

Aimee Williamson

Assistant Professor

Education

PhD, University of Colorado at Denver, Denver, CO, USA, Public Affairs, 2008

MPA, University of Colorado at Colorado Springs, Colorado Springs, CO, US, 1996

BA, University of Notre Dame, South Bend, IN, USA, English/Government and International Studies, 1993

Teaching Interests

Foundations of Public Administration, Education Policy, Social Change, Public Management

Research Interests

Education Policy, Relationships/Comparisons Among Sectors, Organizational Reform

ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

Courses Taught

Foundations of Pub Organ Admin

Social Change

Business/Professional Experience

Research Analyst/Data Coordinator, Colorado Children's Campaign, Responsibilities included the following:

(1) Coordinate the publication of KIDSCOUNT in Colorado, an annual publication presenting state and local data on child-wellbeing. This project is funded by the Annie E. Casey Foundation; (2) Analyze research, primarily in the areas of health, early childhood, and education policy; (3) Report writing, (4) Collect and manage data for the organization., Denver, Colorado (August 2006 - July 2007).

Lecturer, Graduate School of Public Affairs, University of Colorado at Denver, Taught courses for master's students, including Governance and Institutions/Introduction to Public Administration and Public Service, Introduction to Microeconomics, and Introduction to Macroeconomics, Denver, Colorado (August 2005 - December 2006).

Adjunct Faculty, Community College of Aurora, Taught undergraduate level courses in the political science department, including American National Government and Current Political Issues., Aurora, Colorado (January 2002 - December 2005).

INTELLECTUAL CONTRIBUTIONS

Book Chapters

Teske, P., Williamson, A. (2009). Education Policy. In Michael A. Genovese and Lori Cox Han (Ed.), *Encyclopedia of American Government and Civics*. New York: Facts on File.

Teske, P., Williamson, A. (2006). Entrepreneurs at Work. In Frederick Hess (Ed.), *Educational Entrepreneurship: Realities, Challenges, Possibilities* (pp. 45-62). Cambridge, Massachusetts: Harvard Education Press.

Williamson, A., Teske, P. (2005). School Choice. In Samuel J. Best and Benjamin Radcliff (Ed.), *Polling America: An Encyclopedia of Public Opinion* (pp. 732-737). Westport, Connecticut: Greenwood Press.

Conference Proceedings

Snow, D., Williamson, A. (2008). *Beyond the State School Finance Formula: Budgeting for Equity, Adequacy, and Results inside Massachusetts School Districts*. Association for Budgeting and Financial Management.

Presentation of Refereed Papers

National

- Williamson, A. L. (2009, October). *Public v. Private Management: Human Resources in Public, Private, and Charter Schools*. Presented at Public Management Research Association, Columbus, Ohio.
- Williamson, A. (2006, April). *The Influence of Sector on Human Resource Management: Public, Charter, and Private Schools*. Presented at American Society for Public Administration, Denver, Colorado.
- Teske, P., Williamson, A. (2005, November). *Educational Entrepreneurship*. Presented at American Enterprise Institute, Washington, District of Columbia.

Regional

- Williamson, A. (2004, November). *Overview of Evaluation Methods: Differences in Community Colleges and Four-Year Information Technology Programs*. Presented at American Evaluation Association, Atlanta, Georgia.

Faculty Development

Seminar

- 2009: Attended seminar on teaching with the case study method by Harvard Business School Publishers (June 12-13, 2009). Cambridge, Massachusetts.

SERVICE ACTIVITIES

Directed Student Learning

Directed Individual/Independent Study

- 2009: Advised graduate student independent study on charter schools..
- 2008.

Master's Thesis Committee Member

- 2007: Second reader for master's student Capstone Project at the University of Colorado at Denver..

Department Assignments

Committee Member

- 2007 - Present: Undergraduate Committee;.

Faculty Advisor

- September 2007 - Present: MPA Mentor Program;.
- September 2007 - August 2010: Presidential Management Fellows Program;.

Professional Service

Committee Chair

- 2009 - October 2009: International Conference on E-Government; Program Chair for 5th International Conference on E-Government (Suffolk University, Boston).

Guest Speaker

- 2009: Sawyer Business School Faculty Research Seminar; Presentation with Doug Snow: Beyond the State School Finance Formula: Budgeting Inside Massachusetts School Districts..
- July 2009: New England Association of School Business Officials Academy; Presentation with Doug Snow: Survey of Budgetary and Management Practices in Massachusetts School Districts (Sturbridge, MA).

Invited Lecture

- May 2010: Initiative for Diversity in Civic Leadership; Gave lecture to IDCL participants on Ethics in Administration..

Reviewer, Charter School Applications

August 2009 - Present: Massachusetts Charter School Office; Reviewer for charter school applications..

Public Service

Committee Member

September 2009 - Present: North Attleboro High School Council,;

Professional Memberships

American Society for Public Administration.

Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management.

Public Management Research Association. (2009 - Present).