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Citizenship: United States

ACADEMIC & INDUSTRY POSITIONS

Eisengard AI

Co-Founder, President & CTO, (2021-present).

Samuel Curtis Johnson Graduate School of Management, Cornell University

Visiting Lecturer, (2023-present).

Courses: **Machine Learning Applications in Business.**

Samuel Curtis Johnson Graduate School of Management, Cornell University

Assistant Professor, Breazzano Family Sesquicentennial Fellow (2014-2021).

Courses: Digital Marketing, Strategic Product and Marketing Immersion (SPMI), and Data Analytics & Modeling.

EDUCATION

Harvard Business School

Boston, MA

Doctor of Business Administration

Focus: *Machine learning, structural econometrics & quantitative/computational marketing*

Massachusetts Institute of Technology

Cambridge, MA

M.Eng. in Electrical Engineering and Computer Science

Areas of Concentration: *Machine Learning and Electromagnetism*

Massachusetts Institute of Technology

Cambridge, MA

S.B. in Electrical Engineering and Computer Science

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Methodological Expertise: Deep Learning, Machine Learning, Reinforcement Learning/Dynamic Programming, Bayesian Statistics, Structural Econometrics, Privacy-Preserving Analytics

Subject Matter Expertise: Entrepreneurship, Digital Strategy, Product Management, Digital Marketing, Data Science

PUBLICATIONS

1. Lee, Clarence, Piyush Anand. “Using Deep Learning to Overcome Privacy and Scalability Issues in Customer Data Transfer.” 2022. Forthcoming at Marketing Science.
2. Kim, Sungjin, Clarence Lee & Sachin Gupta. “Bayesian Synthetic Control Methods.” 2021. Journal of Marketing Research. **Winner: Paul E. Green Award**
3. Kim, Sungjin, Sachin Gupta & Clarence Lee. “Managing Members, Donors, and Member-Donors for Effective Non-profit Fundraising.” 2021. **Journal of Marketing Special Issue: Better Marketing for a Better World.**
4. Park, Joowon, Clarence Lee & Manoj Thomas. “Why Do Cashless Payments Increase Unhealthy Consumption? The Decision-Risk Inattention Hypothesis.” 2020. Journal of the Association for Consumer Research.
5. Lee, Clarence, Elie Ofek & Thomas Steenburgh. “Personal and Social Usage: The Origins of Active Customers and Ways to Keep Them Engaged.” 2017. Management Science.

RESEARCH PAPERS IN PROGRESS

1. Chai, Sen, Clarence Lee, Anoop Menon & Haris Tabakovic. “Using Machine Learning to Predict Technology Generality.”
2. Lee, Clarence, Vineet Kumar & Sunil Gupta. “Designing Freemium: Strategic Balancing of Growth and Monetization.”
3. Lee, Clarence & Peter Blair. “Disentangling Peer Effects and Economic Incentives in Customer Acquisition.”
4. Elberse, Anita, Clarence Lee & Ling-Ling Zhang. “Viral Video: The True Reach of Online Video Advertisements.”
5. Lee, Clarence. “Distributed Marketing Allocation using Federated Learning.”
6. Lee, Clarence. “Unpacking the Deep Learning Black-Box: Exploring the Picture Data Analogy in Generative Adversarial Networks.”
7. Lee, Clarence. “Machine Assisted Content Generation with Recurrent Neural Networks.”

PRESENTATION AND SEMINARS

“Unpacking the Deep Learning Black-Box: Exploring the Picture Data Analogy in Generative Adversarial Networks.” 2019

Marketing Science Conference, University of Roma Tre, Rome, Italy.

“Using Deep Learning to Overcome Privacy and Scalability Issues in Customer Data Transfer.” 2018

Marketing Science Conference, Temple University, Philadelphia, PA.
Frontiers of Empirical Marketing, Miami, FL.

“Disentangling Peer Effects and Economic Incentives in Customer Acquisition” 2017

Fox School of Business, Temple University, Philadelphia, PA. 2016
Northeast Marketing Conference, MIT Sloan School of Business

“Designing Freemium: a Model of Consumer Usage, Upgrade, and Referral Dynamics” 2015

McGill International Conference on Marketing, Montreal, Canada. 2014

Stanford Graduate School of Business, Stanford, CA. 2013

Marketing Science Conf., (ISMS Dissertation Award), Atlanta, GA.

Olin School of Business, Washington Univ. in St. Louis, St. Louis, MO.

Univ. of Wisconsin School of Business, Madison, WI.

Marshall School of Business, USC, Los Angeles, CA.

Anderson School of Management, UCLA, Los Angeles, CA.

Sauder School of Business, UBC, Vancouver, Canada.

McDonough School of Business, Georgetown Univ., Washington, DC.

Fuqua School of Business, Duke University, Durham, NC.

Johnson School of Management, Cornell University, Ithaca, NY.

Haas School of Business, University of California, Berkeley, CA.

The Wharton School of the Univ. of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA.

University of Maryland, College Park, MD.

INSEAD, Fontainebleau, France.

London Business School, United Kingdom.

National University of Singapore, Singapore.

Singapore Management University, Singapore.

“Where do the Most Active Customers Originate and How Can Firms Keep Them Engaged?” 2012

London Business School Trans-Atlantic Doctoral Conference, U.K.

- “Success of Web Products an HMM of the Relationship between Adoption Routes and Usage”*
Marketing Science Conference, Cologne, Germany. 2010
- “Data Analysis Techniques and Advanced Features in R.”*
Harvard Business School, Guest Lecture in Theory and Practice of Research, Boston, MA. 2009

AWARDS AND HONORS

- Winner, American Marketing Association Paul E. Green Award 2021
- Winner, Professor Dedication Award, Cornell Tech 2018, 2019
- Co-Winner (with Toby Stuart), Professor of the Year, Cornell Tech. 2015
- Recipient, ISMS Doctoral Dissertation Competition Award 2014
- Recipient, MSI Dissertation Competition Award. 2014
- Recipient, Harvard Business School Wyss Dissertation Award. 2014
- Fellow, AMA-Sheth Doctoral Consortium, University of Washington. 2012
- Fellow, Marketing Science Doctoral Consortium, Boston University. 2012
- MIT Institute Award (William L. Stewart Jr. Award) 2007
- Eta Kappa Nu Engineering Honor Society, MIT Chapter. 2004-2006

SERVICE

- Ad-hoc Reviewer, Marketing Science, Journal of Marketing,
Journal of Marketing Research & Management Science
(Business Strategy & Marketing) 2015-present
- Member, Johnson Cornell Tech Faculty Search Committee. 2016
- Member, Faculty Recruiting Committee, Johnson School of Management. 2016
- Co-Organizer, Marketing Research Camp, Johnson School of Management. 2016
- Co-Organizer, Marketing Seminar Series, Johnson School of Management. 2015-2019
- Member, MBA Program Committee, Cornell Tech. 2015-2019
- Chair, HBS Doctoral Mentorship Program. 2011
- Board of Directors, MIT Technology Fair Organization. 2008-2014
- MIT Alumni Class President. 2006-2011

SKILLS

Fluent Languages/Platforms/Packages: Armadillo, Amazon EC2/RDS, C++, Eigen, Julia, R, Rcpp, Python, Tensorflow, PyTorch, Flask, JavaScript, SQL.
Competent Languages: BUGS, Django, MATLAB, PHP.