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OTHER POSITIONS HELD

Assistant Professor of Economics, Bradley University, 2007–2011
Gene Edwards Professor of Banking, West Texas A&M University, 2006–2007
Associate Professor of Economics, West Texas A&M University, 2006–2007
Associate Director of the MSFE Program, West Texas A&M University, 2004–2007
Assistant Professor of Economics, West Texas A&M University, 2000–2006
Graduate Teaching Assistant, Department of Economics, University of Nebraska, 1997–2000
Graduate Research Assistant, Department of Economics, University of Nebraska, 1995–1997
Registered Representative, Prudential Investments, Omaha, NE, 1994–1995

EDUCATION

Ph.D. Economics, August 2000, University of Nebraska
Dissertation: Dynamic Gains from Trade: Does it Matter What is Imported?
Advisor: Hendrik Van den Berg
M.A. Economics, May 1999, University of Nebraska
B.A. Economics and Business Administration, May 1995, Augustana College (SD)
Post-Doctoral Seminar, July 2001, The Art and Craft of Discussion Leadership, Harvard University

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25. Lewer, Joshua J. and Hendrik Van den Berg (2007) "Estimating the Institutional and Network Effects of Religious Cultures on International Trade," *Kyklos*, Vol. 60(2), pp. 255-277.
24. Lewer, Joshua J. and Hendrik Van den Berg (2007) "Religion and International Trade: Does the Sharing of Religious Beliefs Create Trade-Enhancing Networks?" *The American Journal of Economics and Sociology*, Vol. 66(4), pp. 765-794.
23. Lewer, Joshua J. and Mariana Sáenz (2007) "Growth Determinants for Colombia: Panel Data Evidence, 1964-2002," *Journal of Economics and Economic Education Research*, Vol. 8(1), pp. 105-112.
22. Lewer, Joshua J., R. Nicholas Gerlich and Terry Pearson (2006) "Market Segmentation for Online Courses in the College of Business," *Academy of Marketing Studies Journal*, Vol. 10(2), pp. 95-106
21. Lewer, Joshua J. (2006) "The Impact of Immigration on Bi-Lateral Trade: OECD Results from 1991-2000," *Southwestern Economic Review*, Vol. 33(1), pp. 9-22.
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12. Lewer, Joshua J. and Neil Terry (2003) "Capital Account and Foreign Direct Investment Policies in the Late Nineties: What Effect on Trade?" *ASEAN Economic Bulletin*, Vol. 20(3), pp. 256-271.
11. Lewer, Joshua J. and Hendrik Van den Berg (2003) "How Large is International Trade's Effect on Economic Growth?" *Journal of Economic Surveys*, Vol. 17(3), pp. 363-396.
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8. Lewer, Joshua J. and Neil Terry (2003) "The Trade-Creating Effects of Capital Mobility: Recent Evidence from Latin America," *Southwestern Economic Review*, Vol. 30(1), pp. 79-89.
7. Lewer, Joshua J. and Neil Terry (2003) "The Trade Effects of Financial Flow Liberalization: A Focus on Africa," *Journal of International Business Research*, Vol. 2(1), pp. 1-12.
6. Lewer, Joshua J. and Hendrik Van den Berg (2003) "Does Trade Composition Matter for Medium-Run Growth? Time-Series Evidence for 28 Countries," *Journal of International Trade and Economic Development*, Vol. 12(1), pp. 39-96.
5. Lewer, Joshua J. and Neil Terry (2003) "The Trade-Creating Effects of Capital Flow Liberalization," *International Advances in Economic Research*, Vol. 9(1), pp. 85.
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25. Highfill, Jannett, Raymond Wojcikewych, and Joshua Lewer (2008) "What Students of the Global Economy Should Know About Chinese Capital Flows: More Questions than Answers," *International Trade and Finance Association Conference Papers*, (<http://services.bepress.com/itfa/>). Presentation: International Trade and Finance Association, Lisbon Portugal, May.
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16. Bodvarsson, Örn B., Hendrik Van den Berg and Joshua Lewer (2006) "Are Estimates of Immigration's Effects on Native Workers Biased? A Reexamination of the Mariel Boatlift," *Proceedings from the Society of Labor Economists 11th Annual Meeting*, Vol.

