

Robert Graboyes: Writings and activities, 1983-2013

NFIB Healthcare Bulletin: Periodic email blasts

13/06/27	Aggregation Aggravation
13/04/22	SHOP Chopped: Opt Dropped
13/02/21	End the Employer Mandate Now
12/12/20	Will PPACA Self/repeal?
12/10/16	PPACA for Employees: The Good the Bad and the Ugly
12/08/22	Small Business under PPACA: Behind the Eight/ball
12/06/20	The Day After: Health Care Reform after NFIB v Sebelius
12/05/31	Self/insurance and Small Business
12/04/03	Health Care Law Blues: They Hear That Train a-Comin'
12/02/24	Cashews on the Hindenburg
11/11/28	PPACA's Pyroclastic Plume
11/09/28	PPACA: Five Layers of Uncertainty
11/08/09	PPACA and the Jobless Recovery
11/06/14	The HIT Hit: PPACA's Health Insurance Tax
11/05/03	Essential Health Benefits: The Secretary's Joystick
11/04/03	The Incredible Shrinking Small Business Tax Credit
11/03/09	Small Business in Waiver World
11/01/06	Caught in the Middle (Douglas Holtz-Eakin, co/author)
10/10/20	No sales tax on home sales, BUT ...
10/10/04	Costs and the Law that Shall Not Be Named
10/08/31	1099 Collation Calamity
10/07/07	Premium Credits + Free Rider Provision = Mystery Tax
10/05/25	Healthcare Law vs. Employee Privacy
10/05/13	Small Business Tax Credit: Less Than Meets the Eye
10/04/19	The Majestic Equality of the Healthcare Law
10/03/18	To Congress: Three Proverbs for Healthcare Reform
09/10/15	Health Insurance Exchanges
09/08/19	Healthcare Reform and Wages
09/07/24	The Problem with Prevention
09/07/14	Healthcare lesson from Massachusetts: Deal with costs from Day One

Altarum Blogs: Columns written for the Altarum Institute's Health Policy Forum

12/08/21	Small Business Under PPACA: Behind the Eight-ball
12/06/19	The Day After: Health Care Reform After NFIB v Sebelius

12/04/03 Health Care Law Blues: They Hear That Train a-Comin'
 12/02/16 Cashews on the Hindenburg
 11/12/20 Small Business and Exchanges: SHOP Till You Drop
 11/10/11 Health Care Law Subsidies: A Tale of Two Cities
 11/08/09 PPACA and the Jobless Recovery
 11/06/14 HIT Hit: (PPACA's Health Insurance Tax)
 11/05/03 Essential Health Benefits: The Secretary's Joystick
 11/02/08 Small Business Health Care Wish List: Repeal and Replace
 10/04/27 Health Reform / New Burdens for Small Business

CribSheets: Summaries of Small Business Issues

12/09/28 #12/17 PPACA: A Healthcare Law Guide for Employees
 12/09/08 #12/16 Small Business Tax Rates and Tax Complexity
 12/08/24 #12/15 PPACA: Medicare Wage/Salary and Investment Tax
 12/09/21 #12/14 Healthcare Solutions: Interstate Insurance Markets
 12/09/21 #12/13 Healthcare Solutions: Portability
 12/08/10 #12/12 Healthcare Solutions: Tax Parity for Insurance
 12/08/10 #12/11 Healthcare Solutions: Defined Contribution Plans
 12/08/10 #12/10 Healthcare Solutions: Malpractice Reform
 12/07/27 #12/9 Fiscal Cliff 2013 (before the deal)
 12/07/27 #12/8 PPACA Timeline
 12/07/13 #12/7 PPACA: Employer Mandate Penalty Calculations
 12/07/08 #12/6 NFIB Healthcare Solutions
 12/06/22 #12/5 IRS Form 1099
 12/03/15 #12/4 PPACA: Problems for Small Business
 12/02/29 #12/3 PPACA's Health Insurance Tax (HIT)
 12/02/15 #12/2 PPACA: The Individual Mandate Tax
 12/01/15 #12/1 EPA: Lead Renovation, Repair and Painting Program
 11/12/01 #11/2 PPACA: Small Business Health Insurance Tax Credit
 11/11/15 #11/1 PPACA: Employer Mandate Penalties

