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### **PRESENT POSITION**

Reader, Department of Economics, London School of Economics, 2011-present

### **PAST POSITION**

Visiting Scholar, Russell Sage Foundation 2012-2013

Lecturer, Department of Economics, London School of Economics, 2003-2011

Research Fellow, Nuffield College, Oxford, 2000-2003

### **EDUCATION**

University of California, Berkeley PhD 2001

Columbia University BA 1995

### **PUBLISHED PAPERS**

“Extensive Imitation is Irrational and Harmful” (with Matthew Rabin), *Quarterly Journal of Economics* 129(4), 2014: 1861-1898.

“Congested Observational Learning” (with Andrea Galeotti, Navin Kartik and Matthew Rabin), *Games and Economic Behavior* 87, 2014: 519-538.

“An Approach to Asset Pricing Under Complete and Diverse Perceptions” (with Michele Piccione), *Econometrica* 81(4), 2013: 1483-1506.

“Naïve Herding in Rich-Information Settings” (with Matthew Rabin), *American Economic Journal: Microeconomics* 2(4), 2010: 221-243.

“The Distributional Consequences of Diversity-Enhancing University Admissions Rules” (with Jimmy Chan), *Journal of Law, Economics, and Organization*, 25(2), 2009: 499-517.

“Party Platforms in Electoral Competition with Heterogeneous Constituencies” (with Thomas Kittsteiner), *Theoretical Economics* 2(1), March 2007: 41-70.

“Cursed Equilibrium” (with Matthew Rabin), *Econometrica* 73(5), September 2005: 1623-1672.

“Does Banning Affirmative Action Harm College Student Quality” (with Jimmy Chan), *American Economic Review* 93(2), June 2003: 858-872.

## **WORKING PAPERS**

“Financial Markets where Traders Neglect the Information Content in Prices” (with Matthew Rabin and Dimitri Vayanos) CEPR Discussion Paper 10629, May 2015.

“Preferences for Fair Prices, Cursed Expectations, and the Nonneutrality of Money” (with Kristof Madarasz and Pascal Michailat) CEP Discussion Paper 1325, February 2015.

“The Demand for Bad Policy when Voters Underappreciate Equilibrium Effects” (with Ernesto Dal Bo and Pedro Dal Bo).

“Correlation Neglect in Financial Decision Making” (with Georg Weizsaecker).

“Rationalising the Past: A Taste for Consistency”.

## **DRAFTS IN PROGRESS**

“An Experiment on Social Mislearning” (with Matthew Rabin and Georg Weizsaecker).

“Betting on Elections: A No-Arbitrage Condition” (with Thomas Kittsteiner).

## **AFFILIATIONS**

Research Affiliate, CEPR (Public Policy) and CESifo

Member Editorial Board *Review of Economic Studies* 2004-2009

## **CONFERENCE AND SEMINAR PRESENTATIONS (past five years)**

Berkeley, Bocconi, Bonn, CESifo (Behavioral Economics Conference), Columbia, Cornell, DIW (Conference on Behavioral Finance), Harvard, Hebrew, Lausanne, Mannheim, Michigan, NBER Behavioral Finance, Northwestern, NYU Stern, Paris, Penn, Queen Mary, Russell Sage Foundation, SITE (Stanford), Stanford, Stony Brook (Game Theory Festival), Technical University Berlin, Tel Aviv, UCL, UCLA, UCSD, USC, Vienna, Wharton

## **REFEREEING (past year)**

American Economic Review, Econometrica, Games & Economic Behavior, Journal of Economic Theory, Journal of the European Economic Association, Journal of Political Economy, Management Science, Quarterly Journal of Economics, Review of Economic Studies, Theoretical Economics

## **TEACHING**

Microeconomic Principles I (2010-2012, 2014-)

Microeconomic Theory for Research Students (2010-2013)

Advanced Microeconomics (2007-2010, 2013-)

Advanced Economic Analysis (2003-2009)

Advanced Microeconomics (2004-2009)

Microeconomics for MRes Students (2006-2007)

## **PHD STUDENTS SUPERVISED**

Guy Mayraz 2009, Lecturer (Assistant Professor) University of Melbourne

Sebastian Kodritsch 2013, Postdoc WZB/Humboldt

Min Zhang 2015, Lecturer (Assistant Professor) St Andrews