

# GARTH A. BRAZELTON

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**Current Areas of Interest:** Psychology in economics, heterodox economics, economics blogging, and Indiana economic development

## Education:

- Indiana University - IUPUI, Indianapolis, IN 46202  
Major: Economics  
Graduated: 5/04 - Master of Arts  
Overall GPA (4 point scale): 3.66
- Purdue University, West Lafayette, IN 47907  
Major: Economics  
Specializations: Management and Political Science  
Minors: Psychology and Political Science  
Graduated: 5/02 - Bachelor of Science  
Overall GPA (4 point scale): 3.62
- Clay High School, South Bend, IN 46637  
Graduated: 6/98 - Academic Honors Diploma w/ Distinction  
Overall GPA (4 point scale): 3.40

## Employment History:

- Associate Faculty Indiana University - IUPUI, Dept. of Economics, Indianapolis, IN 46202  
8/06 – Present  
Ongoing professorship of the undergraduate economics course “Introductory Macroeconomics – E202”;  
Responsible for every aspect of teaching the 3-credit course including: running the classroom, initiating group discussions, mentoring, maintaining office availability, creating exams, proctoring exams, and grading
- Sr. Financial Analyst Indiana Economic Development Corporation, Indianapolis, IN 46204  
6/05 – Present  
(Promoted to senior level March 2007) Coordinator and first point-of-contact for the Economic Development for a Growing Economy (EDGE) tax credit program; Coordinator for the Hoosier Business Investment (HBI) tax credit program; Specific responsibilities include but are not limited to: calculating cost-benefit for projects, serving as a reference for companies, maintaining accurate project data, analysis of projects as they pertain to employment and investment growth, approving and certifying annual EDGE and HBI tax credits, authoring EDGE annual reports and EDGE/HBI policies and procedures, metrics report analysis, public requests point-of-contact, heading review committee presentations, management of review process, Corporation contract writing, and assessment calculations regarding noncompliant companies
- Economist U.S. Dept. of Transportation – Volpe Center, Cambridge, MA 02142  
7/04 – 12/05 (long-distance consulting from 6/05 to 12/05)  
Researched practical economic issues within the transportation field for sponsoring federal agencies; conducted statistical analysis and co-wrote reports (available upon request) involving: cost/benefit analyses, federal regulation evaluations, regional socioeconomic analyses, industry overviews; Sponsors included the Federal Transit Administration, Office of Hazardous Materials, National Park Service, and Federal Highway Administration
- Professors’ Assistant Indiana University - IUPUI, Dept. of Economics, Indianapolis, IN 46202  
09/03 – 05/04  
Responsible for grading assignments for micro/macroeconomic courses, and assisting professors with various academic activities
- Research Assistant Dr. Alan Petigny, University of Florida, Dept. of History  
Phone: 352-392-0271 x230  
5/03 - 9/03  
Conducted data analysis using historical national socioeconomic data for research published in the *Journal of Social History*, Fall 2004

## Professional Training and Awards:

- Certificate of Achievement for Exceptional Service to Indiana Economic Development Corporation, 4th Quarter (2007)
- 27<sup>TH</sup> Annual Indiana EDC, Center for Economic and Community Development, Ball State University, graduate (2006)

**Software Skills:** Windows XP, Mac OS, MS Office including database management, statistics software including SAS and STATA

## **Publications and Professional Papers:**

[Public Information of Incentives Report](#), Indiana Economic Development Corporation, Garth A. Brazelton (author), January 2008.

[Economic Development for a Growing Economy \(EDGE\) Annual Report to the Indiana General Assembly](#), Indiana Economic Development Corporation, Garth A. Brazelton (author), 2005 and 2006.

[Model for Revised Corporate Fuel Efficiency Standards](#), US Dept. of Transportation, Garth A. Brazelton (contributor), 2005.

[Shenandoah Alternative Transportation Study](#), US Dept. of Transportation, The project team was led by Robert J. Armstrong, of the Service and Operations Assessment Division, and included Eric J. Plosky, David J. Spiller, and Frances Switkes, also of the Service and Operations Assessment Division, Carson Poe of the Planning and Policy Analysis Division, and Garth A. Brazelton of the Economic and Industry Analysis Division, May 2005.

[Regulatory Analysis for the Notice of Proposed Rulemaking: Hazardous Materials: Infectious Substances: Harmonization with the United Nations Recommendations](#), US Dept. of Transportation, Garth A. Brazelton (contributor), August 2004.

[Illegitimacy, Postwar Psychology, and the Reperiodization of the Sexual Revolution](#), Dr. Alan Petigny (author), Garth A. Brazelton (contributor), Journal of Social History, Fall 2004.

[Reviving Economics \(blog\)](#), Garth A. Brazelton (author), ongoing.