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EMPLOYMENT

Columbia Business School	New York, NY
Assistant Professor of Business, Accounting Division	2023 – Present

EDUCATION

University of Chicago Booth School of Business	Chicago, IL
PhD, Dissertation Area: Accounting	2023
MBA	2023

University of Chicago	Chicago, IL
BA Economics, BA Statistics	2017

RESEARCH

Interests

My research explores the impact of information processing and agency frictions on capital market outcomes and managerial decision-making. I focus on frictions emanating from financial intermediaries and financial reporting.

Research Areas: Financial Statement Analysis & Valuation, Asset Pricing, CEO Compensation, and Disclosure Regulation

Working Papers

“Long-term Pay for Performance: Cumulative Evidence over CEO Tenure” (with Shivaram Rajgopal, Alfred Rappaport, and MJ Song)

“Industry Classification Providers as Information Intermediaries” (solo-authored)

- Based on dissertation
- Committee: Philip Berger (chair), Valeri Nikolaev, Haresh Sapra, Christopher Stewart

“Career Concerns and Time Arbitrage” (solo-authored)

“Evaluating Nature of Expense Classifications: Evidence from Labor Costs” (with Yue Chen, Nan Li, and Shivaram Rajgopal)

“Product Market Networks and the Take-up of Government Programs” (with Carmine Pizzo)

Chapter on “Managers’ Tools to Meet Earnings Management Incentives” for Handbook on the Financial Reporting Environment (with Doron Nissim)

Works in Progress

“Regulating Mutual Fund Names” (with Dian Jiao and Shivaram Rajgopal)

“Impact of Profitability Shocks on the Value Premium” (with Doron Nissim and MJ Song)

TEACHING

Columbia Business School	New York, NY
Instructor, Financial Statement Analysis and Valuation	2023
Ratings: 4.8 out of 5, 4.9 out of 5 (2023)	

University of Chicago	Chicago, IL
<i>PhD Teaching Assistant</i>	
MBA, Advanced Financial Analysis and Valuation	2020, 2021, 2022
- Prof. Christian Leuz	
Law, Accounting and Financial Analysis	2021, 2022
- Prof. Philip Berger	
Executive MBA, Financial Accounting	2020, 2021
- Prof. Haresh Sapra	
- Dean’s Letter for Exceptional Service	
Executive MBA, Managerial Accounting and Analysis	2021
- Prof. Douglas Skinner	
- Dean’s Letter for Exceptional Service	

CONFERENCES

Kellogg Accounting Conference	2024
Yale Accounting Summer Conference	2024
ESMT Berlin Junior Conference	2024
Columbia Management Accounting Conference	2024
Four Schools Conference (NYU)	2024
New Faculty Consortium	2024
CBS Junior Accounting Faculty Conference	2023-2024
Journal of Accounting Research Conference	2020-2024
Burton Conference (Columbia)	2023
AAA Annual Meeting	2023
IU - St. Louis Fed Workshop	2023
Journal of Accounting and Economics Conference	2022
Symposium on Private Firms: Reporting, Financing, & the Aggregate Economy	2022

HONORS AND AWARDS

Ernest Wish PhD Fellowship	2018-2023
Booth School of Business PhD Fellowship	2018-2023
Phi Beta Kappa	2017

ACADEMIC SERVICE

Columbia Business School	New York, NY
Seminar Organizer	2024-2025
Burton Conference Organizer	2024
Alumni Day Organizer, Accounting Division	2024

Ad-hoc Reviewer

Journal of Accounting Research, Review of Accounting Studies

Advising

Yue Chen (Dissertation Committee Member, 2024 Placement: Chinese University of Hong Kong)

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Citigroup	New York, NY
Investment Banking Analyst – Financial Strategy and Solutions	2017-2018

OUTSIDE ACTIVITIES (required conflict of interest disclosure)

None