Miscellaneous writings, speeches, long interviews

12/02 CoBank Interview (cobank.com)
 10/12/01 Job Stagnation: Lost Years' Legacy Urban Institute speech (Urban Institute speech)
 09/07/20 Healthcare Reform and Small Business (National Conference of State Legislatures speech)
 09/06/23 Healthcare and Small Business: Problems and Fixes (National Economists Club speech)

09/05/28 Small Business and Healthcare Reform (American Benefits Council speech)
08/2007 Robb Mandelbaum interview (inc.com)

Washington Post: Healthcare Rx blog

10/03/31 Not an ending, only a beginning
10/03/19 It will ravage small business
10/03/11 The cash cows' beef
10/02/24 Peggy Lee sings health care
10/01/21 Retreat, rethink, return to principles
10/01/14 Beware. Destination unknown
09/01/07 A kick in the teeth
09/12/15 Doughnuts in the parking lot
09/12/21 Disaster turns to disgrace
09/11/30 With a huge pen and sharp scissors
09/11/18 Not Lucy Ricardo, but not Godot
09/11/03 Start with a smaller burger
09/10/29 Not enough, and yet too much
09/10/22 Westminster health-care show
09/10/07 Killer Tax on Low-Income Workers? No!
09/09/17 Malpractice Matters
09/08/07 Umpire or Play Ball, Not Both
09/07/29 Amending Marshal Lyautey
09/07/24 Rein Costs In or They'll Rein Us In
09/07/16 Only If You Like Killing Jobs
09/07/02 Innovation, Timeliness, Choice, Quality
09/06/16 Message to Obama from Small Businesses

Peer-reviewed Paper Published

2004 "Comment Dit-On «Standard Deviation»? : An Effortless Business-Language Curriculum"
Global Business Languages

Unpublished paper

Graboyes, R, Hanson, R, and Monks, J. "Choosing health versus wealth: a laboratory survey."

Technical papers published by the Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond

2000-08 "Our Money or Your Life: Indemnities vs. Deductibles in Health Insurance" Federal Reserve

- Bank of Richmond Working Paper
- 2000-08 "Getting Better, Feeling Worse: Cure Rates, Health Insurance, and Welfare" Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond Working Papers
- 2000-08 "Medicine Worse than the Malady: Cure Rates, Population Shifts, and Health Insurance" Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond Working Papers
- 1994-F "Medical Care Price Indexes" Economic Quarterly, Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond
- 1991-09 "International Trade and Payments Data" Economic Review, Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond
- 1990-07 "The EMU: Forerunners and Durability" Economic Review, Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond, July/August 1990. English, French, and German adaptations published by the Centre International de Formation Européenne
- 1990-08 "A Yankee Recipe for a EuroFed Omelet" Wall Street Journal/Europe, August 1, 1990. Reprinted in Economic Review, Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond, July/August 1990. Reprinted in Central Banking
- 1990 "Wicksell's Monetary Framework and Dynamic Stability" (co-author, Thomas M. Humphrey); Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond Working Papers

Book Chapters

- 1995/96 "Derivatives Made E-Z" Readings on Financial Institutions and Markets, 1995-1996 Edition (Irwin), Peter S. Rose, ed.
- 1994 "Security (not guns) and Butter" in Economics 93/94, ed. Don Cole, Dushkin Publishing Group; Guilford, CT

Other Writings

- 2011-01 "Does Healthcare Reform Help U.S. Business?" Council on Foreign Relations expert panel
- 2011-01 "New 'Medicare' Taxes To Hit Middle Class," co-authored with Douglas Holtz-Eakin, *Investor's Business Daily*
- 2006-12 "Asian Texas: Borat Misrepresents the Real Kazakhstan," Richmond Times-Dispatch
- 2006-10 "A Wealth of Trouble" (a financial derivatives approach to fighting obesity), forbes.com
- 2005-04 Book Review: Lives at Risk: Single-Payer National Health Insurance Around the World, by John C. Goodman, Gerald L. Musgrave, and Devon M. Herrick. Reviewed in Business Economics
- 2001/02 "Why We Want What We Want" Equilibria #7, Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond
- 2001/02 "... And Why What We Want Bugs Economists" Equilibria #7, Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond
- 2001/02 "Why Vote? (Alex Rothenberg, co-author)" Equilibria #7, Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond
- 1998/99 "You Paid How Much for that Seat?" Equilibria #6, Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond
- 1998/99 "Cattle Drive Contracts: Economics in Literature" Equilibria #6, Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond
- 1998/99 "Selling Short: Fruit 'n' Finance" Equilibria #6, Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond

- 1998/99 "Seeing Economics at Gallaudet" Equilibria #5, Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond
- 1998/99 "The Economics of Language" Equilibria #5, Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond
- 1998/99 "The Bank at the End of the Universe" Equilibria #5, Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond
- 1998/99 "Physics, Economics, Science" Equilibria #5, Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond
- 1998/99 "Non-sedating Economics: Three Book Reviews" Equilibria #5, Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond
- 1997/98 "The Loneliest Teacher" Equilibria #4, Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond
- 1997/98 "Grandpa's Neighbor" Equilibria #4, Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond
- 1997/98 "George, Mickey, Michael, and Money" Equilibria #4, Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond
- 1997/98 "Experimental Economics: Games Economists Play" Equilibria #4, Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond
- 1997/98 "Rear Windows, Trade Deficits" Equilibria #3, Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond
- 1997/98 "The Free Trade Debate: 221 Years Running" Equilibria #3, Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond
- 1996/97 "Viewer, Puzzler, Pleader, Seer" Equilibria #2, Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond
- 1996/97 "Inflation, Health Care, and Quality" Equilibria #2, Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond,
- 1996/97 "Health Economics: The Physician's Visitor" Equilibria #2, Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond
- 1996/97 "Secondary Effects Matter" Equilibria #1, Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond, 1996/97
- 1996/97 "Does the Fed Drive Interest Rates?" Equilibria #1, Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond, 1996/97
- 1996/97 "Public Choice: The Economics of Government" Equilibria #1, Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond
- 93/Fall "Services Drive Employment but Not Output" Cross Sections, Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond
- 93/Summer "Fifth District Economic Developments in 1992" Cross Sections, Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond
- 93/Spring "Health Care: Rising Costs and Public Policy" Cross Sections, Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond
- 1995 "Los Terremotos Latinos Causan Temblores en Virginia" El Sol de Virginia.
- 1994 "NAFTA, GATT y el Libre Comercio" El Sol de Virginia.
- 1993-05 "Defense Downsizing" Capitol Forum.
- 1990 "Gush, Gush, Sweet Charlotte" Richmond Times-Dispatch.

SELECTED INVITED LECTURES

- 13/04/23 "Obamacare 2014," NFIB Small Business Day, Sacramento, CA.
- 13/03/27 "Health Insurance Exchange Preview," webinar with Covered California leadership.
- 13/03/26 "Obamacare and Compliance," National Automobile Auction Association, webinar.
- 13/03/21 "Obamacare and Small Business," Young Presidents Organization, Missoula, MT.
- 13/03/20 "Obamacare and Small Business," Young Presidents Organization, Bozeman, MT.
- 13/03/19 "Obamacare and Small Business," Young Presidents Organization, Billings, MT.
- 13/03/11 "Part/time America," Heritage Foundation, Washington, DC.

13/02/18 "PPACA Q&A," National Wooden Pallet and Container Association, Orlando, FL.

13/02/13 "Small Business Day," NFIB, Atlanta, GA.

12/12/12 "NFIB Healthcare Law Webinar," Washington, DC.

12/11/12 "Small Business and Healthcare Reform," Randolph/Macon College, Ashland, VA.

12/10/08 "PPACA and Small Business," National Forest Recreation Association, Reno, NV.

12/10/02 "Healthcare Law Update," Farm Equipment Manufacturers Association, Jacksonville, FL.

12/09/13 "Healthcare Law Update," NFIB, Conshohocken, PA.

12/09/12 "Healthcare Law Update," NFIB, Conshohocken, PA.

