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EDUCATION:

Ph.D. (Economics), Louisiana State University, May 1998
Minor (Computer Science), Louisiana State University, May 1998
M.S. (Economics), Louisiana State University, May 1995
B.A. (Economics), New College of The University of South Florida, May 1989

RESEARCH INTERESTS:

Health Care Economics and Applied Econometrics.

TEACHING INTERESTS:

Health Care Economics, Economics of Health Insurance, Applied Econometrics,
Microeconomics.

DISSERTATION:

- An analysis of the variation in reimbursement rates of pharmaceutical drugs under State Medicaid programs.
- Alternative reimbursement methods and Medicaid hospital expenditures.
- Controlling Medicaid inpatient hospital expenditures.

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS:

2007 - Present	Associate Professor of Health Policy & Management Department of Health policy and Management College of Public Health, University of South Florida 13201 Bruce D. Downs Blvd. MDC 56, Tampa Florida 33612
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2007 – Present	Faculty Director, Educational Technology and Assessment College of Public Health, University of South Florida 13201 Bruce D. Downs Blvd. MDC 56, Tampa Florida 33612
2008 – Present	Courtesy Associate Professor of Economics Department of Economics College of Business, University of South Florida
1999 – 2007	Assistant Professor of Health Policy & Management Department of Health policy and Management College of Public Health, University of South Florida 13201 Bruce D. Downs Blvd. MDC 56, Tampa Florida 33612
2000 – 2004	Adjunct Professor Department of Economics Division of Social Sciences, New College of Florida 5800 Bay Shore Road, Sarasota Florida 34243
1996 – 1999	Instructor Department of Economics Louisiana State University 2107 CEBA Building, Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70803

TEACHING ACTIVITIES

Course	Semesters
Department of Health Policy and Management, COPH	
• PHC7437: Applications in Health Economics	2010 – Present
• PHC6430: Health Economics I	2000 – Present (Annually)
• PHC6433: Health Economics II	2003 – 2009
• PHC6435: Perspectives on Health Insurance	2000 – Present (Annually)
• PHC6195: Public health data, information, and decision making	2006 – Present (Annually online) Summer 2006 (executive);
• HSA6197: Advanced Information Management and Retrieval	Spring 2001; Summer 2005; Spring 2006
• PHC6102: Principles of health policy and management	Fall 2000

The Anton de Kom University of Suriname

- Health Economics 2008

New College of Florida

- Introduction to statistics 2000, 2001, 2002, 2004
- Introduction to Econometrics 2004

Department of Economics, LSU

- Principles of Microeconomics 1996 - 1999
- Principles of Macroeconomics 1997 - 1999

Guest Lectures and other Student Related Activities

“New Doctoral Student Orientation” (2003 - Present)

“Practice Variations and Utilization review” in Managed Care for the Healthcare Professional (Instructor is Steven A. Field, MD, MSPH; Fall 2001)

“The Health Insurance Market Place” in PHC6104: Management of Public Health Programs (Fall 2004)

“The Health Care Market Place” GMS6847: Translational Biotechnology

PEER REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS AND SUBMITTED PAPERS

- Ciesla, David J. and **Etienne E. Pracht** (2012) “Geographic Distribution of Severely Injured Patients: Implications for Trauma System Development” Journal of Trauma, Injury, Infection, and Critical Care (forthcoming)
- Langland-Orban, Barbara, **Etienne E. Pracht**, and John T. Large (2012) “Counterpoint: The Insurance Institute for Highway Safety Study Actually Found Cities Using Red Light Cameras Had Higher Red Light Running Fatality Rates,” Florida Public Health Review (9): 1-8
- Tepas III, Joseph J., **Etienne E. Pracht**, Lewis Flint, Barbara Langland-Orban (2011) “Insurance Status, Not Race Is A Determinant Of Outcome From Vehicular Injury,” Journal of The American College of Surgeons 212 (4): 722-727
- **Pracht, Etienne E.**, Barbara Langland-Orban, Margaret Comins, John Large, and Virginia Asin-Oostburg (2011) “The Relative Effectiveness of the Health Care Safety Net and Managed Care Penetration in Reducing Avoidable Hospitalizations,” Journal for Healthcare Quality 33 (4): 42-53