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 11. Gerlich, R. Nicholas, Terry Pearson and Joshua J. Lewer (2004) "Undergraduate Online Course Strategy Development for the College of Business," *2004 International Business & Economic Research Conference Proceedings*, CD pp. 1-15. Presentation: International Business & Economic Research Conference, Las Vegas, NV, October.
 10. Lewer, Joshua J. (2004) "Entrepreneurship, Creative Destruction, and Technological Progress," *Proceedings of the Academy for Entrepreneurship*, Vol. 6(2), pp. 52-53. Presentation: Allied Academies International Internet Conference: Academy for Entrepreneurship, July.
 9. Lewer, Joshua J. (2004) "Estimating Productivity in Latin America: 1970-1980," *Proceedings of the Academy for Economics and Economic Education*, Vol. 6(2), pp. 71-72. Presentation: Allied Academies International Internet Conference: Academy for Economics and Economic Education, July.
 8. Lewer, Joshua J. (2004) "On the Effect of Dominant Religion on Trade," *Proceedings of the Academy for Economics and Economic Education*, Vol. 6(2), pp. 73-75. Presentation: Allied Academies International Internet Conference: Academy for Economics and Economic Education, July.
 7. Lewer, Joshua J. and Neil Terry (2003) "Does Financial Freedom Harm or Promote Trade in the Americas?" *Free Trade in the Americas 2003 Conference Proceedings*, Vol. 8(1), pp. 184-204. Presentation: Free Trade in the America's 8th Annual Conference, Center for the Study of Western Hemispheric Trade, Laredo, TX, April.
 6. Lewer, Joshua J. and Neil Terry (2003) "The Impact of Capital Flow Liberalization on Trade in the European Emerging Markets," *Southwest Review of International Business Research*, Vol. 14(1), pp. 55-60. Presentation: Federation of Business Disciplines: Academy of International Business, Houston, TX, March.
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4. Lewer, Joshua J. and Neil Terry (2002) "The Determinants of Bilateral Trade in Africa," *Proceedings of the Academy for Studies in International Business*, Vol. 2(2), pp. 27. Presentation: Allied Academies International Conference: Academy for Studies in International Business, Las Vegas, NV, October.
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29. Bonham, Steven and Joshua J. Lewer (2010) "U.S. Debt and the Impact of Austerity Programs" Missouri Valley Economics Association, St. Louis, MO, October.
28. Lewer, Joshua J. (2010) "Reexamining the Trade-Growth Relationship" Missouri Valley Economics Association, St. Louis, MO, October.
27. Lewer, Joshua J. (2010) "How Robust is the Openness-Growth Relationship? Some Empirical Evidence," International Trade and Finance Association International Conference, Las Vegas, NV, May.
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25. Hangartner, Michael K. and Joshua J. Lewer (2009) "Sustainable Development: Model and Test," Southwestern Society of Economists, Oklahoma City, OK, February.
24. Gretz, Richard T., Joshua J. Lewer and Robert C. Scott (2008) "R&D, Risk and Subsidies," Missouri Valley Economics Association, St. Louis, MO, October.
23. Franquemont, Martha and Joshua J. Lewer (2008) "Microfinance: Changing the Face of Sustainable Development," Missouri Valley Economics Association, St. Louis, MO, October.
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13. Lewer, Joshua J. and Jeff Chiang (2006) "The Globalization Game: Examining the Three Areas of Globalization," Southwestern Society of Economists, Oklahoma City, OK, March.
12. Lewer, Joshua J. (2006) "The Impact of Immigration on Bilateral Trade: OECD Results form 1991-2000," Southwestern Society of Economists, Oklahoma City, OK, March.
11. Lewer, Joshua J. and Hendrik Van den Berg (2005) "The Relationship between Immigration and International Trade," Western Economic Association International, San Francisco, CA, July.
10. Lewer, Joshua J. and Mariana Sáenz (2005) "A Global Test of Hernando De Soto's Hypothesis," Southwestern Society of Economists, Dallas, TX, March.
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60. National Public Radio, Comment on the U.S. – Colombia Free Trade Agreement, May 15, 2012.
59. Caterpillar, Drivetrain Systems Business Unit, “External Economic Influences on Caterpillar Performance,” Mossville, IL, March 23, 2012.
58. Pekin Community Bank’s Evening for Business Leaders, “The Economy in Uncertain Times,” Pekin Country Club, October 3, 2011
57. CBER, “The Economy in Uncertain Times,” September 20, 2011.
56. Executive Development Center at Bradley University, “Debt and the Economics of Austerity,” Student Center Ballroom, September 7, 2011.
55. CEO Roundtable, “Life after QE2,” SBSI Semonis, Thursday, June 16, 2011.
54. The Heartland Partnership, “Life after QE2,” The Heartland Partnership, Tuesday, April 19, 2011.
53. Economics Club at Bradley University, “Tax Policy and the Recovery,” Foster College of Business Administration, Wednesday, November 16, 2010.
52. Central Illinois Estate Planning Council, “Tax Policy and the Recovery,” Hotel Pere Marquette, Wednesday, November 17, October 19, 2010.
51. MBA Association, “Tax Policy and the Recovery,” Foster College of Business Administration, Thursday, October 19, 2010.
50. CBER, “Tax Policy and the Recovery,” October 14, 2010.
49. Executive Development Center at Bradley University, “The Road Ahead: An Update on the Economy” Baker Hall 52, September 28, 2010.
48. Patterson School of Diplomacy and International Commerce, University of Kentucky, “Deglobalization,” (with Evan Hillenbrand and Janice Zagardo), September 15, 2010.
47. Society of Financial Services Professionals, Central Illinois Chapter Mini-Institute, “National and Global Economic Recovery,” Par-A-Dice Riverboat Casino Hotel, April 23, 2010.
46. Bradley University Investment Organization’s ‘Financial Awareness Week,’ “Economic Recovery,” Baker 51, April 5, 2010.
45. Illinois Economic Education Workshop for Clergy, (Bradley’s Center for Economic Education) “The Road Ahead: An Update on the Economy,” Weaver Ridge Golf Course, March 11, 2010.
44. MBA Association, “The Road Ahead: An Update on the Economy,” Foster College of Business Administration, Baker 51, Thursday, December 3, 2010.

