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ACADEMIC POSITION

Baruch College, City University of New York
Assistant Professor of Accounting

New York, NY
August 2020 - present

EDUCATION

University of Pittsburgh

Pittsburgh, PA

Ph.D. in Business Administration (Accounting)

2020

- Dissertation committee: John Harry Evans, III (co-chair), Mei Feng (co-chair), Guojin Gong, Pierre Liang, Mark Ma, and Dhinu Srinivasan.

Pennsylvania State University

University Park, PA

M.A. in Economics

2013

Peking University

Beijing, China

B.A. in Economics

2011

Vienna University of Economics and Business

Vienna, Austria

Exchange student

2008

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Corporate Disclosures, Product Market Competition, Innovation, Healthcare.

WORKING PAPERS

“Corporate R&D Investments Following Competitors’ Disclosures: Evidence from the Drug Development Process” (Job Market Paper)

- Under 2nd round review at *Journal of Accounting Research*.

“Management Forecast Policy and Liquidity Provision by Individual Investors: Evidence from Fire Sales by Mutual Funds”, with Mei Feng (Pitt), Guojin Gong (UConn), and Yuan Xie (Fordham)

- Preparing for submission.

“Voluntary Disclosure as a Commitment Device in Oligopoly Markets”, with John Harry Evans III (Pitt) and Mei Feng (Pitt)

WORKING IN PROGRESS

“Do Management Forecasts Lead to Competitive Actions of Competitors?”, with Mei Feng (Pitt), Weili Ge (UW), Lingling Pan (Pitt, strategy)

“Voluntary Disclosure in R&D Races: Theory and Evidence”, with Sang Wu (CMU)

“Voluntary Disclosures of Sin Stocks”, with Ying Liang (GSU), Jean Zeng (NUS)

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Baruch College, City University of New York

Instructor, *Accounting Information Systems and Data Analytics* (Undergraduate), Spring 2021

- Average rating: 4.3/5.0

University of Pittsburgh

Instructor, *Financial Accounting* (Undergraduate), Summer 2018

- Average rating: 4.4/5.0

Instructor, *Math & Econ Bootcamp* (for incoming accounting PhD students), Summers 2015-2019

Teaching Assistant, *Financial Accounting* (Undergraduate), Fall 2016

Tutor, *Economic Analysis for Managerial Decisions* (MBA), Fall 2017

HONORS AND AWARDS

- 2021 PSC-CUNY Research Award (\$3500), City University of New York
- 2019 Second place, Three-Minute Thesis Competition, Katz Graduate School of Business
- 2018 Dean’s Research Fellowship, Katz Graduate School of Business
- 2018 Fellow, AAA/Deloitte Foundation/J. Michael Cook Doctoral Consortium
- 2016 Nominee, Deloitte Foundation Doctoral Fellowship
- 2015 Research Grant (\$3000), Berg Center for Ethics and Leadership, University of Pittsburgh
- 2013 Finalist (top 10 nationwide), Deloitte Tax Championship Essay Competition in China
- 2010 First Prize for Research Excellence, Department of Economics, Peking University
- 2009 Kwang-Hua Scholarship, Peking University
- 2006 Certificate of Distinction (top 5%), American Mathematics Contests (AMC 12)
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CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS

- 2021 FARS Midyear Meeting, Tsinghua University (scheduled)
 - 2020 University of Pittsburgh, University of British Columbia, USTC-UW Institute, Chinese University of Hong Kong, Southern Methodist University, Baruch College-CUNY, University of Science and Technology of China, Hong Kong Polytechnic University
 - 2019 Accounting PhD Rookie Camp (presenter), AAA Annual Meeting (presenter), AAA Mid-Atlantic Region Meeting (presenter, moderator), FARS Midyear Meeting
 - 2018 AAA/Deloitte/Cook Doctoral Consortium (fellow, presenter), Accounting PhD Rookie Camp (observer), AAA Annual Meeting, FARS Midyear Meeting
 - 2017 AAA Annual Meeting, Northwestern-Duke Causal Inference Workshop (fellow, presenter)
 - 2016 AAA Annual Meeting, FARS Midyear Meeting
 - 2014 China International Conference in Finance (presenter)
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ACADEMIC SERVICE

Ad Hoc Reviewer:

- 2021 Hawaii Accounting Research Conference, AAA FARS Midyear Meeting
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PROFESSIONAL AND VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

- 2021 Event Organizer, Academic Writing Group
 - 2016-20 Treasurer, Peking University Alumni Association of Greater Pittsburgh
 - 2017-19 Vice-president, Doctoral Student Organization, Katz Graduate School of Business
 - 2014 PwC (Assurance Intern), Shenzhen, China
 - 2014 Assistant to Finance Director, Lakala (fintech startup), Beijing, China
 - 2009 A.T. Kearney (Management Consultant Intern), Beijing, China
 - 2008 Volunteer, Beijing Olympic and Paralympic Games (Table Tennis)
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PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

American Accounting Association, American Economic Association

MISCELLANEOUS

Languages: Chinese (native), English (fluent)

Software: Stata, SAS (Base Certified Programmer), Python, LaTeX, MATLAB, Tableau

Passed CFA level 1; Certified Zumba® Instructor.