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Current position

Professor, School of Economics, LeBow College of Business, Drexel University, 2014-present.

Education

Ph.D. University of Illinois at Champaign-Urbana, 1998, Economics.

M.S. University of Illinois at Champaign-Urbana, 1996, Mathematics.

M.A. Athens University of Economics and Business, 1992, Economics.

B.A. Athens University of Economics and Business, 1990, Economics.

Research interests

Industrial Organization, Competition Policy, Applied Microeconomics, Applied Game Theory, Financial Economics.

Past positions

Graduate Director for the School of Economics, LeBow College of Business, Drexel University, 2008-2012. Associate Professor, School of Economics, LeBow College of Business, Drexel University, 2008-2014. Assistant Professor, School of Economics, LeBow College of Business, Drexel University, 2004-2008. Visiting Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, Stony Brook University, 1998-2004. Teaching Assistant, Department of Economics, University of Illinois at Champaign-Urbana, 1992-1998.

Other affiliations (present & past)

Visiting Scholar, Consumer Finance Institute, Federal Reserve Bank of Philadelphia, 2011-present. Visiting Faculty, The American College of Greece, ALBA, 2016-2019.

Short-term visits & Short courses

- 1. Research Visit, Sultan Qaboos University, Oman, December, 2021.
 - One hour guest lecture in the Game Theory MBA class.
- 2. Fulbright Intercountry Lecturing Award, Democritus University of Thrace, Greece, May 15-16, 2019.
 - Two hour lecture to the MBA class on "Venture capital financing and the success of start-ups."
 - Two hour lecture to the Microeconomics undergraduate class on "Price discrimination."
- 3. Fulbright Scholar, University of Exeter, TARC, UK, March-June 2019.
- 4. Visiting Scholar, Shanghai Tech University, China: March 2019.
- 5. Visiting Scholar, Athens University of Economics and Business, Greece: January-February 2019.
- 6. Visiting Scholar, Queen's University, Canada: December 2018.
- 7. Visiting Scholar, Athens University of Economics and Business, Greece: June-July 2017.
- 8. ALBA at the American College of Greece: 2016-2018.
 - Fourteen-hour masters course taught: "Principles of risk theory'."
- 9. Southwestern University of Finance and Economics, Chengdu, China: May 2013:
 - Seven-day Ph.D. course taught: "Topics in microeconomics and industrial organization."
- 10. Visiting Scholar, University of Exeter, UK: April 2012.
- 11. Visiting Scholar, University of Exeter, UK: December 2011:
 - Five-hour Ph.D. course taught: "Principal-agent models: Theory and applications."
- 12. Athens University of Economics and Business, Greece: June 2010:
 - Nine-hour Ph.D. course taught: "Contracts and endogenous matching."

List of courses taught

- 1. *Undergraduate*: Principles of Microeconomics (face-to-face & online), Introductory Statistics, Introductory Econometrics, Mathematical Statistics, Intermediate Microeconomic Theory, Topics in Imperfect Competition, Intermediate Macroeconomic Theory, Corporate Finance and Game Theory.
- 2. MBA & Masters: Managerial Economics (face-to-face & online), Principles of Risk Theory.
- 3. *Ph.D.*: Industrial Organization, Game Theory, Microeconomic Theory I, Microeconomic Theory II, Ph.D. Math Camp.

Grants

• Networks, Electronic Commerce and Telecommunications (NET) Institute research grant. Summer 2007.

• Networks, Electronic Commerce and Telecommunications (NET) Institute research grant. Summer 2009.

