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CURRENT APPOINTMENT

2016–present Assistant Professor of Economics • Maxwell School of Citizenship and Public Affairs
Syracuse University

EDUCATION

2016 Doctor of Philosophy • Economics • Yale University
Dissertation Committee: Dirk Bergemann (chair)
Johannes Hörner • Larry Samuelson • Aleh Tsyvinski

2013 Master of Philosophy • Economics • Yale University

2012 Master of Arts • Economics • Yale University

2010 Master of Philosophy • Economics • Central European University

2008 Master of Arts • Economics • Corvinus University of Budapest

PUBLICATIONS

2023 “Rational Altruism,”
Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization, 207, 50–80

2022 “Cognitive Limits and Preferences for Information,”
Decisions in Economics and Finance, forthcoming

2022 “Equilibrium Non-Existence in Generalized Games,”
Games and Economic Behavior, 135, 327–337

2021 “Meet Meets Join: The Interaction between Pooled and Common Knowledge,”
International Journal of Game Theory, 50, 989–1019

2021 “A Unified Epistemological Theory of Information Processing,”
Theory and Decision, 90, 63–83

2018 “Non-Linear Pricing and Optimal Shipping Policies,”
Games and Economic Behavior, 112, 194–218

2016 “Income Redistribution in Open Economies,”
Journal of Public Economics, 134, 19–34

2008 “A Markov-láncok modelljének matematikai háttere,”
in *Markov-modellek: Elmélet, becslés és társadalomtudományi alkalmazások*,
ed. by K. Major, Budapest: Corvinus University of Budapest & Eötvös Loránd University

WORKING PAPERS

“Optimal Taxation of Addictive Goods Consumed by Naïve Hyperbolic Discounters”
“Election-Night Information and Voter Turnout: Evidence from the United States”

RESEARCH INTERESTS

microeconomic theory • public finance • political economy

CONFERENCE & SEMINAR PRESENTATIONS

- 2017 North American Winter Meeting of the Econometric Society
- 2016 Syracuse University
- 2015 CESifo Area Conference on Global Economy • 30th Annual Congress of the European Economic Association • Yale University
- 2014 Yale University (2×)
- 2013 Yale University

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 2011–2016 Research Assistant to Dirk Bergemann • Department of Economics • Yale University
- 2014 Research Assistant to James Choi • Yale School of Management
- 2006 Credit Risk Analyst • OTP Bank

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATION

- 2015–present CESifo Research Network Affiliate

FELLOWSHIPS, HONORS & AWARDS

- 2015 Raymond Powell Teaching Prize
- 2015 European Economic Association Student Travel Award
- 2014–2015 Yale University Dissertation Fellowship
- 2014–2015 Annie G. K. Garland Memorial Fellowship
- 2013–2014 John Y. Campbell Fellowship
- 2010–2014 Yale University Fellowship
- 2010–2014 Cowles Foundation Fellowship
- 2011–2012 Falk Foundation Fellowship
- 2010 Academic Achievement Award for First-Year Doctoral Students • Central European University
- 2008–2010 Central European University Doctoral Fellowship
- 2008 Class Valedictorian Award • Corvinus University of Budapest
- 2005–2007 Scholarship of the Republic of Hungary

TEACHING

Syracuse University

- Instructor • ECN 505 • undergraduate mathematical economics
Fall 2022 • Spring 2022 • Fall 2021 • Spring 2021 • Fall 2020 • Spring 2020 • Fall 2019 • Spring 2019 •
Fall 2018 • Spring 2018 • Fall 2017 • Spring 2017 • Fall 2016
- Instructor • ECN 611 • graduate microeconomics
Fall 2022 • Spring 2018 • Spring 2017
- Instructor • ECN 612 • graduate microeconomics
Spring 2022 • Spring 2021 • Spring 2020 • Spring 2019
- Instructor • ECN 301 • undergraduate microeconomics
Fall 2021 • Fall 2020 • Fall 2019
- Instructor • supplemental course in graduate macroeconomics
Summer 2018

Yale University

- Teaching Fellow • ECON 501b • graduate microeconomics
Spring 2016 • Spring 2014 • Spring 2013
- Teaching Fellow • ECON 500a • graduate microeconomics
Fall 2015 • Fall 2013 • Fall 2012

Residential College Mathematics & Science Tutor • Silliman College

Spring 2015 • Fall 2014

Teaching Assistant • ECON S116 • introductory macroeconomics

Summer 2014

Tutor • Freshman Scholars at Yale

Summer 2013

Residential College Mathematics & Science Tutor • Timothy Dwight College

Spring 2012 • Fall 2011

Central European University

Teaching Assistant • master-level macroeconomic theory

Spring 2010

Teaching Assistant • master-level mathematical methods for economics

Fall 2009

Teaching Assistant • master-level pre-session mathematics for economics

Summer 2009

Teaching Assistant • master-level macroeconomics for public policy

Spring 2009

Teaching Assistant • master-level microeconomics for public policy

Fall 2008

Corvinus University of Budapest

Teaching Assistant • undergraduate linear algebra & linear programming

Spring 2006

Teaching Assistant • undergraduate probability theory

Fall 2005

REFEREE SERVICE

Econometrica • *Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization* • *Journal of the European Economic Association* • *Journal of Public Economic Theory*

ACADEMIC SERVICE

Syracuse University

2019–present Undergraduate Major Mentor • Economics Department

2017–present Member • Graduate Microeconomic Theory Comprehensive Examination Committee
Economics Department

2019–2020 Organizer • Junior Faculty Seminar • Economics Department

2017–2019 Co-Organizer • Graduate Student Workshop • Economics Department

2017–2018 Co-Organizer • Applied Micro Lunch • Economics Department

2016–2017 Member • Econometrics & Public Economics Faculty Search Committee
Economics Department

LANGUAGES

Hungarian (native) • English (fluent) • French (advanced) • Latin (intermediate) • Finnish (beginner) • German (beginner)