2016-17 Technical Panel on Labor Force Participation: Findings and Update

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Exhibit 1. Male and Female Age-Adjusted LFPRs from 2016 Trustees Report, 1981-2090

- **2016**: 69.7%
- **2021**: 71.7%
- **2022**: 60.2%
- **2015**: 57.7%

Source: OCACT (for 2016 Trustees Report).
Exhibit 2. Actual and Predicted LFPRs, 1997-2018

Actual and Projected Age-Adjusted Female Labor Force Participation Rate, 1997-2018 (Percent)

Actual and Projected Age-Adjusted Male Labor Force Participation Rate, 1997-2018 (Percent)

Source: OCAct (for 2016 Trustees Report) and U.S. BLS.
Exhibit 3. Actual and Predicted Women’s LFPRs, by Age, 2018

SSA-predicted female labor force participation rate in 2018, by age (percent)

Prediction error in 2018 for women (percentage points)

Source: OCAct (for 2016 Trustees Report) and U.S. BLS.
Exhibit 4. Actual and Predicted Men’s LFPRs, by Age, 2018

SSA-predicted male labor force participation rate in 2018, by age (percent)

Prediction error in 2018 for men (percentage points)

Source: OCAct (for 2016 Trustees Report) and U.S. BLS.
Exhibit 5. Linear Projections for Men 30-34

Source: OCACT (for 2016 Trustees Report) and R. Moffitt calculations.
Exhibit 6. LFPRs by gender and educational attainment, 2000-2018

Source: Hamilton Project (Brookings Institution).
Exhibit 7. Trend in real wages by educational attainment, 2000-2018

Female real hourly earnings (1979 = 100)

Male real hourly earnings (1979 = 100)

Source: Economic Policy Institute. Sample consists of wage and salary earners age 16 and older.
Exhibit 8. Annual percent change in real wages by educational attainment, 2000-2018