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EDUCATION

- New York University**, New York, NY USA
- Ph.D., Economics, *New York University*, May 2004
 - MA, Economics, *New York University*, January 2001
- Boğaziçi University**, İstanbul, Turkey
- BS, Mathematics, *Summa Cum Laude*, June 1998
 - BA, Economics, *Summa Cum Laude*, June 1998

ACADEMIC POSITIONS

- Columbia University**, New York, NY USA
- Associate Professor, July 2008-present
 - Assistant Professor, July 2004-June 2008
 - Visiting Scholar, September 2003-June 2004
- New York University**, New York, NY USA
- CESS Research Associate, July 2004-present
 - Visiting Scholar, September 2007-January 2008
- Koç University**, İstanbul, Turkey
- Visiting Assistant Professor, January 2007-April 2007

FIELDS OF CONCENTRATION

Microeconomic Theory, Game Theory, Experimental Economics

PUBLICATIONS

- Observational Learning Under Imperfect Information**
Games and Economic Behavior, 2004, 47(1), pp. 72–86
Coauthor: Shachar Kariv
- Distinguishing Informational Cascades from Herd Behavior in the Laboratory**
American Economic Review, 2004, 94(3), pp. 484–498
Coauthor: Shachar Kariv
Reprinted in *New Developments in Experimental Economics*, E. Carbone and C. Starmer (eds.), Edward Elgar, 2007.
- An Experimental Test of Observational Learning under Imperfect Information**
Economic Theory, 2005, 26(3), pp. 677–699
Coauthor: Shachar Kariv
- Implications of Executive Hedge Markets for Firm Value Maximization**
Journal of Economics & Management Strategy, 2007, 16(2), pp. 319–349
Coauthor: Saltuk Özertürk
- An Experimental Test of Advice and Social Learning**
Management Science, 2010, 56(10), pp. 1687–1701

Coauthors: Shachar Kariv and Andrew Schotter

Acquisition of Information to Diversify Contractual Risk
International Economic Review, forthcoming, 2010

Coauthor: Saltuk Özertürk

Social Learning through Endogenous Information Acquisition: An Experiment
Management Science, forthcoming, 2011

Coauthor: Kyle Hyndman

WORKING PAPERS The Effect of Endogenous Timing on Coordination Under Asymmetric Information: An Experimental Study

Games and Economic Behavior, revise and resubmit requested.

Coauthors: Francesco Brindisi and Kyle Hyndman

Informativeness of Experiments for min max and max min Decision Rules
Journal of Mathematical Economics, accepted subject to minor revision.

Blame-Free Justice: Theory and Experiment

Coauthors: Mariana Blanco and Andrew Schotter

Organizational Form, Information Asymmetry, and Market Prices

Coauthor: Catherine Thomas

Final Offer Arbitration with Multiple Issues

WORK IN PROGRESS "Final Offer Arbitration with Uncertainty Averse Parties."

"Does Costly Information Acquisition Improve Welfare in Social Learning?"

OTHER Interview by Necmi Çelik, *Anka Review*, July 2007, 28(1431), pp. 4-6.

PUBLICATIONS

Ideas at Work, Winter 2007 Feature: "Listen and Learn"

Ideas at Work, Fall 2008 Feature: "Rising Above the Herd"

Ideas at Work, Winter 2009 Feature: "What's Fair, and Who's to Blame"

"The Winner's Curse: Loser Takes All" Columbia CaseWork, 2009

Ideas at Work, Summer 2011 Feature: "Wait and See, at a Cost"

GRANTS &
HONORS

Winner, Crowell Memorial Prize Paper Competition, 2002

C.V. Starr Center for Applied Economics Research Grant, 2000-2001

New York University, Teaching Assistantship, Summer 2000

Henry Mitchell MacCracken Fellowship, 1998-2003

Honors in Mathematics and Economics, 1998

Boğaziçi University, Research and Teaching Assistantship, 1997-98

SEMINAR &
CONFERENCE
PRESENTATIONS

2010-2011

- Conference on Information and Coordination: Theory and Applications— London Business School (May 2011), Rutgers University (April 2011), Georgetown University (March 2011), Yeshiva University (December 2010), UC Berkeley (November 2010), Duke University (April 2010), Santa Barbara Conference on Experimental and Behavioral Economics (February 2010), Utah Winter Business Economics Conference (discussant, February 2010)

