

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2025 – Senior Principal | Econic Partners, Washington, D.C.
2005 – 2025 Senior Vice President and other positions | Compass Lexecon, Washington, D.C.

EDUCATION AND CERTIFICATIONS

Master’s Degree in Economics | George Mason University, Fairfax, VA 2011
Bachelor’s Degree in Economics | Duke University, Durham, NC 2004

SELECTED CONSULTING EXPERIENCE

United States of America, et al. v. UnitedHealth Group Incorporated, et al. (2023-2025)
Assisted Amedisys in initial review of the transaction, compliance with Second Request, and settlement negotiations. Supported defendants’ expert Jon Orszag throughout litigation. Clients eventually secured a favorable settlement. Global Competition Review Merger Control Matter of the Year – Americas, 2026.

Federal Trade Commission v. Meta Platforms Inc. et al. (2022)
Prepared and analyzed large, highly-detailed database of virtual-reality device and app usage data in support of defendants’ expert Dennis Carlton. The FTC’s request for a preliminary injunction was denied, allowing Meta to close its acquisition of Within Unlimited, the maker of VR fitness app Supernatural. The FTC ultimately chose not to appeal the order or pursue a Part 3 case before an in-house administrative law judge.

Matter of the proposed acquisition by Rogers Communications Inc. of Shaw Communications Inc. (2022)
Quantified marginal cost efficiencies and other procompetitive benefits of the transaction for the merging parties’ expert Mark Israel. The Canadian Competition Tribunal ruled in favor of Rogers, Shaw, and Videotron and the decision was upheld on appeal.

Sidibe et al. v. Sutter Health (2017-2022)
Processed and analyzed large, claims-level healthcare data and provided economic analysis support of multiple economic experts for defendant Sutter Health. Assisted counsel in data discovery and depositions of fact and expert witnesses. The jury found unanimously in Sutter Health’s favor, defeating the plaintiffs’ \$1.2 billion claim. After appeal was granted, defendants reached a favorable settlement.

ECONIC PARTNERS

Parker-Hannifin's acquisition of certain Meggitt business units (2021-2022)

Provided economic and data support for both parties in Parker-Hannifin's acquisition of aircraft parts manufacturer Meggitt. Assisted in merger review process across multiple global jurisdictions, focused on the US but also including the EU, UK, and Singapore.

Clarivate's acquisition of ProQuest (2021)

Prepared complex transaction-level sales data and other detailed data responses for the Federal Trade Commission in ProQuest's Second Request reply. Its acquisition by Clarivate was cleared without conditions or remedies.

Strategic combination of Atrium Health and Wake Forest Baptist Health (2019-2020)

Built econometric models of patient demand to estimate closeness of geographic and service competition between Atrium Health and Wake Forest Baptist Health, in support of their proposed merger. Managed team of staff responding to the Federal Trade Commission's Second Request. Assisted in agency presentations explaining the procompetitive benefits of the merger. The transaction was allowed to close with no conditions or remedies.

Confidential hospital litigation engagement

Provided economic and econometric analysis of alleged damages for a major hospital system, the results of which were used in a mediation proceeding that reached a favorable settlement. (2017)

Methodist Health Services Corporation v. OSF Healthcare System (2017)

Performed econometric analysis of merger effects and hospital competition supporting defendant's expert Robert Willig. Client won summary judgment which was upheld on appeal in an opinion authored by Judge Richard A. Posner of the Seventh Circuit.

Federal Trade Commission and Commonwealth of Pennsylvania v. Penn State Hershey Medical Center and PinnacleHealth System (2016)

Performed economic and econometric analysis of hospital competition in support of the defendants' testifying expert Robert Willig.

Federal Trade Commission et al. v. Sysco Corporation and USF Holding Corp. (2015)

Analyzed geographic markets and competition in support of the Federal Trade Commission's economic expert Mark Israel. Merger was abandoned after a preliminary injunction was ordered.