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PUBLICATIONS	“Signaling Covertly Acquired Information” (with Mehmet Ekmekci); <i>Journal of Economic Theory</i> , 214 (2023). “Time-varying Cost of Distancing: Distancing Fatigue, Holidays and Lockdowns” (with Christoph Carnehl and Satoshi Fukuda); <i>Journal of Economic Theory</i> , 207 (2023). “Optimal Pricing, Private Information and Search for an Outside Offer” (with Sarah Auster and Salvatore Piccolo); <i>RAND Journal of Economics</i> , 52 (2021), 758-777. “Optimal Selling Mechanism under Moment Conditions” (with Vinicius Carrasco, Vitor Farinha Luz, Matthias Messner, Paulo Monteiro and Humberto Moreria), <i>Journal of Economic Theory</i> , 177 (2018), 245-279. “The Design of Ambiguous Mechanisms” (with Alfredo Di Tillio and Matthias Messner), <i>The Review of Economic Studies</i> , 84 (2017), 237 - 276. “Just Enough of All: Selling a Firm” (with Mehmet Ekmekci and Rakesh Vohra), April 2015, <i>AEJ: Micro</i> , 8 (2016), 223-256. “Information in Tender Offers with a Large Shareholder” (with Mehmet Ekmekci), <i>Econometrica</i> , 84 (2016), 87-139. “Asking Questions”, <i>Games and Economic Behavior</i> , 87 (2014), 642-650. “Incentive Compatibility in Non-quasilinear Envrionments” (with Matthias Messner), <i>Economics Letters</i> , 121 (2013), 12 - 14. “Extremal Incentive Compatible Transfers” (with Matthias Messner), <i>Journal of Economic Theory</i> , 148 (2013), 134 - 164. “Communication and Efficiency in Auctions”, <i>Games and Economic Behavior</i> , 75 (2012), 233 - 249.

WORKING PAPERS “Pricing and Consumer Surplus in Monopoly with Product Design” (with Kyungmin Kim).

“Robust Product Design and Pricing” (with Kyungmin Kim).

“Time-Varying Cost of Distancing: Distancing Fatigue, Holidays and Lockdowns” (with Christoph Carnehl and Satoshi Fukuda).

“Value of Information and Fairness Opinions in Takeovers” (with Mehmet Ekmekci).

PROFESSIONAL
ACTIVITIES

Editorial work

Associate Editor, *Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization*, June 2025 - Present

Refereeing

Econometrica, *AER*, *Journal of Political Economy*, *The Review of Economic Studies*, *Journal of Economic Theory*, *Games and Economic Behavior*, *Theoretical Economics*, *American Economic Journal: Microeconomics*, *Economic Theory*, *International Journal of Game Theory*, *Journal of European Economic Association*.