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EDUCATION

Ph.D., Economics, Florida State University, August 1994

M.S., Economics, Florida State University, 1993

B.S., Economics, University of Central Florida, 1990

WORK EXPERIENCE

Associate Professor, University of Nevada, Reno, 2001-Present

Assistant Professor, University of Nevada, Reno, 1996-2001

Guest Lecturer, University of Salford, Salford, England, 1997-Present

Visiting Assistant Professor, University of the South, 1994-1996

Instructor, Florida State University, 1990-1994

Research Analyst, R.W. Beck and Associates, Orlando, Florida, Summer 1990

REFEREED PUBLICATIONS

Nichols, Mark W., David Giacopassi, and B. Grant Stitt. "Casinos as a Catalyst for Economic Development." Forthcoming, *Tourism Economics*.

Stitt, B. Grant, David Giacopassi, and Mark W. Nichols. "Community Perception of Casino Gambling's Effect on Crime in New Gambling Jurisidictions." Forthcoming, *Justice Professional*, vol 14, No. 2, 2001.

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- Hendrickson, Jill and Mark W. Nichols. How Does Regulation Affect the Risk Taking of Banks? A U.S. and Canadian Perspective." *Journal of Comparative Policy Analysis*, Vol. 3, No. 1, 2001.
- Stitt, B. Grant, David Giacomassi, and Mark W. Nichols. "Including Tourists in Crime Rate Calculations for New Casino Jurisdictions: What Difference Does it Make." *American Journal of Criminal Justice*, Spring 2000, pp. 203-16.
- Stitt, B. Grant, Mark W. Nichols, and David Giacomassi. "Casino Gambling Behavior And Perceptions of Problem Gambling." *Journal of Gambling Studies*, Winter 2000, pp. 433-52.
- Nichols, Mark W., B. Grant Stitt, and David Giacomassi. "Casino Gambling and Bankruptcy in New U.S. Casino Jurisdictions". *Journal of Socio-Economics*, Vol. 29. No 5., 2000, pp. 247-61
- Atkinson, Glenn, Nichols, Mark W., and Oleson, Ted. "The Menace of Competition and Gambling Deregulation." *Journal of Economic Issues*, September 2000, pp. 621-34.
- Stitt, B. Grant, David Giacomassi, and Mark Nichols. "The Effect of Casino Gambling on Crime in New Casino Jurisdictions." *Journal of Crime and Justice*, Spring 2000, pp. 1-23.
- Giacomassi, David, Nichols, Mark W., and Stitt, Grant. "Attitudes of Community Leaders In New Casino Jurisdictions Regarding Casino Gambling's Effects on Crime and Quality of Life", *Journal of Gambling Studies*, Summer 1999, pp. 123-47.
- Nichols, Mark W. and Fournier, Gary M. "Recovering from a Bad Reputation: Changing Beliefs About the Quality of U.S. Autos." *International Journal of Industrial Organization*, March 1999.
- Nichols, Mark W. "Deregulation and Cross-Border Substitution in Iowa's Riverboat Gambling Industry", *Journal of Gambling Studies*, Summer 1998.
- Nichols, Mark W. "Advertising and Quality in The U.S. Market for Automobiles" *Southern Economic Journal*, April 1998.
- Nichols, Mark W. "The Impact of Deregulation on Casino Win in Atlantic City", *Review of Industrial Organization*, December 1998.

REFEREED PUBLICATIONS, continued

Nichols, Mark W. "Regulation of Casino Gaming at the Federal, State, or Local Level: Which is Best?" *Gaming Law Review*, Fall 1997, pp. 323-32.

Nichols, Mark W. and Hendrickson, Jill. "Profit Differential Between Canadian and U.S. Commercial Banks: The Role of Regulation" *Journal of Economic History*, September 1997, 674-96.

Sass, Tim R. and Nichols, Mark W. "Scope of Practice Regulation: Physician Control and the Wages of Non-Physician Health-Care Professionals". *Journal of Regulatory Economics*, January 1996, pp. 61-81.

NON-REFEREED PUBLICATIONS

Giacopassi, David, Mark W. Nichols, Grant Stitt. "How Do Casinos Affect Communities", *Business Perspectives*, University of Memphis, Summer 1999, pp. 23-27.

