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EDUCATION

Washington University in St. Louis	2024 - present
Postdoctoral Researcher supervised by Professor Guofu Zhou and Professor Asaf Mane	la
Washington University in St. Louis	2022 - 2024
Visiting Ph.D. student	
Zhejiang University	2020 - 2024
Ph.D. in Finance, School of Economics	
Zhejiang University	2018 - 2020
M.S. in Finance, School of Economics	
Zhejiang University	2014 - 2018
B.A. in Finance, School of Economics	

RESEARCH INTERESTS

(Generative) AI in Finance, Textual Analysis, Sell-side Analysts, Monetary Policy

WORKING PAPERS

"The Value of Information from Sell-side Analysts", Job market paper

"Empirical Asset Pricing with Probability Forecasts" with Songrun He, and Guofu Zhou

"Chronologically Consistent Large Language Models" with Songrun He, Asaf Manela, and Jimmy Wu

"How Accurate are Survey Forecasts on the Market" with Songrun He, Jiaen Li, and Guofu Zhou

"Do Sell-side Analyst Reports Have Investment Value?", single author

PUBLICATIONS

The Real Effect of Monetary Policy under Uncertainty: Evidence from the Change in Corporate Financing Purposes

with with Jiajun Lu, Yizhong Wang, and Yueteng Zhu, 2025, Journal of Banking and Finance

Debt Shifting of Zombie Firms: A Supply Chain Perspective

with Yizhong Wang, 2025, Journal of Management Sciences in China (管理科学学报) [In Chinese]

SEMINARS & CONFERENCES

- 2026 AFA (scheduled)
- 2025 NBER Summer Institute (scheduled), AFA*, AFA (poster), 7th Future of Financial Information Conference, AFFECT Workshop, Federal Reserve Board*, ABFR Webinar*, University of Toronto*
- WashU Finance Brown Bag Seminar, Wolfe Research QES 8th Annual Global Quantitative and Macro Investment Conference, The 1st Workshop on LLMs and Generative AI in Finance, SoFiE, Fordham University*, Iowa State University*, Stevens Institute of Technology*, Tsinghua University*, Shanghai Jiaotong University*, University of Illinois Chicago*, The University of Texas in Dallas*, Washington University in St. Louis*, Xi' an Jiaotong-Liverpool University*, Zhejiang University*
- 2023 FMA Annual Meeting
- 2022 China Accounting and Finance Conference
- 2020 Young Scholar Academic Forum, School of Economics, Zhejiang University

HONORS & AWARDS

2025	AFA PhD Student Travel Grant
2023	China Scholarship Council Sponsorship
2021	Miyoshi Students (Top 7%), Zhejiang University
2019	National Scholarships (Top 1%), China's Education Ministry
2016	Best Paper Award, The 18th Symposium of Young Scholars, Zhejiang University
2015-2016	First-class Academic Scholarship, Zhejiang University
2015	Second Price in Mathematical Contest In Modeling

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

2020	Research Methods in Finance (TA for Yizhong Wang)
2019	Research Methods in Finance (TA for Yizhong Wang)

SKILLS

Computing	Python, SAS, Matlab, R, Stata, HPC
Languages	Chinese (Native), English (Fluent)

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