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EDUCATION

- Ph.D. Candidate, Social Sciences, California Institute of Technology, expected June 2005.
- M.S. Social Sciences, California Institute of Technology, June 2003.
- B.S. Industrial Management, Purdue University, May 2000.

RESEARCH INTERESTS

- Public economics, microeconomic theory, experimental economics, game theory.

JOURNAL PUBLICATIONS

- “Learning Dynamics for Mechanism Design: An Experimental Comparison of Public Goods Mechanisms.” *Journal of Economic Theory*, forthcoming.
- “Bidding Behavior in the Price is Right Game: An Experimental Study,” with Charles Noussair. *Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization* **54** (June 2004), 231–247.

WORKING PAPERS

- “Group Reputations and Stereotypes as Contract Enforcement Devices.” California Institute of Technology Social Sciences Working Paper #1183 (under a previous title). Under review.
- “Contracting Inside An Organization: An Experimental Study,” with John Ledyard, Charles Noussair, Harley Thronson, Peter Ulrich, and Julio Varsi.
- “Equilibrium Participation in Public Goods Allocations.”

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- Instructor, Purdue University. Introductory Microeconomics. Summer, 2000.

HONORS & AWARDS

- ARCS Foundation Scholarship, 2004-05.
- Excellence in Teaching Award, Purdue University, Summer, 2000.
- Shell Oil Foundation Scholarship, 2000.

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CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

- Economic Science Assoc. Tucson, AZ, 2004. “Stereotypes and Group Reputations.”
- Assoc. of Public Econ. Theory, Beijing, China, 2004. “Learning Dynamics for Mechanism Design.”
- Economic Science Assoc. Tucson, AZ, 2003. “Learning Dynamics for Mechanism Design.”
- Decentralization Conference, West Lafayette, IN, 2003. “Learning Dynamics for Mechanism Design.”
- Midwest Economic Assoc. Chicago, IL, 1999. “Bidding Behavior in the Price is Right Game.”

OTHER RESEARCH-RELATED EXPERIENCE

- Research Assistant to Professors John Ledyard & Jasmina Arifovic, 2002-04.
- Participant, Russell Sage Foundation Workshop in Behavioral Economics, Trento, Italy, Summer, 2004.

REFEREEING EXPERIENCE

- *Games & Economic Behavior*
- *European Economic Review*
- *Journal of Economic Behavior & Organization*
- *Berkeley Electronic Journals in Economic Analysis & Policy*

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

- American Economic Association
- The Econometric Society
- Economic Science Association

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