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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENT

Assistant Professor (tenure-track) Consumer Sciences, The University of Alabama	Jan/2021 – Present
Postdoctoral Fellow Nutritional Sciences, University of Toronto	Jun/2018 – Dec/2020
Research Associate Institute for Research on Poverty	Aug/2017 – Jun/2018
Project Assistant Institute for Research on Poverty	Mar/2013 – Aug/2017
Lecturer University of Wisconsin-Madison	Jan/2016 – May/2016
Teaching Assistant University of Wisconsin-Madison	2010 – 2013, 2015 – 2017

EDUCATION

- PhD in Consumer Science, University of Wisconsin-Madison 2017
- MSc in Consumer Science, University of Wisconsin-Madison 2012
- BA in Business Administration, Universidade Presbiteriana Mackenzie (Brazil) 2009

PUBLICATIONS

- **Men, F.**, Fafard-St. Germain, AA, Remtulla, R., & Tarasuk, V. (R&R). Effect of Canada Child Benefit on household food insecurity: A propensity-score matched analysis of the Canadian Income Survey. *American Journal of Preventive Medicine*.
- **Men, F.** & Tarasuk, V. (2022). Classification differences in food insecurity measures between the US and Canada: Practical implications to trend monitoring and health research. *The Journal of Nutrition*.
- **Men, F.**, Urquia, M., & Tarasuk, V. (2022). Pain-driven emergency department visits and food insecurity: a cross-sectional study linking Canadian survey and health administrative data. *CMAJ Open*.
- Choi, S. & **Men, F.** (2021). Food insecurity associated with higher COVID-19 infection in households with older adults. *Public Health*, 200, 7e14.
- **Men, F.**, Urquia, M., & Tarasuk, V. (2021). Examining the relationship between food insecurity and causes of injury in Canadian adults and adolescents. *BMC Public Health*, 21, 1557.
- **Men, F.**, Urquia, M., & Tarasuk, V. (2021). The role of provincial social policies and economic environments in shaping food insecurity among Canadian families with children. *Preventive Medicine*, 148, 106558.
- **Men, F.**, Fischer, B., Urquia, M., & Tarasuk, V. (2021). Food insecurity, chronic pain, and use of prescription opioids. *SSM-Population Health*, 14, 100768.
- **Men, F.** & Tarasuk, V. (2021). Food insecurity amid the COVID-19 pandemic: food charity, government assistance, and employment. *Canadian Public Policy*, 47(2), 202-230.
- **Men, F.**, Elgar, F., & Tarasuk, V (2021). Food insecurity is associated with mental health problems among Canadian youth. *Journal of Epidemiology & Community Health*, 75, 741-748.
- **Men, F.** & Tarasuk, V (2020). Severe food insecurity associated with mortality among lower-income Canadian adults approaching eligibility for public pensions: a population cohort study. *BMC Public Health*, 20(1), 1-9.

- **Men, F.**, Gundersen, C., Urquia, M., & Tarasuk, V. (2020). Higher health care utilization and expenditure associated with household food insecurity in Canada. *Health Affairs*, 39(8), 1377-1385.
- **Men, F.**, Gundersen, C., Urquia, M., & Tarasuk, V. (2020). Association between household food insecurity and mortality in Canada: a population-based retrospective cohort study. *CMAJ*, 192(3), E53-E60.
- **Men, F.**, Gundersen, C., Urquia, M., & Tarasuk, V. (2019). Prescription medication nonadherence associated with food insecurity: a population-based cross-sectional study. *CMAJ Open*, 7(3), E590.
- Bartfeld, J., Berger, L., & **Men, F.** (2019). Universal access to free school meals through the Community Eligibility Provision is associated with better attendance for low-income elementary school students in Wisconsin. *Journal of the Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics*, 120(2), 210-218.
- Bartfeld, J., Berger, L., **Men, F.**, & Chen, Y. (2019). Access to the School Breakfast Program is associated with higher attendance and test scores among elementary school students. *The Journal of Nutrition*, 149(2), 336-343.
- Bartfeld, J. & **Men, F.** (2018). *Post-divorce placement arrangements and children's test scores*. Report for Wisconsin Department of Children and Families, 2016-2018 Task 9B.
- Bartfeld, J. & **Men, F.** (2017). Food insecurity among households with children: The role of the state economic and policy context. *Social Service Review*, 91(4), 691-732.
- **Men, F.** (2017). Mothers' within-marriage economic prospects and later food security: Does marital outcome matter? *Journal of Consumer Affairs*, 51(3), 682-702.
- **Men, F.** (2017). *Food insecurity among recently divorced mothers* (Doctoral dissertation). University of Wisconsin-Madison.

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

- **Men, F.** & Tarasuk, V. *Employment Insurance may mitigate food insecurity among recently unemployed workers: Analysis on a propensity-score matched sample from the Canadian Income Survey*. Seminar presentation at University of Arkansas at Pine Bluff, 2022
- **Men, F.**, Urquia, M., & Tarasuk, V. *Food insecurity and injury: evidence from emergency department records*. Oral presentation at ACCI 2021 and APHA 2021.