- **Pracht, Etienne E.**, Barbara Langland-Orban, Lewis Flint (2011) "Survival Advantage for Elderly Trauma Patients Treated in a Trauma Center" Journal of Trauma, Injury, Infection, and Critical Care 71 (1): 69-77
- Langland-Orban, Barbara, John T. Large, **Etienne E. Pracht** (2011) "Red Light Cameras: The Need for Federal Intervention to Advance Public Safety," Florida Public Health Review 8: 1-9
- **Pracht, Etienne E.** and Elizabeth Bass (2011) "Exploring the Link between Ambulatory Care and Avoidable Hospitalization at the VA" Journal for Healthcare Quality 33 (2) March/April: 47-56
- **Pracht, Etienne E.**, Joseph J. Tepas III, Barbara Langland-Orban, Lisa Simpson, Pam Pieper, Lewis M. Flint (2008) "Do Pediatric Trauma Victims in Florida Have Reduced Mortality Rates When Treated In Designated Trauma Centers?" Journal of Pediatric Surgery 43: 212-221
- Langland-Orban, Barbara, **Etienne E. Pracht**, John T. Large (2008) "Red Light Running Cameras: Would Crashes, Injuries, and Automobile Insurance Rates Increase if they are used in Florida?" Florida Public Health Review 5: 1-7
- **Pracht, Etienne E.** (2007) "State Medicaid Managed Care Enrollment: Understanding the Political Calculus That Drives Medicaid Managed Care Reforms," Journal of Health Politics, Policy and Law 32 (4): 667-713
- **Pracht, Etienne E.**, Joseph Tepas, Brian Celso, Barbara Orban, Lewis Flint (2007) "Survival advantage associated with treatment of injury at designated trauma centers: a bivariate probit model with instrumental variables" Medical Care Research and Review 64 (1): 83-97
- Bass, Elizabeth, **Etienne E. Pracht**, and Phillip Foulis (2007) "Bone mineral density scans in veterans?" Clinical Interventions in Aging 2 (2): 255-261
- William J. Moore, and **Etienne E. Pracht**, (2007) "Changes in the Effectiveness of State Medicaid Drug Program Cost Containment Policies Following OBRA 1990" American Journal of Economics and Sociology 66 (November): 901-924
- Studnicki, James, Linda S. Gipson, Donald Berndt, John Fisher, Matthew Callander, **Etienne E. Pracht**, Barbara Langland-Orban (2007) "Do Locally Generated Special Taxes Influence Population Health Status?" Journal of Preventive Medicine
- **Pracht, Etienne E.**, Barbara Langland-Orban, Joseph J. Tepas, Brian G. Celso, and Lewis Flint (2006) "An Analysis of Trends in the Florida trauma system (1991-2003): Changes in Mortality Following Establishment of New Centers" Surgery 140 (1): 34-43

- **Pracht, Etienne E.** and Barbara Langland-Orban (2007), “Trends in Avoidable Hospitalizations for Children in Florida from 1992 to 2003” Journal for Healthcare Quality 29 (2): 28-36
- Durham, Rodney, **Etienne E. Pracht**, Barbara Orban, Larry Lottenburg, Joseph Tepas, and Lewis M. Flint, David H. Shapiro (2006) “Evaluation of a Mature Trauma System” Annals of Surgery 243 (6) 775-785
- Bass, Elizabeth, and **Etienne E. Pracht** (2006) “The Declining Rate of Avoidable Hospitalizations at the VA” Journal for Healthcare Quality 28 (4): 45-52
- Brian Celso, Joseph Tepas, **Etienne E. Pracht**, Barbara Langland-Orban, Linda Papa, Lawrence Lottenberg, Lewis Flint (2006) “A Systematic Review and Meta-Analysis Comparing Outcome of Severely Injured Patients Treated in Trauma Centers Following the Establishment of Formal Trauma Systems” Journal of Trauma, Injury, Infection, and Critical Care 60 (2) 371-378 (February 2006)
- Orban, Barbara, **Etienne E. Pracht**, Seena Salyani (2005) “Uncompensated Emergency Department Services in Florida Hospitals” Health Care Management Review, Oct/Nov/Dec 30 (4): 1-7
- Orban, Barbara, Seena Salyani, and **Etienne E. Pracht** (2005) “Economic Incentives to Florida Cities: Conflict of Interest and Needed Strategies in Reducing Florida’s High Crash and Fatality Rates” Florida Public Health Review (2): 82-91
- **Pracht, Etienne E.** and William J. Moore. (2003) “Interest Groups and State Medicaid Drug Programs.” Journal of Health Politics, Policy and Law 28 (1): 9-39
- **Pracht, Etienne E.** (2003) “Applications of Internet and E-Commerce Technologies in Health Insurance and Managed Care.” In Hossein Bidgoli, Editor. The Internet Encyclopedia, Volume II. John Wiley and Sons, New York, NY: 89-103
- Moore, William J., Karen Gutermuth, and **Etienne E. Pracht** (2000) System Wide Effects of Medicaid Retrospective Drug Utilization Review Programs. Journal of Health Politics, Policy and Law 25 (4) : 653-688