43. CEO Roundtable/Heartland Partnership, "The Road Ahead: An Update on the Economy," Heartland Partnership, November 19, 2009.
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36. WMBD, The Greg and Dan Show "The Great Recession and Economic Recovery," Tuesday, October 21, 2009. Web-site: (http://jmpradio.com/pods/gd/Podcast1019/POD_3_102109.mp3).
35. Heartland Partnership Podcast/Vast, "When Will We See Job Growth?" October 20, 2009. Web-Site: (<http://heartlandpartnership.org/content/when-will-we-see-job-growth>).
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33. CBER, "An Update on the Economy," September 9, 2009.
32. Caterpillar, T&SD (Technology Division), "The Great Recession: A CAT Perspective," Mossville, IL, June 17, 2009.
31. Heartland Partnership Podcast/Vast, "An Update on the National Economic Picture," June 10, 2009. Web-Site: (<http://www.edc.centralillinois.org/news/economic-climate-where-do-we-stand-now>), (www.peoriachamber.org/goto/EconClimate09StatusUpdate), and (<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=oX4AnHzZFw>).
30. Illinois CPA Society, "National Economic Environment," Best Western Ashland House – Morton, May 27, 2009.
29. Executive Development Center at Bradley University, "The Great Recession" Michel Student Center Ballroom, May 12, 2009. Web-site: (<http://www.pjstar.com/homepage/x1393572960/Recession-ending-later-this-year-BU-professors-say>).
28. Illinois Cooperative Education and Internship Association (ICEIA), "The Great Recession," Micheal Student Center Ballroom, April 30, 2009.
27. Experience Bradley, "Business in the Great Recession," Bradley University, April 17, 2009.
26. Experience Bradley, "Business in the Great Recession," Bradley University, April 3, 2009.
25. Experience Bradley, "Business in the Great Recession," Bradley University, March 27, 2009.
24. Illinois Economic Education Workshop for Clergy, (Bradley's Center for Economic Education) "The Great Recession," Weaver Ridge Golf Course, March 26, 2009.
23. MBA Association, "The Great Recession," Foster College of Business Administration, Baker 51, Wednesday, March 4, 2009.
22. Merrill Lynch, "The Great Recession," Mitchell-Miller Group, Mount Hawley Country Club, Thursday, February 19, 2009.

