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Academic Positions

Assistant Professor, Strategy and Business Policy Department, HEC Paris (2019-current)

Education

Ph.D., Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Sloan School of Management, Technological Innovation, Entrepreneurship, and Strategic Management (TIES) Group

S.M., Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Sloan School of Management, Management Research (2016)

M.S., Free University of Brussels, European Integration and Development, Economics track (2003)

B.S.E., The School of Engineering and Applied Science at the University of Pennsylvania, Computer Science & Engineering (1999)

B.S.E., The Wharton School at the University of Pennsylvania, Finance (1999)

Publications

Chavda, A., Jegers, M. (2007) 'The Effects of Leniency Programs and Fines on Cartel Stability', *Metroeconomica*, 58 (2), pp. 231-243

Working Papers

Chavda, A., (2021) "A Little Is Not Enough: How the Degree of Flexibility Affects Resource Allocation"

Chavda, A. and Eklund, J. (2021) "It's Not What You Know, It's Where You Are: Understanding the Relationship between Hierarchy and Experience on Performance"

Chavda, A. and Kim, M. (2021) "Why Might Inequality Increase with More Employment Flexibility?"

Chavda, A., (2020) "The Limits of Ambidexterity: Evidence from Netflix's Entry"

Chavda, A., (2020) "The Effect of Asset Ownership on Project Selection: Evidence from 1970s Television"

Chavda, A., (2020) "Does the Marginal Entrepreneur Matter?"

Conference and Workshop Presentations

"The Downside of Experimentation: Evidence from Television Shows"

- NBER Productivity Seminar, October 2018
- TIES Seminar, MIT Sloan, September 2018
- Druid18, Copenhagen, DK, June 2018
- Organizational Economics Lunch, MIT Sloan, Cambridge, MA, December 2017
- Wharton Innovation Doctoral Symposium, October 2017

Invited Roundtable and Workshop Participant

NBER Entrepreneurship Bootcamp, Cambridge, MA, July 2017

Digitization Tutorial, Stanford, CA, March 2016

Digitization Tutorial, Stanford, CA, March 2015

Teaching Experience

Strategic Management (MBA), Spring 2020

Innovation and Technology Management (PhD), Spring 2020

Employment

2006-2013, Senior Product Planner, Microsoft, Redmond, Washington

2004-2006, Program Manager, Microsoft, Redmond, Washington

2003-2004, Blue Book Stagiare, European Commission, Brussels, Belgium

2000-2002, Lead Developer, Scan Mobile, London, United Kingdom

2000, Co-founder, Netmatrix Japan, Tokyo, Japan

1998, Intern, Software Research Associates Japan, Tokyo, Japan

Honors, Fellowships and Awards

Jean Hammond (1986) and Michael Krasner (1974) Entrepreneurship Fund Recipient

Edward B. Roberts (1957) Entrepreneurship Fund Recipient

MIT Sloan Ph.D. Fellowship

Fulbright U.S. Student Fellow at the University of Iceland

US Patents 7945612, 8111686, 7483969, 7698648, 7836088, 7856470 and 7899168

Jerome Fisher Management & Technology Program

European Commission Blue Book Stagiare

Benjamin Franklin Scholar

Temple University Japan Fellowship

Rotary Club Foundation Scholarship

Microsoft Leadership Bench