Honors and awards

- 1. Dean's Research Fellow in Economics, LeBow College of Business, Drexel University, 2019-2020 & 2022-23.
- 2. Fulbright Intercountry Lecturing Award. To deliver two lectures at the Democritus University of Thrace, Greece, May 15-16, 2019.
- 3. Fulbright Scholar, Fulbright US Scholar Program. For a three-month visit at the University of Exeter, UK, March-June, 2019.
- 4. Greek Diaspora Fellowship from Stavros Niarchos Foundation to visit the Department of International and European Economic Studies at the Athens University of Economics and Business, Summer 2017.
- 5. Betsy Cohen Research Scholar, LeBow College of Business, Drexel University, 2013-2015.
- 6. Distinguished Fellow, Center of Research Excellence. LeBow College of Business, Drexel University, 2008-2011.
- 7. Excellence in Research Award, LeBow College of Business, Drexel University, September 2005.
- 8. UUP Individual Development Award, Stony Brook University, Spring 2002 & 2003.
- 9. Robert Willis Harbeson memorial dissertation fellowship, Department of Economics, University of Illinois at Champaign-Urbana, Spring 1998.
- 10. Hans Brems award for the best original paper for the year 1996 titled "An essay in financial economics," Department of Economics, University of Illinois at Champaign-Urbana.
- 11. Two year fellowship, Athens University of Economics and Business, 1990-1992.

Editorial positions

- Member of the editorial board for GAMES, 2022-.
- Guest editor, *GAMES*, Special issue on "Industrial Organization and Organizational Economics" (with Kaniska Dam), 2022.

Publications in refereed journals

1. "Two-sided productivity heterogeneity, firm boundaries and assortative matching," (with Kaniska Dam and Daniel Ripperger-Suhler). Accepted at *Journal of Economics & Management Strategy*.

- 2. "Competition and specialization in the VC market: A non-monotonic relationship," (with Christos Cabolis and Mian Dai), *Review of Industrial Organization*, 62, 241-269 (2023).
- 3. "Prices as signals of product quality in a duopoly," (with Minghua Chen and Eleftherios Zacharias), *International Journal of Game Theory*, 52(1), 1-31 (2023) **Lead article**.
- 4. "Dynamic pricing of credit cards and the effects of regulation," (with Suting Hong and Robert M. Hunt), *Journal of Financial Services Research*, 64, 81-131 (2023).
- 5. "The role of regulation and bank competition in small business financing: Evidence from the Community Reinvestment Act," (with Panagiotis Avramidis, George Pennacchi and Kejia Wu), *Journal of Money, Credit and Banking*, 54(8), 2301-2340 (2022).
- 6. "A price theory of vertical and lateral integration under productivity heterogeneity," (with Kaniska Dam), *The Journal of Industrial Economics* vol. 69, iss. 4, 751-784 (2021), (symposium on contracts, organizations and ownership) **Lead article**.
- 7. "Does competition improve quality? The case of nursing homes where public and private payers coexist," (with Susan Feng Lu, Gerard Wedig and Bingxiao Wu), *Management Science*, vol. 67, iss. 10, 6493-6512 (2021).
- 8. "Competition in the venture capital market and the success of startup companies: Theory and Evidence," (with Suting Hong and Veikko Thiele), *Journal of Economics & Management Strategy*, vol. 29, iss. 4, 741-791 (2020).
- 9. "Bank size and market value: The role of direct monitoring and delegation costs," (with Panagiotis Avramidis and Christos Cabolis), *Journal of Banking and Finance*, 93, 127-138 (2018).
- 10. "Strategic incentives for innovations and market competition," (with Evangelia Chalioti), *International Journal of Industrial Organization*, 52, 427-449 (2017).
- 11. "Bundling, a la carte pricing and vertical bargaining in a two-sided model," (with Adam D. Rennhoff and Minghua Chen), *Information Economics and Policy*, 35, 30-44 (2016).
- 12. "Optimal performance reward, tax compliance and enforcement," (with Christos Kotsogiannis), *Economic Theory Bulletin*, 4, 325-345 (2016).
- 13. "Patent licensing and entry deterrence: The role of low royalties," (with Anne Duchêne and Debapriya Sen), *Economica*, 82, 1324-1348 (2015).
- 14. "Is the effect of competition on price dispersion non-monotonic? Evidence from the U.S. airline industry," (with Mian Dai and Qihong Liu). *Review of Economics and Statistics*, 96(1), 161-170 (2014).
- 15. "The comparison of ad valorem and specific taxation under incomplete information," (with Christos Kotsogiannis), *Journal of Public Economic Theory*, 16(1), 48-68 (2014).

