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Education

Ph.D. (anticipated), Economics, Rutgers University, 2018

Dissertation Title: "Coordination and Uncertainty"

M.A., Economics, Fordham University, 2010

M.S., Physics, Princeton University, 1999

B.S., Mathematics, University of Chicago, 1996

References

Barry Sopher

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Research Interests

Market Design

Game Theory

Group decision making under uncertainty

Risk-Dominance and its kin

Asset Pricing

Liquidity Premia

Bubbles

Money

Experimental Economics

JEL codes C6 C7 C9
D4 D7 D8 D9
G1
L1

Papers

2017, “Shortages and Runs” *Job Market Paper Mimeo*

2012, “A Stochastic Coordination Game Experiment” *Second-Year Paper Mimeo*

“Risk Dominance out of Equilibrium” *Mimeo*

Awards

University and Bevier Fellowship 2014–2015

Sidney Brown Prize in Economics 2012

Sidney I. Simon Award for Outstanding Second Year Research Paper 2012

Rie Ashizawa Memorial Award for Outstanding Performance on the Qualifying Examinations 2011

Teaching Experience

Math Camp	Intensive one-week math review for incoming graduate students in economics	2014–2017
Game Theory	An upper-level elective for undergraduates	Spring 2017
Introductory Econometrics	A course required for all undergraduate economics majors	Fall 2012; Fall 2013
Financial Economics	An upper-level elective for undergraduates; an overview of risk, discounted cash flows, and some ontology of financial instruments	Summer 2012

Teaching Assistant for Public Economics, Game Theory, Introductory Microeconomics

Grader for miscellaneous other classes

Skills

C++, python, Javascript

I use R, and have used Matlab and Gauss

Nonacademic Experience

Strategist (Quant), Goldman Sachs, 2005–2008

I developed models to price and hedge counterparty credit risk on derivatives and optimized the efficiency of computer programs

Computer programmer, 1999–2005