

# Evan Piermont

## CURRICULUM VITAE

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## CURRENT APPOINTMENTS

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2017 – **Lecturer (Assistant Professor)**, ECONOMICS  
*Royal Holloway, University of London*

## EDUCATION

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2011 – 2017 **Doctor of Philosophy**, ECONOMICS  
*University of Pittsburgh, Department of Economics*  
Expected Completion: May 2017

2014 – 2015 **Visiting Scholar**, ECONOMICS  
*Northwestern University, Department of Economics*

2013 **Master of Arts**, ECONOMICS  
*University of Pittsburgh, Department of Economics*

2007 – 2011 **Bachelor of Arts**, ECONOMICS AND MATHEMATICS  
*Lake Forest College*

## RESEARCH

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I am a microeconomic theorist and experimental economist. My research is focused on understanding the relationship between information and preference—developing models that explore preference formation, discovery, and evolution and how these processes effect economic interactions. I am interested in both theoretical foundation for these questions as well as the descriptive answers that arise from experimental methods.

### PUBLICATIONS / R&Rs

“Learning the Krepsian State: Exploration Through Consumption,” with Norio Takeoka and Roee Teper, *Games and Economic Behavior*, November 2016, Vol 100, p.69-94

“Context Dependent Beliefs,” *Journal of Mathematical Economics* August 2017, Vol 71, p.63-73

“Introspective Unawareness and Observable Choice,” forthcoming in *Games and Economic Behavior*

“Reference Dependence and Attitudes Towards Uncertainty,” with Juan Sebastián Lleras and Richard Svoboda, revisions requested by *Economic Theory*

## WORKING PAPERS

“Exploration and Correlation,” with Roe Teper

“Distributional Uncertainty and Persuasion”

“Rationalization and Robustness in Dynamic Games with Incomplete Information,” with Peio Zuazo-Garin

“Unawareness, Communication, and Incomplete Contracts: An Experiment”, with Felipe A. Araujo

“Partial Awareness,” with Joe Halpern

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

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2017      **Microeconomics (MsC)**  
*Royal Holloway*

2014 – 2015      **Game Theory**  
*University of Pittsburgh*  
Student Evaluation of “overall teaching effectiveness”: 4.25/5

## WEB DESIGN & PROGRAMING

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HTML, CSS, JavaScript, Django/Flask, SQL, Python,  $\LaTeX$

## AWARDS & HONORS

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Andrew Mellon Predoctoral Fellow (Pitt, 2016), Social Sciences  
Doctoral Dissertation Fellow (Pitt, 2015), Best Second Year Paper  
(Pitt, 2013) Phi-Beta-Kappa Membership (LFC, 2011), Graduated  
Cum Laude (LFC, 2011)