16. "Price discrimination in two-sided markets," (with Qihong Liu). NET Institute working paper #07-25. *Journal of Economics & Management Strategy*, vol.22, iss. 4., 768-786 (2013).

- 17. "Location decisions of competing networks," (with Eleftherios Zacharias). NET Institute working paper #09-18. *Journal of Economics & Management Strategy*, vol. 21, n.4, 989-1005 (2012).
- 18. "Patent settlements as a barrier to entry," (with Anne Duchêne), *Journal of Economics & Management Strategy*, vol.21, n.2, 399-429 (2012).
- 19. "Minimum quality standard regulation under imperfect quality observability," (with Min Chen), *Journal of Regulatory Economics*, vol.41, n.2, 269-291 (2012).
- 20. "Third-degree price discrimination," (with Qihong Liu), *Journal of Industrial Organization Education*, vol. 5, iss. 1, Article 5 (2010).
- 21. "Public goods and tax competition in a two-sided market," (with Christos Kotsogiannis), *Journal of Public Economic Theory*, 12 (2), 281-321 (2010).
- 22. "The role of upstream-downstream competition on bundling decisions: Should regulators force firms to unbundle?," (with Adam D. Rennhoff), *Journal of Economics & Management Strategy*, vol. 18, n. 2, 547-588 (2009).
- 23. "Retailer price distributions and promotional activities," (with Adam D. Rennhoff), *Economics Letters*, 103, 91-95 (2009).
- 24. "Endogenous matching in a market with heterogeneous principals and agents," *International Journal of Game Theory*, 36, 587-619 (2008), (special issue in honor of David Gale).
- 25. "Product customization," (with Dan Bernhardt and Qihong Liu), *European Economic Review*, 51, 1396-1422 (2007).
- 26. "Market segmentation and collusive behavior," (with Qihong Liu), *International Journal of Industrial Organization*, 25, 355-378 (2007).
- 27. "A location model with preference for variety," (with Hyunho Kim), *The Journal of Industrial Economics*, LIV, 4, 569-595 (2006).
- 28. "Customer information sharing among rival firms," (with Qihong Liu), *European Economic Review*, 50, 1571-1600 (2006).
- 29. "Imperfect price discrimination, market structure and efficiency," (with Qihong Liu), *Canadian Journal of Economics*, 38, 1191-1203 (2005).
- 30. "Risk sharing vs. incentives: Contract design under two-sided heterogeneity," *Economics Letters*, 88, 343-349 (2005).
- 31. "Imperfect price discrimination in a vertical differentiation model," (with Qihong Liu), *International Journal of Industrial Organization*, 23, 341-354 (2005).
- 32. "Quality of information and oligopolistic price discrimination," (with Qihong Liu), *Journal of Economics & Management Strategy*, vol. 13, n. 4, 671-702 (2004).
- 33. "When vagueness induces indirect competition: Strategic incompleteness of contracts," (with Jaideep Roy), *Economic Theory* 20, 603-621 (2002).

34. "Semicollusion vs. full collusion: The role of demand uncertainty and product substitutability," (with George Deltas), *Journal of Economics (Zeitschrift für Nationalökonomie*) 2, 111-139 (2002), Lead article.

- 35. "Intertemporal discounting and tenurial contracts," (with Jaideep Roy), *Journal of Development Economics* 64, 417-436 (2001).
- 36. "Non-myopic learning in differential information economies: The core," *Economic Theory* 18, 333-348 (2001).
- 37. "American shipping cartels in the pre-world war I era," (with George Deltas and Richard Sicotte), *Research in Economic History* 19, 1-38 (1999) **Lead article.**
- 38. "Learning in Bayesian games by boundedly rational players II: Non-myopia," (with Nicholas C. Yannelis), *Macroeconomic Dynamics* 2, 141-155 (1998) **Lead article**.

