

Dr Martin John O'Brien – CV

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Relevant Qualifications

PhD Newcastle (2004) – Thesis entitled “Older Male Labour Force Participation: An Empirical Analysis”, awarded in the discipline of Economics 5th March 2004

BCom(Hons – 1st class) Newcastle (1995)

BCom Newcastle (1994)

Awards

University of Newcastle Postgraduate Research Scholarship (1998)

Ken Gordon Memorial Honours Scholarship (1995) (University of Newcastle)

Positions Held

Lecturer (tenured)
University of Wollongong 2004 -

Associate Lecturer
University of Wollongong 2002 - 2004

Casual/Part-time lecturer and tutor
University of Newcastle 1998, 2000-2002

Statistical Analyst
Australian Bureau of Statistics 1996-1997, 1999

Professional Activities

Referee
Australian Journal of Labour Economics
The International Employment Relations Review

Book reviewer
For *Labour and Industry*

Membership

The Australian Society of Labour Economists

Journal Articles

Burgess, J., Lee, J. and O'Brien, M.J., (2004) "The Australian Labour Market 2003", *The Journal of Industrial Relations*, 46(2), 141-59.

O'Brien, M.J., and Burgess, J., (2004) "Workforce Developments Affecting the Adequacy of Superannuation", *The Journal of Australian Political Economy*, No 53 June 2004, pp179-90.

Biddle, D., Burgess, J., Mitchell, W., O'Brien, M.J., (2002) "The Australian Labour Market 2001", *The Journal of Industrial Relations*, 44(2), 171-97.

O'Brien, M.J. (2001) "Older Male Labour Force Participation: the Role of Social Security and Hidden Unemployment", *Australian Journal of Labour Economics* 4 (3), 206-23.

Book Chapters

O'Brien, M.J. (2001) "Older Males and Social Security Reliance", in Mitchell, W.F. and Carlson, E. (eds) *The Tip of the Iceberg*, CAER, Sydney, 135-56.

O'Brien, M.J. (1999) "Old Enough for the Scrapheap? Employment Issues for the Baby Boomers", in Lee, J., Probert, B. and Watts, R. (eds) *Work in the New Economy: Policies, Programs, Populations*, Centre for Applied Social Research, RMIT University, 207-23.

Refereed Conference Papers

O'Brien, M.J., (2005) "Older Male Workers and Job Mobility in Australia", paper to be presented to the inaugural Australian Centre for Research in Employment and Work, Melbourne, June 24-25 (to be available on CD).

Lewis, D., O'Brien, M.J., Rogan, S., and Shorten, B., (2004) "Do Students Benefit from Supplemental Instruction? Evidence From a First Year Statistics Subject for Commerce Students", paper presented to the Economic Education What We Teach and How We Teach It: Perspectives on Economics from Around the Globe, Adelaide, July 14-16 (available on CD)

Burgess, J., Lee, J. and O'Brien, M.J., (2004) "Keep the Old Codgers Working: Growing Dependency, Generation Wars, Scaremongering and Public Policy on Ageing in Australia", paper presented to the Conference of the International Working Party on Labour Market Segmentation, Brisbane, July

O'Brien, M.J. (2002) "Structural Change and the Older Male Worker in Australia", in McAndrew, I. and Geare, A. (eds) *Proceedings of the 16th AIRAANZ Conference: Volume 1: Refereed Papers*, AIRAANZ, Sydney, 352-61.

Working Papers

O'Brien, M.J. (2004a) "Hidden Unemployment and Older Male Workers", *The Australia Institute Discussion Papers* (forthcoming)

O'Brien, M.J. (2004b) "Hidden Unemployment and Older Male Workers", *University of Wollongong Economics Working Paper Series*, 04-02, available at <http://www.uow.edu.au/commerce/econ/wpapers2004.html>

O'Brien, M.J. (2004c) "Structural Change and the Older Male Worker in Australia", *University of Wollongong Economics Working Paper Series*, 04-01, available at <http://www.uow.edu.au/commerce/econ/wpapers2004.html>

O'Brien, M.J. (2003) "A Unit Record Analysis of Older Male Labour Force Participation", *University of Wollongong Economics Working Paper Series*, 03-17, available at <http://www.uow.edu.au/commerce/econ/wpapers2003.html>