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Academic Positions

Professor of Economics, UCLA, 2021 – current
Associate Professor of Economics, UCLA, 2015 – 2021
Assistant Professor of Economics, UCLA, 2007 – 2015

Private Sector Employment

Market Strategy Expert, SAP AG, 2005 – 2007
Associate Consultant, McKinsey Germany, 2003 – 2005

Education

Dr. rer. pol. (~Ph.D.), Economics, University of Bonn, October 2003
Diplom (~M.Sc.), Mathematics, University of Freiburg, July 2000
Maîtrise (~M.A.), Mathematics, University Paris VII, June 1998

Research Interests

Microeconomic Theory; in particular Mechanism Design and Dynamic Games

Working Papers

“Experimentation in Networks”, with S. Board – R&R *AER*
“Recruiting Talent”, with S. Board and T. Sadzik – R&R *REStud*

Publications (all in peer-reviewed journals)

“Discrimination in Hiring: Evidence from Retail Sales”, with A. Benson and S. Board – *REStud* forthcoming
“A Reputational Theory of Firm Dynamics”, with S. Board, *AEJ-Micro* 2022
“Learning Dynamics in Social Networks”, with S. Board, *Ecma* 2021
“A Conversational War of Attrition”, with K. Bognar and L. Smith, *REStud* 2018
“An Optimal Voting System when Voting is Costly”, with K. Bognar and T. Börgers, *JET* 2015
“Relational Contracts in Competitive Labor Markets”, with S. Board, *REStud* 2015
“Reputation for Quality”, with S. Board, *Ecma* 2013
“Locally Robust Implementation and its Limits”, with P. Jehiel and B. Moldovanu, *JET* 2012
“The Robustness of Robust Implementation”, with S. Morris, *JET* 2011
“Ex-Post Implementation and Preference Aggregation via Potentials”, with P. Jehiel and B. Moldovanu, *ET* 2008
“Posterior Implementation vs. Ex-Post Implementation”, with P. Jehiel, B. Moldovanu and W. Zame, *EL* 2007
“Mixed Bundling Auctions”, with P. Jehiel and B. Moldovanu, *JET* 2007
“The Limits of Ex-Post Implementation”, with P. Jehiel, B. Moldovanu and W. Zame, *Ecma* 2006

Major Grants, Awards, Editorships

Co-Editor: Review of Economic Design 2019 -
Associate Editor: American Economic Review 2017 -
Associate Editor: Econometrica 2020 -
Associate Editor: Journal of Economic Theory 2017 -
Warren C. Scoville Distinguished Teaching Award; spring 2012, 2015, winter 2020
NSF-2149291: An Equilibrium Model of Experimentation on Networks, with S. Board; 2022-24; \$191,630
NSF-0922321: Reputation Formation with Hidden R&D, with S. Board; 2009-11; \$210,675

Personal Information

Languages: English (fluent), German (native), French (proficient), Hungarian (struggling)
Family: Married to Katalin Bognar, proud father of Lili and Sophie Meyer-ter-Vehn
Citizenship: German and US

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