Publications in books

39. "Collusion and distribution of profits under differential information," (with Nicholas C. Yannelis), in *Current Trends in Economics: Theory and Applications (Studies in Economic Theory, vol. 8)*, edited by C.D. Aliprantis, A. Alkan and N.C. Yannelis, Springer-Verlag, 455-473 (1999).

Working papers and work in progress

- 1. "Complementary inputs, mutual outsourcing, and supplier encroachment," (Chrysovalantou Milliou and Konstantinos Serfes). Revision requested by *The Journal of Industrial Economics*.
- "Customer data privacy, competition and firm performance," (Panagiotis Avramidis, Konstantinos Serfes, Pavlos Vlachos and Nikolaos Panagopoulos). Revision requested by The Journal of the Academy of Marketing Science.
- 3. "Fintech and Bank competition: The role of screening technology and collateral requirements," (Konstantinos Serfes, Kejia Wu and Panagiotis Avramidis).
- 4. "Optimal VAT threshold(s) in a production chain," (Alessandro Di Nola, Christos Kotsogiannis and Konstantinos Serfes).
- 5. "On the Incidence of Interchange Fees Charged by Payment Networks" (Robert M. Hunt and Konstantinos Serfes).
- 6. "Product Returns and Price Discrimination in the Online Retail Market" (Julia Otte, Konstantinos Serfes and Veikko Thiele).
- 7. "Shrinkflation" (Evangelia Chalioti and Konstantinos Serfes).

Citations

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Referee service (Agencies, Journals, Publishers)

American Journal of Agricultural Economics, Annals of Regional Science, B.E. Journal of Economic Analysis & Policy, B.E. Journal of Theoretical Economics, Canadian Journal of Economics, CESifo, Econometrica, Economica, Economic Inquiry, Economic Journal, Economics Bulletin, Economics Letters, Economic Theory, European Economic Review, FinanzArchiv/Public Finance Analysis, Games and Economic Behavior, Gondwana Research, Greek Government (Research Program Archimedes), Information Economics and Policy, International Economic Review, International Journal of Business and Economics, International Journal of Industrial Organization, International Tax and Public Finance, Journal of Development Economics, Journal of Economics (Zeitschrift für Nationalökonomie), Journal of Economic Behavior & Organization, Journal of Economic Education, Journal of Economics & Management Strategy, Journal of Economic Theory, Journal of the European Economic Association, Journal of Evolutionary Economics, Journal of Industrial Economics, Journal of Industry, Trade and Competition, Journal of International Economics, Journal of Mathematical Economics, Journal of Media Economics, Journal of Political Economy, Journal of Public Economics, Journal of Public Economic Theory, Journal of Regulatory Economics, Management Science, Managerial and Decision Economics, Marketing Science, National Science Foundation, Quantitative Marketing and Economics, RAND Journal of Economics, Resource & Energy Economics, Review of Development Economics, Review of Economic Studies, Review of Industrial Organization, Review of Law and Economics, Review of Network Economics, Review of Financial Studies, Rivista Di Politica Economica, Scottish Journal of Political Economy, Southern Economic Journal, Theoretical Economics, Theory and Decision, Wiley.

