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## **Employment**

Janeway Network Postdoc 2020-2023  
Bye-Fellow, Christ's College, 2020-2023

## **Education**

DPhil in Economics, University of Oxford, 2017-2020  
MPhil in Economics, University of Oxford, 2012-2014  
BA (Hons), Philosophy, Politics and Economics, University of Oxford, 2009-2012

## **Research fields**

Primary: Network theory, data markets  
Secondary: information design, digital economy

## **Research visit**

Kellogg School, Northwestern, 03/2022-05/2022

## Working papers

### *Platforms*

*“In platforms we trust: misinformation on social networks in the presence of social mistrust”*  
Janeway Institute Working Paper (2022)

*“Searching for results: optimal platform design in a network setting”* Janeway Institute  
Working Paper (2021)

### *Data markets*

*“Digital gold? Pricing, inequality and participation in data markets”* Janeway Institute Working  
Paper (2022)

*“Third-degree price discrimination in the age of big data”* Janeway Institute Working Paper  
(2021)

*“Rating the competition: seller ratings and intra-platform competition”* Janeway Institute  
Working Paper (2021)

## Work-in-progress

*“Big data, competition and strategic location”* with Ozan Candogan (Chicago Booth)

*“Optimal data architectures”* with Ruslan Momot (Michigan Ross) and Marat Salikhov (New  
Economic School)

## Teaching experience

Autumn 2020-present	Fellow, Christ’s College, Cambridge	Industrial Economics
Autumn 2019-2020	Lecturer, New College, Oxford	Microeconomics and Game Theory
Autumn 2017-2020	Class teacher, LMH, Worcester	Econometrics
Autumn 2017-Spring 2019	Lecturer, Harris Manchester	Microeconomics
Autumn 2017-Spring 2018	Class teacher, Masters, Oxford	Microeconomic Theory

## Other employment

*Economic Consultant, Oxera, August 2014-June 2017*

Specialised in the economics of platforms and the film industry. Worked on projects with companies like Warner Bros, Mastercard, the British Film Institute and Dyson. Promoted in Dec 2015.

## Professional activities

**Referee:** *International Journal of Game Theory; Journal of Economic Theory; RAND Journal of Economics.*

**Organiser:** Cambridge Networks Webinar (2020-2023), Cambridge INET Young Academics Network Conference (2021)

## **Awards**

Autumn, 2017                      Departmental scholarship 2017-2020, including Final Year Bursary.  
Spring, 2011                      Thomas Balogh Prize for Political Economy

## **Presentations**

2022    7<sup>th</sup> Conference on Network Science and Economics, Chicago; EC Poster Session;  
INFORMS; Virginia Tech Economic Theory Seminar; Cambridge Theory Seminar  
2021    6<sup>th</sup> Conference on Network Science and Economics, Chicago; International Industrial  
Organization Conference; Cambridge INET Young Academics Network Conference;  
Cambridge Theory Seminar.  
2020    Econometric Society Winter Meeting; Cambridge Networks Seminar  
2019    Stony Brook Game Theory Festival, Stony Brook; EAYE Conference on Networks,  
Paris

## **Personal information**

Citizenship: United Kingdom

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