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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

CSEF and University of Naples Federico II, Research Fellow, 2024-

EDUCATION

Ph.D. in Economics, Boston College, 2024

M.A. in Economics (summa cum laude), University of Bologna, 2018

B.A. in Business and Economics, University of Bologna, 2016

RESEARCH PAPERS

“Coordination in complex environments”

“Persuading an inattentive and privately informed receiver,” arXiv:2408.01250; revision requested at the **Journal of Economic Theory**

“Screening in digital monopolies,” with Elia Sartori

WORK IN PROGRESS

“Hosting the influencer,” with Miguel Risco

“Insider information and information aggregation,” with Alp E. Atakan and Mehmet Ekmekci

“Double votes”

HONORS AND AWARDS

Louis-André Gerard-Varet prize for *Coordination in complex environments*, ASSET, 2024

Visiting fellowship, Boston College, 2023

Donald J. White Teaching Excellence Award, Boston College, 2023

Clough Center fellowship, Boston College, 2022-2023

Dissertation fellowship, Boston College, 2022

Summer fellowship, Boston College, 2020 and 2021

Merit-based fellowship, University of Bologna, 2017

PRESENTATIONS

2025-2026: Bonn European Economic Theory Conference, Venice Network Workshop

2024-2025: AMASES, GRASS, ASSET, Italian Junior Theory Workshop, CSEF-IGIER Symposium, SAET

2023-2024: EAYE (Collegio Carlo Alberto), BC-Brown-BU Theory Workshop, University of Naples Federico II, University of Notre Dame (Indiana), University of Bonn, University of Rome Tor Vergata, EAYE (PSE)

2022-2023: Brown Theory/Experimental Lunch Seminar, Boston University Theory Reading Group, 1st BC-BU Theory Conference, European University Institute, Queen Mary PhD Workshop, Warwick PhD Conference, U. of Bologna

2021-2022: Brown Theory/Experimental Lunch Seminar

TEACHING

University of Naples Federico II, instructor:

- Graduate information economics (MEF/LMEF), spring 2025
- Reading group in economic theory, spring 2025

Boston College, instructor:

- Undergraduate game theory, fall 2023

Boston College, teaching assistant:

- Graduate microeconomic theory, fall 2021, spring 2022, fall 2022, spring 2023
- Undergraduate statistics, fall 2020, spring 2021
- Undergraduate machine learning, spring 2020
- Undergraduate market design, fall 2019
- Undergraduate macroeconomic theory, spring 2019

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Journal refereeing: Journal of Economic Theory, Social Choice and Welfare

Seminar co-organizer: 2025-2026 CSEF seminar series

Organizer of theory reading group (2021-2022) and pre-seminar Q&A (2023) at BC

VISITS

European University Institute, 2023

Sponsor: Laurent Mathevet

REFERENCES

Mehmet Ekmekci, Professor of Economics, Boston College, ekmekci@bc.edu

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Laurent Mathevet, Associate Professor, University of Arizona, lmathevet@arizona.edu

PERSONAL

Italian citizen, one child (2024)