21. WMBD, The Greg and Dan Show “The Economic Impact of Building the Block,” Tuesday, February 17, 2009. Web-site: (<http://1470wmbd.com/Greg-And-Dan-Audio-Archives/395361>).
20. Sustainable Business Superiority, “The Great Recession,” (Robert C. Scott and Richard T. Gretz presented materials) Tekes: The Finnish Funding Agency for Technology and Innovation, Finlandia house, Mannerheimintie 13, Helsinki Finland, Thursday, February 12, 2009.
19. Executive Development Center, “The Great Recession with Audio,” Foster College of Business Administration’s Executive Development Web-site: (<http://www.bradley.edu/fcba/edc/index.shtml>), February, 5 2009. (http://campaign.constantcontact.com/render?v=0010eqyr2Z4Ftg2VxNszFEf2j9NbJuZijuwS_u5O_qlS9yujQB8a80KopTfbCt4GGcxqgFR-qIBcc7g7twsiNT9110CIRiSZCW6DT0HLwDB8KI%3D), June 18, 2009.
18. CEO Roundtable, “The Economic Impact of Building the Block,” Heartland Partnership, February, 5 2009.
17. Beta Alpha Psi Accounting Society, “The Great Recession,” Foster College of Business Administration, February 5, 2009.
16. “The Economic Impact of Building the Block,” AFL-CIO Labor Temple, Peoria, February 4, 2009. Most local TV and radio news channels covered the event.
15. Channel 19 (HOI News), “Update on the Economy” January 30, 2009, 5:00, 6:00 and 10:00pm.
14. WGLT Radio (89.1AM Bloomington/Normal and 103.5FM Peoria), “An Update on the Economy and Retail Sector,” interviewed by Jim Brown, January 14, 2009.
13. Heartland Partnership Podcast/Vast, “National Economy, Retail, and the Financial Sector: Update,” December 17, 2008.
12. Peoria Chamber of Commerce, “Peoria and the Financial Crisis of 2008 (with Bob Scott),” December 10, 2008.
11. Channel 25 (NBC WEEK News), “The Financial Crisis of 2008” December 8, 2008, 10:00pm.
10. Robert T. Stevenson/National City Bank Lecture Series, “The Financial Crisis of 2008” (with Bob Scott), Bradley University Student Center Ballroom, December 8, 2008. Podcast online at: (<http://www.peoriachamber.org/goto/EconomicClimate09>).
9. Channel 25 (NBC WEEK News), “The Local Economy and the Importance of the Stevenson/National City Bank Lecture,” December 5, 2008, 10:00pm.
8. Illinois Wesleyan University, “The Financial Crisis of 2008,” November 12, 2008.
7. Peoria Metro New Car Dealers Association Credit Awareness Meeting (Heartland Partnership), “Peoria and the Financial Crisis of 2008,” November 12, 2008.
6. Peoria Economic Development Council, “Peoria and The Financial Crisis of 2008” (with Bob Scott), November 12, 2008.
5. Heartland Partnership Group, “The Financial Crisis of 2008,” October 17, 2008.
4. CBER, “The U.S. Financial Situation and the Bailout: How Concerned Should We Be?” (with Bradley’s Economics Department), October 9, 2008.
3. CBER, “R&D, Risk, and Subsidies,” (with Richard T. Gretz and Robert C. Scott), March 11, 2008.
2. CBER, “The Effects of Religious Adherence and Intensity on Illegal Media File Sharing,” (with R. Nicholas Gerlich and Doyle Lucas), February 6, 2008.

