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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

- Assistant Professor, University of California Berkeley** 2017–
Haas School of Business, Management of Organizations (MORS)
- Post-doctoral Scholar, National Bureau of Economic Research** 2016-17
NBER Digitization Program (on leave from UC Berkeley)

EDUCATION

- MS/PhD, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Sloan School** 2016
Tech. Innovation, Entrepreneurship and Strategic Management (TIES)
Dissertation title: Essays on the Impact of Digital Information on Innovation
Committee: Scott Stern (chair), Heidi Williams, Pierre Azoulay, Catherine Tucker
- MBA, Indian Institute of Management Calcutta** 2010
- B.Tech., College of Engineering, Pune** 2008

REFEREED JOURNAL ARTICLES

- Does Copyright Affect Reuse? Evidence from Google Books and Wikipedia**
Management Science (forthcoming)
Media Mentions: [The Atlantic](#), [JetLaw](#), [Techdirt](#), [Wikipedia Signpost](#)

REFEREED CONFERENCE PROCEEDINGS PAPERS

- Do Wiki-pages have parents? An article-level inquiry into Wikipedia's inequalities** (with P. Seetharaman, R.Roy and A. Dutta)
Workshop on Information Technology Systems (WITS), 2009

WORKING PAPERS

- The Private Impact of Public Maps—Landsat Satellite Imagery and Gold Exploration**
(revise-and-resubmit)
- Motivating the Established, Deterring the New—The Divergent Effect of Platform Competition on Member Contributions in Digital Mapping Communities** (*with Henning Piezunka*)
- Information Seeding and Knowledge Production in Online Communities: Evidence from OpenStreetMap**

HONORS AND GRANTS

- Best Emerging Scholar Paper Award (Nominee), World Open Innovation Conference, 2017
Wiley Blackwell Outstanding Dissertation Award, Behavioral and Policy Sciences (BPS), July 2017
Technology and Innovation Management (TIM Division) Outstanding Dissertation Award, July 2017
Fisher Center for Business Analytics Research Award, 2017
Kauffman Prize, Best Student Paper, REER 2015
MIT Initiative on the Digital Economy (IDE) Grant, 2015
Ewing Marion Kauffman Dissertation Fellowship, 2014
J. Roberts Beyster Fellowship, 2014

NESTA Innovation Research Grant, 2014
Sloan Foundation Research Grant, 2014
Center for Digital Business Summer Research Grant, 2014
MIT Energy Fellowship, 2012

INVITED PRESENTATIONS AND CONFERENCES (INCLUDES SCHEDULED)

2017-18: World Open Innovation Conference 2017, Searle Roundtable on Economics of Mass Digitization—Northwestern University, State of the Map-US Conference, Institute for Personality and Social Research (IPSR) Berkeley, Academy of Management Conference, Korea Institute of Science and Technology (KAIST), Digital Infrastructure Research Meeting (Sloan Foundation), Society for Institutional & Organizational Economics Conference (Columbia University)

2016-17: Univ. of Utah/BYU Winter Strategy Conference; Organization Science Winter Conference; NBER Digitization Winter meetings (discussant); Washington University in St. Louis Strategy Seminar; Social Science and Technology Seminar, Stanford Institute of Economics and Policy Research (SIEPR), Stanford; Academy of Management Conference; NBER Summer Institute (cross-listed across programs Innovation, Productivity, Development, and Entrepreneurship, IT and Digitization)

2015-16: 9th Economics of Entrepreneurship & Innovation (EEI9) Conference; Kauffman Emerging Scholars Conference; Organization Science Winter Conference; Strategy, Fuqua School, Duke University; Harvard Business School (TOM-EM joint seminar); Strategy, UCLA Anderson; Economic Analysis & Policy, UC Berkeley Haas; Management of Organizations, UC Berkeley Haas; Dept. of Management, Wharton School, U-Penn; Organizations & Markets, University of Chicago Booth; Dept. of Management and Organizations, NYU Stern; Dyson School, Cornell University; Dept. of Management & Technology, Bocconi University; Strategy Area, Ross School, University of Michigan; Management & Organizations, USC Marshall; Strategy Department, Harvard Business School; Logistics, Business & Public Policy, UMD Smith School; Strategy & Entrepreneurship, UCL School of Management; NBER Productivity Seminar; Strategic Management Department, Fox School, Temple University; 15th Roundtable for Engineering Entrepreneurship Research (REER); MIT Economics “Labor Lunch”; MIT Sloan TIES Seminar; MIT Economics Summer Applied-Micro Lunch; Economic Sociology Working Group

2014-15 & before: Laboratory for Innovation Science and Policy Lunch; Open and User Innovation Workshop (HBS); Academy of Management Annual Meetings; Cyberscholars Working Group (Yale); NBER Summer Workshop on Economics of IT and Digitization; Third Annual Research Roundtable on the Law and Economics of Digital Markets, Searle Center (Northwestern Law); Fourth Workshop for Junior Researchers on the Law & Economics of Intellectual Property and Competition Law (Munich); Gordon Research Conference on Science & Technology Policy; Wikimania International Conference, Washington DC; Workshop on Information Technology Systems (WITS)

OTHER WRITING

Quantifying entrepreneurship using domain name registration data: Methods and applications for Oxford and Cambridge, UK (with Sibow Wang)

MIT Sloan Case Study: Leap Motion Commercialization Strategies (with Scott Stern)

The Dummies Guide to Building an Ecosystem (MIT Entrepreneurship Review)

A Guide to Business PhD Applications

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