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# **ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS**

University of Southern California June 2017 - Present

Assistant Professor of Strategy

July 2016 - June 2017 Post-Doctoral Researcher, Rice University

September 2016 - present Massachusetts Institute of Technology

Research Affiliate, Innovation Initiative

## **OTHER APPOINTMENTS**

Seed Accelerator Ranking Project Spring 2013 - present Chief Technical Officer

## **EDUCATION**

Massachusetts Institute of Technology Ph.D. in Technological Innovation, Entrepreneurship, and Strategic Management, 2016

University of Pennsylvania M.A. History and Sociology of Science, 2004

**Harvard University** 

A.B. Magna cum Laude in History and Science, 2003

## **PUBLICATIONS**

- [1] Fehder, Porter, and Stern, 2018, The Empirics of Social Progress: The Interplay between Subjective Well-Being and Societal Performance, AEA Papers and Proceedings (Forthcoming)
- [2] Lederman, Calacci, Fehder, Murray, and Pentland, 2017, Open Badges: A Low-Cost Toolkit for Measuring Team Communication and Dynamics, International Conference on Social Computing, Behavioral-Cultural Modeling, Prediction and Behavior Representation in Modeling and Simulation
- [3] Fehder and Hochberg, 2015, Accelerators and Ecosystems, Science, Vol. 348 No. 6240. Solicited
- [4] Fehder, Murray, and Stern, 2014, Intellectual Property Rights and the Evolution of Scientific Journals as Knowledge Platforms, International Journal of Industrial Organization, Vol. 36
- Fehder, Nelling, and Trester, 2009, Innovation and Price: The Case of Digital Cameras, Applied Economics, Vol. 41 No. 17

# **WORKING PAPERS**

- [6] Cohen, Fehder, Hochberg, and Murray, 2017, The Design and Evaluation of Startup Accelerators (R&R at Research Policy)
- [7] Fehder and Hochberg, 2017, Accelerators and the Regional Supply of Venture Capital Investment (under review at Review of Journal of Finance)
- [8] Fehder, 2017, Startup Accelerators and Ecosystems: Complements or Substitutes
- [9] Fehder and Murray, 2016, Evaluation of Early Stage Ventures: Bias across Different Evaluation Regimes

## **WORK IN PROGRESS**

- [10] Assessing the Effectiveness of Entrepreneurship Education: A Randomized Control Trial (with Eric Floyd, Yael Hochberg, and Daniel Lee)
- [11] Clusters, Regions, and the Agglomeration of Entrepreneurial Services (with Yael Hochberg)
- [12] When to swim with sharks: Entrepreneur's Demand for industry partners (with Dan Lee)
- [13] Entrepreneurs in Society: The Social Impacts of an Entrepreneurship Intervention in Palestine (with Yael Hochberg, Dan Lee, Eric Floyd, Rebecca Dizon-Ross, and Josh Krieger)
- [13] Accelerators and Industry Clusters (with Yael Hochberg)
- [14] Mentorship and Entrepreneurial Performance

## **REPORTS AND NON-REFEREED PUBLICATIONS**

- [15] SARP 2015 Accelerator Rankings Report, 2016 (with Susan Cohen and Yael Hochberg)
- [16] These are the Top 20 U.S. Accelerators, 2015 (with Susan Cohen and Yael Hochberg), TechCrunch, March 17, 2015. <a href="https://techcrunch.com/2015/03/17/these-are-the-top-20-us-accelerators/">https://techcrunch.com/2015/03/17/these-are-the-top-20-us-accelerators/</a>
- [17] The Top 20 Accelerators in the U.S., 2015 (with Susan Cohen and Yael Hochberg), Harvard Business Review, March 31, 2015. <a href="https://hbr.org/2015/03/the-top-20-start-up-accelerators-in-the-u-s">https://hbr.org/2015/03/the-top-20-start-up-accelerators-in-the-u-s</a>
- [18] SARP 2014 Accelerator Rankings Report, 2015 (with Susan Cohen and Yael Hochberg)
- [19] The Social Progress Index Methodology, 2013 (with Scott Stern)

#### **GRANTS AND FELLOWSHIPS**

Kauffman Foundation Grant for Encouraging Entrepreneurship, 2017 (\$125,000)

US-Israel Binational Science Foundation Grant for Encouraging Entrepreneurship and Local Economic Growth, 2016 (\$120,000)

Kauffman Foundation Grant for A Field Experiment in Entrepreneurial Education, 2015-2020 (~\$1.53 million)

NSF Science of Science & Innovation Policy 1462008, 2015-2017 (~\$450,000)

Kauffman Foundation Grant for Measuring Innovation-Driven Ecosystems, 2015

Ewing Marion Kauffman Dissertation Fellowship, 2014

MIT-Skoltech Initiative Research Grant, 2013

#### INVITED AND CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

2018: American Economic Association

2017: MIT REAP Forum, IGL Winter Conference

2016: McGill University, Tulane, HBS Entrepreneurship Group, Wharton School, 50th Anniversary of MIT Entrepreneurship (Panelist)

2015: HBS Strategy Group, INSEAD, University of Southern California, Workshop on Experimental Economics and Entrepreneurship, TIM Doctoral Consortium, Emory Entrepreneurship Research Colloquium, Caltech/USC Finance Workshop, CCC Conference, MIT Economic Sociology Working Group

2014: MIT Organizational Economics Lunch, MIT Economic Sociology Working Group

# **TEACHING**

University of Southern California

BUAD 497 Competitive Strategy, Fall 2017

MIT Sloan

- 15.S57 Entrepreneur's Guide to Accelerators, MIT Sloan, IAP 2013

  Designed and lectured a three day course during IAP for 45 students
- 15.701 Innovation Driven Entrepreneurial Advantage, MIT Sloan, Summer 2011 Spring 2015

  Teaching Assistant for Prof. Fiona Murray. Designed and led key segments of this EMBA core course
- 15.S07 Regional Entrepreneurial Advantage Laboratory, MIT Sloan, Fall 2014
  Teaching Assistant for Prof. Fiona Murray
- NBER Entrepreneurship Boot Camp, MIT Sloan, Summer 2014 Teaching Assistant for Prof. Thomas Hellman
- 15.911 Entrepreneurial Strategy, MIT Sloan, Spring 2014

  Teaching Assistant for and case co-author with Prof. Scott Stern
- 15.714 Competitive Strategy, MIT Sloan, Spring 2013

  Teaching Assistant for Profs. Scott Stern and Prof. Pierre Azoulay

## **CASE STUDIES**

Pillpack (with Scott Stern), Masschallenge (with Fiona Murray)

# PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Ad-hoc reviewer: Management Science, Organization Science, Research Policy, The Economic Journal, Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization, Industry and Innovation