

CURRICULUM VITAE

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Qualifications: PhD in Economics, University of Cape Town (UCT), 2015
Masters in Economics (with distinction), UCT, 2008
Honours in Economics (with distinction), UCT, 2005
Bachelor of Social Science in Politics, Philosophy, and Economics (with distinction), UCT, 2004

Research

- 2023: Hofmeyr, A. & Kincaid, H. 2023. "Lab Experiments in Political Science through the Lens of Experimental Economics." *Oxford Handbook of Philosophy of Political Science*, ed. by H. Kincaid and J. van Bouwel. Oxford: Oxford University Press, pp. 355-392.
- 2022: Harrison, G.W., Hofmeyr, A. Kincaid, H. Monroe, B. Ross, D. Schneider, M. & Swarthout, J.T. 2022. "Subjective Beliefs and Economic Preferences During the COVID-19 Pandemic." *Experimental Economics*, Vol. 25, pp. 795-823.
<https://doi.org/10.1007/s10683-021-09738-3>.
- 2021: Chetty, R. Hofmeyr, A. Kincaid, H. & Monroe, B. 2021. "The Trust Game Does Not (Only) Measure Trust: The Risk-Trust Confound Revisited." *Journal of Behavioral and Experimental Economics*, Vol. 90(101520), pp. 1-14.
Harrison, G.W., Hofmeyr, A. Kincaid, H. Monroe, B. Ross, D. Schneider, M. & Swarthout, J.T. 2021. "Eliciting Beliefs About Covid-19 Prevalence and Mortality: Epidemiological Models Compared with the Street," *Methods*, Vol. 195, pp. 103-112.
Hofmeyr, A. 2021. "Willpower Without Risk?" *Behavioral and Brain Sciences*, Vol. 44, pp. e40.
<https://doi.org/10.1017/S0140525X20000874>.
Harrison, G. W., Hofmeyr, A. Kincaid, H. Monroe, B. Ross, D. Schneider, M. & Swarthout, J.T. 2021. "A Case Study of an Experiment During the Covid-19 Pandemic: Online Elicitation of Subjective Beliefs and Economic Preferences." *Journal of the Economic Science Association*, Vol. 7, pp. 194-209.
Cao, Q., Hofmeyr, A., Hsu, E. Luo, S. & Monterosso, J. 2022. "Fixed Attributes and Discounting Behavior: Effects of Holding One Attribute Constant During an Intertemporal Choice Task." *Experimental Psychology*, Vol. 68, pp. 305-322.
- 2020: Hofmeyr, A. Kincaid, H. & Rusch, O. 2020. "Incentivizing University Students to Quit Smoking: A Randomized Controlled Trial of a Contingency Management Intervention in a Developing Country." *The American Journal of Drug and Alcohol Abuse*; Vol. 46(1), pp. 109-119.

