

Contact information

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Professional and academic experience

Cornerstone Research, London, UK

– Senior Economist

2024 – present

University College London

– Assistant Professor in Economics (on leave in 2024-25)

2012 – present

– MSc Economics Programme Director

2020 – 2024

– MSc Economics Admissions Tutor

2020 – 2024

Centre for Economic Policy Research

– Research Affiliate, Industrial Organization and
Organizational Economics sections

2016 – present

Education

New York University

Ph.D. in Economics

2012

New Economic School, Moscow

M.A. in Economics

2006

Moscow Institute of Physics and Technology

B.Sc. and M.Sc. in Physics and Applied Mathematics

2006

Publications

“The Ratchet Effect: A Learning Perspective”, (with V. Bhaskar),
Journal of Economic Theory, Vol. 214, December 2023

“Consumer Privacy and Serial Monopoly”, (with V. Bhaskar),
RAND Journal of Economics, Vol. 52, Issue 4, Winter 2021

“Competition and networks of collaboration”
Theoretical Economics, Vol. 13, Issue 3, September 2018

“A quantitative analysis of the used car market”
(with Alessandro Gavazza and Alessandro Lizzeri)
American Economic Review, Vol. 104, Issue 11, November 2014

“Nonlinear pricing of storable goods” (with Igal Hendel and Alessandro Lizzeri)
American Economic Journal: Microeconomics, Vol. 6, Issue 3, August 2014

Work in progress

“Circles of Trust: Rival Information in Social Networks”,
(with Petra Persson and Samuel Lee)

“Consumer storage confronts monopoly power”, (with V. Bhaskar)

“Manipulative consumers”, (with Michael Richter)

Grants, fellowships and awards

British Academy/Leverhulme Small Research Grant (SRG19\190712), 2019
AEJ Best Paper Award (joint with Igal Hendel and Alessandro Lizzeri), 2016
NET Institute Summer Research Grant, 2012
Henry MacCracken Fellowship, NYU, 2006 - 2010

Professional activities

- Referee for American Economic Review, Econometrica, Review of Economic Studies, Quarterly Journal of Economics, Theoretical Economics*, Journal of Economic Theory, The RAND Journal of Economics, Games and Economic Behavior, Journal of the European Economic Association, Economic Journal, International Journal of Game Theory, International Economic Review, Defence and Peace Economics, Production and Operations Management, Social Choice and Welfare, Journal of Economics and Management Strategy, Mathematical Social Sciences.
- CEPR Virtual Industrial Organization Seminar co-organizer in 2023-24
- Programme Committee member for the Royal Economic Society 2015, 2016, 2017 Conferences.
- Local co-organizer for ENTER Jamboree 2017 (jointly with Ian Preston and Martin Weidner).
- Co-organizer for the Theory seminar series at UCL in 2012-15 and 2017-20.
- Co-organizer for joint UCL-LSE Theory workshop in 2014 and 2018.
- Organizer for theory brown-bag seminar series at UCL in 2015-2020.

Teaching

Game Theory (BSc, ECON027): 2012-2024
Empirical Industrial Organization (MSc, ECON072): 2023-2024
Microeconomics (MSc, second half, ECONG021): 2012-2016
Urban Economics (BSc, ECON032): 2016-2020

Conferences

2012: Columbia-Duke-Northwestern IO Theory Conference, Northwestern U.
2013: Cambridge-INET Workshop.
2014: AEA Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, PA.
2015: New Directions in Applied Microeconomics, Caltech.
2017: NASMES, Washington U., St. Louis, MO.
2019: 5th NYU Econ Alumni Conference
2021: IIOC, EARIE Annual conference
2023: IIOC, CEPR-JIE Applied IO, SAET conference, EARIE Annual conference, EEA-ESEM Congress, IO Theory workshop in Athens, Christmas Micro Theory Conference in Bonn
2024: ESSET Gerzensee

Seminars

2011: NES. 2012: UCL, HEC Paris, UPF, UC3M, CEU. 2013: PSE. 2014: LSE. 2015: Vienna Joint Economics Seminar, Max Planck Institute (Bonn), U of Surrey. 2016: UT Austin, Queen's Management School, WZB, EUI, EIEF. 2017: U of Bristol, Royal Holloway. 2018:

QMUL, HSE. 2019: Rice U, UT Austin, Bar Ilan university, Tel Aviv University, Haifa University. 2020: Oxford, Bonn/Berlin Micro Theory Seminar. 2021: U of Copenhagen. 2022: Collegio Carlo Alberto, Cambridge. 2023: Baruch College, Aalto University

Certificates and Software Skills

- Machine Learning Specialization by DeepLearning.AI, 2023
- Deep Learning Specialization by DeepLearning.AI, 2022
- SQL Fundamentals by DataCamp, 2022
- Python, MATLAB, Julia, SQL, HPC

Personal

British citizen; Born September 2, 1984; Married, two children.