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Curriculum Vitae

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Degrees

- Ph.D. Economics, University of Rochester, 1997.
- M.A. Economics, University of Rochester, 1995.
- B.S. Finance, The Pennsylvania State University, 1992.

Positions Held

- Associate Professor of Managerial Economics and Decision Sciences (tenured), Kellogg School of Management, Northwestern University, 2004–present.
- Assistant Professor of Managerial Economics and Decision Sciences, Kellogg School of Management, Northwestern University, 1997–2004.
- Graduate Teaching Fellow, University of Rochester, 1996–1997.

Fellowships, Grants, Awards

- Kellogg Chair's Core Course Teaching Award, 2000.

Editorial Positions

- Associate Editor, Mathematical Social Sciences (2009–present).

Published Papers

- “An Ascending Vickrey Auction for Selling Bases of a Matroid” (with S. Bikhchandani, S. de Vries, and R. V. Vohra), *Operations Research*, forthcoming 2011.
- “Credible Deviations from Signaling Equilibria” (with P. Eső), *International Journal of Game Theory*, 2009, **48**: 411-430.
- “Mechanism Design without Money” (with R. Vohra), chapter in *Algorithmic Game Theory* (eds. Nisan, Roughgarden, Tardos, Vazirani), Cambridge Univ. Press, 2007.
- “On Ascending Auctions for Heterogeneous Objects” (with S. de Vries and R. V. Vohra), *Journal of Economic Theory*, 2007, **132**: 95–118.
- “Almost-dominant Strategy Implementation: Exchange Economies,” *Games and Economic Behavior*, 2004, **48**: 154–170.
- “Bribing and Signalling in Second-Price Auctions” (with P. Eső), *Games and Economic Behavior*, 2004, **47**: 299–324.
- “Auctions for Procuring Options” (with R. Vohra), *Operations Research*, 2003, **51**: 41–51.
- “Linear Programming and Vickrey Prices” (with S. Bikhchandani, S. de Vries, and R. Vohra) in *Mathematics of the Internet: E-auction and Markets*, B. Dietrich and R. Vohra eds., Springer-Verlag, New York, 2002.
- “Strategy-proof Location on a Network” (with R. Vohra), *Journal of Economic Theory*, 2002, **104**: 405–428.
- “Constrained Egalitarianism: A New Solution for Claims Problems” (with Y. Chun and W. Thomson), *Seoul Journal of Economics*, 2001, **14**: 269–298.
- “Manipulation through Bribes,” *Journal of Economic Theory*, 2000, **91**: 180–198.
- “Eliciting Preferences to Assign Positions and Compensation,” *Games and Economic Behavior*, 2000, **30**: 293–318.
- “Strategy-proofness versus Efficiency for Small Domains of Preferences over Public Goods,” *Economic Theory*, 1999, **13**: 709–722.
- “Strategy-proofness vs. Efficiency on Restricted Domains of Exchange Economies,” *Social Choice and Welfare*, 1997, **14**: 47–56.
- “Two Derivations of the Uniform Rule and an Application to Bankruptcy,” with W. Thomson, *Economics Letters*, 1997, **55**: 333–337.

Unpublished Papers

“Assignment of Landing Slots” (with R. V. Vohra).

“Voting with Money” (with R. V. Vohra).

Work in Progress

“Compensating Team Members under Multiple Tasks” (with F. Maniquet).

“Competing Sellers with Bidder Arrival Uncertainty” (with F. Maniquet).

Major Conference Presentations (last five years)

Third Trans-Atlantic Theory Workshop, Oxford, 2010

Far East and South Asia Meeting of the Econometric Society, Tokyo, 2009.

Summer Micro Workshop (invited), Osaka University, 2009.

Third World Congress of the Game Theory Society, Evanston, 2008.

Ninth International Conference of the Society for Social Choice and Welfare, Montreal, 2008.

Jubilee Workshop on Economic Design and Collective Choice, Maastricht, 2008.

Eighth International Conference of the Society for Social Choice and Welfare, Istanbul, 2006.

Conference on Economic Design, Bodrum, Turkey, 2006.

Refereeing Experience

I referee for the following journals. *American Economic Journal: Microeconomics*; *American Economic Review*; *Annals of Operations Research*; *BE Journal of Theoretical Economics*; *Econometrica*; *Economic Design*; *Economic Theory*; *Games and Economic Behavior*; *Information Processing Letters*; *International Journal of Game Theory*; *Journal of Economic Theory*; *Journal of Public Economic Theory*; *Management Science*; *Mathematical Social Sciences* (Associate Editor); *Mathematics of Operations Research*; The National Science Foundation; *Operations Research Letters*; *Review of Economic Design*; *Review of Economic Studies*; *Social Choice and Welfare*.

Ph.D. Students

Sidhartha Gordon, 2004 (advisor; placement: Université de Montreal)

Shiran Rachmilevitch, 2011 (co-advisor; placement: University of Haifa)

MECS (Kellogg) Ph.D. Program Coordinator, 2006-present.

Teaching Experience

Decision Making under Uncertainty (Kellogg MBA), 2010–present.

Pricing Strategies (Kellogg MBA), 2010–present.

Managerial Economics (Kellogg Executive MBA), 2008–present.

Mathematical Methods for Management Decisions (Kellogg MBA), 1997–2008.

Advanced Mathematical Methods (Kellogg MBA), 1998.

Game Theory (Rochester undergraduate), 1997.

Math Review Camp (Rochester PhD), 1996.

Game Theory and Social Choice (Rochester undergraduate), 1995.