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### CURRENT POSITIONS

2011- Professor of Economics, Central European University  
2014- Research Fellow, Center for Economic Policy Research

### PAST POSITIONS

2017-21 Joint Managing Editor, Review of Economic Studies  
2010-12 Associate Professor with tenure, Department of Economics, UC-Berkeley  
2010-14 Research Affiliate, Center for Economic Policy Research  
2010-12 Faculty Research Fellow, National Bureau of Economic Research  
2004-10 Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, UC-Berkeley  
2010 Fall Visiting Professor, Department of Economics, Central European University, Budapest  
2008 Spring Visiting Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, Harvard University  
2007 Spring Visiting Assistant Professor, Stern School of Business, New York University

### EDUCATION

Ph.D. in Economics, Harvard University, 2004  
M.A. in Economics, Central European University, Budapest, Hungary, 2000  
Diploma in Mathematics, Eotvos Lorand University, Budapest, Hungary, 1999

### RESEARCH INTERESTS

Economic and social networks, firms in development and trade, political economics, behavioral economics

### WORKING PAPERS

“The Political Economy of Alternative Realities” (with Ferenc Szucs), 2024.

“Indirect Effects of Access to Finance” (with Jing Cai), *American Economic Review*, conditionally accepted, 2023.

### REFEREED PUBLICATIONS

“Media Capture through Favor Exchange” (with Ferenc Szucs), *Econometrica*, 89(1): 281-310, 2021.

“Fishing for Fools” (with Ulrike Malmendier), *Games and Economic Behavior*, 122: 105-129, 2020.

“Learning to Import from Your Peers” (with Márta Bisztray and Miklós Koren), *Journal of International Economics*, 115: 242-258, 2018.

“Interfirm Relationships and Business Performance” (with Jing Cai), *Quarterly Journal of Economics*, 133(3): 1229-1282, 2018.

“The Effect of Housing on Portfolio Choice” (with Raj Chetty and Laszlo Sandor), *Journal of Finance*, 72(3): 1171-1212, 2017.

“Consumption Commitments and Habit Formation” (with Raj Chetty), *Econometrica*, 84(2): 855-890, 2016.

“Imported Inputs and Productivity” (with Laszlo Halpern and Miklos Koren), *American Economic Review*, 105(12), 3660-3703, 2015.

“Consumption Risk-sharing in Social Networks” (with Attila Ambrus and Markus Mobius), *American Economic Review*, 104(1): 149-82, 2014.

“A Model of Focusing in Economic Choice” (with Botond Koszegi), *Quarterly Journal of Economics*, 128(1): 53-107, 2013.

“Trust and Social Collateral” (with Dean Karlan, Markus Mobius and Tanya Rosenblat), *Quarterly Journal of Economics*, 124(3): 1307-1361, 2009.

“Core and Periphery in Networks” (with Daniel Hojman), *Journal of Economic Theory* 139(1): 295-309, 2008.

“Consumption Commitments and Risk Preferences” (with Raj Chetty), *Quarterly Journal of Economics* 122(2): 831-877, 2007.

“Existence of Equilibrium in Large Double Auctions” (with Drew Fudenberg and Markus Mobius), *Journal of Economic Theory* 133(1): 550-567, 2007.

“Optimal Integration Strategies for the Multinational Firm” (with Gene Grossman and Elhanan Helpman), *Journal of International Economics* 70: 216-238, 2006.

“Endogenous Networks, Social Games and Evolution” (with Daniel Hojman), *Games and Economic Behavior* 55(1): 112-130, 2006.

“Local Interaction, Contagion, and State-Dependent Mutation” (with In-Ho Lee and Akos Valentinyi), *B. E. Journals, Advances in Theoretical Economics*, 3 (1), article 2, 2002.

## **OTHER PUBLICATIONS**

“Community Size and Network Closure” (with Hunt Allcott, Dean Karlan, Markus Mobius and Tanya Rosenblat), *American Economic Review Papers and Proceedings* 97(2): 80-85, 2007.

“Complementarities between Outsourcing and Foreign Sourcing” (with Gene Grossman and Elhanan Helpman), *American Economic Review Papers and Proceedings* 95(2): 19-24, 2005.

## **HONORS AND GRANTS**

-International Economic Association, Fellow, 2024-

-Econometric Society, Fellow, 2020-

-European Research Council (ERC) Consolidator Grant, 2017-22

-Private Enterprise Development in Low-Income Countries, Exploratory grants, with J. Cai, 2014-21

-Private Enterprise Development in Low-Income Countries Major grant, with J. Cai, 2014-17

-Innovations for Poverty Action, SME Initiative, Competitive Research Fund, with J. Cai, 2014-15

-European Research Council (ERC) Starting Grant 2012-17

-Alfred P. Sloan Research Fellow, 2010-12

-NSF grant “Informal Contract Enforcement in Social Networks” with A. Ambrus and M. Mobius, 2008-11

- NSF grant “Consumption Commitments and Risk Preferences” with Raj Chetty, 2005-8
- UC-Berkeley, Committee on Research grants, 2004-06
- Review of Economic Studies Tour, 2004
- Keynote or invited speaker: Barcelona Summer Forum Networks Meeting 2023, German Economic Association Annual Conference Leipzig 2019, 24<sup>th</sup> Annual Coalition Theory Workshop in Marseilles 2019, Graduate School of Decision Sciences, Konstanz 2018, ERMAS Cluj-Napoca 2015, EEA-ESEM Toulouse 2014, EEA-ESEM Malaga 2012, Prague Economic Meeting 2011, MKE Conference Budapest 2010, 15<sup>th</sup> Annual Coalition Theory Workshop in Marseilles 2010

## **PROFESSIONAL SERVICE**

- International Economic Association, member of the Executive Committee, 2017-23
- Review of Economic Studies, member of the Editorial Board 2012-23
- European Economic Association, member of the Council, 2015-19
- Quarterly Journal of Economics, member of the Editorial Board, 2015-2017

## **TEACHING**

- 2011-            Central European University: Development Economics, Economic and Social Networks, Game Theory
- 2004-11        UC-Berkeley: graduate and undergraduate Financial Economics
- 2008            Harvard University: graduate Game Theory

## **GRADUATE ADVISING**

**Year and first placement in parenthesis, \* denotes main advisor or co-advisor**

Anna Bardits\*(2023, Institute of Economics, Hungarian Academy of Sciences), Oliver Racz\* (2022, Corvinus University, Budapest), Balazs Krusper\* (2022, Datapolis), Gabor Revesz\* (2022), Judit Rariga\* (2020, European Central Bank), Rita Peto\* (2020, Institute of Economics, Hungarian Academy of Sciences), Attila Gaspar\* (2019, University of Padua), Gyozo Gyongyosi\* (2018, Kiel Institute for the World Economy), Vladimir Mikhailov\* (2017, Morgan Stanley), Marta Bisztray\* (2016, Institute of Economics, Hungarian Academy of Sciences), Michaela Pagel\* (2014, Columbia GSB), Reza Shabani\* (2012, Blackrock), Sung Bin Sohn (2012, Peking University HSBC Business School), Hanoan Qu (2011, IMF), Ziemowit Bednarek (2010, Melbourne), Kwang Lee (2010, Pittsburg), Sebastien Betermier (2010, McGill), Shi-Shu Peng\* (2009, Sinica), Miguel Palacios (2009, Vanderbilt), Yongheon Lee (2008, Constellation Energy), Peng Liu (2007, Cornell), Jiro Yoshida (2007, University of Tokyo), Yumi Oum (2006, PG&E)

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