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Education

Ph.D., Economics, Purdue University, August 2004.

M.S., Economics, Purdue University, May 2001.

M.S., Financial Markets and Intermediaries, Université des Sciences Sociales de Toulouse, June 1999.

B.A., Economics, Université Pierre Mendès France (Grenoble), September 1998.

Employment

Associate Professor, Kent State University, August 2010 - Present

Assistant Professor, Kent State University, August 2004 - 2010.

Other Positions Held

Academic Visitor, Centre for Economic Studies and Planning, JNU, New Delhi, July-August 2010.

Visiting Faculty, Planning Unit, Indian Statistical Institute, New Delhi, July 2006 & 2007.

Research and Teaching Interests

Industrial Organization, Experimental Economics, Game Theory, Microeconomics.

Publications

“Caps on Bidding in All-Pay Auctions: Comments on the Experiments of A. Rapoport and W. Amaldoss” (with Dan Kovenock and Volodymyr Lugovskyy), *Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization*, Vol. 61, 2006, 276-283.

“Tacit Collusion and Capacity Withholding in Repeated Uniform Price Auctions” (with Dan Kovenock), *Rand Journal of Economics*, Vol. 38, No. 4, 2007, 1044-1069.

“Appropriability and Commercialization: Evidence from MIT Inventions” (with Brent Goldfarb, Scott Shane and Marie Thursby), *Management Science*, Vol. 54, No. 5, 2008, 893-906.

“Auction-Theoretic Approach to Modeling Legal Systems: An Experimental Analysis” (with Marakah Mancini), *Applied Economics Research Bulletin*, Vol.2, Special Issue I, Theoretical, Empirical and Experimental Research on Auctions, 2008, 142-177.

“Shirking, Sharing Risk and Shelving: The Role of University License Contracts” (with Marie Thursby and Jerry Thursby), *International Journal of Industrial Organization*, Vol. 27, No. 1, 2009, 80-91.

“Price Leadership and Firm Size Asymmetry: An Experimental Analysis” (with Shakun Datta Mago), *Experimental Economics*, Vol. 12, No. 3, 2009, 289-317.

“Ill-defined versus Precise Pre-play Communication in the Traveler’s Dilemma” (with Sujoy Chakravarty and Jaideep Roy), *Southern Economic Journal*, Vol. 77, No. 2, 2010, 351-368.

“Inventor Moral Hazard in University Licensing: The Role of Contracts” (with Marie Thursby and Jerry Thursby), NBER Working Paper No. w14226, August 2008, *Research Policy*, Special issue on “The changing role of public sector research in innovation,” Forthcoming.

“Endogenous Rationing, Price Dispersion and Collusion in Capacity Constrained Supergames” (with Dan Kovenock), March 2010, *Economic Theory*, Forthcoming.

Working Papers and Completed Manuscripts

“Preemptive Corruption, Hold-Up and Repeated Interactions” (with Andrew Samuel), Kent State University mimeo, current draft: June 2009, *under review*.

“A Comment on “David Vs. Goliath: An Analysis of Asymmetric Mixed-Strategy Games and Experimental Evidence”,” (with Dan Kovenock and Volodymyr Lugovskyy), Krannert Working Paper Series, Working Paper No. 1162, August 2003.

“Appropriability and the Timing of Innovation: Evidence from MIT Inventions,” (with Brent Goldfarb, Scott Shane and Marie Thursby), NBER Working Paper No. w9735, May 2003.

“Collusion in Bertrand-Edgeworth Duopoly Supergames and 2-phase Punishment Paths,” Purdue University mimeo, (current draft: June 2003).

Work in progress

“Bribery, Red-tape, and Formal Lending in Bangladesh” (with Aaron Lowen and Andrew Samuel)

“Collusion and Output Sharing with Asymmetric Firms: An Experiment” (with Shakun Datta Mago)

“Action Commitment and Bertrand-Edgeworth Competition”

“All Pay Auctions with Caps on Bidding: Theory and Experimental Evidence” (with Dan Kovenock and Volodymyr Lugovskyy).

Awards and Grants

Various University Research Council Grants, Kent State University, April 2005-June 2006.

Technology Transfer Initiative Grant for “An Experimental Analysis of Litigation Systems,” Purdue, September 2002.

Technology Transfer Initiative Dissertation Award, Purdue, 2002-2003.

Graduate Assistantship, Krannert School of Management, Purdue, 1999-2002 and 2003-2004.

Service*At Kent State University*

Advisory Committee on Academic Assessment (Fall 2009-Present)
College Advisory Committee (Fall 2008)
Faculty Advisory Committee (Fall 2004-Present)
Strategic Planning Committee (Spring 2009)
Chair Review Committee (Spring 2009)
Master of Arts in Economics Committee (Fall 2004-Present)
Graduate Council (Fall 2007-Present)
Graduate Council Ph.D. subcommittee (Fall 2006-2007, Fall 2009-Present)
Ad hoc committee on the Economics major (Fall 2004-2006)
Economics department seminar series coordinator (Fall 2005-Present)
Economics Club faculty supervisor (Fall 2007-2009)

Doctoral dissertations and Master's theses

David Salerno (Accounting, in progress)
Lihua Chen (M&IS, in progress)
Aiwu Zhao (Finance, December 08)

External

Referee for *Economic Theory*, *International Journal of Industrial Organization*, *Management Science*, *Games and Economic Behavior*, *Journal of the European Economic Association*, *International Journal of Game Theory*, *International Economic Review*, *Journal of Economics and Management Strategy*, *Experimental Economics*, *Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization*, *Southern Economic Journal*, *The International Journal of Technological Innovation*, *Journal of Technology Transfer*.

Membership in professional organizations

American Economic Association, Member
Economic Science Association, Member
Econometric Society, Member
Southern Economic Association, Member

Conferences and Presentations*Conferences*

Southern Economic Association Annual Meeting, San Antonio, TX (November 2009)
Midwest Economics Association Annual Meeting, Cleveland, OH (March 2009)
Southern Economic Association Annual Meeting, Washington, DC (November 2008)
Southern Economic Association Annual Meeting, New Orleans, LA (November 2007)
The Northeast Ohio Economics Workshop, Cleveland State University, Cleveland, OH (November 2007)
Association Francaise de Science Economique, Journées d'Economie Expérimentale (AFSE-JEE), GATE, Lyon, France (May 2007)
International Industrial Organization Conference (IIOC), Georgia Southern University, Savannah, GA (April 2007)
Midwest Economic Theory Meetings, Purdue (October 2006)
Economic Science Association (ESA) North American Regional Meeting, Tucson, AZ (September 2005)

Midwest Economic Theory Meetings, Vanderbilt University, Nashville, TN (April 2005)

Entrepreneurship Working Group, NBER, Boston, MA (October 2004)

International Industrial Organization Conference (IIOC), Northwestern University, Chicago, IL (April 2004)

Economic Science Association (ESA) North American Regional Meeting, Tucson, AZ (October 2003)

European Association for Research in Industrial Economics (EARIE), 30th Annual Conference, Helsinki, Finland (August 2003)

Midwest Economic Theory Meetings, University of Notre Dame, South Bend, IN (October 2002)

NBER Summer Institute, Boston, MA (July 2002)

Invited seminar presentations

Delhi School of Economics

CESP, Jawaharlal Nehru University

Case Western Reserve University

GATE, CNRS & Université de Lyon 2

University of Richmond

Planning Unit, ISI-Delhi

Cleveland State University

University of Akron

Purdue University