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CURRENT EMPLOYMENT	Principal Analyst, Congressional Budget Office, 2023– Associate Analyst, Congressional Budget Office, 2021–2023	
EDUCATION	Ph.D., Health Policy/Economics , University of California, Berkeley, 2021 M.A., Economics , University of California, Berkeley, 2019 A.B., Economics , Dartmouth College, 2013	
REFEREED JOURNAL ARTICLES	Hong, N., Duchovny, N., & Ding, R. (2025). "Differences in Medicaid Enrollment and Spending Before and During the COVID-19 Pandemic." <i>JAMA Network Open</i> , 8(6), e2516569-e2516569. doi:10.1001/jamanetworkopen.2025.16569 Hale, J., Hong N., Hopkins, B., Lyons, S., & Molloy, E. (2024). "Health Insurance Coverage Projections For The US Population And Sources Of Coverage, By Age, 2024-34." <i>Health Affairs</i> , 43(7), 922-932. doi.org/10.1377/hlthaff.2024.00460 Hong N., Root A., & Handel B. (2023). "The Role of Information and Nudges on Advance Directives and End-of-Life Planning: Evidence From a Randomized Trial." <i>Medical Care Research and Review</i> , 80(3), 283-292. doi.org/10.1177/10775587231157800 Handel, B., Hong, N., Hua, L. M., & Ito, Y. (2023). "Employer Risk-Adjustment Transitions with Inertial Consumers: Evidence from CalPERS." <i>Journal of Risk and Insurance</i> , 90(1), 93-121. doi.org/10.1111/jori.12417 Fulton, B., Hong, N., & Rodriguez, H. (2019). "Early Impact of the State Innovation Models Initiative on Diagnosed Diabetes Prevalence Among Adults and Hospitalizations Among Diagnosed Adults." <i>Medical Care</i> , 57(9), 710-717. doi.org/10.1097/mlr.0000000000001161	
WORKS IN PROGRESS	"The Role of Non-Financial Factors in the Congressional Budget Office's Health Insurance Coverage Projections" with Ben Hopkins; <i>Forthcoming at PNAS</i> "Financial, Health, and State Factors Associated with Medicare Beneficiaries' Transition to Dual Eligible Status" with Claire Hou, Chris Zogby, Berna Demiralp, and Alex Minicozzi "Measuring Medicaid and CHIP Take-Up Across Immigration Status: Evidence from the ACS" with Britainy Barnes and Towo Babayemi	
OTHER PUBLICATIONS	Congressional Budget Office (2024). "Budgetary Effects of Policies That Would Increase Hepatitis C Treatment." https://www.cbo.gov/publication/60237 Congressional Budget Office (2023). "Federal Subsidies for Health Insurance: 2023 to 2033." https://www.cbo.gov/publication/59273 Congressional Budget Office (2022). "Federal Subsidies for Health Insurance Coverage for People Under 65: 2022 to 2032." https://www.cbo.gov/publication/57962	
TEACHING EXPERIENCE	Instructor, Health Economics (MHA), Tuck School of Business/Geisel School of Medicine (<i>Summer 2024</i>) Lead TA, Economics of Population Health (MPH), UC Berkeley School of Public Health (<i>Spring 2019, Spring 2020, Spring 2021</i>)	

Lead TA, Health Economics (MPH), UC Berkeley School of Public Health (*Fall 2018*)

**OTHER
EXPERIENCE**

Lecturer, Dartmouth College, Master's of Health Administration Program, 2024–2025

Graduate Student Researcher, Prof. Benjamin Handel, UC Berkeley Department of Economics, 2019–2021

Graduate Student Researcher, Prof. Brent Fulton, UC Berkeley School of Public Health, 2017–2019

Project Manager/Implementation Consultant, Epic Systems, 2013–2015

REFEREEING

American Economic Journal: Economic Policy

SKILLS

Programming and Statistical Languages: STATA, SAS, R

Languages: English (native), Mandarin Chinese (proficient), French (basic)

Other Skills and Interests: Medicaid, simulation modeling, policy analysis, legislative scoring, research

**AWARDS AND
GRANTS**

Richard Scheffler Health Economics Award (Best UC Berkeley dissertation in health economics) (2021)

J-PAL North America, Health Care Delivery Initiative (Co-Investigator) (\$49,983, 2019–2021)

Outstanding Graduate Student Instructor Award, Economics of Population Health (2019)

Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality (AHRQ) T32 Training Grant (2016–17, 2017–18)

CITIZENSHIP

United States