12/08/28 "Healthcare Reform and Small Business," NFIB Leadership Council, Madison, WI.

12/08/27 "Healthcare Reform and Small Business," NFIB Members, LaCrosse, WI.

12/08/26 "Healthcare Reform and Small Business," Mid-States Distributors, Madison, WI.

13/08/21 "Small Business in America," visiting business group from Yemen, Washington, DC.

12/07/30 "Competition in the Era of PPACA," American Bar Association Antitrust Section, Chicago, IL.

12/06/26 "PPACA at the Supreme Court," Thomas Jefferson Institute for Public Policy, Richmond, VA.

13/06/11 "Small Business in America," visiting business group from Kosovo, Washington, DC.

12/04/15 "Healthcare Law Update," National Air Transportation Association, Washington, DC.

12/04/11 "Small Business in America," visiting business group from Iraq, Washington, DC.

12/03/30 "Health Care Reform and Main Street – The Impact on Small Business," National Association of Specialty Health Organizations, New Orleans, LA.

12/03/30 "Big Muddy for Small Business: The 2010 Healthcare Law and More Mire, Unless...," Professional Administrative Co/Employers (PACE), New Orleans, LA.

12/03/30 "How Is the Healthcare Law Like Lake Pontchartrain?" NFIB/LA, Metairie, LA.

12/03/15 "Small Business Day," NFIB/CO, Denver, CO.

12/02/29 "PPACA and Innovation," Healthcare Delivery Innovation Alliance, Phoenix, AZ.

12/01/22 "2010 Healthcare Law," Hope College visitors, Washington, DC.

12/01/17 "Healthcare Reform," Domenici Forum, New Mexico State University, Las Cruces, NM.

12/01/16 "PPACA Piñata," Hispanic Chamber of Commerce of El Paso, El Paso, TX.

12/01/13 "PPACA and Your Business," NFIB/NM, Santa Fe, NM.

12/01/12 "PPACA: Risk & Uncertainty," New Mexico Angels, Albuquerque, NM.

12/01/12 "PPACA and Your Business," NFIB/NM and ABC, Albuquerque, NM.

11/12/13 "The New Market: Small and Large Businesses," NCQA, Washington, DC.

11/11/11 "Health Insurance Exchanges and Small Business," Baltimore, MD.

11/10/28 "Healthcare Reform, University Reform," American University, Washington, DC.

11/10/03 "Federal Healthcare Reform: The Search for Sasquatch," NFIB/OR, Bend, OR.

11/09/28 "Federal Healthcare Reform / What it Means for Your Business" or "A Rainy Night in Georgia, South Carolina, Mississippi, Arkansas, Tennessee, Kentucky, Louisiana, and Alabama," webinar.

11/08/14 "Healthcare Reform: How High's the Water, Mama?" Industrial Association of Quincy, IL.

11/07/14 "Health Care Reform Workshop," Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond, Richmond, VA.

11/07/12 "Don't Believe This Title: What You Don't Know You Don't Know about Healthcare,"

