

Jeffrey Richard Kling

Primary position

Congressional Budget Office. Associate Director for Economic Analysis. 2009 - present.

Previous positions

The Brookings Institution. Economic Studies Program. Deputy Director and Joseph A. Pechman Senior Fellow. 2009. Deputy Director and Senior Fellow. 2006 - 2008. Senior Fellow, 2005 - 2006.

Princeton University. Department of Economics and Woodrow Wilson School of International and Public Affairs. Assistant Professor of Economics and Public Affairs. Faculty Associate: Industrial Relations Section, Education Research Section, Center for Health and Wellbeing, Bendheim-Thoman Center for Research on Child Wellbeing, Office of Population Research. 1998 - 2005.

U.S. Department of Labor. Special Assistant to the Secretary. 1993.

The World Bank. Assistant to the Chief Economist. 1992-1993.

Affiliations

American Economic Journal: Applied Economics. Board of Editors. 2007 - present.

National Bureau of Economic Research. Faculty Research Fellow. 1998 - present.

Innovations for Poverty Action. Research Affiliate. 2007 - 2009.

Institute for Education Sciences. Expert Panel to Evaluate the What Works Clearinghouse. Methods Issues Working Group. 2007 - 2009. Review Panelist. 2005 - 2006.

University of Michigan. National Poverty Center. Research Affiliate. 2004 - 2009.

Russell Sage Foundation. Mass Incarceration Working Group Member. 2000 - 2006.

Northwestern & U. of Chicago. Joint Center for Poverty Research. Research Affiliate. 2000 - 2003.

Education

Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Ph.D. Economics, 1998. Advisors: Joshua Angrist, Jerry Hausman, Lawrence Katz.

Harvard University, A.B. Economics, 1992. *Phi beta kappa*.

Awards

William T. Grant Foundation. Moving To Opportunity and Youth Wellbeing. Scholar Award. 2002-2007.

National Science Foundation. Methods Evaluating Public Policies and Assessing Effects on Employment, Crime, and Poor Neighborhoods. Faculty Early Career Development Award (9876337). 1999-2003.

Peer-reviewed publications

Votruba, Mark E., and Jeffrey R. Kling. “Effects of Neighborhood Characteristics on the Mortality of Black Male Youth: Evidence from Gautreaux.” *Social Science and Medicine*, 68:5 (March 2009), 814–823.

Ludwig, Jens, and Jeffrey R. Kling. “Is Crime Contagious?” *Journal of Law and Economics*, 50:3 (August 2007), 491-518.

Kling, Jeffrey R., Jeffrey B. Liebman, and Lawrence F. Katz. “Experimental Analysis of Neighborhood Effects.” *Econometrica* 75:1 (January 2007), 83-119.

Sanbonmatsu, Lisa, Jeffrey R. Kling, Greg J. Duncan, and Jeanne Brooks-Gunn. “Neighborhoods and Academic Achievement: Results from the MTO Experiment.” *Journal of Human Resources* 41:4 (Fall 2006), 649-691.

Kling, Jeffrey R. “Incarceration Length, Employment and Earnings.” *American Economic Review*, 96:3 (June 2006), 863-876.

Kling, Jeffrey R., Jens Ludwig and Lawrence F. Katz. “Neighborhood Effects on Crime for Female and Male Youth: Evidence from a Randomized Housing Voucher Experiment.” *Quarterly Journal of Economics*, 120:1 (February 2005), 87-130.

Kling, Jeffrey R. “Interpreting Instrumental Variables Estimates of the Returns to Schooling.” *Journal of Business and Economic Statistics* 19:3 (July 2001), 358-364.

Katz, Lawrence F., Jeffrey R. Kling and Jeffrey B. Liebman. “Moving To Opportunity In Boston: Early Results of a Randomized Mobility Experiment.” *Quarterly Journal of Economics* 116:2 (May 2001), 607-654.

Anderson, James, Jeffrey R. Kling and Kate Stith. “Measuring Interjudge Disparity in Sentencing: Before and After the Federal Sentencing Guidelines.” *Journal of Law and Economics* 42:1 (April 1999), 271-307.

Other Publications

Congdon, William J., Jeffrey R. Kling, and Sendhil Mullainathan. “Behavioral Economics and Tax Policy.” *National Tax Journal*, forthcoming.

Ludwig, Jens O., Jeffrey B. Liebman, Jeffrey R. Kling, Greg J. Duncan, Lawrence F. Katz, Ronald C. Kessler, and Lisa Sanbonmatsu. “What Can We Learn About Neighborhood Effects from the Moving To Opportunity Experiment?” *American Journal of Sociology*, 114:1 (July 2008), 144-188.

