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Qualifications

Certificate in Advanced Risk and Portfolio Management (Baruch College)
Diploma, MSc and PhD Economics (Cambridge)
BA Psychology (Carleton University)

Research

Mechanised reasoning
Weak property rights
Differential Games
Microeconomic Theory

Grants

EPSRC grant EP/J007498/1: Formal representation and proof for cooperative games, with M. Kerber, January 2012 - December 2014 (£389,557)

Other activities

Director of MSc Mathematical Finance (incl. admissions), careers and alum link, and chair of the Research Computing Management Committee

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Publications

Marco B. Caminati, Manfred Kerber, Christoph Lange, Colin Rowat. 2014. Set Theory or Higher Order Logic to Represent Auction Concepts in Isabelle?. Conference on Intelligent Computer Mathematics No. 8543 in Lecture Notes in Computer Science, Springer, pp. 236–251, 2014.

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C. Rowat and P. Seabright. 2006. "**Intermediation by Aid Agencies (http://dx.doi.org/10.1016/j.jdeveco.2006.01.007)** ", *Journal of Development Economics*, vol 79 (2), pp. 469-491.

Discussion papers

A formal proof of Vickrey's theorem by blast, simp, and rule, with M. Kerber and C. Lange. January 2014, Department of Economics Discussion Paper, University of Birmingham, 14-01. (Submitted to the Journal of Mathematical Economics)

Expertise

Iraqi economy; UK and US Iraq policy; sanctions and their humanitarian consequences

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