- 2019: Hofmeyr, A. & Kincaid, H. 2019. "Prospect Theory in the Wild: How Good is the Nonexperimental Evidence for Prospect Theory?" *Journal of Economic Methodology*, Vol. 26(1), pp. 13-31.
- Hofmeyr, A. & Ross, D. 2019. "Team Agency and Conditional Games" in *Contemporary Philosophy and Social Science: An Interdisciplinary Dialogue*, ed. by M. Nagatsu and A. Ruzzene. London, UK: Bloomsbury Academic.
- 2018: Harrison, G.W. Hofmeyr, A. Ross, D. & Swarthout, J.T. 2018. "Risk Preferences, Time Preferences, and Smoking Behavior." *Southern Economic Journal*, Vol. 85(2), pp. 313-348.
- 2017: Hofmeyr, A. Monterosso, J. Dean, A.C. Morales, A.M. Bilder, R.M. Sabb, F.W. & London, E.D. 2017. "Mixture Models of Delay Discounting and Smoking Behaviour." *The American Journal of Drug and Alcohol Abuse*, Vol. 43(3), pp. 271-280.
- 2015: Sharp, C. Dellis, A. Hofmeyr, A. Kincaid, H. & Ross, D. 2015. "First Evidence of Comorbidity of Problem Gambling and other Psychiatric Problems in a Representative Urban Sample of South Africa." *Journal of Gambling Studies*, Vol. 31(3), pp. 679-694.
- 2014: Dellis, A. Sharp, C. Hofmeyr, A. Schwardmann, P. Spurrett, D. Rousseau, J. & Ross, D. 2014. "Criterion-related and Construct Validity of the Problem Gambling Severity Index in a Sample of South African Gamblers." *South African Journal of Psychology*, Vol. 44(2), pp. 243-257.
- 2013: Kincaid, H. Daniels, R. Dellis, A. Hofmeyr, A. Rousseau, J. Sharp, C. & Ross, D. 2013. "A Taxometric Analysis of Problem Gambling Data from a South African National Urban Sample." *Journal of Gambling Studies*, Vol. 29(3), pp. 377-392.
- Dellis, A. Spurrett, D. Hofmeyr, A. Sharp, C. & Ross, D. 2013. "Gambling Participation and Problem Gambling Severity among Rural and Peri-Urban Poor South African Adults in KwaZulu-Natal." *Journal of Gambling Studies*, Vol. 29(3), pp. 417-433.
- 2012: Sharp, C. Steinberg, L. Yaroslavsky, I. Hofmeyr, A. Dellis, A. Ross, D. & Kincaid, H. 2012. "An Item Response Theory Analysis of the Problem Gambling Severity Index." *Assessment*, Vol. 19(2), pp. 167-175.
- Hofmeyr, A. Burns, J. 2012. "Two Sides of the Same Coin: Re-examining Nepotism and Discrimination in a Segmented Society." *Review of Social Economy*, Vol. 70(3), pp. 344-374.
- 2011: Hofmeyr, A. Ainslie, G. Charlton, R. & Ross, D. 2011. "The Relationship Between Addiction and Reward Bundling: An Experiment Comparing Smokers and Non-smokers." *Addiction*, Vol. 106(2), pp. 402-409.
- Collins, P. Stein, D. Pretorius, A. Sinclair, H. Ross, D. Barr, G. Hofmeyr, A. Sharp, C. Spurrett, D. Rousseau, J. Ainslie, G. Dellis, A. Kincaid, H. & Bak, N. 2011. "Addressing Problem Gambling: South Africa's National Responsible Gambling Programme." *South African Medical Journal*, Vol. 101(10), pp. 722-723.
- 2010: Hofmeyr, A. 2010. "Social Networks and Ethnic Niches: An Econometric Analysis of the Manufacturing Sector in South Africa." *South African Journal of Economics*, Vol. 78(1), pp. 107-130
- 2007: Hofmeyr, A. Burns, J. & Visser, M. 2007. "Income Inequality, Reciprocity and Public Good Provision: An Experimental Analysis." *South African Journal of Economics*, Vol. 75(3), pp. 508-520

Awards and Appointments

- 2020: Promoted to Associate Professor at UCT.
Appointed as Associate Editor of *Cognitive Processing*.
Appointed as Director of the Research Unit in Behavioural Economics and Neuroeconomics (RUBEN) at UCT.
- 2018: Appointed as a Research Fellow of the Center for the Economic Analysis of Risk (CEAR) at Georgia State University (GSU) in Atlanta.
- 2017: Economic Society of South Africa (ESSA) Founder's Medal for the best PhD submitted at a South African university.
- 2016: Economic Research Southern Africa (ERSA) Second Prize for Top Economics PhD Students Graduating.
Promoted to Senior Lecturer at UCT.
- 2014: Awarded a PhD Study and Research Leave grant by the University Research Committee at UCT and the Department of Higher Education and Training in South Africa.
- 2011: Lecturer position in the School of Economics at UCT confirmed.
- 2010: Appointed as a permanent Lecturer in the School of Economics at UCT.
- 2009: Awarded the Class Medal for ECO5020F – Microeconomics I at UCT.
- 2008: Awarded a PhD scholarship by the National Responsible Gambling Programme (NRGP) in South Africa.
Appointed as a T2 (entry-level) Lecturer at UCT.
- 2006: Awarded the UCT Senior Entrance Merit scholarship, the KW Johnston Scholarship, the National Research Foundation (NRF) Masters Prestigious Scholarship, and the Louis Weiner Scholarship for postgraduate study at the Masters level.
Awarded the Class Medal for ECO5021F – Advanced Macroeconomics at UCT.
- 2005: Awarded the UCT Council Honours Scholarship, the Senior Entrance Merit Scholarship, and the University Research Scholarship for postgraduate study at the Honours level.
Awarded the Class Medal for B.Com Honours in Economics at UCT.
- 2002: Awarded a Merit Scholarship to study Politics, Philosophy, and Economics at UCT.