SUBMITTED / UNDER REVISION PAPERS

- Pracht, Etienne E., “A Geographic Analysis of Medicaid Hospital Patients”
- **Pracht, Etienne E.**, Barbara Langland-Orban, David Orban, Lewis Flint “Differentials in Triage to Trauma Centers and Survival Rates between Elderly and non-Elderly Following Motor Vehicle Crashes in Florida”

- **Pracht, Etienne E.**, A Profile of Emergency Room Utilization of Patients with Ambulatory Care Sensitive Conditions in Paramaribo Suriname

WORKING PAPERS / RESEARCH IN PROGRESS

- “Profit levels and Trauma Outcomes” with Langland-Orban
- “Emergency Department Diagnostic Tests: High Charge or High Cost?” with Langland-Orban, Barbara, David J. Orban
- “Experience Counts: Severe Traumatic Brain Injury Outcome is Better in High Volume centers.” With Tepas, Orban, Flint,
- “Inpatient Hospital Outcomes Following Traumatic Injury in Suriname”
- “Cost-effectiveness of a Mindfulness Based Stress Reduction Program for Improving Quality of Life in Breast Cancer Survivors: Results from a Randomized Control Trial,” with Cecile A. Lengacher, Richard E. Reich, and Benjamin Craig

BOOKS

- Lee, J.L., Cheung, R., Liller, K. Langland-Orban, B., **Pracht, E.** Rice, B., Rose, C., Shoemaker, J., Simpson, L., Vitucci, J. (2005). *Childhood Injury in Florida, 2002 Chartbook*. Supported through a partnership of the Pediatric Clinical Research Center of All Children’s Hospital (St. Petersburg, FL), the University of South Florida (Tampa, FL) and the Maternal and Child Health Bureau (Washington D.C.)

TECHNICAL REPORTS

- **Etienne E. Pracht**, Barbara Langland-Orban, Pam Pieper, "Evaluation of the 2010 Florida Trauma Registry Data" submitted to The Office of Trauma, Department of Health (2012)
- **Etienne E. Pracht** and Barbara Langland-Orban, “Florida Trauma Service Area (TSA) Analysis-Update: 2001-2010” submitted to the Florida Department of Health, Office of Trauma, March 2011
- **Pracht, Etienne E.**, Tepas, J.J., III, **Langland-Orban, B.**, & Pieper, P. (2010). Annual Report of Florida Trauma System Performance, prepared for the Office of Trauma, Florida Department of Health.
- **Etienne E. Pracht**, Barbara Langland-Orban, Pam Pieper, "Evaluation of the 2009 Florida Trauma Registry Data" submitted to The Office of Trauma, Department of Health (2010)
- **Etienne E. Pracht** and Barbara Langland-Orban, “Florida Trauma Service Area (TSA) Analysis: 2000-2009” submitted to the Florida Department of Health, Office of Trauma, September 2010