Invited seminars

2021: Federal Reserve Bank of Philadelphia (virtual), Sultan Qaboos University

2020: Santa Clara University (virtual)

2019: University of Cyprus, University of Crete, ShanghaiTech University, Cambridge University

2018: University of Piraeus

2016: Ryerson University

2015: Tel-Aviv University, CIDE-Mexico City

2014: Wharton School of the University of Pennsylvania, University of Piraeus, University of Rome (Tor Vergata)

2013: Southwestern University of Finance and Economics, City College of New York

2012: ALBA-Graduate Business School, Bank of Greece

2011: University of Exeter, University of Oklahoma

2010: Queen's University

2009: Ryerson University, University of Exeter, Brunel University, Athens University of Economics and Business

2008: Lehigh University, Michigan State University

2007: Athens University of Economics and Business, University of Athens, Federal Reserve Bank of Philadelphia

2004: Guelph University, Southern Illinois University, Kennesaw State University, Drexel University

2001: Queens College, Rutgers University, University of Copenhagen, University of Illinois

1998: University of Kansas, University of Missouri

Conferences¹

2024

MaCCI Annual Conference, ZEW, Mannheim, Germany (P, D)

2023

Economics of Payments XII Conference, Federal Reserve Board, Washington DC (P)

Society for the Advancement of Economic Theory (SAET), Paris, France (P)

Oligo Workshop, Padova, Italy (PC)

Conference on Research in Economic Theory and Econometrics, (CRETE), Naxos, Greece (P)

MaCCI Annual Conference, ZEW, Mannheim, Germany (P, D)

2022

Allied Social Science Associations (ASSA), Virtual (D)

RCEA Conference on Recent Developments in Economics, Econometrics and Finance, Virtual (P) International Industrial Organization Conference (IIOC), Boston (P, D)

Financial Intermediation Research Society Conference (FIRS), Budapest, Hungary (PC)

Advances in the Analysis of Competition Policy and Regulation, (CRESSE), Crete, Greece (P, D, C)

Ioannina Meeting on Applied Economics and Finance, (IMAEF), Kefalonia, Greece (PC)

Society for Social Choice and Welfare (SSCW), Mexico City, Mexico (PC)

European Workshop on Economic Theory (EWET), Warsaw, Poland (P)

Conference on Research in Economic Theory and Econometrics, (CRETE), Tinos, Greece (P, PC)

European Association for Research in Industrial Economics (EARIE), Vienna, Austria (P, C)

Association of Southern European Economic Theorists (ASSET), Rethymno, Greece (P, C)

2021

Advances in the Analysis of Competition Policy and Regulation, (CRESSE), Crete, Greece (P, D)

European Association for Research in Industrial Economics (EARIE), Virtual (P)

Conference on Research in Economic Theory and Econometrics, (CRETE), Naxos, Greece (P)

International Industrial Organization Conference (IIOC), Virtual (P, D, C, PC, PC)

2019

European Association for Research in Industrial Economics (EARIE), Barcelona, Spain (P)

Conference on Research in Economic Theory and Econometrics, (CRETE), Tinos, Greece (P)

Auctions, Competition, Regulation, and Public Policy Conference, Lancaster University, UK (P, D)

Tax Administration Research Centre's 7th Annual Workshop, University of Exeter, UK (P)

MaCCI Annual Conference, ZEW, Mannheim, Germany (P, D)

2018

European Association for Research in Industrial Economics (EARIE), Athens, Greece (P)

Conference on Research in Economic Theory and Econometrics, (CRETE), Tinos, Greece (P)

Advances in the Analysis of Competition Policy and Regulation, (CRESSE), Crete, Greece (P, D)

Spring 2018 Midwest Economic Theory and Trade Conference, Drexel University (A, PC)

International Industrial Organization Conference (IIOC), Indianapolis (P, D, C, PC)

MaCCI Annual Conference, ZEW, Mannheim, Germany (P, D)

2017

Conference on Research in Economic Theory and Econometrics, (CRETE), Milos, Greece (P, C)

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Association of Southern European Economic Theorists (ASSET), Thessaloniki, Greece (P)

¹P = presenter, PC = presentation by a co-author, D = discussant, C=session chair, A = attended, SO=session organizer.