Stitt, Grant, Mark W. Nichols, and David Giacopassi. "Effects of Casino Gambling: A Multifaceted Issue", *Grant Sawyer Center for Justice Studies Paper Series*, Fall 1999.

GRANTS

"Effects of Casino Gambling on Crime and Quality of Life in New Casino Jurisdictions" Department of Justice-National Institute of Justice Grant with B. Grant Stitt and David Giacopassi. Total Award: \$252,331.

"Casino Gambling and Consumer Bankruptcy" Junior Faculty Research Award, University of Nevada, Reno. Total Award: \$5,696.

WORKING PAPERS

Nichols, Mark W. "Casino Gambling and Addiction: An Empirical Analysis" Submitted to *Applied Economics*.

Nichols, Mark W., Stitt, Grant, B. and Giacopassi, David. "Changes in Suicide and Divorce in New Casino Jurisdictions." Submitted to *Journal of Gambling Studies*

Hendrickson, Jill and Nichols, Mark W. "Changes in the Degree of Competition in Canadian Banking."

RECENT PRESENTATIONS

Governor's Forum on Fiscal Affairs, May 2000

"Economics Trends—Gaming"

Leadership Carson City, March 1997 - 2000.

"The Role of Gaming in Northern Nevada"

University of Manchester, U.K., March 2000

"Suicide and Divorce in New Casino Jurisdictions"

Nevada Society of CPA's, May 1999

"Economic Outlook in the Gaming Industry"

Salford University, U.K., March 1999

"Gambling and Bankruptcy in New U.S. Casino Jurisdictions"

Salford University, U.K., March 1998

"Empirical Analysis of Casino Gambling Addiction"

Conference for Government Finance Officer Association, January 1998

"Implications of Proposition 5"

Western Economic Association Annual Conference, Summer 1997.

"Changes in the Degree of Competition in Canadian Banking"

10th International Conference on Gambling and Risk Taking, June 1997

"The Impact of Deregulation on Casino Win in Atlantic City"

"Changing Regulation and Competition in Iowa Riverboat Gambling"

Western Social Science Meetings, April 1997.

"The Impact of Deregulation on Casino Win in Atlantic City"

West Virginia University Seminar Series, April 1997.

"The Impact of Deregulation on Casino Win in Atlantic City"

TEACHING AND RESEARCH AWARDS

University of Nevada, Reno, College of Business, Beta Gamma Sigma Resercher of the Year, 2001.

University of Nevada Reno, Nominated, University Regents' Teaching Award, 2000

TEACHING AND RESEARCH AWARDS, continued

University of Nevada, Reno, Beta Gamma Sigma Special Commendation Award for Outstanding Research, 1999

Florida State University, Nominated, Outstanding Teaching Assistant of the Year: 1992-1993.

University-wide honor awarded by the Program for Instructional Excellence

Florida State University, Honorable Mention, Charles Rockwood Graduate Teaching Award: 1993.

Awarded by the Department of Economics in recognition of outstanding teaching for the academic year.

GRADUATE THESIS COMMITTEES

Chair

Andy Asselin, "Hotel Market Segments and Their Impact on Revenue in a Hotel/Casino Environment", May 1999

Committee Member

Zhigang Lu, "Regional Disparity in China", April 2000

Aikaterine Vervilos, "Public Policy and New Casino Gaming Markets", May 1999

Selby Marks

SERVICE

University Service

Economics Department Personnel Committee, 2001

Economics Department Search Committee (Chair) 2001

College of Business Strategic Planning Committee, 2000-2001

Economics Department Curriculum Committee, 1997-2001

Economics Department Brainstorming Committee, 1998-2000

Gaming Management Oversight Committee, 1996-present

Gaming Management Advisory Board, Continuing Education, 1997-present

University Academic Standards Committee, 1997-1999

Dean's Ad-Hoc Committee on Lower Division Business Core, 1998-1999

Economics Minor Advisor, 1998-present

Gaming Management Major Advisor, 1998-present

SERVICE, continued

Service to Profession

Referee for *Southern Economic Journal* (1999), *International Journal of the Economics of Business* (1999), and *Contemporary Economic Policy*, (1999-2001)

Reviewer of *Leisure Industry Economics*, 1999

Reviewer of *Gambling with State Revenues: The Economics and Politics of Casino Gaming in America*, 1999

REFERENCES

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