- **Etienne E. Pracht** “De noodzaak van sturing: Rapport m.b.t. behoefte medische specialisten in Suriname” (The Need for Direction: A Report Concerning the Medical Specialties in Suriname), with Lindy Liauw-Kie-Fa, Virginia Asin-Oostburg, Theo Hiemcke, and Jan Hagen, submitted to the Ministry of Public Health, Suriname (March 2010)
- **Etienne E. Pracht**, Barbara Langland-Orban, Pam Pieper, "Evaluation of the 2008 Florida Trauma Registry Data" submitted to The Office of Trauma, Department of Health (2009)
- Martha L. Coulter, Carla VandeWeerd, Etienne Pracht, Lianne Fuino Estefan, "Analysis of Dependency Mediation in Florida Courts Interim Report: Preliminary Results of Retrospective Court File Review," The Harrell Center for the Study of Family Violence, College of Public Health, University of South Florida. February 12, 2009
- **Etienne E. Pracht** and Barbara Langland-Orban (February 2009) “Analysis of Trauma Service Areas 1 and 2” (to determine the need and adequacy of trauma services in the Florida Pan-Handle) submitted to The Office of Trauma, Department of Health, Florida
- **Etienne E. Pracht**, Barbara Langland-Orban, "Evaluation of the 2007 Florida Trauma Registry Data" submitted to The Office of Trauma, Department of Health (2008)
- J.J. Tepas III, MD, **Etienne E. Pracht**, Ph.D., Barbara Langland-Orban, Ph.D., Brian Celso, Ph.D. (September 2008) “Application of the National Surgical Quality Improvement Program (NSQIP) to Analysis of Florida Trauma Center Performance,” submitted to The Office of Trauma, Department of Health, Florida
- **Etienne E. Pracht**, Barbara Langland-Orban, "Evaluation of the 2006 Florida Trauma Registry Data" submitted to The Office of Trauma, Department of Health (2007)
- Langland-Orban, Barbara and **Etienne E. Pracht** (September 2006) “Validation of the Florida Trauma Registry for Purposes of H.B. 497 and H.B. 1697” submitted to The Office of Trauma, Department of Health, Florida
- Jean Lee, Robyn Cheung, Karen Liller, Barbara Langland-Orban, **Etienne Pracht**, Bonnie Rice, Cindy Rose, Jean Shoemaker, Lisa Simpson, Judi Vittuce (September 2005) “Childhood Injury in Florida, 2002: A report on hospital care and prevention information.”
- Flint, Lewis, Barbara Orban, Rodney Durham, Jay Wolfson, **Etienne Pracht**, Celeste Kallenborn, Joseph Tepas, Lawrence Lottenberg, David Mazingo, Linda Papa, Brian Celso (2005) *A Comprehensive Assessment of the Florida Trauma System*
- Figlio, David, Jeffrey Roth, **Etienne Pracht** (July 2005) “The Effect of Maternal WIC Participation on Health Care Costs in the First Year of Life,” Presented to *Florida Agency for Health Care Administration*, prepared by Maternal Child

Health and Education, Research and Data Center and The Lawton and Rhea Chiles Center for Healthy Mothers and Babies

- Audrey Nelson, Gail Powell-Cope, Stephen Luther, Robert Zoble, Robert Swisher, Jason Beckstead, John Vara, **Etienne E. Pracht**, and Maria Mullins (2003) "Implementation of Ischemic Heart Disease Clinical Practice Guidelines"

PRESENTATIONS

- Lengacher, C.A., Jim, H., Reich, R., Pracht, E., Craig, B., Ramesar, R., Carranza, I., Paterson, C., Budhrani, P., Millette, L., Hogue, D.L., Wooten, K., Mogos, M., Johnson Mallard, V., Santiago, S., Miglore, M., Dameron, M., Kip, K.E. Improving Quality of Life in Breast Cancer Survivors: The Cost-Effectiveness of Mindfulness Based Stress Reduction [MBSR] (BC). A poster submitted to American Psychosocial Oncology Society, 9th Annual conference, Miami Fl., February 2012.
- David Ciesla, **Etienne E. Pracht**, "Statutory Trauma Service Areas vs. Trauma Center Service Areas: How well do they match?" Western Trauma Association, Big Sky, Montana (March 2011)
- Tepas, Joseph J., **Etienne E. Pracht**, Lewis Flint, Barbara Langland-Orban, "Insurance status, not race is a determinant of outcome from vehicular injury" Southern Surgical Association, December 2010 (Palm Beach, Florida)
- **Pracht, Etienne E.** "The 2010 Health Care Reforms in the U.S., an International and Economic Perspective" (invited presentation) The Ethics Committee of St. Joseph's Hospital, September 2010
- **Pracht, Etienne E.** "Economic Methods for Assessing the Adequacy of the Supply of Medical Specialty Services," (invited presentation) Ministry of Public Health, Paramaribo Suriname, November 2009
- **Pracht, Etienne E.**, Langland-Orban, B., Comins, M., Large, J., Oostburg, V., "Avoidable Hospitalizations: The Relative Impacts of Managed Care Penetration and the Health Care Safety Net", poster presentation at the National Association of County and City Health Officials, July 29, 2009, Orlando, FL.
- **Pracht, Etienne E.**, Barbara Langland-Orban, David Orban, Lewis Flint, "Differentials in Survival Rates and Triage to Trauma Centers between Elderly and Non-Elderly Following Motor Vehicle Crashes in Florida" *Academy Health* Orlando, June 2007
- Grumley G, Tepas JJ, **Pracht E**, Langland-Orban B, Flint L, Celso B, Durham R, Lottenberg L, "Should Age Greater Than 64 Years be a Trauma Alert Criterion?" Southeastern Surgical Congress Scientific Meeting, Savannah GA, Feb 10-13, 2007
- Tepas, **Pracht**, Simpson, Pieper, Orban, Flint "Do Pediatric Trauma Victims Have Reduced Mortality Rates When Treated In Designated Trauma