- Brown, Jeffrey R, Jeffrey R. Kling, Sendhil Mullainathan, and Marian V. Wrobel. “[Why Don’t People Insure Late Life Consumption? A Framing Explanation of the Under-Annuitization Puzzle.](#)” *American Economic Review Papers and Proceedings* 98:2 (May 2008), 304-309.
- Kling, Jeffrey R. “[Fundamentally Restructuring Unemployment Insurance: Wage-loss Insurance and Temporary Earnings Replacement Accounts.](#)” In *The Path to Prosperity: Hamilton Project Ideas on Income Security, Education, and Taxes*. Edited by Jason Furman and Jason E. Bordoff. Washington, DC: The Brookings Institution, 2008, 29-62.
- Kling, Jeffrey R. “[Methodological Frontiers of Public Finance Field Experiments.](#)” *National Tax Journal* 60:1 (March 2007), 109-127.
- Tyler, John H. and Jeffrey R. Kling. “[Prison-Based Education and Re-Entry into the Mainstream Labor Market.](#)” In *Barriers to Reentry? The Labor Market for Released Prisoners in Post-Industrial America*. Edited by Shawn Bushway, Michael Stoll, and David Weiman. New York: Russell Sage Foundation Press, 2007. 227-256.
- Turner, Kristen, Susan Clampet-Lundquist, Kathryn Edin, Jeffrey R. Kling, and Greg J. Duncan. “[Neighborhood Effects on Barriers To Employment: Results from a Randomized Housing Mobility Experiment.](#)” In *Brookings-Wharton Papers on Urban Affairs 2006*. Edited by Gary Burtless and Janet R. Pack. Washington, DC: Brookings Institution Press, 2006. 137-187.
- Kling, Jeffrey R., Jeffrey B. Liebman and Lawrence F. Katz. “[Bullets Don't Got No Name: Consequences of Fear in the Ghetto.](#)” In *Discovering Successful Pathways in Children's Development: Mixed Methods in the Study of Childhood and Family Life*. Edited by Thomas S. Weisner. Chicago: The University of Chicago Press, 2005. 243-281.
- Orr, Larry, Judith D. Feins, Robin Jacob, Erik Beecroft, Lisa Sanbonmatsu, Lawrence F. Katz, Jeffrey B. Liebman, and Jeffrey R. Kling. [Moving to Opportunity: Interim Impacts Evaluation](#). Washington D.C.: U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, 2003.
- Katz, Lawrence F., Jeffrey R. Kling and Jeffrey B. Liebman. “[Boston Site Findings: The Early Impacts of Moving to Opportunity.](#)” In *Choosing a Better Life: Evaluating the Moving to Opportunity Social Experiment*. Edited by John Goering and Judith Feins. Washington, DC: The Urban Institute Press, 2003. 177-211.
- Western, Bruce, Jeffrey R. Kling and David F. Weiman. “[The Labor Market Consequences of Incarceration.](#)” *Crime and Delinquency* 47:3 (July 2001), 410-427.
- Kling, Jeffrey R. and Alan B. Krueger. “[Costs, Benefits and Distributional Consequences of Inmate Labor.](#)” In *Proceedings of the 53rd Annual Meetings (New Orleans, January 4-7 2001)*. Edited by Paula B. Voos. Madison, WI: Industrial Relations Research Association, 2001. 349-358.
- Kling, Jeffrey R. “[Urban Poverty and Educational Outcomes: Comments.](#)” In *Brookings-Wharton Papers on Urban Affairs 2001*. Edited by William G. Gale and Janet R. Pack. Washington, DC: Brookings Institution Press, 2001. 189-192.
- Kling, Jeffrey. “[High Performance Work Systems and Firm Performance.](#)” *Monthly Labor Review*, 118:5 (May 1995), 29-36.

Working papers

Brown, Jeffrey R., Jeffrey R. Kling, Sendhil Mullainathan, Garth R. Wiens, and Marian V. Wrobel. “[Framing, Reference Points, and Preferences for Life Annuities.](#)” Unpublished manuscript, Harvard University, July 2009.

Kling, Jeffrey R., Sendhil Mullainathan, Eldar Shafir, Lee Vermeulen, and Marian V. Wrobel. “[Misperception in Choosing Medicare Drug Plans.](#)” Unpublished manuscript, Harvard University, July 2009.

Clampet-Lundquist, Susan, Kathryn Edin, Jeffrey R. Kling, and Greg J. Duncan. “[Moving At-Risk Youth Out of High-Risk Neighborhoods: Why Girls Fare Better Than Boys.](#)” Princeton IRS Working Paper 509, March 2006.

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