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2019

ACADEMIC WORKING EXPERIENCE

Assistant Professor, Wheaton College (Massachusetts)

2017-2019

EDUCATION

University at Buffalo, New York, USA

2017

- Ph.D. in Finance

National Chengchi University, Taipei, Taiwan

2008

- M.S. in Finance

National Taiwan University, Taipei, Taiwan

2001

- B.A. in Economics

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Empirical work in corporate finance primarily focus on corporate mergers and acquisitions, shareholder activism, corporate governance, and innovation.

PUBLICATION

- Corporate Innovation, Likelihood to be Acquired, and Takeover Premium”, with Kee H. Chung, *Journal of Banking & Finance* 108 (2019).
- Does Short-maturity Debt Discipline Managers? Evidence from Cash-rich Firms' Acquisition Decision, with Qingqing Huang and Feng (Jack) Jiang, *Journal of Corporate Finance* 53 (2018), 133-154.

WORKING PAPERS

- “Hedge Fund Activism and Corporate M&A Decisions”, with Kee H. Chung
 - Minor revision requested, *Management Science*, 2nd round.
 - Presented at University at Buffalo (2016), Dequesne University (2016), National Taiwan University (2016), National Taiwan Normal University (2016), Wheaton College Faculty Talk (2017), Finance Management Association (2017), Southern Finance Association (2017), Midwest Finance Association (2018), Ball State University (2019).
- “Do Risk Factor Disclosures Reduce Stock Price Crash Risk?”, with Shiu-Yik Au and Bin Qiu
 - AAA Midwest Regional Meeting (Chicago, 2019)
 - Eastern Finance Association annual meeting (Boston, 2020)¹
 - Finance Management Association (scheduled virtual meeting, 2020)²

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Corporate Finance

- MGF301 (digital access) : University at Buffalo | Fall 2019 , Spring 2020, Fall 2020

¹ Paper was accepted yet conference was cancelled due to COVID19.

² Present by co-author.

- ECON255: Wheaton College | Fall 2017, Fall 2018

Investment Management

- MGF402: University at Buffalo | Fall 2015, Spring 2016, Fall 2016, Spring 2020
- MGMT370: Wheaton College | Spring 2018, Fall 2019

International Financial Management

- MGF403: University at Buffalo | 2013-2017.

Senior Seminar

- MGMT401: Wheaton College | Spring 2018, Fall 2018, Spring 2019

SCHOLAR WORK

Ad Hoc Journal Review

- SAGE Open (2019)
- International Review of Financial Analysis (2018)

Conference

Program Committee

- Applied Finance Conference (2020)
- Financial Management Association European Conference (2019, 2020)
- Southern Finance Association (2017, 2018)

Presenter

- AAA Midwest Regional Meeting (Chicago, 2019)
- Midwest Finance Association (San Antonio, 2018)
- Finance Management Association (Boston, 2017; Las Vegas, 2016; Orlando, 2015)
- Southern Finance Association (Key West, 2017; San Destin 2016)

Discussant

- AAA Midwest Regional Meeting (Chicago, 2019)
- Applied Finance Conference (New York City, 2019)
- Midwest Finance Association (San Antonio, 2018)
- Finance Management Association (New Orleans, 2019, scheduled; San Diego, 2018; Boston, 2017; Orlando, 2015)
- Southern Finance Association (Key West, 2017; San Destin, 2016)

Session Chair

- AAA Midwest Regional Meeting (Chicago, 2019)
- Finance Management Association (New Orleans, 2019)
- Midwest Finance Association (San Antonio, 2018)

SERVICE

- Diversity and Inclusion Committee Member, University at Buffalo, School of Management | 2020-
- Search committee of Business and Management coordinator, Wheaton College | 2018-2019

NON-ACADEMIC WORKING EXPERIENCE

Specialist | Securities and Futures Bureau, Taiwan | 2003-2009

- Supervise securities trading market, investigate the major cases of illegal insider trading and market manipulation; propose the enactment, amendments, and interpretations of related laws and regulations.
- Regulate insiders and blockholders equity stakes and the use of proxies for attendance at shareholder meetings of publicly-held companies.

Specialist | Ministry of Labor, Taiwan | 2002-2003

- Analyze international affairs in economic and labor issues with free trade agreements and organizations.

HONORS AND AWARDS

- Research Partnerships Funds award, Wheaton College | 2018
- Provost's Summer Research Award, Wheaton College | 2018, 2019
- CFA® Program Professor Scholarship award | 2018, 2019
- New York State and Graduate Student Employees Union Professional Development Awards | 2015, 2016
- Distinguished Alumni Fellowship, University at Buffalo | 2014, 2015
- Graduate Assistantship, University at Buffalo | 2010, 2011, 2012
- Government Scholarship for the Doctoral Program in Finance from the Ministry of Education, Taiwan
 - Tuition: \$30,000 (per year for three years)
 - Stipend: \$17,000 (per year for three years)

SOFTWARE

- SAS, Stata, SQL, Perl (basic)

OTHERS

- Passed CFA® Level II

IMMIGRATION STATUS

- USA Permanent Resident

REFERENCES

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