European Meeting of the Econometric Society (EEA-ESEM), Geneva, Switzerland (P) GAMES, the 5th World Congress of the Game Theory Society, Maastricht, Netherlands (PC) Conference on Research in Economic Theory and Econometrics, (CRETE), Tinos, Greece (P) International Industrial Organization Conference (IIOC), Drexel University (P, D, C) MaCCI Annual Conference, ZEW, Mannheim, Germany (D)

2015

European Association for Research in Industrial Economics (EARIE), Munich, Germany (P) Conference on Research in Economic Theory and Econometrics, (CRETE), Chania, Greece (C) 11th World Congress of the Econometric Society, Montreal (PC)

European Financial Management Association (EFMA), Netherlands (PC)

Allied Social Science Associations (ASSA), Boston, MA (PC, A)

Tax Administration Research Centre's 3rd Annual Workshop, University of Exeter (PC, A) International Industrial Organization Conference (IIOC), Northeastern University (P, D)

2014

European Association for Research in Industrial Economics (EARIE), Milan, Italy (C, P, D(3x)) Conference on Research in Economic Theory and Econometrics, (CRETE), Milos, Greece (P) Seventh Annual Searle Center Conference on Innovation Economics, Northwestern University (PC) 2nd International Conference on the Dynamics of Entrepreneurship, ZEW, Mannheim, Germany (PC) International Industrial Organization Conference (IIOC), Northwestern University (PC)

2013

New Perspectives on Consumer Behavior in Credit and Payment Markets, FRB of Philadelphia (A) Society for the Advancement of Economic Theory (SAET), Paris, France (P) Eighth European Conference on Competition and Regulation, (CRESSE), Corfu, Greece (D) Conference on Research in Economic Theory and Econometrics, (CRETE), Naxos, Greece (P) International Industrial Organization Conference (IIOC), Northeastern University (P, D)

2012

European Association for Research in Industrial Economics (EARIE), Rome, Italy (C, P, D(4x)) Conference on Research in Economic Theory and Econometrics, (CRETE), Milos, Greece (C) Seventh European Conference on Competition and Regulation, (CRESSE), Crete, Greece (D) Canadian Economic Association (CEA) meetings, Calgary (PC) Contests, Mechanisms and Experiments, University of Exeter (A) International Industrial Organization Conference (IIOC), George Mason University (P, D(2x))

2011

Allied Social Science Associations (ASSA), Denver, Colorado (P)

International Industrial Organization Conference (IIOC), Northeastern University (P, PC(2x), D, SO)

American Law and Economics Association, Columbia University (ALEA) (PC)

Conference on Research in Economic Theory and Econometrics, (CRETE), Milos, Greece (P)

Sixth European Conference on Competition and Regulation, (CRESSE), Rodos, Greece (P, D)

2010

NET Institute Conference, NYU-Stern (A)

European Economic Association (EEA-ESEM), Glasgow, Scotland (PC)

European Association for Research in Industrial Economics (EARIE), Istanbul, Turkey (PC)

CESifo Venice Summer Institute on "Fiscal Implications of Climate Change" (P)

Conference on Research in Economic Theory and Econometrics, (CRETE), Tinos, Greece (P)

Fifth European Conference on Competition and Regulation, (CRESSE), Crete, Greece (P, D)

Research Symposium on Economics and Law of the Entrepreneur (SEARLE), Northwestern Un. (PC) International Industrial Organization Conference (IIOC), University of British Columbia (P, PC(2x), D) American Law and Economics Association, Princeton (ALEA) (A, PC)

Entrepreneurial Finance & Venture Capital Markets, Cirano, Montreal (PC)

NET Institute Conference, NYU-Stern (D)

2009

Industrial Organization (IO) Day, NYU-Stern (A)

Eastern Economic Association, New York City (P, D)

NET Institute Conference, NYU-Stern (A)

Fourth European Conference on Competition and Regulation, (CRESSE), Crete, Greece (P, D)

Conference on Research in Economic Theory and Econometrics, (CRETE), Tinos, Greece (P, PC)

European Meeting of the Econometric Society (EEA-ESEM), Barcelona, Spain (P)

