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Academic Positions

2024 – present Senior Lecturer (Associate Professor), School of Economics, University of Edinburgh
2021 – 2024 Lecturer (Assistant Professor), School of Economics, University of Edinburgh
2021 – 2023 Researcher (part-time), Department of Economics, BI Norwegian Business School
2018 – 2021 Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, BI Norwegian Business School
2015 – 2018 Mead Research Fellow, Emmanuel College, University of Cambridge

Education

2012 – 2015 DPhil (PhD) in Economics, University of Oxford
Advisor: Ian Jewitt
Edgeworth Prize for Outstanding Doctoral Thesis
2010 – 2012 MPhil in Economics (with distinction), University of Oxford
2007 – 2010 BA in Quantitative Methods in Economics, Warsaw School of Economics

Fields

Applied Theory, Labor

Publications

The Pond Dilemma with Heterogenous Relative Concerns, **Journal of Public Economics**, 2025, vol. 249
On the Importance of Social Status for Occupational Sorting, **Economic Journal**, 2024, vol. 134, issue 661
Supply and Demand in a Two-Sector Matching Model, **Journal of Political Economy**, 2021, vol. 129, no. 3.

Working Papers

A Firm Link: Overall, Between- and Within-Firm Inequality Through the Lens of a Sorting Model, with Yuejun Zhao, **R&R at the Review of Economic Studies**
Mexican Migration to the United States: Selection, Assignment, and Welfare, with Michał Burzynski
Occupational Sorting and the Structure of Status (dormant)

Work in Progress

Amenities, Sorting, and Progressive Taxation, with Stuart Breslin
Sorting along Business Cycles, with Haozhou Tang

Grants

- 2023–2028 ERC Starting Grant, MULTIDIMENSIONAL SORTING (funded by Horizon Europe Guarantee)
Value: 1 384 198 EUR
- 2021–2023 Baltic Research Programme Grant
Consortium of 5 universities, I was co-PI at the Norwegian Business School
Value: Overall 843 309 EUR, my part was 72 107 EUR

Teaching Experience

- 2024 – *Advanced Topics in Microeconomics* (MSc), University of Edinburgh
- 2021 – 2023 *Economics of Sorting, Economics 1* (undergraduate), University of Edinburgh
- 2019 – 2021 *Advanced Microeconomics, Topic in Microeconomics I, Topic in Microeconomics II* (PhD), BI Norwegian Business School
- 2015 – 2018 *Microeconomics IIA, Microeconomic Principles and Problems* (undergraduate supervisions), University of Cambridge
- 2012 – 2015 *Introduction to Microeconomics, Core Microeconomics* (undergraduate tutorials), University of Oxford

PhD Supervision

- Completed: Linnea Lorentzen (BI; first job: tenure-track Assistant Professor at University of Oslo)
- Ongoing: Jiaying Li, Chenchen Li, Yahui Fan (all at Edinburgh).

Departmental Service

- 2024 Co-organiser of the Theory Day workshop, University of Edinburgh
- 2022, 2025 Hiring Committee, University of Edinburgh
- 2020 Organiser of the main Seminar Series, BI Norwegian Business School
- 2019 – 2020 Co-coordinator of the Junior Faculty Search, BI Norwegian Business School
- 2015 – 2018 Organiser of the Search&Matching Reading Group, University of Cambridge

External Presentations

- 2024 DUFÉ (IAER), Asian Meeting of Econometric Society (Hangzhou), European Meeting of Econometric Society (Rotterdam), Hurwicz Workshop (Warsaw)
- 2023 LISER, CERGE-EI, University of Vienna
- 2022 University of Bristol, University of Sussex
- 2021 University of Oxford, University of Edinburgh
- 2020 NTNU Trondheim, Monash University

- 2019 Norwegian School of Economics, Asian Meeting of the Econometric Society (Xiamen), University of Gothenburg, Helsinki School of Economics
- 2018 University of Nottingham, BI Norwegian Business School, Warsaw School of Economics, Hurwicz Workshop
- 2017 Ce2 Workshop (Warsaw), University of Luxembourg, Econometric Society Winter Meeting (Barcelona), SAEe (Barcelona)
- 2016 RES Annual Conference (Brighthon), SSES Annual Congress (Lugano), North American Summer Meeting of the Econometric Society (Philadelphia), WIEM (Warsaw), University of Huddersfield
- 2015 RES Annual Conference (Manchester), Ce2 Workshop (Warsaw)
- 2014 11th Young Economists Workshop on Social Economy (University of Bologna), Ce2 Workshop (Warsaw), Warsaw International Economics Meeting

Refereeing

Economics Bulletin, Oxford Bulletin of Economics and Statistics, Theoretical Economics, International Economic Review, Economic Journal, Review of Economic Studies, Journal of International Economics, AEJ: Micro

Personal Information

Languages: Polish, German, English

Citizenship: Polish

Year of Birth: 1989