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## PRIMARY ACADEMIC POSITION:

Claremont McKenna College, Assistant Professor of Economics. July 2004-March 2010.  
Claremont McKenna College, Associate Professor of Economics. March 2010- Present.

## EDUCATION:

Princeton University, Ph.D., Economics, 2004  
Princeton University, M.A., Economics, 2001  
Hebrew University, M.A., *cum laude*, Economics and Statistics, 1998  
Hebrew University, B.A., *cum laude*, Economics and Statistics, 1995

## PUBLICATIONS:

“New Evidence on Price Anomalies in Sequential Auctions: Used Cars in New Jersey,”  
*Journal of Business and Economic Statistics*, Vol.24, No.3, 301-312, 2006.

“Decomposing Wage Gaps Between Ethnic Groups: The Case of Israel,” with Gad  
Levanon, *Southern Economic Journal*, Vol. 73, No. 4, 1066–1087, 2007.

“The Optimal Jury Size When Jury Deliberation Follows a Random Walk,” with Eric  
Helland, *Public Choice*, Vol. 134, No. 3-4, 255-262, 2008.

“The Role of the Bidding Process in Price Determination: Bid Jumps in Sequential  
English Auctions,” *Economic Inquiry*, Vol. 46, No. 3, 325-341, 2008.

“Gambling by Auctions,” with Gabor Virag, *International Journal of Industrial  
Organization*, Vol. 27, Issue 3, 369-378, 2009.

“Uncertainty and Auction Outcome: Evidence from Used Car Auctions,” *Review of  
Industrial Organization*, Vol. 34, Issue 4, 327-347, 2009.

“Where Have All the Heroes Gone? A rational-choice perspective on heroism,” with  
Brock Blomberg and Greg Hess, *Public Choice*, Vol. 141, No. 3-4, 509-522, 2009.

## WORKING PAPERS:

“Revenue non-equivalence between auctions with soft and hard closing mechanisms:  
new evidence from Yahoo!,” with Brent Glover, Under revision for the *Journal of  
Economics Behavior & Organization*.

“Age, Human Capital and the Quality of Work: New Evidence from Old Masters,” with Thomas Bayer, John Page and Joshua Rosett

“The Effect of Different Reserve Prices on Auction Outcomes,” with Nathan Barrymore

**FIELDS OF INTEREST:** Applied Microeconomics: Empirical Auctions, Labor Economics, Public Finance

**FELLOWSHIPS GRANTS AND AWARDS:**

**2004-2007** CMC Summer Research Grant, 2005, 2006, 2007  
Lowe Institute Research Grant, 2007, 2009  
**2002-2004** Princeton University Industrial Relations Section Fellowship  
**2001-2002** Princeton University Graduate Summer Research Grant  
**1998-2002** Graduate Fellowship, Princeton University  
**1995-1998** Hebrew University Fellowship

**PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:**

**Claremont McKenna College**

Lecturer, *Statistics*, Fall 2004, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009 and Spring 2005, 2006  
Lecturer, *Game Theory*, Fall 2005 and Spring 2009

**Princeton University**

Junior Independent Work Faculty Advisor, Fall 2002 and Spring 2003  
Teaching Assistant for Professor Amy Craft, *Environmental Economics*, Spring 2003  
Teaching Assistant for Professor Silvia Weyerbrock, *International Trade*, Fall 2002 and Fall 2000  
Teaching Assistant for Professor Elizabeth C Bogan, *Description and Analysis of Price Systems*, Spring 2002  
Teaching Assistant for Professor Uwe E Reinhardt, *Description and Analysis of Price Systems*, Fall 2001  
Teaching Assistant for Professor David E Card, *Mathematical Approach to Microeconomic Theory*, Spring 2001

**Hebrew University**

Lecturer, *Introduction to Macroeconomics*, Spring 1998  
Lecturer, *Introduction to Microeconomics*, Fall 1997  
Teaching Assistant for Professor Uzi Motro, *Statistics*, Spring 1996 and Spring 1995  
Teaching Assistant for Professor Uzi Motro, *Probability*, Fall 1996 and Fall 1995

**Open University**

Lecturer, *Introduction to Mathematical Statistics*, Spring 1998 and Fall 1997

**EDITORIAL DUTIES:**

Editorial Board Member, *International Journal of Data Analysis Techniques and Strategies*, 2007-

**REFeree FOR:** *Applied Economics Research Bulletin, B.E. Journals in Economic Analysis & Policy, Defence and Peace Economics, Economics Letters, Economic Theory, European Economic Review, IIE Transactions, International Journal of Data Analysis Techniques and Strategies, International Journal of Game Theory, Journal of Applied Economics, Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization, Journal of Labor Economics, Journal of the European Economic Association, Southern Economic Journal, Review of Economics and Statistics, Review of Industrial Organization*

**DEPARTMENT SERVICE:**

Claremont McKenna College:  
Hiring Committee 2004-2005, 2007-2008, 2008-2009

**COLLEGE SERVICE:**

Claremont McKenna College:  
Off-Campus Study Committee 2005-2006  
Institutional Review Board Committee 2006-2007, 2009-  
Admission and Financial Aid Committee 2006-2007, 2009-  
Committee on Academic Computing 2007-2008  
Safety Committee 2008-2009

**LANGUAGES:** English, Hebrew