2008

Industrial Organization (IO) Day, NYU-Stern (A)

NET Institute Conference, NYU-Stern (A, PC)

Conference on Research in Economic Theory and Econometrics, (CRETE), Naxos, Greece (PC, A)

Canadian Public Economics Group (CPEG) meeting at Simon Fraser University (P)

International Industrial Organization Conference (IIOC), Marymount University (P, PC, D)

2007

Recent Developments in Consumer Credit and Payments, Federal Reserve Bank of Philadelphia (A) Industrial Organization (IO) Day, NYU-Stern (A)

European Meeting of the Econometric Society (EEA-ESEM), Budapest, Hungary (P)

Conference on Research in Economic Theory and Econometrics, (CRETE), Naxos, Greece (P)

Society for the Advancement of Economic Theory (SAET), Kos, Greece (P)

Chinese Economists Society Meeting (CES), Changsha, China (PC)

Far Eastern Meeting of the Econometric Society (FEMES), Academic Sinica, Taiwan (PC)

NET Institute Conference, NYU-Stern (A)

International Industrial Organization Conference (IIOC), Georgia Southern University (P, PC)

Eastern Economic Association, New York City (P)

2006

4th Workshop on Media Economics, George Washington University (P, D)

Far Eastern Meeting of the Econometric Society (FEMES), Tsinghua University, China (PC)

Chinese Economists Society Meeting (CES), Shanghai, China (PC)

European Association for Research in Industrial Economics (EARIE), Amsterdam, Holland (P)

Conference on Research in Economic Theory and Econometrics, (CRETE), University of Crete, Greece (P)

International Industrial Organization Conference (IIOC), Northeastern University (P, PC, D)

NET Institute Conference, NYU-Stern (A)

Spring 2006 Midwest Economic Theory and Trade Conference, Michigan State University (P, PC)

2005

Allied Social Science Associations (ASSA), Philadelphia (D)

International Industrial Organization Conference (IIOC), GA Tech (PC, A)

Conference on Research in Economic Theory and Econometrics, (CRETE), Syros, Greece (P)

Industrial Organization (IO) Day, NYU-Stern (A)

Fall 2005 Midwest Economic Theory and Trade Conference, University of Kansas (P)

2004

Industrial Organization (IO) Day, NYU-Stern (A)

Fall 2004 Midwest Economic Theory and Trade Conference, Washington University (P, PC) North American Summer Meeting of the Econometric Society (NASM), Brown University (P) International Industrial Organization Conference (IIOC), Northwestern University (PC, A)

2003

International Industrial Organization Conference (IIOC), Northeastern University (P, PC) Industrial Organization (IO) Day, NYU-Stern (A)

14th Annual Conference on Game Theory, Stony Brook University (PC)

2002

North American Summer Meeting of the Econometric Society (NASM), UCLA (P, PC, D)

2001

12th Annual Conference on Game Theory, Stony Brook University (PC)

Western Economic Association (WEA) meetings, San Francisco (P, PC)

2000

Northeast Universities Development Conference (NEUDC), Cornell University (P, PC)

1999

Western Economic Association (WEA) meetings, San Diego (P)

1998

Spring 1998 Midwest Economic Theory and Trade Conference, Michigan State University (P) Meetings of the Cliometric Society, Washington University (P)

1997

Western Economic Association (WEA) meetings, Seattle (P).

External evaluations

- 1. 2014-present: Chair or member of several Accreditation Panels for the academic accreditation of various academic departments and programmes organized by the Hellenic Quality Assurance & Accreditation Agency–(HQA) or by the Hellenic Authority for Higher Education–(HAHE).
- 2. External reviewer for promotion with tenure: 8.
- 3. 2020-21: Member of the recruiting committee for an assistant professor position at the Department of Economics of the Athens University of Economics and Business.