Funding

- 2020-2022: Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft (DFG) grant for “Economic Experiments on Demand for Clientelism.” Role: Coinvestigator. Value: €12,000.
- 2021: Center for the Economic Analysis of Risk (CEAR) funding for “Norms Project: Passing Money.” Role: Coinvestigator. Value: \$7,700.
- 2019 - 2021: CEAR funding for “Subjective Beliefs and Valuations of Various Proposed Financial Products.” Role: Coinvestigator. Value: \$7,000.
- 2018 - 2020: National Research Foundation (NRF) Competitive Programme for Rated Researchers grant for “The Experimental Behavioural Economic Foundations of Smoking Cessation Interventions.” Role: Coinvestigator. Value: R460,000.
CEAR funding for “The Experimental Behavioural Economic Foundations of Smoking Cessation Interventions.” Role: Coinvestigator. Value: R350,000.

- 2016 - 2017: NRF Competitive Programme for Rated Researchers grant for “Understanding Addiction: Using Economic Experiments to Understand the Dynamics of Tobacco Smoking.” Role: Coinvestigator. Value: R670,000.
UCT Research Development Grant for “Risk Preferences, Time Preferences, and Smoking Cessation.” Role: Principal Investigator. Value: R29,191.95.
- 2015: Max Planck Institute for Human Development grant to attend the Summer Institute on Bounded Rationality in Berlin. Value: R30,000.
UCT Research Development Grant for “Intertemporal Risk Preferences and Smoking Behaviour.” Role: Principal Investigator. Value: R45,000.
- 2012-2013: NRF Competitive Programme for Rated Researchers grant for “Risk & Time Attitudes of WC Farmers.” Role: Coinvestigator. Value: R224,500.
NRF Equipment Grant for “Research Unit in Behavioural Economics and Neuroeconomics (RUBEN).” Role: Coinvestigator. Value: R160,000.
National Responsible Gambling Programme (NRGP) grant for “Factors Affecting Informal Gambling in the Greater Cape Town Area.” Role: Coinvestigator. Value: R643,808.
American Cancer Society (ACS) funding for “Risk Preferences, Time Preferences, and Smoking Behaviour.” Role: Principal Investigator. Value: R24,000.
- 2010-2011: NRGP grant for “National Longitudinal Study of Gambling Behaviour in South Africa.” Role: Coinvestigator. Value: R1,500,000.
UCT Research Development Grant for “Risk Preferences, Time Preferences, and Smoking Behaviour.” Role: Principal Investigator. Value: R54,360.
- 2009: NRGP grant for “Gambling Participation and Problem Gambling Severity among Rural and Peri-Urban Poor South African Adults in KwaZulu-Natal.” Role: Coinvestigator. Value: R663,000.
- 2008: NRGP grant for “National Urban Prevalence Study of Gambling Behaviour in South Africa.” Role: Coinvestigator. Value: R800,000.
- 2006: NRGP grant for “The Relationship Between Addiction and Reward Bundling: An Experiment Comparing Smokers and Non-smokers.” Role: Coinvestigator. Value: R130,000.
NRF grant for “The Relationship Between Addiction and Reward Bundling: An Experiment Comparing Smokers and Non-smokers.” Role: Coinvestigator. Value: R70,000.

Conference and Workshop Organisation

- 2023: *ESA Africa Regional Conference*: 13 -15 December, 2023, Cape Town, South Africa. Role: Chair of the Organising Committee.
Discrete Choice Analysis of Individual Preferences Workshop: 19 – 21 April, 2023, Cape Town, South Africa. Role: Chair of the Organising Committee.
Recent Developments in Experimental Research on Risk Workshop: 14 – 15 March, 2023, Cape Town, South Africa. Role: Co-organiser.
- 2022: *Second Lake Como Summer School on Economic Behaviours: Models, Measurements, and Policies*: 27 June - 1 July, 2023, Como, Italy. Role: Member of the Organising Committee.
- 2019: *Eliciting Preferences and Beliefs in Development Workshop*: 12 – 13 July, 2019, Cape Town, South Africa. Role: Local Organiser.

