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Research interests

Marketing Theory, Machine Learning, Natural Language Processing, Social Networks

Education

- 2015 Ph.D. in Marketing, University of Arizona
Minor: Computational Linguistics
- 2007 M.B.A., Willamette University
- 2002 B.Sc. in Computer Science, University of Colorado, Boulder

Journal Articles

- 2018 Robert F. Lusch and **Jameson K. M. Watts**, “Redefining the Market: A Treatise on Exchange and Shared Understanding,” *Marketing Theory* **forthcoming**
- Jameson K. M. Watts**, “Trend Spotting: Using Text Analysis to Model Market Dynamics,” *International Journal of Market Research* **forthcoming**
- 2016 Yotam Shmargad and **Jameson K. M. Watts**, “When Online Visibility Deters Social Interaction: The Case of Digital Gifts,” *The Journal of Interactive Marketing* **(lead article)**
- 2014 **Jameson K. M. Watts** and Kenneth Koput, “Supple Networks: Preferential Attachment by Diversity in Nascent Social Graphs,” *Network Science* **(lead article)**

Refereed Conference Proceedings

- 2016 Yotam Shmargad and **Jameson K. M. Watts**, “Strangers You May Know: Social Surveillance and Intimacy Online,” *Proceedings of the 2016 iConference*
- 2015 **Jameson K. M. Watts** and Yotam Shmargad, “Social Visibility and the Gifting of Digital Goods,” *Proceedings of the 2015 ACM Conference on Online Social Networks*

Book Chapters

- 2018 Yotam Shmargad and **Jameson K. M. Watts**, “The Connected Consumer,” *Digital Marketing: Concept, Theory, and Practice*, Libri Publishing Limited, Faringdon, England.

Working papers

Jameson K. M. Watts and Kenneth Koput “The Network Value of Marketing Alliances Under Firm-Specific Uncertainty,” *under 3rd round review at the Journal of Business Research*

Jameson K. M. Watts, “Language Consistency and Stock Market Trading Volume,” *Under second round review at SAGE Open*

Laura J. Kornish, Sharaya M. Jones and **Jameson K. M. Watts**, “Distances Between Key Components of Raw Ideas: Markers of creativity and appeal for new product ideas.”

Conference Presentations

- 2018 “Market Agency: An Information Theory of Exclusion,” *Forum on Marketing and Markets, Tucson, AZ*
- 2018 “Teaching Machines about Semantic Similarity,” *Oregon Marketing Symposium, Portland, OR*
- 2017 “Opinion Leaders or Laggards: Commenting Online in the Wake of a Product Crisis,” *Oregon Marketing Symposium, Eugene, OR*
- 2015 “Social Visibility and the Gifting of Digital Goods,” *Conference on Online Social Networks, Palo Alto, CA*
- 2014 “The Network Value of Marketing Alliances Under Firm-Specific Uncertainty,” *ISBM Conference, San Francisco, CA*
- 2014 “The Network Value of Marketing Alliances Under Firm-Specific Uncertainty,” *Marketing Science Conference, Atlanta, GA*
- 2013 “Supple Networks: Preferential Attachment by Diversity in Nascent Social Graphs,” *Conference on Complexity in Business, Washington, DC*
- 2012 “Macro-level Returns to a Preference for Diversity,” *Forum on Marketing and Markets, Auckland, NZ*
- 2012 “The Social Response: Online Word of Mouth in the Wake of a Product Crisis,” *Invited track at Marketing Science Conference, Boston, MA*

Honors & awards

- 2014 Winner of the ISBM Dissertation Competition
- 2013 One of only ten Ph.D. students admitted into the Santa Fe Institute's Graduate Workshop on Complexity in the Social Sciences
- 2005 Full Scholarship (M.B.A.)

Reviewer

Journal of Interactive Marketing
Journal of Retailing
Marketing Theory

Invited Talks

- 2018 "Panelist: Blockchain, the Revolution Extends Beyond Cryptocurrency," *Willamette University*
- 2017 "Opinion Leadership: Getting Paid for Being Cool and Showing Off," *The Willamette University MBA Leadership Series*
- 2015 "Getting to Know your Market Online," *Willamette AMA club*

University Service

- 2018-2019 Strategy Search Committee
- 2018 Proposal for program expansion in the area of Business Analytics
- 2015-2019 Research Committee, Willamette University MBA
- 2015-2018 Curriculum Committee, Willamette University MBA
- 2018 "Pricing Strategy," *Career day sample class*
- 2016 "Marketing in a World of Connected Consumers," *Career day sample class*
- 2015 "Generations at Risk: You are the Future," *guest lecture on marketing ethics for Professor Barbara Stebbins-Boaz*
- 2015 "Social media marketing," *guest lecture on social media for Professor Elliot Maltz*
- 2013 "The Social Response," *guest lecture on social media research for Professor Hope Schau*

Professional Associations

American Marketing Association
Academy of Marketing Science
Association for Computing Machinery

Teaching experience (and rating)

2018	GSM 6261: Marketing Strategy, <i>M.B.A.</i>
2018	GSM 625: Creating and Implementing Market Driven Strategies, <i>M.B.A.</i>
2018	GSM 625: Creating and Implementing Market Driven Strategies, <i>M.B.A.</i> , 5/5
2017	GSM 5107: Marketing: Creating Satisfied Customers, <i>M.B.A.</i> , 4/5
2017	GSM 6004: Digital Marketing and E-commerce, <i>M.B.A.</i> , 4/5
2017	GSM 6007: Social Media Marketing, <i>M.B.A.</i> , 4/5
2016	GSM 5107: Marketing: Creating Satisfied Customers, <i>M.B.A.</i> , 5/5
2016	GSM 625: Creating and Implementing Market Driven Strategies, <i>M.B.A.</i> , 4/5
2015	GSM 6007: Social Media Marketing, <i>M.B.A.</i> , 5/5
2012	BNAD 303: Introduction to Marketing, <i>Undergraduate</i> , 5/5

Industry Consulting

CravenSpeed, Portland OR
Ibis Cycles, Santa Cruz CA

Industry experience

2009-2010	Managing Partner at Graphex Corp., <i>Westminster, CO</i>
2007-2009	Interactive Director at Vermilion Design + Interactive, <i>Boulder, CO</i>
2004-2005	IT Manager at Mid-Valley IPA, <i>Salem, OR</i>
2002-2004	Senior Software Engineer at Wall Street on Demand, <i>Boulder, CO</i>
1998-2002	Various software development gigs with tech startups, <i>Boulder, CO</i>

Volunteer Activities

2016-2018	Volunteer Trail Builders, Northwest Trail Alliance
2016-2018	Board Member, Northwest Trail Alliance

Personal Interests

Surfing, camping, snow-sports and mountain biking.

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