Centers?" *The American Pediatric Surgical Association 38th Annual Meeting*, Orlando Florida, May 2007 (scheduled to present)

- **Pracht, Etienne E.**, Barbara Langland-Orban, Lisa Simpson, Joseph Tepas, "Do Pediatric Trauma Victims in Florida Have Reduced Mortality Rates When Treated in Designated Trauma Centers?" *ACH Research Seminar Series*, October 23 2006
- **Pracht, Etienne E.**, Joseph Tepas, Brian Celso, Barbara Orban, Lewis Flint "The Survival Advantage Associated with Treatment of Injury at Designated Trauma Centers: A Bivariate Probit Model with Instrumental Variables" *USF College of Engineering* (in conjunction with College of Medicine) January 23 2006
- Jean Lee, Robyn Cheung, Karen Liller, Barbara Langland-Orban, **Etienne Pracht**, Bonnie Rice, Cindy Rose, Jean Shoemaker, Lisa Simpson, Judi Vittuce (September 2005) "Childhood Injury in Florida, 2002: A report on hospital care and prevention information."
- Lee JM, Tepas JJ, **Pracht EE**, Langland-Orban B, Celso B, Lottenberg L, Flint L, "Administrative Databases Cannot be used for Trauma Center Performance Assessment" Florida Counsel on Trauma, Tampa FL, Nov 4, 2005
- **Pracht, Etienne E.**, Joseph Tepas, Brian Celso, Barbara Orban, Lewis Flint "Value Added of the Florida Trauma System," *Southern Economic Association*, Washington DC, November 18 2005, Issues in Health Care (Session 78D)
- Durham RM, Tepas JJ, Flint LM, **Pracht EE**, Langland-Orban B: Evaluation of a Mature Trauma System. *Southern Surgical Association*, Hot Springs, Virginia, December 6, 2005.
- **Pracht, Etienne E.**, and Elizabeth Bass "Exploring the Link between ambulatory care and avoidable hospitalizations at the VA" *Southern Economic Association*, Washington DC, November 20 2005, Health Policy Issues (Session 210Q)
- Durham R, **Pracht E**, Orban B, Tepas JJ, Flint L: Evaluation of a Mature Trauma System. *Ann Surg* (accepted for publication 2006) *Southern Surgical Association*, Hot Springs, Virginia, December 6, 2005
- **Pracht, Etienne E.**, and Elizabeth Bass "Exploring the Link between ambulatory care and avoidable hospitalizations at the VA" *Department of Health Policy and Management Seminar Series* – November 14 2005
- **Pracht, Etienne E.**, Barbara Orban, and Peter Gorski. "Hospital resource utilization by Children in Florida: A comparison of Medicaid expansions and separate state children insurance programs," *Academy Health* 2005, Boston, June 27
- **Pracht, Etienne E.**, Joseph Tepas, Brian Celso, Barbara Orban, Lewis Flint "Value Added of the Florida Trauma System for Non-Elderly Trauma Victims," *Economics Workshop: Department of Economics*, USF – April 2005

- **Pracht, Etienne E.**, Joseph Tepas, Brian Celso, Barbara Orban, Lewis Flint “Value Added of the Florida Trauma System,” *Department of Health Policy and Management Seminar Series* – March 2005
- Audrey Nelson, Gail Powell-Cope, Stephen Luther, Robert Zoble, Robert Swisher, Jason Beckstead, John Vara, Etienne E. Pracht, and Maria Mullins “Implementation of Ischemic Heart Disease Clinical Practice Guidelines” *Health Services Research and Development at the VA*, 2003
- **Pracht, Etienne E.** “A Six Equation Model of Medicaid Inpatient Hospital Expenditures With Bootstrap Methods” CDC – Statistics In Medicine Symposium - 2001
- **Pracht, Etienne E.** “Retrospective Drug Utilization Review in State Medicaid Programs” *HPM Seminar Series* – 2000

