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Appointment

Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, Nanyang Technological University, 2017-present.

Education

Columbia University: Ph.D. 2017; M.Phil. 2014; M.A. 2013 (Economics).

Principal Advisors: Navin Kartik and W. Bentley MacLeod.

University College London: M.Res. 2011 (Economics).

Toulouse School of Economics: M.Sc. 2010 (Economics).

National University of Singapore: B.A. 2009 (Economics); B.Sc. 2009 (Mathematics).

Working Papers

1. “The Extrinsic Motivation of Freedom at Work”.
2. “Information Control in the Hold-up Problem”, with Anh Nguyen.
3. “Training Provision under Adverse Selection on Learning Ability”.
4. “Opportunism in Principal-Agent Relationships with Subjective Evaluation”, with Bentley MacLeod, *NBER Working Paper 22156*.

Fellowships & Awards

Wueller Teaching Award, Columbia University, 2016 (winner); 2015, 2013 (runner-up).

Best TA for 1st year PhD course, Columbia University AGES, 2016.

Wueller Prize for best pre-dissertation proposal (runner-up), Columbia University, 2014.

Vickrey Prize for best 3rd year paper (runner-up), Columbia University, 2014.

Harriss Prize for best 2nd year paper, Columbia University, 2013.

GSAS Faculty Fellowship, Columbia University, 2011–2017.

Overseas Research Scholarship, University College London, 2010–2011.

WM Gorman Scholarship, Department of Economics, University College London, 2010–2011.

Eiffel Scholarship (by French government for graduate studies in France), 2009–2010.

You Poh Seng Prize, National University of Singapore (top student in Econometrics), 2009.

NTUC Inome Book Prize, National University of Singapore (top student in Economics), 2009.

National University of Singapore Undergraduate Scholarship, 2004–2009.

Teaching

Columbia University: Game Theory (instructor); Ph.D Micro, Intermediate Micro, Information Econ (teaching assistant).

Nanyang Technological University: Labor Economics (instructor)