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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

2014 – present Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, University of British Columbia

EDUCATION

PhD. in Economics, New York University, 2008-2014
M.A. in Economics, New York University, 2008-2010
B.A. in Economics, London School of Economics, 2004-2007

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Information Economics , International Macroeconomics, Financial Economics

PUBLICATIONS

Information Acquisition in Global Games of Regime Changes with Isabel Trevino
Journal of Economic Theory, 2015

Financial Frictions and New Exporter Dynamics with David Kohn and Fernando Leibovici
International Economic Review, forthcoming, 2016

WORKING PAPERS

Preventing Self-Fulfilling Debt Crisis: The Role of Expectations

Debt Overhang and Rollover Risk

Financial Frictions and Export Dynamics in Large Devaluations with David Kohn and Fernando Leibovici

Costly information acquisition in a speculative attack: Theory and Experiment with Isabel Trevino

WORK IN PROGRESS

Social Value of Public Information: Theory and Experiments

Information Structure and Comparative Statics in Simple Global Games

SEMINARS AND CEONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

2015: Bank of Canada, Canadian Economic Association Meeting , European Central Bank, National Bank of Poland, Sargent Alumni Reading Group (NYU) , Society for Economic Dynamics (Warsaw, Poland)

2014: Federal Reserve Board , Pennsylvania State University, University of British Columbia, Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis

RESEARCH GRANTS, SCHOLARSHIPS, AND FELLOWSHIPS

2015-2017 - SSHRC Insight Development Grant (\$70,545), Government of Canada

2015-2017 – Hampton Development Grant (\$10,000), UBC

SCHOLARSHIPS AND AWARDS

2013-2014 - Dean's Dissertation Grant, NYU

2008-2013 - MacCracken Graduate Fellowship, NYU

2006-2007 - Sir Huw Wheldon Sir Huw Wheldon prize for performance in the final year exams (LSE)

2007 - Economics Department award for the outstanding performance

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Referee: Econometrica, Journal of European Economic Association, Journal of Monetary Economics, Review of Financial Studies