BOOK & JOURNAL ARTICLE REVIEWS

Books

- Esposito, Domenico (2004) You Get What You Copay For: The influence of patient copayments on the demand for drugs within a therapeutic class: the case of the statins (for Routledge Books)
- Sexton, Robert L. (1999) Exploring Economics (Pathways to Problem Solving), The Dryden Press, Fort Worth, Texas

Journals

- The American Journal of Managed Care, 241 Forsgate Drive, Jamesburg, New Jersey 08831
- Journal of Health Care for the Poor and Underserved, Meharry Medical College, The Johns Hopkins University Press
- The American Journal of Economics and Sociology, Babson Park, MA
- The Journal of Trauma Injury, Infection and Critical Care, Lippincott Williams & Wilkins
- The Journal of Labor Research, Transaction Publishers
- The Journal of Rural Health, National Rural Health Association
- The European Journal of Health Economics, Springer Berlin / Heidelberg
- The Journal for Healthcare Quality, AHRQ
- Hospital Practice

GRANTS AND CONTRACTS

- Barbara Langland-Orban and **Etienne E. Pracht** (Co-PI) (July 1, 2010 – June 30, 2011) “FY 10-11: Trauma Registry” Florida Department of Health, Bureau of Emergency Medical Service (\$122,000)
- Lengacher, Cecile (PI), Tom Klein, Cathy Newton, Benjamin Craig, Paul Jacobson, Versie Johnson-Mallard, Kevin Kip, Jong Park, Etienne Pracht,

- Richie Reich, Michael Schell, Karoly Szekeres, and Ray Widen (2009 – 2011) “MBSR Symptom Cluster Trial for Breast Cancer Survivors.” (RO1).
- **Etienne E. Pracht** (Co-PI) and Barbara Langland-Orban (November 2008 - February 2009) “Analysis of Trauma Service Areas 1 and 2 to determine the need and adequacy of trauma services in the Florida Pan-Handle.
 - J.J. Tepas III, MD, **Etienne E. Pracht**, Ph.D., Barbara Langland-Orban, Ph.D., Brian Celso, Ph.D. (July-September 2008) “Application of the National Surgical Quality Improvement Program (NSQIP) to Analysis of Florida Trauma Center Performance”
 - Martha Coulter, Carla VandeWeerd, Etienne Pracht (Co-PI) (2007-2009) "A Program Evaluation of Dependency Mediation in the State of Florida" Florida State Court (\$172,000)
 - Langland-Orban, Barbara, and **Etienne E. Pracht** (co-PI) (8/18/2006 – 06/29/2007) “Evaluation of the Florida Trauma Registry” *Florida Department of Health, Office of Trauma* (\$12,500).
 - **Pracht, Etienne E.** (PI) (Dec 2005- July 2006) “Are Pediatric Trauma Victims Better Off When Treated in Designated Trauma Centers?” *Health Resources and Services Administration, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services* (ACH PCRC PGP 4015) (\$20,000)
 - **Pracht, Etienne E.** (PI) and Elizabeth Bass (2005) “Quantifying the Link Between Preventable Hospitalizations and Ambulatory Care at the VA,” *HSC Patient Safety Pilot Grant Research Program* (\$6,883.31)
 - Flint, Lewis (PI), Barbara L. Orban, Jay Wofson, Larry Rottenberg, David Mazingo, Joseph Tepas, Rodney Durham, Brian Celso, Linda Papas, **Etienne Pracht**, Celeste Kallenborn (Co-PIs) (2004-2005) “A Comprehensive Assessment of the Florida Trauma System.” Office of Emergency Medical Services, Florida Department of Health:(\$297,800)
 - **Pracht, Etienne E.** (PI) “Osteoporosis in men: an exploratory study” James A. Haley Veterans Administration, Tampa, Florida (\$15,000)
 - Figlio, David, Jeffrey Roth, **Etienne Pracht** (July 2005) “The Effect of Maternal WIC Participation on Health Care Costs in the First Year of Life,” Presented to *Florida Agency for Health Care Administration*, prepared by Maternal Child Health and Education, Research and Data Center and The Lawton and Rhea Chiles Center for Healthy Mothers and Babies (\$15,000)
 - Forthofer, M.S. (PI), Perrin, K.M., (Co-PI), & McDermott, R.J. (Co-PI). Florida Health Literacy Study. Pfizer Pharmaceuticals Group, Pfizer Inc., January 1, 2003 - December 31, 2003. Role in Project: Co-Investigator: (\$831,614)
 - Forthofer, M.S. (PI), Perrin, K.M., (Co-PI), & McDermott, R.J. (Co-PI). Florida Health Literacy Study. Pfizer Pharmaceuticals Group, Pfizer Inc., January 1, 2004 - March 31, 2004. Role in Project: co-Investigator (\$89,868)
 - Audrey Nelson, Gail Powell-Cope, Stephen Luther, Robert Zoble, Robert Swisher, Jason Beckstead, John Vara, **Etienne E. Pracht**, and Maria Mullins 2000 – 2001 “*Implementation of Clinical Guidelines for Ischemic Heart*