1. CBER, "Immigration Gravitas: Explaining European Immigration Patterns with the Gravity Model" (with Richard T. Gretz), November 15, 2007.

RESEARCH IN PROGRESS

9. Lewer, Joshua J. and Hendrik Van den Berg *Immigration and Economic Growth*, manuscript in development.
8. Lewer, Joshua J. and Richard T. Gretz "Can Gravity Explain Immigration Patterns to Europe? Some Empirical Evidence," currently under review at *Empirica*.
7. Weinstein, Bob, Lewer, Joshua J. and Van Gray "Implications of the Theory of Constraints for Macroeconomic Policy Effectiveness."
6. Pacheco, Gail, Lewer, Joshua J. and Stephanié Rossouw "Immigration Patterns and Non-Economic Quality of Life Comparisons in the United States."
5. Weinstein, Bob, Lewer, Joshua J. and Van Gray "A Historical Review of U.S. Immigration Policy: A Theory of Constraints Approach."
4. Lewer, Joshua J. "The Impact of Immigration in the Midwest: The Case of Cass County, Illinois."
3. Lewer, Joshua J. "The Impact of Immigration on Communities in the Rural Texas Panhandle"
2. Lewer, Joshua J. and Richard T. Gretz "Migration Effects in the Virtual World: Second Life"
1. Lewer, Joshua J. "The Channels Through which Immigration Effects Growth"

RESEARCH GRANTS

8. "Online Course Development Grant," Bradley University, summer 2009.
7. "Illinois River Sewer Runoff: CSO Compliance," (with Robert C. Scott and Kevin O'Brien), spring 2009.
6. "Market Potential: Municipal Solid Waste Solutions," (with Robert C. Scott, Janice Zigardo, and Richard T. Gretz), spring 2008.
5. "The Economic and Social Effects of Religion," West Texas A&M University, Research Enhancement Grant, 2005.
4. "The Impact of Immigration on Communities in the Texas Panhandle," Killgore Research Grant, 2004.
3. "Online Course Development Grant," West Texas A&M University, 2004.
2. "Cancer Care and Cost Benefit Issues: A Case Study of Urban and Rural Communities in the Texas Panhandle," (with Paula Toland), Killgore Research Grant, 2001.
1. "West Texas A&M University Faculty Development Grant," 2001.

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Editorial Boards:

- Editorial Advisory Board: *Global Economy Journal*, 2007 – present
- Assistant Editor: *The Journal of Economics*, 2007 – present
- Editorial Board: *Southwestern Economic Review*, 2012-present

Referee:

The American Journal of Economics and Sociology, Asian-Pacific Development Journal, Empirica, Global Economy Journal, International Review of Applied Economics, International Review of Economics and Finance, The International Trade Journal, Journal of Economic Surveys, Journal of African Economies, The Journal of Economics, The Journal of Population Economics, Midwestern Business and Economic Review, Review of International Economics, Review of World Economics, Southwestern Economic Review, Southwestern Journal of Economics, World Development

Book Reviews:

Barro, Robert (2007) *Macroeconomics: A Modern Approach*, Thompson/South-Western.
 Holcombe, Randall (2005) *Public Finance: A Public Choice Approach*, Prentice Hall.
 Boyes, William and Michael Melvin (2004) *Economics*, Sixth Edition, Houghton-Mifflin.
 Frank, Robert and Benjamin S. Bernanke (2003) *Principles of Macroeconomics*, Second Edition, McGraw-Hill/Irwin.
 Van den Berg, Hendrik (2003) *International Economics*, McGraw-Hill/Irwin.
 Van den Berg, Hendrik (2001) *Economic Growth and Development*, McGraw- Hill/Irwin.