2015: *International Network for Economic Method (INEM) Conference: 19 – 22 November, 2015, Cape Town, South Africa. Role: Member of the Organising Committee.*

Conference Presentations

- 2024: “The Trust Game: Salience, Beliefs, and Social History.” Presentation delivered at the *Southern Europe Experimental Team’s (SEET) Meeting*, Malaga, February 2024.
- 2023: “The Trust Game: Salience, Beliefs, and Social History.” Presentation delivered at the Center for the Economic Analysis of Risk Africa (CEAR Africa) *Recent Developments in Experimental Research on Risk* workshop, Cape Town, March 2023.
- “Addiction and Intertemporal Risk Attitudes.” Presentation delivered at the 16th *International Network for Economic Method (INEM) conference*, Venice, May 2023.
- “The Trust Game: Salience, Beliefs, and Social History.” Presentation delivered at the 15th *Maastricht Behavioral and Experimental Economics Symposium (M-BEES)*, Maastricht, June 2023.
- “The Trust Game: Salience, Beliefs, and Social History.” Seminar delivered to *Durham University Business School*, Durham, June 2023.
- “The Trust Game: Salience, Beliefs, and Social History.” Presentation delivered at the *Economic Science Association (ESA) World Meetings*, Lyon, June 2023.
- “The Trust Game: Salience, Beliefs, and Social History.” Presentation delivered at the 1st *Matterhorn Symposium*, Brig, October 2023.
- “The Trust Game: Salience, Beliefs, and Social History.” Presentation delivered at the *Economic Science Association (ESA) Africa Conference*, Cape Town, December 2023.
- 2022: “Risk preferences, time preferences, and COVID-19 in South Africa: Maximum likelihood and Bayesian hierarchical inference.” Presentation delivered at the Center for the Economic Analysis of Risk (CEAR) *Methodological Issues in the Economics of Preferences and Beliefs about Risk* workshop, Cork, April 2022.
- “Real Time Elicitation and Estimation of Risk Preferences.” Presentation delivered at the *Second Lake Como Summer School on Economic Behaviours: Models, Measurements, and Policies*, Como, June 2022.
- “Addiction and Intertemporal Risk Attitudes.” Presentation delivered at the *Centre for Experimental Methods and Behavioural Research (EMBR) workshop*, Durham, July 2022.
- “Salience, Dominance, and Social History: The Trust Game Reconsidered.” Presentation delivered at the *Foundations of Utility and Risk (FUR) conference*, Ghent, July 2022.
- 2021: “Subjective Beliefs and Economic Preferences During the COVID-19 Pandemic.” Presentation delivered at the *Johns Hopkins University-London School of Economics Special Online Conference on Experimental Insights from Behavioral Economics on Covid-19*, February 2021.
- “Subjective Beliefs and Economic Preferences During the COVID-19 Pandemic.” Online seminar delivered to the *Department of Economics, Maynooth University*, Maynooth, February, 2021.
- “Salience, Dominance, and Social History: The Trust Game Reconsidered.” Presentation delivered at the 15th *International Network for Economic Method (INEM) online conference*, November 2021.
- 2020: “The Probability Discounting Model of Choice under Risk: A Critique of the Experimental Addiction Literature.” Presentation delivered at the 7th *Workshop in Behavioral and Experimental Health Economics*, Innsbruck, February 2020.

