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#### **CAMPUS ADDRESS:**

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# **RESEARCH INTERESTS:**

Economics of Information Goods, Empirical Industrial Organization, Economics of Digital Media, Digital Strategies

## **ACADEMIC POSITIONS:**

Assistant Professor - Department of Economics, Wellesley College	2010- Present
Post-doctoral Fellow – Heinz School, Carnegie Mellon	2009-2010

## **EDUCATION:**

Ph.D. Applied Economics	University of Pennsylvania	2010
B.S. Economics	Haverford College	2000

#### **PUBLICATIONS:**

"Converting Pirates Without Cannibalizing Purchasers: The Effect of Digital Distribution on Internet Piracy and Physical Channel Sales" with Samita Dhanasobhon, Michael Smith, and Rahul Telang. *Marketing Science*. INFORMS, vol 29(6), pp. 1138-1151.

#### WORKING PAPERS:

- "Reel Piracy: The Effect of Internet Movie Piracy on Film Box Office Sales" with Joel Waldfogel (under review)
- "An Empirical Analysis of Digital Music Bundling Strategies" with Yan Huang, Mike Smith, and Rahul Telang
- "The Effect of Graduated Response Anti-Piracy Laws on Music Sales: Evidence from an Event Study in France" with Mike Smith, Rahul Telang, and Siwen Chen

#### **WORK IN PROGRESS:**

"Will People Pay When it's Free?: The Effect of Piracy on the Own-Price Elasticity of Digital Music"

"Systematic Biases in Privacy Decision-making" with Alessandro Acquisti

## FELLOWSHIPS AND AWARDS:

Post-doctoral Fellowship, Carnegie Mellon University	2009
Research Grant, Center for the Analysis of Property Rights and Innovation, UT Dallas	2009
Ackoff Fellowship for Research on Decision-making Under Uncertainty Wharton School, University of Pennsylvania	2008

## **TEACHING:**

Wellesley College, 2010 – present Introduction to Statistics Introduction to Microeconomics The Information Economy Industrial Organization

Wharton School, University of Pennsylvania, 2007-2009 Managerial Economics, MBA Program Managerial Economics, Executive MBA Program

#### **PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES:**

Preser	itations

Workshop on Information Systems and Economics	Shanghai, China	2011
Statistical Challenges in E-Commerce Research	Rio de Janeiro, Brazil	2011
DO&IT Seminar Series, University of Maryland	College Park, MD	2010
DISOM Seminar Series, University of Washington	Seattle, WA	2010
Workshop on Information Systems and Economics	Tuscon, AZ	2009
Carnegie Mellon Applied Economic Seminar	Pittsburgh, PA	2009
Society for Economic Research on Copyright Issues	Berkeley, CA	2009
Workshop on Information Systems and Economics	Paris, France	2008
Web 2.0 Workshop hosted by the ZEW	Mannheim, Germany	2008

## Referee Service

Information Systems Research, Management Information Systems Quarterly, Management Science, International Review of Law and Economics, American Review of Law and Economics

## Discussant Service

Workshop on Information Systems and Economics

2008

## **Memberships**

Society for Economic Research on Copyright Issues (SERCI)

NON-ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE:

Consultant – EMI Music New York, NY 2009-2010 Analyst - Vanguard Group. Malvern, PA 2000-2003