Session Chair:

Various meetings, 2001 - present

Session Discussant:

Various meetings, 2000 - present

HONORS

Who's Who in America, 2010.
 McGraw-Hill/Irwin Distinguished Paper Award, Southwestern Society of Economists, 2009.
 Bradley University, First Year Faculty Award, 2008.
 Bradley University, Parents Association Award of Excellence, 2008.
 Who's Who Among American Teachers and Educators, 2007 and 2008.
 West Texas A&M University, Provost Appreciation Award, 2006.
 West Texas A&M University, Student-Athlete Advisory Board Faculty Recognition, 2003, 2006.
 West Texas A&M University, Research Excellence Award, 2005.
 Allied Academies, Outstanding Paper in Economics, "The Impact of Dominant Religion on International Trade," 2004.
 West Texas A&M University, Honors Faculty Member, 2002-2007.
 University of Nebraska, Department of Economics, Bingham Fellowship, 1999.
 University of Nebraska, Department of Economics, Excellence in Teaching by a Graduate Student, 1998, 1999.

TEACHING ASSIGNMENTSUndergraduate and Graduate Courses:

ECO 221: Principles of Microeconomics
 ECO 222: Principles of Macroeconomics
 ECO 333: Intermediate Macroeconomic Theory
 ECO 400: Economics Colloquium for Seniors
 ECO 608: U.S. Business Cycles in the International Economy

Executive Development Courses:

Teresa S. Falcon Executive MBA
 BUS 625: External Economic Environment
 BUS 645: Acquiring Capital
 BUS 647: Global Environment and Issues

Powering Up (Caterpillar Inc.)
 Macroeconomic Analysis
 Economic Growth and the Global Environment

Non-Credit Courses:

Osher Lifelong Learning Institute
 Globalization and the New Economy” Spring 2010, 2011

UNIVERSITY SERVICE

University:

University Senate
 University Arbitration Board
 Student Expo Steering Committee
 Admissions, Freshman Orientation
 OTEFD, Mentorship Director, New Faculty Mentorship Committee
 OTEFD, Innovative Teaching Panel, (TEC) Grant review panel

Foster College of Business Administration:

EMBA Implementation Committee, Fall 2011 to present.
 Powering Up Implementation Committee, Fall 2011 to present
 Committee to Evaluate Dean Rob Baer, Fall 2010 to Spring 2011.
 FCBA Student Recruitment, Student Center Ballroom, November 8, 2010.
 Assurance of Learning (AOL) Committee, Fall 2010 to Summer 2011.
 Management for the 21st Century Global Implementation Committee, Fall 2010 to 2011.
 Undergraduate Curriculum Committee, Fall 2009 to present.
 AACSB Assurance of Learning Evaluator, May 2008.

Department of Economics:

Economic Fair Judge, Center for Economic Education, Washington School for the Gifted,
 2010-2012.

Illinois Economics Education, Poster contest co-coordinator, September 2010 to present.
 Illinois Economics Education, Poster contest judge, January 21, 2008-present.
 10th Annual Major & Minors Fair, Department Representative, Michel Student Center
 ballroom, October 20, 2008.
 Robin C. Linstromberg Award Judge, April 2008.

Community:

Heartland Partnership, Economic Consultant, Fall 2008 to present
 South Side Mission, Jobs Partnership Program, Instructor, Fall 2008 to present.
 Washington School for the Gifted, "Peoria Issues Project," May 18, 2009.
 Redeemer Lutheran Church, Elder and Sunday School Teacher.
 Build the Block: Peoria Riverfront Museum, Economic Impact Committee, October 2008
 to April 2009.

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

American Economic Association
 Association of Christian Economists
 European Association of Labor Economists
 International Trade and Finance Association
 Missouri Valley Economics Association
Omicron Delta Epsilon Economic Honor Society
 Southwestern Society of Economists
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