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## ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

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*Assistant Professor, School of Economics*  
Georgia Institute of Technology

Fall 2019 —

## EDUCATION

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*Ph.D.*, Economics  
University of Arizona

May 2019

*M.A.*, Economics  
University of Colorado Denver

May 2012

*B.A.*, Economics  
University of Colorado

December 2008

## RESEARCH INTERESTS

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contract theory, mechanism design, information design

## PUBLISHED PAPERS

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“Prior-Free Blackwell”. *Economic Theory Bulletin*, forthcoming.

“Simple Incentives and Diverse Beliefs”. *Theoretical Economics*, forthcoming.

“Energy Price Pass-Through With Long-Term Contracts”, with Dylan Brewer and Daniel Dench. *Economics Letters*, volume 260, February 2026.

“Data-Driven Contract Design”, with Justin Burkett. *Journal of Economic Theory*, volume 221, October 2024.

“Statistical Uncertainty and Coarse Contracts”, with Justin Burkett. *Journal of Economic Theory*, volume 220, September 2024.

“Robust Incentives for Risk”. *Journal of Mathematical Economics*, volume 109, December 2023.

## ACTIVE WORKING PAPERS

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“Data-Driven Persuasion”. Revise and resubmit, *Journal of Mathematical Economics*.

“Prior-Free Information Design”

“Belief-Robust Contracting”

## SEMINARS AND CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

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2025: University of Georgia

2024: Econometric Society North American Winter Meeting @ ASSA

2023: Midwest Economic Theory Conference  
2022: Stony Brook Game Theory Conference (invited conference, canceled)  
2021: Arizona State University Theory Conference (invited conference), Midwest Economic Theory Conference  
2019: McMaster University, University of Bonn, Georgia Institute of Technology, INFORMS (invited conference), Southern Economic Association Meetings (invited conference)  
2017: Econometric Society North American Summer Meeting  
2016: Econometric Society North American Summer Meeting  
2015: Midwest Economic Theory Conference

## TEACHING

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Georgia Institute of Technology: game theory (undergraduate), microeconomic theory (first semester MS), microeconomic theory (first semester PhD)  
University of Arizona: business macroeconomics (online), intermediate macroeconomics  
University of Colorado Denver: mathematical economics

## SERVICE

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Professional service:

- Refereeing: *Econometrica*, *Economic Theory Bulletin*, *Journal of Economic Theory*, *Journal of Mathematical Economics*, *National Science Foundation*, *Review of Economic Studies*, *Theoretical Economics*

Georgia Institute of Technology (School of Economics):

- faculty brownbag organizer (2024 — present)
- undergraduate program committee (2023 — present)
- master's program committee (2019 — 2022)
- faculty handbook committee (2019 — 2022)
- microeconomic theory qualifying exams (2020 — present)