- LeadAmerica, Georgetown University, Washington, DC.
- 11/06/29 "Health Care Reform," webinar for NFIB/NC/VA/WV.
- 11/06/16 "Healthcare Reform Update," TD Ameritrade, Miami Beach, FL.
- 11/05/25 "PPACA and Small Business," Small Business Day, State Capitol, Baton Rouge, LA.
- 11/05/19 "The Health Care Overhaul: Threat or Opportunity for Your Business?" New York Association of Convenience Stores, Rochester, NY.
- 11/04/13 "PPACA Update," Council on Affordable Health Insurance, Washington, DC.
- 10/12/10 "The New Unemployment and What to Do About It," Urban Institute, Washington, DC.
- 10/11/21 "Employers and Healthcare Reform: What Does the Future Hold?" (panel discussion) National Conference of Insurance Legislators, Austin, TX.
- 10/11/15 "Soaring Cost of New Cancer Treatment / How Will We Address It?" (panel discussion) iiBIG Oncology Payer Conference, Baltimore, MD.
- 10/11/09 "The PPACA: Small Business and the New Horizon," GTCBio Healthcare Reform Conference, Arlington, VA.
- 10/11/04 "Healthcare Law and Small Business" Farm Equipment Manufacturers Association, Dallas, TX.
- 10/10/07 "The Healthcare Law: Small Business & the New Horizon" National Association of Convenience Stores, 10/07/10.
- 10/10/01 "The Trillion Dollar Question: Implications of Medicare Sustainability" Owen Graduate School of Management, Vanderbilt University, Health Care Business Alliance Conference, Nashville, TN.
- 10/09/23 "The Healthcare Law and Small Business," World Congress, Tysons Corner, VA
- 10/09/15 "The Healthcare Law: All Aboard the Mystery Train," NFIB Area Action Council, Memphis, TN
- 10/09/10 "The Healthcare Law: Rollin' 'round the Bend," Hylant Group, Nashville, TN
- 10/07/26 "Behind the Curtain: The Healthcare Law's Impact on Small Business," U.S. Chamber of Commerce/NFIB/American Action Forum Conference, Washington, DC.
- 10/07/21 "Healthcare Law: Into the Wild Blue Yonder," National Air Transportation Association webinar, Washington, DC.
- 10/06/24 "Into Each Life, Some Rain Must Fall," Women's Business Enterprise National Council, Baltimore, MD.
- 10/06/23 "Healthcare Reform: Here Be Dragons," Charlotte Economics Club, Charlotte, NC.
- 10/06/15 "Healthcare Reform: An Initial Checkup," American Enterprise Institute, Washington, DC.
- 10/05/21 "How Will the New Health Care Plan Affect Your Business," CFESA, Chicago, IL.
- 10/05/21 "How Will the New Health Care Plan Affect Your Business," NFIB Area Action Council, Aurora, IL.
- 10/04/27 "Small Business and Healthcare Reform," National Air Transportation Association, Alexandria, VA.
- 10/03/15 "Healthcare Reform 2010," KMU (Taiwan) Associates' Program, Washington, DC.
- 10/02/24 "Small Business and Healthcare Reform: Where Now?" NABE Small Business / Entrepreneurial Roundtable (webinar), Washington, DC.
- 10/02/09 "Prospects for Healthcare Reform," Heritage Foundation, Blogger's Briefing, Washington, DC.

- 10/02/04 "Healthcare Reform 2010: Johnny Cash to Dinah Washington," World Congress, Washington, DC.
- 10/01/25 "Healthcare Reform 2010: Johnny Cash to Dinah Washington," National Air Transportation Association, San Antonio, TX.
- 09/12/10 "Healthcare Reform and Small Business," Employee Benefits Research Institute, Washington, DC.
- 09/09/30 "Deep Dive into Health Care Reform – What it Means to You and Your Market," World Congress, Alexandria, VA.
- 09/07/20 "Healthcare Reform and Small Business," National Conference of State Legislatures, Philadelphia, PA.
- 09/06/23 "Healthcare and Small Business: Problems and Fixes" National Economists Club, Washington, DC.
- 09/05/28 "Small Business and Healthcare Reform," (panel discussion) American Benefits Council, Washington, DC.
- 08/07/25 "Federal Health Care Reform and Small Business: What Are the Key Components to a Successful Plan?" (panel discussion) National Conference of State Legislatures, New Orleans, LA.
- 08/07/12 "State Healthcare Innovations: What Works, What Doesn't?" (panel discussion) National Conference of Insurance Legislators, New York City, NY.
- 08/07/08 "Small Business Healthcare Briefing" Council on Affordable Health Insurance, Washington, DC.
- 08/06/05 "Opinion/Makers' Forum" (panel discussion) Legislative Office Building, Hartford, CT.
- 08/02/14 "Health Care: When It's Fixed for Small Business, It's Fixed for America" Charlotte Economics Club, Charlotte, NC
- 08/02/13 "Surgeon and Pilot" University of North Carolina – Charlotte, Charlotte, NC
- 08/02/06 "NFIB: Small Business Healthcare Principles" Independent Insurance Agents of Virginia, Richmond, VA.
- 07/11/02 "Individual Mandate: Inevitable, Unsustainable or Both?" School of Public Health – University of California – Berkeley
- 07/08/26 "American Health Care System: Don't You Call Me, 'Cause I Can't Go" NFIB Texas Leadership Council, Bastrop, TX
- 07/08/07 "Employer Provided Health Care (Dis)Advantage: Small Business Perspective" National Conference of State Legislatures, Boston, MA
- 07/07/11 "Surgeon and Pilot: Who Chooses?" American Institute for Economic Research, Great Barrington, MA
- 07/03/27 "Surgeon and Pilot: Can Consumers Choose?" University of Richmond Pre/Health Professions Club
- 07/03/19 "Desert, Health, and Aid" Quest University Canada, Squamish, British Columbia, Canada
- 07/03/15 "Who Says No?: Consumer Sovereignty In Health Care" Kaohsiung Medical University, Richmond, VA
- 07/03/09 "Seven Lessons in Risk," U.S. State Department, Arlington, VA
- 06-06/05 "Choosing Health vs. Wealth: A Laboratory Experiment" American Society of Health

