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## Fields of Concentration:

Primary Fields: microeconomic theory, game theory  
Secondary Fields: industrial organization, financial economics

## Employment:

Since 07/2026: Assistant Professor, Institute of Economics, Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile  
09/2025-06/2026: Research Fellow, Department of Economics, University College London

## Education:

Ph.D., Economics, Yale University, 2025  
M.Phil., Economics, Yale University, 2020  
M.A., Economics, Yale University, 2020  
M.S., Economics, Toulouse School of Economics, 2018  
M.S., Economics, University of Mannheim, 2018  
B.S., Economics, University of Mannheim, 2016

## Working Papers:

“Cross-Validation Equilibrium”, (2026), with Ran Spiegler, extended abstract accepted at EC’26  
“Mechanism Design with Costly Inspection”, (2026), with Amirreza Ahmadzadeh, Revise & Resubmit at *Theoretical Economics*  
“AI in Action: Algorithmic Learning with Strategic Consumers”, (2025)  
“Repeated Games with Incomplete Information and Short-Run Players”, (2022)

## Fellowships, Honors and Awards:

University Dissertation Fellowship, Yale University, 2024  
Cowles Foundation & Economic Growth Center Fellowship, 2018–2023  
Doctoral Fellowship, Yale University, 2018–2024  
Deutschlandstipendium for outstanding students, University of Mannheim, 2017–2018

**Teaching Experience:***Yale University*

Fall 2023, Microeconomic Theory (Ph.D.), teaching assistant to Prof. Larry Samuelson  
Summer 2022, Microeconomics (undergraduate), teaching assistant to Dr. Tolga Koker  
Spring 2022, Microeconomic Theory (Ph.D.), teaching assistant to Prof. Philipp Strack  
Fall 2021, Microeconomic Theory (Ph.D.), teaching assistant to Prof. Johannes Hörner  
Summer 2021, Economics Math Camp (Ph.D.), teaching assistant to Dr. William Hawkins  
Spring 2021, Microeconomic Theory (Ph.D.), teaching assistant to Prof. Johannes Hörner  
Fall 2020, Microeconomic Theory (Ph.D.), teaching assistant to Prof. Johannes Hörner  
Summer 2020, Economics Math Camp (Ph.D.), teaching assistant to Dr. William Hawkins

*University of Mannheim*

Spring 2017, Microeconomics (undergraduate), teaching assistant to Prof. Thomas Tröger

**Research and Work Experience:**

Research Assistant to Prof. Larry Samuelson, Yale University, Spring 2024  
Research Assistant to Prof. Kai Hao Yang, Yale University, October 2021  
Research Assistant to Prof. Joyee Deb, Yale University, January 2021  
Research Assistant to Prof. Johannes Hörner, Yale University, Summer and Fall 2019  
Research Assistant, ifo Institute Munich, Germany, Summer 2016

**Seminar and Conference Presentations:**

2026: Conference on Dynamic Games and Contracts at LUISS, QMUL-City Workshop in Economic Theory, Ridge Forum at UWI Cave Hill, SAET, Southeast Economic Theory Festival  
2025: Bocconi University, European Economic Association Summer Meeting, Microsoft Research, Paris School of Economics, Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile, Queen-Mary University London, SITE, Toulouse School of Economics, University College London, WECON  
2024: ESIF Economics and AI+ML Meeting, GAIMSS (poster presentation)  
2023: Econometric Society European Winter Meeting, Midwest Economic Theory Conference  
2022: Stony Brook Game Theory Festival

**Referee Service:**

*American Economic Review: Insights, Mathematical Social Sciences, The Review of Economic Studies*