

Axel Weber

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Education

George Mason University

Ph.D. Economics

M.A. Economics

2023 - *present*
expected May 2027
May 2025

University of Connecticut

B.S. in Economics, May 2022.

2018 - 2022

Research

Peer Reviewed Publications

“The Defense Production Act: An Enduring Legacy of Crises,” *Journal of Public Finance and Public Choice*, 2026, 41(1): 2-26. (with Christopher J. Coyne). <https://doi.org/10.1332/25156918Y2025D000000023>

Working Papers

“Peace as a Social Process and Choice” (Working paper)

“In Defense of Peace: Rethinking the Quintessential Public Good” (Working paper)

Teaching Experience

George Mason University

- Principles of Microeconomics (Fall 2025)
- Principles of Microeconomics (Spring 2026)
- Economic History Writing Intensive (online asynchronous, Spring 2026)
- Economic Problems and Public Policies (online asynchronous, Summer 2026)
- Principles of Macroeconomics (Fall 2026)

Fellowships and Awards

- F.A. Hayek Program for Advanced Study in Philosophy, Politics, and Economics
PhD Fellow 2024 - *present*
- The Initiative for the Study of a Stable Peace 2024 – *present*
- Adam Smith Program Student Fellow 2026 – *present*
- The Osher Lifelong Learning Institute scholarship 2026

Professional Service

- Peer Reviewer, *Journal of Public Finance and Public Choice* 2025
- Peer Reviewer, *The Review of Austrian Economics* 2025

Conferences

- The Association of Private Enterprise Education April 2026
“Peace as a Social Process and Choice”
- Southern Economic Association Annual Meeting November 2025
“Peace as a Social Process and Choice”
- Markets and Society October 2025
“Peace as a Social Process and Choice”
- The Association of Private Enterprise Education April 2025
“Peace as a Social Process and Choice”
- Southern Economic Association Annual Meeting November 2024
“The Defense Production Act: An Enduring Legacy of Crises”

References

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