Economists, Madison, WI

- 05/11/05 "Language Across the Curriculum: The Richmond Model" Foreign Languages and Cultures Conference, Iowa City, IA
- 05/11/01 "Health Care Update" National Business Council on Economic Issues, Philadelphia, PA
- 05/05/10 "Health Care Update" National Business Council on Economic Issues, Washington, DC
- 05/03/17 "Nutrition and Obesity" Virginia Commonwealth University, to visiting Taiwanese medical group.
- 04/10/28 "Life, Death, Bones, and Obesity: Consumer/Driven Health Insurance and Economic Experiments" University of Central Florida, Department of Health Professions
- 04/10/20 "Life, Death, Bones, and Obesity: Consumer/Driven Health Insurance and Economic Experiments" Virginia Commonwealth University, Dept. of Economics
- 04/09/23 "Consumer-Driven Health Insurance: Economic Experiments in Life, Death, and Obesity" Virginia Commonwealth University, Medical Campus
- 04/09/07 "Obesity: An Economic View", Virginia Commonwealth University Medical School, Grand Rounds
- 04/07/22 "Eating Medicare: The Economic Impact of Today's Lunch on Tomorrow's Health" Richmond Association for Business Economics
- 03/07/13 "Indemnities: Unmasking the Health/Wealth Tradeoff" Western Economic Association International, Denver, CO
- 03/06/16 "High Cost, Low Benefit: Inducing Patients to Opt Out?" International Health Economics Association, San Francisco, CA.
- 03/05/02 "Health/Wealth Experiment Project: Finding the Margin" Proposal for using economic experiments for generating health insurance data": George Mason University, IFREE Visiting Scholar Lecture Series at ICES Arlington, VA. (IFREE is the research department headed by Nobel Laureate Vernon L. Smith.)
- 03/04/03 "Comment Dit/On "Standard Deviation"?*: An Effortless Business/Language Curriculum." Center for International Business Education and Research (CIBER), Miami Beach, FL.
- 02/09/18 "High Cost, Low Benefit." Research luncheon, University of Richmond. Richmond, VA.
- 02/04/25 "High Cost, Low Benefit: Inducing Patients to Opt Out?" Research luncheon, Virginia Commonwealth University medical campus. Richmond, VA.
- 99/06/09 "Health Care Policy." Pension Managers' Group. Richmond, VA.
- 98/05/14 "The Role of the Federal Reserve." Central Bank of Armenia. Richmond, VA.
- 98/02/12 "Medical Care and the Regional Economy." Richmond Medical Group Management Association. Richmond, VA.
- 97/09/18 "Technology: Why It Bites Back." National Council on Economic Education. Indianapolis, IN.
- 97/07/15 "CPI: The Burden of Bias." Southeastern Association of Tax Administrators. Richmond, VA.
- 97/06/05 "Happiness, Health, and the CPI." Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas. Dallas, TX.
- 97/06/02 "The Fed and the Federal Government." Guangdong Development Bank of Shenzhen, Richmond, VA.
- 97/06/16 "CPI Reform." Charleston Southern University. Charleston, SC.
- 97/03/18 "Happiness, Health, and the CPI." Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond, Small Business and Agriculture Advisory Council. Richmond, VA.