Disease.” James A. Haley Veterans Administration, Tampa, Florida. Role in project: principal investigator for cost of implementation component (\$3,000)

- 1995-1997, *“The role of technology in reducing health care costs.”* A project funded by the Alton Ochsner Medical Foundation in conjunction with SANDIA National Laboratories. Principal investigators: Dr. Andrew Kleit and Dr. David Bradford. Role in project: econometric and statistical data analysis and database management.
- 1997, *“A Contingent Valuation Study of Water Based Recreation Benefits.”* A project funded by the Amite River Basin Commission. Principal investigators: Dr. Robert Newman and Dr. Loren Scott. Role in project: econometric and statistical data analysis and database management.

AWARDS AND NOMINATIONS

- Certificate of Appreciation in recognition of the delivery of the training in Empirical Health Care Research Methods’ (November 13, 2009) by the “Ministerie van Volksgezondheid, Suriname
- 2009 Award in recognition and appreciation for outstanding leadership as Trauma Registry consultant and planning team co-lead (June 2009).
- 2006 Certificate of Appreciation, presented by the office of the dean “in recognition for your contribution to the College of Public Health” (September 14th 2006)
- 2001-2002 Outstanding Teacher Award. Public Health Student Association. College of Public Health, University of South Florida.
- Recipient of a Special Performance Bonus (June 2002).
- 1998 - Nominee. College Teaching Award. E.J. Ourso College of business Administration.
- 1997 Excellence in Teaching Award. Department of Economics. Louisiana State University.
- Omicron Delta Epsilon, Honor Society in Economics, Award for work performed for LSU chapter

COMMITTEES

Committee	Semesters
• CPH Appointment, Promotion, and Tenure (APT) Committee	2009 – Present
• HPM Admissions Committee	1999-Present: All Semesters
• CPH Research Advisory Group	2004: Fall; 2005: Spring, Summer, Fall; 2006: Spring, Summer, Fall
• CPH Academic Programs and	1999: Fall; 2000: Spring, Summer, Fall; 2001:

Curriculum Committee	Spring, Summer; 2003: Fall; 2004: Spring, Summer, Fall; 2005: Spring, Summer, Fall; 2006: Spring, Summer, Fall
• Copenhague Academic Programs and Curriculum Committee (Chair)	2001: Fall; 2002: Spring, Summer, Fall; 2003: Spring, Summer
• USF Research Council	2003: Fall; 2004: Spring, Summer, Fall (partial)
• Copenhague Steering Committee	2001: Fall; 2002: Spring, Summer, Fall; 2003: Spring, Summer
• Copenhague Undergraduate workgroup	2004: Fall; 2005: Spring, Summer, Fall; 2006: Spring
• Copenhague Educational Outcomes Committee	2002: Fall; 2003: Spring, Summer, Fall
• Copenhague Student Awards Committee	2000: Spring, Summer, Fall; 2001: Spring, Summer, Fall; 2002: Spring, Summer, Fall; 2003: Spring, Summer, Fall; 2004: Spring, Summer, Fall; 2006: Spring (Judge of SHARP)
• Copenhague Dr.PH Sub-committee	1999: Fall
• Teaching awards committee, Department of Economics LSU	1998: Fall

NON-ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

Software Engineer, Real Property Information Systems, 1990-1993
Sarasota, Florida

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

- American Economic Association
- Southern Economic Association
- Omicron Delta Epsilon
- Association of University Programs in Health Administration (AUPHA)
- American Public Health Association

