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Current Position

Assistant Professor of Finance, Baylor University, Waco, Texas, 2017-Present
- Maternity Leave, 2020

Education

Ph.D. in Finance, Georgia State University, Atlanta, USA, 2017
M.Sc. in Quantitative and Computational Finance, Georgia Institute of Technology, Atlanta, USA, 2011
M.A. in Public Finance, Nankai University, Tianjin, China, 2006
B.Econ. in International Economics, Nankai University, Tianjin, China, 2004

Published Papers

1. Can Technology Help Overcome Contractual Incompleteness? Evidence from Blockchain Laws. 2023, with Mark Chen, Sophia Hu, and Joanna Wang. *Management Science* (Accepted)
2. Are Directors Rewarded for Excellence? Evidence from Reputation Shocks and Career Outcomes. 2022, with Mark Chen, Hai Tran, and Evgenia Zhivotova. *Review of Corporate Finance Studies* 11, 263–313.
3. How Valuable is FinTech Innovation? 2019, with Mark Chen and Baozhong Yang. *Review of Financial Studies* 32, 2062–2106.

Working Papers

4. Winning an Award Could Set You “Free”: the CFO Labor Market and Financial Reporting Quality, sole-authored.
Under Review
 - AFA annual meeting 2021; AAA 2020 Management Accounting Section Midyear Meeting; 2020 Hawai'i Accounting Research Conference; MFA annual meeting 2018; FMA annual meeting 2017; AAA annual meeting 2017; 2017 FMA Applied Finance Conference
5. Board Interlocks, Knowledge Spillovers, and Corporate Innovation, with Mark Chen, Sophia Hu, and Joanna Wang
 - SFS Cavalcade NA 2023; FMA annual meeting 2022; the 8th Annual International Corporate Governance Society Conference 2022

- Blue Sky Blog on corporate governance, financial regulation and kindred topics, Columbia Law School
- 6. Growing Pains or Confidence? CEO Relative Age, Stress, and Firm Performance, with Sean Cao, Tao Shu, and Jasmine Wang
 - 2023 Hawai'i Accounting Research Conference; AAA annual meeting 2022; FMA annual meeting 2022
- 7. Do Tournament Incentives Encourage Improved Productivity? Evidence from the NBA, with Harley Ryan
 - FMA annual meeting, 2016; EFMA annual meeting 2020 (canceled due to Covid)

Work In Progress

1. Superstar CFOs and Debt Costs, with Han Ma and Cong Meng

Teaching Experience

1. Department of Finance, Insurance & Real Estate, Baylor University
 - Intro to Corporation Finance (FIN 3310), Aug. 2017 – Present
2. Robinson College of Business, Georgia State University
 - Intro to Corporation Finance (FI 3300), Aug. 2014 – May 2017
 - Financial Analysis and Introduction to Loan Structuring (FI 4020), Aug. 2016 – Dec. 2016

Seminars and Conference Presentations

* Presented by co-authors

2023: SFS Cavalcade NA, EFA*, CICF*, CETAFE at Cornell University*, Hawai'i Accounting Research Conference*

2022: FMA, the 8th Annual International Corporate Governance Society Conference*, AAA*

2021: AFA, SWUFE Institute of Financial Studies (IFS) Seminar, Xi'an Jiaotong- Liverpool University Finance Seminar Series, FMA*, Lone Star Conference*, the 5th Shanghai-Edinburgh- London Fintech Conference*

2020: AAA Management Accounting Section Midyear Meeting, Hawai'i Accounting Research Conference

2018: MFA, Wolfe Research 2nd Annual Global Quantitative & Macro Investment Conference, RFS FinTech Conference at Cornell University*, Western Economic Association International annual meeting*

2017: AAA, FMA, CICF*, San Diego Finance Conference*, Columbia University RFS FinTech Workshop*, Peking University Finance Seminar Series*, Tsinghua University Finance Seminar Series*, FMA Applied Finance Conference

2016: 1st Greater China Area Finance Conference, Clemson University Finance Seminar Series*, FMA*

Awards, Fellowships and Grants

1. "Reviewer of the Year" Award, Dayton Summer Finance Workshop, July 2021
2. 2020 AAA Management Accounting Section Midyear Meeting Outstanding Reviewer Award
3. Steve Smith Fellowship, Georgia State University, 2015
4. Travel Grant, Corporate Finance Workshop, Université Paris-Dauphine, Mar. 2014
5. CEAR Scholar Fellowship, Georgia State University, 2012-2015
6. Garvey Fellowship, Georgia State University, 2012

Service Activities- Professional

Refereeing: Management Science; European Journal of Finance

Conference Reviewer: Dayton Summer Finance Workshop; AAA Management Accounting Section Midyear Meeting; the 8th Annual International Corporate Governance Society Conference

Service Activities- University

Recruiting Committee, Department of Finance, Insurance & Real Estate, Baylor University

Curriculum Committee, Department of Finance, Insurance & Real Estate, Baylor University

Global Advisory Committee, Hankamer School of Business, Baylor University

Chinese Sports Fellowship, Baylor University

Thesis Committee, Mingrun (Coco) Sun, Hankamer School of Business, Baylor University