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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS AND AFFILIATIONS:

Northeastern University

2018-Present, Assistant Professor of Economics
2018-Present, Affiliated Faculty, Network Science Institute
2018-Present, Affiliated Faculty, NULab for Texts, Maps and Networks

EDUCATION:

Ph.D. Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Economics, 2018
Advisors: Ben Olken, Daron Acemoglu, Esther Duflo, Abhijit Banerjee
M.A. Duke University, Economics, 2012
B.S. Korea Advanced Institute of Science and Technology, Management Engineering, 2008

WORKING PAPERS:

“Better the Devil You Know: An Online Field Experiment on News Consumption”
“Social Learning of Political Elites: A Natural Experiment in Iceland” (with Matt Lowe)

WORK IN PROGRESS:

“Customs and Border Protection (CBP) Activities Mobilize Hispanic Voters” (with Cory Smith)
“The Power of Repetition: An Online Experiment in China” (with Jie Bai, Nancy Qian)
“The Power of Money: Evidence from a Bartering Platform” (with Suhas Vijaykumar, Michael Wong)
“Candidate Information and Polarization of US Voters” (with Cory Smith)

PRESENTATIONS:

Early Career Behavioral Economics (ECBE) Conference, UCSD, 2019
C Lab Workshop, GPRL China Cluster, Northwestern University, 2019
NULab Spring Conference “*Digital Storytelling*”, Northeastern University, 2019
American Economic Association Session “*Censorship*”, AEA Atlanta, 2019
Workshop “*Viral Deception and Polarization in Social Networks*”, Warren Center for Network and Data Sciences, University of Pennsylvania, 2018
Economics of Media and Communication Conference, Becker Friedman Institute, University of Chicago, 2018
Rady School of Management, UCSD, 2018

Lee Kuan Yew School of Public Policy, National University of Singapore, 2018
Department of Economics, Monash University, 2018
Department of Economics, University of New South Wales, 2018
Kellogg School of Management, Northwestern University, 2018
Network Science Institute, Northeastern University, 2017
Department of Economics, Northeastern University, 2017
Harris School of Public Policy, University of Chicago, 2017
Northeast Universities Development Consortium Conference (NEUDC) Poster Session, 2017

RESEARCH GRANTS:

External

“Measuring the Effects of Peer Sharing on Fake and Polarized News Consumption” (with Nicholas Beauchamp, David Lazer, Kenneth Joseph, Lu Wang), SSRC, 2019 (\$50,000)
“Increasing Voter Participation, Every Election: A Randomized Controlled Trial to Evaluate Behavioral Interventions on Voter Turnout” (with Enrico Cantoni, Cory Smith), Arnold Foundation, 2018 (\$148,520)

Internal-MIT

“How Do People Update Political Beliefs: A Randomized Experiment in South Korea”, George and Obie Shultz Fund, 2014-2018
“Information and Political Participation: A Randomized Experiment in the U.S.” (with Enrico Cantoni, Cory Smith), George and Obie Shultz Fund, 2016
“How Do People Update Political Beliefs: A Randomized Experiment in South Korea”, J-PAL Incubator Fund, 2015

TEACHING EXPERIENCE:

Northeastern University

NETS 7983 Causal Analysis: Emphasis on Network Settings, Spring 2020
ECON 1116 Principles of Microeconomics, Spring 2019; Spring 2020

MIT

14.03 Microeconomic Theory and Public Policy, Spring 2018 (TA)
14.01 Principles of Microeconomics, Fall 2015; Spring 2015; Spring 2017 (TA)

SERVICE:

Refereed for:

American Economic Review: Insights, American Economic Journal: Applied Economics, Review of Economics and Statistics, European Economic Review