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**DESIRED RESEARCH AND TEACHING FIELDS:**

**PRIMARY**

Macroeconomics

**SECONDARY**

Contract Theory  
Game Theory  
Psychology and Economics

**FIELDS OF CONCENTRATION:**

Psychology and Economics, Political Economics

**DISSERTATION TITLE: "Essays in Macroeconomics"**

Expected Date of Completion:	May 2010
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Other References:	Professors Yuriy Gorodnichenko and Emmanuel Saez

**PRE-DOCTORAL STUDIES:**

	<b>DEGREE</b>	<b>DATE</b>	<b>FIELD</b>
University of California, Berkeley	M.A.	2008	Economics
University of California, Berkeley	Ph.D. program	2005-2006	Operations Research (IEOR)
University of California, Berkeley	M.S.	2005	Operations Research (IEOR)
Ecole Centrale Paris, France	B.S.	2005	Applied Mathematics

**PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:**

**INDUSTRY**

Visiting Associate, The Boston Consulting Group, Paris, France (2003-2004)

**TEACHING:**

Teaching Assistant, Department of Economics, U.C. Berkeley:  
Graduate Game Theory (Fall 2008, Fall 2009), Graduate Macroeconomic Theory (Spring 2009), Intermediate Macroeconomics (Spring 2007), Introduction to Economics (Fall 2006).

**PUBLICATIONS:**

"A Probabilistic Graphical Approach to Computing Electricity Price Duration Curves under Price and Quantity Competition" (with Shmuel Oren), *Proceedings of the 40th Hawaii International Conference on Systems Science* (2007)

"Detecting Categories in News Video Using Acoustic, Speech, and Image Features" (with S. Petrov, A. Faria, A. Berg, A. Stolcke, D. Klein, and J. Malik), *Text REtrieval Conference---VIDEO Retrieval (TRECVID) Online Proceedings* (2006)

**PAPERS:**

"Do Search Frictions Explain Unemployment? Not in Bad Times." (Job Market Paper)  
"Optimal Dynamic Unemployment-Reducing Policies" (in preparation)  
"A Model of Customer Markets, Following from Interviews with French Bakers" (in preparation)  
"Can Customer Markets Help Understand Price Rigidity?" (in preparation)

**FELLOWSHIPS AND AWARDS:**

2009	Leonora Lindsley Memorial Fellowship
2008	Graduate Division Summer Grant, U.C. Berkeley
2007-2008	Dean's Normative Time Fellowship, U.C. Berkeley
2007	Institute of Business and Economic Research Dissertation Grant, U.C. Berkeley
2005-2006	EDF-EPRI Dissertation Fellowship

**OTHER INFORMATION:**

Languages:	English (fluent), French (native), German (advanced), Mandarin, Hindi (elementary)
Citizenship:	France