
 - Senate Financial Affairs Committee, 2014-16
 - Senate Financial Affairs Committee Divestment Working Group, 2014-16

*Other than those listed under “Faculty Leadership” above.

- University Graduate Program Committee, 2014-15
- Dean (Wagner School) Search Committee, 2012-13

New York University, Wagner School

- Dean’s Faculty Advisory Committee (elected), 2014-16
- Faculty Budget and Oversight Committee, 2009-16 (Chair, 2014-16)
- Chair, Clinical Finance Search Committee, 2015
- Associate Dean Search Committee, 2013-14
- Chair, NYU Wagner ABFM Conference Host Committee, 2011-12
- Co-Chair, Financial Management Faculty Search Committee, 2011-12

SELECTED HONORS & AWARDS

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- Faculty Member of the Year, National Residence Hall Honorary, New York University Chapter, 2012
 - Goddard Junior Faculty Fellowship, New York University, 2011
 - Professor of the Year, Robert F. Wagner Graduate School of Public Service, New York University, 2011
 - Distinguished Alumni Award, School of Public Policy and Administration, University of Delaware, 2008
 - Pi Alpha Alpha National Honor Society of Public Affairs and Administration, 2004
 - Phi Beta Kappa, 2002
 - George A. Johnson Award for Academic Excellence, University of Delaware, 2002
(For highest GPA of a graduating African American senior in the College of Arts & Sciences)
 - Pi Sigma Alpha Political Science National Honor Society, 2001
 - The Honor Society of Phi Kappa Phi, 2001

DISSERTATION COMMITTEES

Anubhav (Anu) Gupta (Assistant Professor, National Singapore University)
 Michah Rothbart (Assistant Professor, Syracuse University)