

AKHIL VOHRA

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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Assistant Professor of Economics, University of Exeter Business School	2025 –
Assistant Professor of Economics, Terry College of Business, University of Georgia	2022 – 2025
Visiting Scholar, The Wharton School, University of Pennsylvania	Fall 2024
Visiting Scholar, Stern School of Business, New York University	Spring 2024
Postdoctoral Fellow, University of Cambridge	2021 – 2022
Researcher, Microsoft Research	Summer 2019
Agency Mortgage-Backed Securities Trader, Bank of America Merrill Lynch	2014 – 2015

EDUCATION

Ph.D. in Economics, Stanford University	2015–2021
B.S. in Mathematics with Honors and Distinction, Stanford University	2010–2014

PUBLICATIONS

Strategic Influencers and the Shaping of Beliefs, *forthcoming*, [RAND Journal of Economics](#), 2025

Unraveling and Inefficient Matching, [American Economic Journal: Microeconomics](#), 2025

Losing Money to Make Money: The Benefits of Redistribution, [Games and Economic Behavior](#), 2023

Bayesian Persuasion: Reduced Form Approach, [Journal of Mathematical Economics](#), 2023 (with J. Toikka and R. Vohra)

Testing Alone is Insufficient, [Review of Economic Design](#), 2022 (with R. Deb, M. Pai, and R. Vohra)

Explaining a Potential Interview Match for Graduate Medical Education, [Journal of Graduate Medical Education](#), 2021 (with I. Wapnir, I. Ashlagi, A.E. Roth, E. Skancke, I. Lo, and M. Melcher)

Market Design: A Survey, [Encyclopedia of Complexity and Systems Science](#), 2017 (with F. Kojima and F. Shi)

WORKING PAPERS

Matching with Costly Interviews: The Benefits of Asynchronous Offers – with Nathan Yoder

A Practical Approach to Matching with Affirmative Action – with Eduardo Azevedo

WORK IN PROGRESS

Dynamic Supply Chains – with Matt Elliott

Political Polarization as a Means of Party Discipline

Diffusion & Adoption of Collaborative Technology – with Matthew Jackson and Sida Peng

Matching in Interview Markets – with Itai Ashlagi, Irene Lo, Al Roth, and Erling Skancke

Unraveling in College Athletic Scholarship Offers – with John Horowitz

AWARDS

2x MSBA Excellence in Teaching , Terry College of Business, University of Georgia	2022-23, 2024-25
Course: Competitive Strategy	
Student Career Success Influencer , Terry College of Business, University of Georgia	2024
Forman Family Fellow in Economics , Stanford University	2020–2021
E.S. Shaw and B.F. Haley Fellowship for Economics , Stanford University	2020–2021
Outstanding Teaching Assistant Award x2	2018–2019
Sean Buckley Memorial Award for Best Paper	2017–2018
Martin Lee Johnson Stanford Graduate Fellow	2015–2020

TEACHING

BEP 1120 (Undergraduate) – Introduction to Economics, University of Exeter Business School

Econ 7950 (MSBA and MBA) – Competitive Strategy, University of Georgia Terry College of Business

Econ 8010 (PhDs) – Microeconomic Theory I, University of Georgia Terry College of Business

Econ 8020 (PhDs) – Microeconomic Theory II (Mechanism Design), University of Georgia Terry College of Business

Tutorial Leader, Economics Tripos (Undergraduate) – Contracts and Incentives, University of Cambridge

Teaching Assistant, HRMGT 302 (MBA) – Incentives and Productivity, Stanford University
[Professor Edward Lazear]

Teaching Assistant, Econ 136 (Undergraduate) – Market Design, Stanford University
[Professor Paul Milgrom]

Teaching Assistant, Econ 50 (Undergraduate) – Intermediate Microeconomics, Stanford University

INVITED CONFERENCES & SEMINARS (* = scheduled)

University of Bristol, European Winter Meeting of the Econometric Society, Bocconi, 2024-25
Emory, North Carolina State, Carnegie Mellon, University of Pittsburgh,
University of Pennsylvania, University of Exeter

Boston College, IU Kelley, NYU Stern (internal workshop), Rutgers, Ball State, 2023-24
University of Essex, Arizona State, Notre Dame, INFORMS, SAET
Stanford Institute for Theoretical Economics

NASMES (Los Angeles), University of Kansas (Workshop in Economic Theory), 2022-23
Clemson University, Georgia Tech, SEA Meeting, Oxford University, University of Paris – Sorbonne,
University of Trier, Queens University (Dublin), Conference on Networks Science and Economics (UChicago)

Microsoft Research, North Carolina State, University of Cambridge, University of Tokyo, 2021-22
Carnegie Mellon Tepper School of Business, NYU Abu Dhabi, University of Georgia,
European Winter Meeting of the Econometric Society, International Industrial Organization Conference,
European Association of Labor Economists

Stonybrook Game Theory Conference, NASMES (Seattle) 2019

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Refereeing – *Quarterly Journal of Economics*, *Journal of Political Economy*, *International Economic Review*,
Theoretical Economics, *American Economic Journal: Microeconomics*, *Journal of Political Economy: Microeconomics*,
RAND Journal of Economics, *ACM Conference on Economics & Computation*, *Journal of Mathematical Economics*
European Economic Review, *Games & Economic Behavior*, *Review of Economic Design*, *Artificial Intelligence*,
International Journal of Game Theory