2008-2009

- North American ESA Meeting (November 2009), Carnegie Mellon University (October 2009), Columbia University (Economic Theory Workshop, October 2009), Econometrics of Social Interactions Conference (October 2009), Columbia University (Micro Lunch, September 2009), Fordham University (September 2009), Boston College (September 2009), University of British Columbia (March 2009), Rutgers University (February 2009), AEA Annual Meeting (January 2009), University of Maryland (December 2008), LAMES (November 2008), SED 5th Conference on Economic Design (June 2008), New York University (April 2008), University of Michigan (March 2008)

2006-2007

- City University of New York (November 2007), North American ESA Meeting (September 2007), University of Pittsburgh (February 2007), SMU (September 2006), Summer Workshop in Economic Theory at Koç University (June 2006)

2004-2005

- Université de Montréal (November 2005), Workshop on Informational Herding Behavior at University of Copenhagen (September 2005), North American ESA Meeting (September 2005), SAET 2005 (June 2005), NYU (September 2004), Stanford Institute for Theoretical Economics (August 2004), Harvard Business School (February 2004), Northwestern University (January 2004), UCLA (January 2004), UCSD (January 2004)

2002-2003

- Columbia University (Applied Microeconomics Seminar, (December 2003), Columbia University (Economic Theory Workshop, December 2003), NYU (November 2003), 14th Summer Festival on Game Theory - Workshop on Experimental Economics and Game Theory at SUNY (July 2003), International ESA Meeting (June 2003), University of Cologne (April 2002), CREED (April 2002)

2000-2001

- 2001 South-East Economic Theory & International Economics Conference (November 2001), Informal Macroeconomics Seminar at Cornell University (July 2001), Inter-university Conference at NYU (May 2000)

TEACHING

Global Immersion: Economic Growth and Financial Stability in Turkey (MBA)

Columbia Business School, Fall 2011

Microeconomic Analysis I (Ph.D.)

Columbia Business School, Fall 2011

Microeconomic Analysis II (Ph.D.)

Columbia Business School, Fall 2008, Spring 2011

Microeconomic Analysis III (Ph.D.)

Columbia Business School Spring 2011

Game Theory and Business (MBA)

Columbia Business School Spring 2009, Summer 2011

Managerial Economics (Columbia-Berkeley EMBA)

Columbia Business School, Summer 2008, Summer 2009

Game Theory and Incentives in Business (MBA)

Columbia Business School, Spring 2007, Spring 2008, Spring 2009, Spring 2010, Spring 2011

Learning in Markets and Games (Ph.D.)

Columbia Business School/GSAS, Spring 2007 (Independent Study), Spring 2011

Game Theory (Ph.D.)

Columbia Business School/GSAS, Fall 2006, Spring 2008, Spring 2009, Spring 2010

Managerial Economics (MBA)

Columbia Business School, Spring 2004, Fall 2005, Fall 2006

Mathematics for Economists

NYU, Summer 2001, Summer 2002, Summer 2003

Principles of Economics I and II

NYU, Summer 2000 (Teaching Assistant)

Linear Algebra

Boğaziçi University, 1997-98 (Teaching Assistant)

REFEREE SERVICE

American Economic Review, Canadian Journal of Economics, Economic Journal, Economic Modeling, Economic Theory, Experimental Economics, Games and Economic Behavior, Journal of Behavioral Decision Making, Journal of Economic Psychology, Journal of Economic Theory, Journal of the European Economic Association, Journal of Labor Economics, Journal of Law, Economics, and Organization, Journal of Mathematical Economics, McGraw-Hill, Inc., National Science Foundation, Pearson, Rand Journal of Economics, Review of Economic Dynamics, Review of Economics and Statistics, Review of Economic Studies, Social Choice and Welfare, Social Influence, Theoretical Economics, Theory and Decision.

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

- Member of the Organizing Committee, NYU Economics Alumni Conference, June 2011.
- Ad hoc Associate Editor of the *Review of Economic Design* for the symposium issue on “Experimental Social Economics” (in progress)
- Organizer of the special session “Experiments and Game Theory” at the 5th Conference on Economic Design, June 2008

- Organizer of the Economic Theory Workshop, Columbia University, Fall 2006, Spring 2007, Fall 2007, Spring 2008, Fall 2008, Spring 2009
- Member of the Recruitment Committee, Columbia Business School, 2006
- Member of Local Organizing Committee, Conference on Economic Design, New York, 2002
- Member of Student Organizing Committee, EEA & ESEM, İstanbul, 1996
- Member of the Econometric Society
- Member of the American Economic Association
- Member of the Society for the Promotion of Economic Theory

STUDENTS

- Francesco Brindisi, Outside reader, 2006
- Anne Dorn, Outside reader, 2007
- Changxiu Li, Outside reader, 2007
- Tümer Kapan, Outside reader, 2009
- Enrico Manlapig, Sponsor, 2010