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EDUCATION

Centre for Endowment Asset Management, University of Cambridge <i>Research Associate</i>	Cambridge, UK 2024 – 2026
Cambridge Judge Business School, University of Cambridge <i>PhD in Finance (Full Scholarship Awarded by CERF)</i>	Cambridge, UK 2020 – 2024
Cambridge Judge Business School, University of Cambridge <i>MPhil in Finance (Ranked 1st among PhD Interview Candidates)</i>	Cambridge, UK 2019 – 2020
The University of Manchester <i>BA(Econ) Hons Economics and Finance (Distinction; Outstanding Academic Achievement Award)</i>	Manchester, UK 2016 – 2019

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Empirical Corporate Finance, Corporate Governance, and Environmental, Social, and Corporate Governance (ESG)

PUBLICATIONS

- Rau, P. R. and T. Yu (2023) [A Survey on ESG: Investors, Institutions, and Firms](#). *China Finance Review International*, 14 (1): 3-33.
- Atta-Darkua, V., D. Chambers, E. Dimson, Z. Ran, and T. Yu (2020) [Strategies for Responsible Investing: Emerging Academic Evidence](#). *Journal of Portfolio Management*, 46 (2): 26-35.
- Yu, T., Z. Lin, and Q. Tang (2018) [Blockchain: The Introduction and Its Application in Financial Accounting](#). *Journal of Corporate Accounting & Finance*, 29 (4): 37-47.

WORKING PAPERS

- Propagation of E&S Concerns in Firm Networks: Evidence from Shareholder Proposals in the US (Single-authored Job Market Paper)
- Do Financial Markets Price in the Real Effects of Pollution? Evidence from Screening-Level Environmental Indicators (Coauthored with Oğuzhan Karakaş and Lakshmi Naaraayanan)
- Oracles of the Vote: Predicting the Outcomes of Proxy Contests for Board Seats (Coauthored with Scott Hirst and Oğuzhan Karakaş)

PAPER PRESENTATIONS

- **Presented** “Propagation of E&S Concerns in Firm Networks: Evidence from Shareholder Proposals in the US” at: Cambridge Winter Doctoral Conference (Dec 2023); Cambridge Endowment for Research in Finance (CERF) Lunch & Talks (May 2024); The 7th Edition of Ethical Finance & Sustainability Conference (May 2024); Doctoral Finance Symposium at University of Reading (July 2024); The 5th Annual Boca-ECGI Conference (Dec 2024); XIII World Finance and Banking Symposium at Abu Dhabi (Dec 2024); IFABS Shanghai (Dec 2024)
- **Presented** “Oracles of the Vote: Predicting the Outcomes of Proxy Contests for Board Seats” at: Cambridge Winter Doctoral Conference (Dec 2021); the 9th CERF Cavalcade (May 2022); FMA Consortium on Asset Management (Feb 2025)

PAPER DISCUSSION

- **Discussed** “Climate Change Effects and Their Implications for the Financial Markets: Evidence from the United Kingdom” at the 7th Ethical Finance & Sustainability Conference (EFS-2024) in Leeds, UK.
- **Discussed** “Using ‘Mood Images’ in an Annual Report to Influence Shareholder Say-On-Pay Votes” at Doctoral Finance Symposium (DFS-2024) in Reading, UK.
- **Discussed** “Does Chief Sustainability Officer Reduce Opportunistic Corporate Behaviour?” at XIII World Finance & Banking Symposium (WFBS-2024) at Abu Dhabi, UAE.

CONFERENCE AND FORUM

- European Investment Forum** Cambridge, UK
Judging Committee, 2021 European Investment Forum Research Prize July 2021
- The 2nd European Investment Forum held by the Centre for Endowment Asset Management (CEAM) in collaboration with the London Stock Exchange and FTSE Russell.
- Divest or Engage? Strategies for Responsible Investing Conference** Cambridge, UK
Write up for the Conference October 2020
- CEAM held the conference with the collaboration of the European Corporate Governance Institute (ECGI).

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- MFIN10 Economic Foundations of Finance, Cambridge Judge Business School** Cambridge, UK
Teaching Assistant for Professor Oğuzhan Karakaş Michaelmas Term, 2022&2023&2024
- MFIN9 Principles of Finance, Cambridge Judge Business School** Cambridge, UK
Teaching Assistant for Professor Raghavendra Rau Michaelmas Term, 2021
- MF2 Econometrics I, Cambridge Judge Business School** Cambridge, UK
Teaching Assistant for Professor Paul Kattuman Michaelmas Term, 2020&2021
- MF2A Econometrics II, Cambridge Judge Business School** Cambridge, UK
Teaching Assistant for Professor Paul Kattuman Lent Term, 2020&2021
- EMBA75 Sustainable and Responsible Finance, Cambridge Judge Business School** Cambridge, UK
Course Facilitator for Professor Oğuzhan Karakaş Lent Term, 2020

FELLOWSHIP AND HONOURS

- World Finance & Banking Symposium, Runner Up Paper** December 2024
XIII World Finance & Banking Symposium held at Abu Dhabi School of Management
- Cambridge Judge Business School 4th Year Maintenance Grant** 2023-2024
Cambridge Judge Business School, University of Cambridge
- Cambridge Endowment for Research in Finance (CERF) Scholarship** 2020-2023
Cambridge Endowment for Research in Finance, University of Cambridge
- PhD Exceptional Teaching Assistant Award (Feedback Score Above 4.5/5.0)** 2021-2023
Cambridge Judge Business School, University of Cambridge
- Best Quantitative Paper Award** 2021
“Oracles of the Vote: Predicting the Outcomes of Proxy Contests for Board Seats”
Cambridge Winter Doctoral Conference, University of Cambridge
- Outstanding Academic Achievement Award (Top 0.5% University-wide)** 2019
The University of Manchester
- Work Experience Bursary** 2017
The University of Manchester

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- CITIC Securities Co., Ltd** Shenzhen, China
Intern, Investment Banking Department 12/2017 – 01/2018
- Involved in Due Diligence analysis on a client seeking IPO in China A-Share market.
 - Assisted in analysis of macroeconomic background, industry position, competition intensity, and further development constraints of several targeted firms.
- Shenzhen Stock Exchange** Shenzhen, China
Research Assistant (Intern), Research Institute & Postdoctoral Workstation 06/2017 – 07/2017
- Assisted in postdoctoral researchers on three research projects: China A-Share IPOs, short-selling reports (conducted by Muddy Waters Research and Citron), and the effects of financial regulations in China.

SKILLS

- Technical Skills: R, Stata, SQL, Python, La TeX, Bloomberg, Wind Terminal, and MS Office Suite
- Languages: Mandarin (Native), English (Fluent), Cantonese (Basic)