Professional activities

- Midwest Economic Theory Meetings. Chair of the scientific program committee for Spring 2018 (Drexel University)
- 2. International Industrial Organization Conference. Member of the scientific program committee for 2017 & 2018 IIOC (Boston & Indianapolis).
- International Industrial Organization Conference. Chair of the local organizing committee for 2016 & 2020 IIOC (Drexel University).²

²2020 IIOC was cancelled, due to Covid-19, after the conference program had been created.

4. Fulbright. Member of the Fulbright U.S. student national screening committee that reviewed U.S. student applications for a Fulbright scholarship to visit Greece-Turkey-Cyprus. December 2021.

Main advisor to Ph.D. students

At Drexel

- 1. Minghua Chen, "Bundling and a la carte pricing in a two-sided market" thesis defended: June 2, 2010.
 - Current position: Associate Professor, Southwestern University of Finance and Economics, Chengdu, China.
- 2. Suting Hong, "Essays on the venture capital market", thesis defended: April 30, 2014.
 - Current position: Assistant Professor, Shanghai Tech University, China.
- 3. Daniel Ripperger-Suhler, "Essays on two-sided matching", thesis defended: May 3, 2022.
 - Current position: Research Economist at the Bureau of Economic Analysis, Washington DC, USA.
- 4. Kejia Wu, "Essays on banking and credit", thesis defended: June 8, 2023.
 - Current position: Federal Reserve Bank of Philadelphia, USA.

At Stony Brook

- 5. Qihong Liu, "Three essays on price discrimination" thesis defended: June 10, 2003.
 - Current position: Professor, University of Oklahoma, Norman, OK, USA.
- 6. Hyunho Kim, "Vertical foreclosure in high technology industries" thesis defended: May 17, 2004.
 - Current position: Assistant Professor, Chonnam National University, South Korea.
- 7. Xinchao Zhang, "An empirical analysis of the endogenous matching in a principal-agent model: an application to executive compensation" thesis defended: August 31, 2004.
 - Current position: Fannie Mae, Washington DC, USA.

Ph.D. thesis committee member

At Drexel

Tengdong Liu (Economics), Luciana Costa (Economics), Tianxu Chen (Management), Yamuna Baburaj (Management), Wenjing Ouyang (Finance), Ruo Du (Decision Sciences), Gulay Samatli (Decision Sciences), Stoyeneva Irina (Management), Masten Kurt (Decision Sciences), Yanni Ping (Decision Sciences), Ogunranti Gbemileke (Decision Sciences), Veeramoothoo Sathiavanee (Economics), Ishan Ghosh (Economics), Yaqin Sun (Decision Sciences).

At Stony Brook

Shun-Chiao Chang, Hsien-Hung Chiu, Ching-Kuang Kuo, Ismo Linoosmaa, Timothy Mathews, Abdel-Hameed Nawar, Debapriya Sen, Giorgos Stamatopoulos, Ming-Hung Weng.

Service

At Drexel

2009-present: Member of the School Personnel Committee (SPC). 2015-2019: Member of the College Personnel Committee (CPC).

2015-present: Member of the University Tenure Appeals Committee.

2005-2006, 2006-2007, 2007-2008 & 2014-2015: Member of the Recruitment Committee.

2013-2014: Chair of the IO-Energy-Environment Recruitment Committee.

2004-present: Member of the Comprehensive Exam Committee (Ph.D.).

2006-2008 & 2014-present: Brown bag lunch seminar series organizer.

2007-2008: Departmental seminar series co-organizer.

2006-2008: Member of the Academic Programs Committee (APC).

2006-2008: Member of the Department of Economics Curriculum Committee (DCC).

2017: Member of the Ph.D. Awards Committee.

At Stony Brook

2000-2003: Member of the Undergraduate committee: Responsible for evaluating transfer courses, advising undergraduate students and evaluating Honors thesis research papers.

2001-2002: Member of the Microeconomics Comprehensive Exam Committee (Ph.D.).

2002-2004: Chair of the Microeconomics Comprehensive Exam Committee (Ph.D.).

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