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### **Academic Position**

### 2018-PRESENT UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA Assistant Professor of Economics

### Education

2018	London School of Economics Doctor of Philosophy in Economics
2013	London School of Economics MSc Econometrics and Mathematical Economics
2011	Indian Institute of Technology, Delhi

B.Tech in Engineering Physics

### **Working Papers**

2019	Dynamically optimal treatment allocation using Reinforcement Learning, (joint with Friedrich Geiecke and Claudio Schilter), <i>arXiv preprint arXiv:1904.01047 (2019)</i> .
2019	Temporal-Difference estimation of dynamic discrete choice models, (joint with Dita Eckardt), <i>arXiv preprint arXiv:1912.09509</i> (2019).
2018	Bootstrap inference for Propensity Score Matching, Updated: August 2019
2018	Likelihood ratio inference for missing data models, (joint with Taisuke Otsu), <i>Updated: June</i> 2019

### Publications

2019	Inference on distribution functions under measurement error, (joint with Daisuke Kurisu, Taisuke Otsu, and Yoon-Jae Whang), <i>Journal of Econometrics</i> , Volume 215, Number 1, March 2020, pp. 131-164.
2018	"Nonparametric instrumental regression with errors in variables", (joint with Taisuke Otsu), <i>Econometric Theory</i> , 2018, 34(6), 1256-1280
2017	"Empirical Likelihood for random sets", (joint with Taisuke Otsu), <i>Journal of the American Sta-</i> <i>tistical Assosciation</i> , Volume 112, Number 519, April 2017, pp. 1064-1075.

### Work in Progress

2020 Unobserved heterogeneity, Grouped Random Effects and the EAMP algorithm

- 2020 Latent Matching Models: Variational inference for Bipartite networks
- 2020 Dynamic treatment regimes as off-policy Reinforcement Learning (joint with Kan Xu)

### Honors and Awards

2019	John Hicks prize for outstanding PhD Dissertation
2014	John Hicks prize for outstanding performance in MRes Economics
2013	Ely Devons prize for exceptional performance in MSc
2011	JN Tata endowment scholarship
2010	MITACS Globalink fellowship
2005	National Talent Search Scholarship (Govt. of India)

### Service

Reviewer for Econometric Theory, Journal of Business and Economic Statistics, Econometric Reviews, Journal of Econometrics, Quantitative Economics, IEEE Transactions on Signal Processing, Metrika

## **Teaching Experience**

- 2018/19 Econ 103 Statistics for economists
- 2013/18 Teaching fellow London School of Economics

#### Presentations

- 2019/20 Vanderbilt, Yale, Brown, North Carolina State University, Bristol Econometrics study group, AEA-ASSA annual meetings
- 2018/19 Columbia, Penn State, University of Virginia, Princeton, Harvard-MIT, Greater New York Area econometrics conference, CEMMAP/UCL conference on Personalized treatment, Duke