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## POSITIONS

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**Postdoctoral Research Fellow**

University of Oxford

July 2018 to present

## EDUCATION

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**Ph.D. in Business Administration – Marketing**

University of Iowa

2018

**Master of Science in Economics**

University of Iowa

2012

**Bachelor of Science in Economics**

Brigham Young University

2010

## RESEARCH INTERESTS

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Econometric modeling, New Product Development, computational creativity, Bayesian econometrics, machine learning applications in marketing

## WORKING PAPERS

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Bell, J. Jason, Christian Pescher, and Gerard Tellis. “Is Creativity Purely Random? Humans vs. Machines for Idea Screening in Crowdsourcing Contests”

*Preparing for submission to Marketing Science. Target submission date: August 1, 2019.*

Bell, J. Jason and Thomas S. Gruca. “Hardware Manufacturer Ownership of Software Distribution Platforms: Strategy, Profits and Consumer Welfare”

*Under Review at Marketing Science*

Bell, J. Jason, Sanghak Lee, and Gary J. Russell. “Choosing How to Choose: Attribute Selection for Consideration Set Formation”

*Preparing for submission to Marketing Science*

Bell, J. Jason, Sanghak Lee, and Thomas S. Gruca. “Reaching Rural Heart Patients: A Spatial Allocation Game with Competition”

*Preparing for submission to Marketing Science*

## WORK IN PROGRESS

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Bell, J. Jason, Rhonda Hadi and Andrew Stephen. “False Learning from Large Gains: The Downside of Atypical Success in Crowdfunding”

*Results complete, preparing manuscript, intended for Journal of Marketing Research.*

Thomaz, Felipe, J. Jason Bell, Andrew Stephen and Yakov Bart. “The Honeymoon Effect: the Rise and Fall of Mobile Advertising Effectiveness”

*Final analysis in progress, intended for Journal of Marketing.*

Efremova, Natalia, J. Jason Bell, Felipe Thomaz and Andrew Stephen. “Balancing Brand Strategy with Short Term Sales: A Meta-model of Advertising”

*Data collected, refining methods.*

Brooks, Gillian, J. Jason Bell and Andrew Stephen. “Influencer Life Cycles on YouTube”

*Some preliminary results. Further data collection in progress. Intended for Journal of Consumer Research.*

## PRESENTATIONS

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“Is Creativity Purely Random? Humans vs. Machines for Idea Screening in Crowdsourcing Contests,” ISMS Marketing Science Conference, Rome, Italy, June 2019

“An Empirical Model of Screening Rule Choice,” ISMS Marketing Science Conference, Los Angeles, CA, June 2017

“An Empirical Model of Screening Rule Choice,” Haring Doctoral Symposium, Bloomington, IN, April 2017

“Reaching Rural Heart Patients: A Spatial Allocation Game with Competition,” ISMS Marketing Science Conference, Baltimore, MD, June 2015

## AWARDS AND HONORS

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Sheth Fellow, University of Iowa, 2017

Paul D. Converse Symposium, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, 2016

Graduate College Post-Comprehensive Research Award, University of Iowa, Fall 2016

Ponder Summer Fellowship, University of Iowa, 2014 - 2016

## TEACHING INTERESTS

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Marketing Analytics, Marketing Research, Product Management

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

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### Head Teaching Assistant

Fall 2016 – 2018

Introduction to Marketing Strategy

- Managed seven other TAs
- Proofread and influenced test design

### Co-Instructor (11 semesters)

Fall 2010 – 2018

Introduction to Marketing Strategy

- Led weekly discussion sections

- Teaching evaluations: 4.4/6.0, Fall 2015; 4.8/6.0, Fall 2016

#### Money, Banking and Financial Markets

- Led weekly discussion sections, explained problem sets
- Occasionally gave main lecture to roughly 200 students

#### Statistics for Strategy Problems

- Led weekly discussion sections, explained problem sets

## REFERENCES

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## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

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**Financial Services Department, Brigham Young University**

July 2008 - May 2010

Auditor

- Conducted transaction audits

## WORKSHOPS

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Workshop on Quantitative Marketing and Structural Econometrics, Northwestern University, 2015

Workshop on Quantitative Marketing and Structural Econometrics, Duke University, 2013

## TECHNICAL SKILLS

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**Computer Languages/Software**

R, Python, Stata, C++, C, Latex,  
HTML, CSS, Matlab

**Tools**

Git, spaCy, BeautifulSoup, Selenium

**Proficiencies**

Natural language processing, web scraping,  
data mining