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Curriculum Vitae
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Education:

- ◇ Ph.D. in Economics, University of Pennsylvania, 2007 (expected)
- ◇ M.A. in Economics, University of Pennsylvania, 2004
- ◇ B.S. in Economics, University of Maastricht, The Netherlands 2002

Research Papers

- “Employment Uncertainty and Wage Contracts in Frictional Labor Markets”, University of Pennsylvania, 2006
- “Insecure Jobs and Wage Differentials”, joint with Roberto B. Pinheiro, Working Paper, University of Pennsylvania, 2006
- “Ever More on Vacancies and Unemployment”, in progress, joint with Irina A. Telyukova, 2006
- “Positive Assortative Matching in Wealth with Frictions”, Note, University of Pennsylvania, 2006
- “Market Signaling with Frictions”, Working Paper, University of Pennsylvania, 2005

Dissertation: “Essays in Search Theory”

Committee: Kenneth Burdett (Chair), Randall Wright, Iourii Manovskii, and Guido Menzio

Honors and Awards

- Dissertation Fellowship, School of Arts and Sciences, University of Pennsylvania, Fall 2006
- University of Pennsylvania, Graduate Fellowship, Fall 2002-Spring 2003
- NACEE/Fulbright Fellowship, Summer 2002
- VSB Scholarship (Holland, declined) 2002
- Aftalion, European Essay Contest in Economics, 2002, 2nd prize.

Research and Teaching Experience

- Graduate Teaching Assistant, Macroeconomic Theory with Professor Randall Wright, University of Pennsylvania, Spring 2004, Spring 2005 and Spring 2006
- Instructor, Penn. College of General Studies, Game Theory (Econ 212), Summer 2005
- Instructor, Penn. College of General Studies, Intermediate Microeconomics (Econ 101), Fall 2005
- Undergraduate Recitation Instructor, Microeconomics (Econ 001), Fall 2003, Fall 2004
- Junior Researcher, Dutch Competition Authority (Summer 2004)

Professional Activities

Conference presentations

"*Market Signaling with Frictions*":- Annual Meetings of the Canadian Economic Association, May 2005, Hamilton, Ontario; University of Pennsylvania Search and Matching Workshop, April 2005.

"*Insecure Jobs and Wage Differentials*" - Midwest Macroeconomic Meetings, May 2006, St. Louis, MO.

"*Employment Uncertainty and Wage Contracts*" –Penn, UCSD, Queen's, Western Ontario, Simon Fraser, Essex, Carlos III, Tinbergen, Southampton, Aarhus.

Refereeing:

International Economic Review

Memberships:

American Economic Association, Econometric Society

Other Activities

Graduate Student Association Council representative of the Economics Department (2004)

Graduate Economic Society officer (2004-2005)

Additional Skills

Languages: Dutch (native), English (fluent), German (conversational)

References:

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