- 97-11/04 "The Federal Reserve." Gallaudet University. Washington, DC.
- 97-11/04 "Teaching and the Language of Economics." Gallaudet University. Washington, DC.
- 97-11/03 "Economics and Deafness." Gallaudet University. Washington DC.
- 97-11/03 "Introducing the Federal Reserve." Gallaudet University. Washington, DC.
- 96-10/16 "CPI Reform." James Madison University. Harrisonburg, VA.
- 94-09/27 "Medical Care Price Indexes." National Association of Business Economists Policy Conference. Washington, DC.
- 93-10/08 "Industrial Sectors: U.S. vs. State Trends." Co-authored with Stephen Stanley. Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas. Dallas, TX,
- 91-02/06 "Structure of Monetary Policy." College of William and Mary Business School. Williamsburg, VA.
- 90-10/26 "Wicksell's Monetary Framework and Dynamic Stability." Co-authored with Thomas Humphrey. Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta. Atlanta, GA.
- 90-10/11 "Unburdening the Data." Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City. Kansas City, MO.
- 83-11 "The IMF and Rescheduling." 11/83, Chase Bank Nigeria. Lagos, Nigeria.

PROFESSIONAL SESSIONS ORGANIZED AND CHAIRED

National Federation of Independent Business

- 2008 "Healthcare Forum: Will Reform Become Reality?" Stephen Moore (Wall Street Journal), Ceci Connolly (Washington Post), Chris Frates (Politico)
- 2008 "Healthcare Forum: Does Portability Enhance Affordability?" Stuart Butler (Heritage Foundation), Devon Herrick (National Center for Policy Analysis), Scott Keefer (America's Health Insurance Plans), Karen Davenport (Center for American Progress).
- 2008 "Healthcare Forum: Coverage vs. Cost: What's the Priority?" Katherine Hayes (Clinton campaign), Douglas Holtz-Eakin (McCain campaign), Kavita Patel (Obama campaign).
- 2008 Healthcare Forum: Are Individual Mandates the Answer? Michael Cannon (Cato Institute), Sherry Glied (Columbia University), Peter Harbage (Center for American Progress), Bob Moffit (Heritage Foundation).

Small Business Administration

- 2008 "Options Cost and Coverage: Healthcare Chicken and Egg" Newt Gingrich (Former Speaker of the House), Michael O. Leavitt (Department of Health and Human Services), David B. Kendall (Progressive Policy Institute), Kirsten Sloan (Divided We Fail and AARP), and Nina Owcharenko (Heritage Foundation), Washington, DC.

National Association for Business Economics

- 2013 “Higher Education Finance: Housing Bubble with Tenure?” George Leef (John William Pope Center for Higher Education Policy) and Joseph Minarik (Committee for Economic Development)
- 2007 “Options for Medicaid Reform—Enhancements or Radical Change?” Devon Herrick (National Center for Policy Analysis) and Judith Solomon (Center on Budget and Policy Priorities), Washington, DC.
- 2006 “Health Care, Information, and Technology: A New World for Business” Blackford Middleton (Harvard Medical School) and Isaac S. Kohane (Harvard Medical School), Boston, MA.
- 2006 “Policy Solutions to Cost Shifting in Health Care” Louis F. Rossiter (College of William and Mary), Deborah Chollet (Mathematica Policy Research), and Richard Scheffler (University of California at Berkeley), Washington, DC.
- 2005 “Consumer-Oriented Health Economics: Past, Present, Future” James G. Rodgers (Blue Cross Blue Shield of America), James A. Hayes (Consultant, New Mexico), and Jeff Black (Mercer Human Resources Consulting), Chicago, IL.
- 2005 “Health Care Policy: The Way Forward: A look at federal health care policy reforms that address the three pillars of cost, access, and quality” Harvey Rosen (Council of Economic Advisors), Washington, DC.
- 2004 “Consumer-drive Health Care” John Goodman (National Center for Policy Analysis) and Ben Cutler (Fortis Health), Washington, DC.