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Undergraduate Studies:

BSc, Economics, University of Bristol, first class honours, 2003

Graduate Studies:

MSc, Economics and Econometrics, University of Bristol, with distinction, 2004

PhD, Education, University of Bristol, 2005 - 2008

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References:

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Teaching and Research Fields:

Primary fields: Applied Microeconometrics, Economics of Education, Multilevel Modelling
Secondary fields: Health Economics

Teaching Experience:

October 2008 2-Day Training Course on: Multilevel Modelling, Royal Statistical Society, London, Course Instructor with Professor Harvey Goldstein
2007 – 2008 Stata for Economics PhD Research Students, University of Bristol, Course Instructor
2005 – 2008 MSc Introduction to Microeconomic methods, University of Bristol, Teaching Assistant for Professor Fabien Postel-Vinay
2005 – 2008 MSc Quantitative Methods in Economics, University of Bristol, Teaching Assistant for Dr Suro Sahay and Professor Frank Windmeijer
December 2007 Multilevel Analysis, Katholieke Universiteit Brussel, Teaching Assistant for Professor Kelvyn Jones
June 2007 Multilevel Analysis: Practical Applications, Essex Summer School, University of Essex, Teaching Assistant for Professor Kelvyn Jones

Research Experience and Other Employment:

2008 – 2009 Visiting Fellow, VU University Amsterdam (six months)
2008 – 2009 Centre for Market and Public Organisation (CMPO), Department of Economics, University of Bristol, Research Assistant (FT)
2005 – to present Centre for Multilevel Modelling (CMM), Graduate School of Education, University of Bristol, Research Assistant (PT)
2004 – 2005 Centre for Market and Public Organisation (CMPO), Department of Economics, University of Bristol, Research Assistant (FT)

Consultancy work

Higher Education Academy (HEA), King's College London, National Assessment Agency (NAA)

Professional Activities - Seminars:

October 2008: The Avon Local Group of the Royal Statistical Society, Bristol; June 2008: 3rd ESRC Research Methods Festival, Oxford; December 2007: Royal Statistical Society, London; September 2007: 16th European Workshop on Econometrics and Health Economics, Bergen; January 2007: PLASC User Group (PLUG), University of Bristol; January 2007: National Centre for Research Methods (NCRM), University of Manchester; November 2006: Association for Educational Assessment (AEA) - Europe Conference, Naples; March 2006: CMPO Seminar Series, Department of Economics, University of Bristol

Professional Activities – Referee Reports:

Health Economics, Journal of Economic Geography,
Journal of the Royal Statistical Society: Series A

Honours, Scholarships, and Fellowships:

2005 – 2008 ESRC Postgraduate Studentship
2003 Miles Fleming Prize in Economics
2002 Barclays Capital Mathematics Award

Publications:

Leckie, G. (2009) The complexity of school and neighbourhood effects and movements of pupils on school differences in models of educational achievement. *Journal of the Royal Statistical Society: Series A*, forthcoming.

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Propper, C., Burgess, S., Bolster, A., Leckie, G., Jones, K. and Johnston, R. (2007) The Impact of Neighbourhood on the Income and Mental Health of British Social Renters. *Urban Studies*, 44, 393-415.

Propper, C., Damiani, M., Leckie, G. and Dixon, J. (2007) Impact of patients' socioeconomic status on the distance travelled for hospital admission in the English National Health Service. *Journal of Health Services Research & Policy*, 12, 153-159.

Conference Papers and Reports:

Fielding, A., Charlton, C., Kounali, D. and Leckie, G. (2008) Degree attainment, ethnicity and gender: Interactions and the modification of effects - A quantitative analysis.

Ferrao, M., Leckie, G. and Goldstein, H. (2007) Measurement error in random coefficient multilevel models: an application to PLASC data. *56th Session of the ISI International Statistical Institute*. Lisboa.