- 2019: “The Economics of Addiction: A Behavioural and Experimental Analysis.” Panel Discussion on *The Politics of Addiction* held at the Foley Institute for Public Policy and Public Service, Pullman, Washington State, September 2019.
- “Experimental Political Science from the Vantage Point of Experimental Economics.” Presentation delivered at the *Philosophy and Methodology of Political Science* workshop, Pullman, Washington State, September 2019.
- “Salience, Dominance, and Social History: The Trust Game Revisited.” Presentation delivered at the CEAR Africa and Centre for the Study of African Economies (CSAE) workshop *Eliciting Preferences and Beliefs in Development*, Cape Town, July, 2019.
- “Addiction and Intertemporal Risk Attitudes.” Presentation delivered at the 12th *Maastricht Behavioral and Experimental Economics Symposium (M-BEES)*, Maastricht, June 2019.
- 2018: “Smoking and Intertemporal Risk Attitudes.” Presentation delivered at the 6th *Workshop in Behavioral and Experimental Health Economics*, Oslo, Norway, December 2018.
- “The Trust Game Does Not (Only) Measure Trust.” Presentation delivered at the *Economic Science Association (ESA) World Meetings*, Berlin, June 2018.
- 2017: “Prospect Theory in the Wild: A Critical Appraisal.” Presentation delivered at the 13th *International Network for Economic Method (INEM) conference*, San Sebastián, August 2017.
- “Risk Preferences, Time Preferences, and Smoking Behaviour.” Presentation delivered at the 10th *Maastricht Behavioral and Experimental Economics Symposium (M-BEES)*, Maastricht, June 2017.
- 2016: “Conditional Game Theory: A Primer.” Presentation delivered at the CEAR workshop *Conditional Games and Strategic Risk*, Rome, September 2016.
- “The Probability Discounting Model: A Primer for Economists.” Presentation delivered at the *Foundations of Utility and Risk (FUR) Conference*, Warwick, June 2016.
- 2015: “The Probability Discounting Model: A Primer for Economists.” Presentation delivered at the 12th *International Network for Economic Method (INEM) conference*, Cape Town, November 2015.
- “Risk Preferences, Time Preferences, and Smoking Behaviour.” Presentation delivered at the *Economic Research Southern Africa (ERSA) Third Economic Theory workshop*, Cape Town, November 2015
- “Risk Preferences, Time Preferences, and Smoking Behaviour.” Presentation delivered at the *Economic Society of South Africa (ESSA) Biennial Conference*, Cape Town, September 2015.
- “Risk Preferences, Time Preferences, and Smoking Behaviour.” Presentation delivered at the *Summer Institute on Bounded Rationality*, Berlin, June 2015.
- 2013: “A Preference for Addiction? An Experiment Comparing the Risk and Time Preferences of Smokers and Non-smokers”. Presentation delivered at the *Economic Science Association (ESA) World Meetings*, Zurich, June 2013.
- 2012: “New Econometric Methods for Estimating Risk and Time Preferences based on Lottery-Choice Experiments.” Presentation delivered at the *Actuarial Society of South Africa (ASSA) Convention*, Cape Town, October 2012.
- 2009: “The Relationship Between Smoking and Reward Bundling in a Group of South African University Students”. Presentation delivered at the *Economic Society of South Africa (ESSA) Biennial Conference*, Port Elizabeth, August 2009.

Reports

- 2016: “The Tobacco Economics Research and Capacity-Building (TERCB) Programme.” Report prepared for Cancer Research UK (CRUK), Cape Town, September 2016.
- 2013: “A study of informal gambling in Khayelitsha township: A focus group interview, a survey, and a risk elicitation experiment.” Report prepared for the board of the National Responsible Gambling Programme (NRGP) in South Africa, Cape Town, November 2013.
- 2011: “Report on the National Longitudinal Study of Gambling Behaviour (NLSGB) in South Africa.” Report prepared for the board of the NRGP in South Africa, Cape Town, September 2011.
- 2010: “Summary of Basic Data from the National Urban Prevalence Study of Gambling Behaviour (NUPSGB).” Report prepared for the board of the NRGP in South Africa, Cape Town, March 2010.

Refereeing

Journals: *Scientific Reports, Addiction, European Economic Review, PLOS One, Medical Decision Making, Drug and Alcohol Dependence, Journal of the Economic Science Association, Journal of Behavioral and Experimental Economics, Cognitive Processing, Addiction Research and Theory, South African Journal of Economics, International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health, Safety and Health at Work, Information, Behavioral Sciences, Economic Research Southern Africa Working Paper Series, European Journal of Law and Economics, Addictive Behaviors Reports, Risk Management and Healthcare Policy.*