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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

Rutgers University-Camden	Camden, NJ
• Assistant Professor of Accounting	2023 – Present
Southern Illinois University Carbondale	Carbondale, IL
• Assistant Professor of Finance	2020 – 2023
Southern Methodist University	Dallas, TX
• Visiting Assistant Professor of Finance	2018 – 2020

EDUCATION

University of Utah, David Eccles School of Business	Salt Lake City, UT
• Ph.D. in Finance	2018
Bentley University, McCallum Graduate School of Business	Waltham, MA
• M.S. in Accounting	2010
Sun Yat-Sen University, School of Management	Guangzhou, P.R. China
• B.S. in Accounting	2006

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

KPMG	Guangzhou, P.R. China
• Audit associate	2006 – 2008

PUBLICATIONS

- “Analysts’ Role in Shaping Non-GAAP Reporting: Evidence from a Natural Experiment,” with Ted Christensen, Enrique Gomez, and Jing Pan
– *Review of Accounting Studies*, 2021
- “The Effect of Local Tournament Incentives on Firms’ Performance, Risk-Taking Decisions, and Financial Reporting Decisions,” with Jing Pan and Steve Stubben
– *The Accounting Review*, 2020

WORKING PAPERS

- “An Examination of Firm-Manager Match Quality in the Executive Labor Market” with Jing Pan and Xue Wang
- “Preventing Information Leakage” with Jonathan Brogaard, Dan Li and Ryan Riordan
- “Do Designated Market Makers Facilitate Earnings News Discovery” with Neil Bhattacharya, Bidisha Chakrabarty and Jing Pan
- “Legislators’ Demand for Firms’ Public Disclosures: Evidence from U.S. Congressional Redistricting Events” with Jing Pan, Ethan Rouen and Laura Wellman

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Southern Illinois University Carbondale, College of Business and Analytics

- Instructor, ACC512 Accounting Data Analytics I - Interpreting Data Spring 2022
 - Mean rating: 5.0 / 5.0
- Instructor, BA530 Financial Management and Valuation Spring 2021, Spring 2022
 - Mean rating: 4.8 / 5.0
- Instructor, BA533 Investment and Portfolio Management Spring 2021, Spring 2022
 - Mean rating: 4.6 / 5.0
- Instructor, BA539 Research Seminar in Capital Markets Fall 2020, Fall 2022
 - Mean rating: 5.0 / 5.0

Southern Methodist University, Cox School of Business

- Instructor, FINAN4325 Advanced Financial Management Fall 2018, Spring 2019
 - Mean rating: 6.7 / 7.0
- Instructor, FINAN4326 Investment and Portfolio Management Spring 2019
 - Mean rating: 6.5 / 7.0

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

- Hawaii Accounting Research Conference (2022); FARS Midyear Meeting (2022); AAA Annual Meeting (2022)
- Conference on Financial Economics and Accounting (2021)
- FARS Midyear Meeting (2019); China International Conference in Finance (2019); European Finance Association Annual Meeting (2019)
- Northern Finance Association Annual Conference (2018)
- FMA Doctoral Consortium (2017)
- FMA Annual Meeting (2015)
- BYU Accounting Research Symposium (2014)

HONORS & AWARDS

- FMA Doctoral Consortium (2017)
- AFA Student Travel Grant (2017)
- Graduate Travel Assistance Award - University of Utah (2015)
- E. William Dandes Award for Graduate Academic Excellence - Bentley University (2010)

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Ad Hoc Reviewer

- Management Science (3 times)
- Journal of Business Finance and Accounting