

The effect of job displacement on couples' fertility decicions

This paper analyzes the effects of job displacement on fertility using Finnish longitudinal employeremployee data (FLEED) matched to birth records. We distinguish between male and female job losses. We focus on couples where one spouse has lost his/her job due to a plant closure or mass layoff and follow them for several years both before and following the job loss.

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