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**Nationality:** Canadian

**Education:** Ph.D. (Economics), University of British Columbia, 2014  
M.A. (Economics), Simon Fraser University, 2009  
B.A.Sc. (Engineering Physics), Simon Fraser University, 1996

**Professional Experience:** University of Southern California, Marshall School of Business  
Assistant Professor, June 2014 – present

National Bureau of Economic Research, Political Economy Program  
Faculty Research Fellow, Apr 2022 - present

**Publications:** "Herding and Contrarianism: A Matter of Preference?"  
*Review of Economics and Statistics*, forthcoming

"Unbundling Polarization" (with Nathan Canen and Francesco Trebbi)  
*Econometrica*, 2020, 88 (3), 1197-1233

"Market Panics, Frenzies, and Informational Efficiency: Theory and Experiment"  
*American Economic Journal: Microeconomics*, 2020 12(3), 76-115

"The Time Cost of Information in Financial Markets"  
*Journal of Economic Theory*, 2018, 176, 118-157

"Are Biased Beliefs Fit to Survive? An Experimental Test of the Market Selection Hypothesis" (with Ryan Oprea)  
*Journal of Economic Theory*, 2018, 176, 342-371

"How do Voters Respond to Information: Evidence from a Randomized Campaign"  
(with Tommaso Nannicini and Francesco Trebbi)  
*American Economic Review*, 2015, 105 (1) 322-53

"Incumbency Advantages in the Canadian Parliament" (with Marie Rekkas)  
*Canadian Journal of Economics*, 2012, 45 (4) 1560-1585

**Completed**  
**Research Papers:** “Political Parties as Drivers of U.S. Polarization” (with Nathen Canen and Francesco Trebbi), *revise and resubmit*, Journal of Political Economy

“The Common Good and Voter Polarization” (with John Matsusaka)

“On the Complexity of Inferring Mental Models” (with Ryan Oprea)

“Future Self-Proof Elicitation Mechanisms” (with Anujit Chakraborty)

“Noisy Foresight” (with Anujit Chakraborty)

“Causal Narratives” (with Constantin Charles)

**Conferences and**  
**Invited Seminars:** 2014: Chicago Booth, Washington University St. Louis, University of Western Ontario, 5<sup>th</sup> Miami Behavioral Conference

2015: Cubist Systematic Strategies, Southwest Economic Theory Conference, Chapman ESI Workshop, 49<sup>th</sup> Annual CEA Conference, Experimental Finance Conference, Bay Area Behavioral and Experimental Workshop, 11<sup>th</sup> World Congress of the Econometric Society, Claremont Graduate University, University College London, University of Warwick

2016: Colby College, Bay Area Behavioral and Experimental Workshop, Experimental Finance Conference, Western Finance Association, Toulouse School of Economics

2017: LA Finance Day, Southwest Experimental and Behavioral Economics Workshop, Economic Science Association, Society for Advancement of Economic Theory, FMA Annual Meeting, Society for Experimental Finance

2018: Chapman ESI, UC Davis, Caltech, Western Finance Association, University of International and Business Economics

2019: USC Political Institutions and Political Economy Workshop, Society for Experimental Finance, USC Economics, Purdue

2020: UC Berkeley Haas

2021: USC Political Institutions and Political Economy Workshop, Université Laval, Vancouver School of Economics, Midwest Political Science Association, New York University

2022: IOG-Becker Friedman Institute, NBER Political Economy Workshop, Economic Science Association, LA Theory Day, Texas A&M (scheduled),

2023: Collier School of Management, Tel Aviv (scheduled), Claremont McKenna (scheduled), University of Toronto (scheduled)

*Referee:*

American Economic Review, Econometrica, Review of Economic Studies, Review of Economics and Statistics, Journal of Economic Theory, Journal of Finance, The Review of Financial Studies, Journal of Public Economics, American Economic Journal: Microeconomics, American Economic Journal: Policy, American Political Science Review, Journal of the European Economic Association, Economic Journal, Games and Economic Behavior, Management Science, European Economic Review, Journal of Development Economics, Journal of Economic Dynamics and Control, Scandinavian Journal of Economics, Review of Finance, Journal of Financial and Quantitative Analysis, Journal of Banking and Finance, Journal of Mathematical Economics, American Law and Economics Review, Canadian Journal of Economics, Macroeconomic Dynamics, Southern Economic Journal, Economic Inquiry, The Financial Review, Financial Innovation, Social Sciences and Human Research Council