

## POSITIONS HELD

- **AIFMRM, University of Cape Town** Cape Town, SA  
*Post Doctoral Research Fellow* Sep. 2016 –
- **School of Business and Economics (SBE), Maastricht University** Maastricht, NL  
*Lecturer* Aug. 2014 – July 2016

## EDUCATION

- **UNU-MERIT/SBE, Maastricht University** Maastricht, NL  
*PhD in Economics - Thesis Title: The evolution of beliefs and strategic behaviour* Sept. 2010 – June 2015
- **UNU-MERIT, Maastricht University** Maastricht, NL  
*Postgraduate Coursework in Innovation and Technical Change* Sept. 2009 – July 2010
- **University of Cape Town** Cape Town, SA  
*Hon. & MSc. Astronomy/Cosmology* Jan. 2007 – July 2009
- **Mbarara Univesity of Science and Technology** Mbarara, Uganda  
*BSc. Mathematics and Physics* Sept. 2003 – July 2006

## FIELDS

- **Microeconomics - Theory**  
*Evolutionary game theory and models of social learning*
- **Microeconomics - Empirical**  
*Social network analysis and economics of science*

## RESEARCH

- **Working Papers**
  - *Strategic diffusion in networks through contagion* (joint with Théophile T. Azomahoua) [Theory paper]
  - *On the relationship between p-dominance and stochastic stability in networks* [Theory paper]
  - *Costly word-of-mouth learning in networks* (joint with Théophile T. Azomahoua) [Theory paper]
  - *How central agents affect group behaviour and the speed of learning* [Theory paper]
  - *Prejudice, group cohesion and the dynamics of disagreement* [Theory paper]
  - *Informal intellectual collaboration with central colleagues* (joint with Co-Pierre Georg and Michael E. Rose) [Empirical paper]
- **Work in Progress**
  - *Local interactions, iterated p-dominance and stochastic stability* [Theory paper]
  - *Information percolation in exit games* [Theory paper]
  - *The rate of scientific progress and the structure of the scientific community* (joint with Michael E. Rose) [Theory/Empirical paper]

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- **School of Business and Economics, Maastricht University** Maastricht, NL  
*Instructor* 2014 – 2016
  - *Globalization debate:* How globalization has shaped international trade and economic growth
  - *Macroeconomics:* First year undergraduate course
- **School of Business and Economics, Maastricht University** Maastricht, NL  
*Teaching Assistant* 2014 – 2016
  - *Microeconomics:* First and second year courses
  - *International Economics & European Markets:* Second year course
- **AIFMRM, University of Cape Town** Cape Town, SA  
*Tutor* 2018
  - *Market Risk:* Market instruments and measurement of their associated risk (Master course)

## PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

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### ● Conference Presentations

- *Asian Meeting of the Econometric Society*: Sogang University, Seoul, Korea, June. 2018 (Paper accepted but I could not participate in the conference)
- *Royal Economic Society Conference*: University of Sussex, U.K., March 2016
- *Royal Economic Society Postgraduate Presentation Meetings and Job Market*: Westminster Business School, 2016
- *World Congress of the Econometric Society*: Montréal Canada, Aug. 2015
- *UNU-MERIT and MGSOG conference*: Maastricht NL, Nov. 2014
- *China Meeting of the Econometric Society*: Xiamen, China, June 2014
- *Royal Economic Society Postgraduate Presentation Meetings and Job Market*: London U.K., January 2014
- *The 25th International Conference on Game Theory*: Stony Brook University, New York, July 2014
- *10th Workshop on Networks in Economics and Sociology*: Utrecht School of Economics, Nov. 2011

### ● Seminar Presentations

- *AIFMRM Seminars*: University of Cape Town, SA, May & Oct. 2018
- *RUBEN Seminars*: School of Economics, University of Cape Town, July 2017
- *Department of Economics Seminars*: Stellenbosch University, 07 Aug. 2017
- *School of Economics Seminars Series*: University of Cape Town, June 2017
- *Department of Economics Seminars*: University of Pretoria, April 2017
- *Aix-Marseille School of Economics - GREQAMs*: Marseille, Feb. 2016
- *Centre d'Economie de La Sorbonne and Paris School of Economics*: University of Paris 1, Mar. 2013
- *Université de Cergy Pontoise THEMA séminaires*: Cergy-Pontoise, Feb. 2013
- *Cournot séminaires at Bureau d'Economie Théorique et Appliquée (BETA) Strasbourg*: Strasbourg, Jan. 2013
- *Maastricht Lecture Series in Economics*: Maastricht, Nov. 2012

### ● Refereeing Activities

- *Journal of Economic Behaviour & Organization, International Journal of Game Theory*

## AWARDS

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### ● Funding awards

- *URC Postdoctoral Fellowship*: University of Cape Town, Jan. 2017 – Dec. 2018
- *Econometric Society World Congress travel grant*: Aug. 2015
- *UNU Ph.D fellowship*: Maastricht University, Sept. 2009 July 2014
- *The South African Square Kilometre Array (SKA) fellowship*: University of Cape Town, Jan. 2008 – Aug. 2009
- *The National Astrophysics and Space Science Programme (NASSP) fellowship*: University of Cape Town, Jan. 2007 – Dec. 2008
- *Government Merit Scholarship*: Mabrara University, Aug. 2003 – June 2006

## PROGRAMMING SKILLS

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### ● Languages: Python, Matlab, Mathematica, R

## REFERENCES

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