

CURRICULUM VITAE

Gergely Csorba

CURRENT AFFILIATIONS

- 2006- Chief Economist, Hungarian Competition Authority (GVH)
2005- Research Fellow, Institute of Economics (Hungarian Academy of Sciences)

EDUCATION

- 2001-2006: Central European University, Budapest, PhD in Economics
thesis title: "Three Essays on Monopolist Second-degree Discrimination Strategies in the Presence of Positive Network Effects"
thesis committee: Péter Benczúr (supervisor), Andrzej Baniak, Leif Danziger, Jacques Thisse
- 2000-2001: Toulouse School of Economics, Master of Economics and Econometrics
specialization: Quantitative Economics
thesis title: "Monopoly Quality Differentiation Strategies with Network Externalities"
thesis committee: Bruno Jullien (supervisor), Patrick Rey, Jean Tirole
- 1995-2000: Budapest University of Economic Studies, Master of Economic Theory
thesis title: "Pricing Strategies of a Durable Good Monopolist"

REPRESENTATIVE PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

- "Functional Degradation and Asymmetric Network Effects", joint work with Jong-Hee Hahn, *Journal of Industrial Economics* 54, pp. 253-268 (2006 June)
- "Screening Contracts in the Presence of Positive Network Effects", *International Journal of Industrial Organization* 26, pp. 213-226 (January 2008)
- "Contracting with Asymmetric Information in the Presence of Positive Network Effects: Screening and Divide-and-Conquer Techniques", *Information Economics and Policy* 20, pp. 54-66 (March 2008)

CURRENT RESEARCH PAPERS

- "Measuring impact of structural changes on the Hungarian retail gasoline market – an ex post analysis", joint work with Dávid Farkas and Gábor Koltay
- "Estimating Switching Costs from Aggregated Data", joint work with Gábor Kézdi

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

- Referring: International Journal of Industrial Organization, Information Economics and Policy, International Journal of the Economics of Business
- 2010-: Steering Committee Member, Association of Competition Economics (ACE)
- 2009-2010: Organizer of the "Market Analysis, Competition Policy and Regulation" seminar series (joint event of GVH & IE-HAS)
- 2008: Organizer of the 2008 Annual Conference of the Association for Competition Economics (ACE), Budapest
- 2006-2008: Steering Committee Member, European Competition Network Chief Competition Economists Workgroup

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- 2006-: OECD and various competition authorities in Hungary, Albania, Cyprus, Egypt and Slovakia (courses on theoretical and empirical aspects of Competition Policy and Industrial Organization)
- 2005-6: Lecturer, Veszprém University (Advanced Microeconomics, Information Economics and Contract Theory)
- 2003-5: Teaching Assistant, Central European University (Microeconomic Theory 2)
- 2002-4: Lecturer, Budapest University of Economic Sciences (Microeconomics, Industrial Organization)

SPOKEN LANGUAGES

English (fluent, everyday use), French (good in speaking, fading in writing), German (fading)