

Egor Starkov

CONTACT INFORMATION	Department of Economics University of Copenhagen Øster Farimagsgade 5, building 26 DK-1353 Copenhagen K, Denmark	Email: egor@starkov.email Web: starkov.site
RESEARCH INTERESTS	Microeconomic theory, Information economics, Digital Economics	
EMPLOYMENT	University of Copenhagen , Copenhagen, Denmark Assistant professor, 2019–	
EDUCATION	Northwestern University , Evanston, Illinois Ph.D. in Economics, 2019 Thesis Committee: Jeff Ely, Yingni Guo, Wojciech Olszewski M.A. in Economics, 2015 New Economic School , Moscow, Russia M.A. in Economics, cum laude, 2013 Advisors: Sergei Izmalkov & Efthymios Athanasiou Higher School of Economics , Perm, Russia B.A. in Economics/Financial Management, 2011 Advisor: Anastasiya Redkina	
FELLOWSHIPS AND AWARDS	Career Development Grant, Northwestern University, 2018 Conference Travel Grant, Northwestern University, 2018 Dissertation Year Fellowship, Northwestern University, 2018 Economics Department Fellowship, Northwestern University, 2013 Lombard Odier Best Masters Thesis Award, New Economic School, 2013 Deutsche Bank Fellowship, Moscow, Russia, 2012 New Economic School Full Tuition Grant, New Economic School, 2012 Never Ending Support: Alumni for Students Fellowship, New Economic School, 2012 Distinguished Academic Fellowship, Higher School of Economics, 2009	
TEACHING EXPERIENCE	Lecturer, University of Copenhagen , 2019– Mechanism Design (M.A. in Economics) Financial Markets Microstructure (M.A. in Economics) Seminar: Digital Economics (M.A. in Economics) Microeconomics II (B.A. in Economics) Teaching Assistant, Northwestern University , 2014–19 Introduction to Macroeconomics (Profs. Richard Walker and David Berger) Introduction to Microeconomics (Prof. Eric Schulz)	

Behavioral Economics (Prof. Eric Schulz)
Public Finance (Prof. Mikhail Golosov)
Math Camp for Economists (Lec. Natalya Naumenko)
Graduate Game Theory (Profs. Jeff Ely and Wojciech Olszewski)
Graduate Asset Pricing (Professors Constantinos Skiadas and Dimitris Papanikolaou)

Teaching Assistant, New Economic School, 2012–13

Graduate-level Microeconomics sequence (Professors Luke Miner, Sergei Izmalkov, Ozgur Evren, Sergey Stepanov)

Teaching Assistant, Higher School of Economics, 2011

Industrial Organization (Prof. Anastasiya Redkina)

**SUPERVISION
EXPERIENCE**

Masters theses in Economics and Finance: 15 students (2021–24)
Bachelor theses in Economics: 3 students (2021–23)
Seminar papers in Economics: 22 students (2020–23)

**SEMINAR
PRESENTATIONS**

2024: Nordic Theory Seminar (online)
2023: DICE Düsseldorf, Nordic Theory Seminar (online), Webinar Series on Credence Goods, Copenhagen
2022: Bern, ThEMA Cergy-Pontoise
2020: Copenhagen, Jonkoping
2019: Northwestern, Georgia Tech, Copenhagen, Higher School of Economics, New Economic School, NHH Bergen, Aalto
2015-19: Northwestern University

**CONFERENCE
PRESENTATIONS**

CBS Theory Workshop, Copenhagen, 2023
MaCCI annual, Mannheim, 2023
SAET, online/Canberra, 2022
GAMES, online/Budapest, 2021
IIOC, online/Boston, 2021
EEA Summer meetings, online, 2020
OLIGO, online, 2020
Transatlantic Theory Workshop, Evanston, 2018
International Conference on Game Theory, Stony Brook, 2018
Midwest Economic Theory Conference, Philadelphia, 2018
Midwest Economic Association Meetings, Evanston, 2018

**COURSE AND
SUMMER SCHOOL
PARTICIPATION**

Advances in Mechanism Design with and without Transfers, Gerzensee, 2021
Teaching and Learning in Higher Education, Copenhagen, 2020-21
RSF Summer Camp on Behavioral Economics, Waterville Valley, 2018
Econometric Society Summer School, Singapore, 2018

**REFEREEING
DUTIES**

American Economic Review, Econometrica, Journal of Economic Theory,
Games and Economic Behavior, European Economic Review, International
Economic Review, American Economic Journal: Microeconomics,
American Economic Review: Insights

PUBLICATIONS

Smirnov, A., & Starkov, E. (2022). Bad news turned good: reversal under censorship. *American Economic Journal: Microeconomics*, 14(2), 506–60.

Matveenko, A. & Starkov, E. (2023). Sparking Curiosity or Tipping the Scales? Targeted Advertising with Consumer Learning. *Journal of Economic Behavior & Organization*, 213, 172–92.

Starkov, E. (2023). Only Time Will Tell: Credible Dynamic Signaling. *Journal of Mathematical Economics*, 109, 102894.

**WORKING PAPERS
AND WORK IN
PROGRESS**

(latest versions available [on my website](#) or upon request)

Timing of Predictions in Dynamic Cheap Talk: Experts vs. Quacks (with Aleksei Smirnov)

Optimally Biased Expertise (with Pavel Ilinov, Andrei Matveenko, and Maxim Senkov)

The Limits of Social Learning (with Aleksei Smirnov)

Collective action in an unequal world: Navigating social dilemmas (with Jon Christensen)

**LANGUAGE
PROFICIENCY**

English (fluent), Russian (native), Danish (intermediate)

**SOFTWARE
PROFICIENCY**

Linux, Python (incl. Jupyter), git, LaTeX, Maxima, audio-, video-, and image-editing (Audacity, Ardour, Shotcut, GIMP)

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