MEDIA COVERAGE

- Calgary Journal, Canadian Dimension 2022
- CBC-PEI Radio *Island Morning*, CBC-NL Radio *St John's Morning Show*, The Toronto Star 2021
- CBC News television broadcast *The National*, US News, Al Jazeera America, Thomson Reuters Foundation, Global News *The Craig Needles Show*, CBC Radio One *White Coat Black Art*, CTV News, National Post, The Week, EurekAlert! AAAS, The Deutsches Ärzteblatt, STAT News, ABS-CBN News, International Business Times, Japan Today, The Tribune, Times of India, Business Standard, ANI News, Drugs.com, Newscape, iProfessional, Suprevida, AmericaRU, Consumer Affairs, Manila Bulletin, Financial Express 2020
- Spoke Online, IRP Podcast 2019

GRADUATE RESEARCH MENTORING

Zahra Hussain, Kahiye Warsame; MPH practicum, University of Toronto 2020

CLASSROOM INSTRUCTION

The University of Alabama

Retirement Planning, CSM 410/510

Public Policy, CSM 405/505

Introduction to Consumer Economics, CSM 303

Spring 2022

Spring/Fall 2021, Spring 2022

Fall 2021

University of Wisconsin-Madison

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

- American Society for Nutrition (ASN) 2022-Present
- American Council on Consumer Interest (ACCI) 2014-Present
- American Public Health Association (APHA) 2021-Present

SCHOLARSHIPS

- CHES, University of Alabama, *research travel scholarship* 2021
- Consumer Science, UW-Madison, *William Peterson Trust Fund Scholarship* 2016
- Graduate School, UW-Madison, *Conference Presentation Funds* 2015
- Consumer Science, UW-Madison, *Steenbock/Graber Scholarship* 2015
- ACCI, *ACCI Student Scholarship* 2015
- School of Human Ecology, UW-Madison, *conference travel scholarship* 2014
- Duke University, *conference travel scholarship* 2014
- University of Bremen, *conference travel award* 2014
- Institute for Research on Poverty, UW-Madison, *conference travel award* 2014

TRAINING

- Personal financial planning certificate, CFFP 2020
- Python and Machine Learning courses, Coursera 2018 – 2019
- Teaching in Higher Education course, University of Toronto 2018
- Use of US federal data, Cornell University 2018
- SAS/Stata/R/NVivo workshops, UW-Madison 2015 – 2017
- Graduate Research Fellow seminars, Institute for Research on Poverty 2014 – 2015
- Classroom teaching in higher education, Delta program at University of Wisconsin 2015
- SIPP data workshop, Duke University 2014
- Advanced poverty research workshop, University of Bremen, Germany 2014

SERVICE

Grant reviewer for National Science Center of Poland 2022

Ad hoc manuscript reviewer

- Scientific Reports, American Journal of Preventive Medicine, The Journal of Nutrition, Review of Economics of the Household, Journal of Consumer Affairs, Preventive Medicine Reports, BMC Public Health, BMC Nutrition, Journal of the Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics, Public Health Reports, Public Health Nutrition, International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health, Journal of Macromarketing, Sustainability 2022
- Scientific Reports, American Journal of Preventive Medicine, Preventive Medicine, Frontiers in Nutrition, Frontiers in Psychiatry, SSM-PH, BMC Public Health (4), ACCI (4), Nutrients (2), BMJ Open (2), Health Reports 2021
- American Journal of Public Health, Canadian Medical Association Journal, Journal of Consumer Affairs, Journal of the Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics, Public Health Nutrition, Journal of Financial Counselling and Planning, Singapore Economic Review, CMAJ Open, PLoS One 2017-2020

Other services

- Member of graduate studies award subcommittee, CHES, The University of Alabama 2021-2022
- Host of Consumer Sciences Research Seminar (Speaker: Dr. Francisco Tupy), The University of Alabama 2022
- Host of Orman-Harris Lecture (Speaker: Dr. Craig Gundersen), CHES, The University of Alabama 2021
- Invited recommender for Judi Bartfeld's candidacy (won) for Robert G. F. and Hazel T. Spitze Land Grant Faculty Award for Excellence, UW-Madison 2021
- ACCI conference session chair 2021

- Guest panelist, Career choice after college, CUSA at UW-Madison 2021
- Guest panelist, Career choice after graduate school, Consumer Science at UW-Madison 2021
- Guest lecturer, Ryerson University 2018
- ACCI membership committee member 2015 – 2017
- Cultural ambassador, REACH, UW-Madison 2010 – 2017
- Graduate seminar coordinator, Consumer Science, UW-Madison 2014 – 2016
- APPAM conference session chair 2014
- RIDGE workshop paper discussant 2014
- Student advisor, Dean of Students Advisory Board, UW-Madison 2014

LANGUAGES

- Mandarin, Portuguese, Spanish, French