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EDUCATION

2020-present PhD in Finance, Stockholm School of Economics

- Relevant Modules: Empirical Corporate Finance, Empirical Asset pricing, Topics in Finance, Theoretical Corporate Finance.
- References: Per Strömberg (Main advisor), Dong Yan, Alvin Chen

2018-2019 MSc Finance, Warwick Business School

- Relevant Modules: Empirical Finance, Quantitative Methods for Finance, Investment Management, Corporate Finance.
- Dissertation: The Effect of Director Experience on Firm Risk-Taking: Evidence from The US Banks.

2014-2018 BSc Finance, Sichuan University

- Relevant Modules: Economics of Money, Banking and Financial Market, Theory and Practice of Investment Banking, Financial Market, Commercial Bank Management.
- Dissertation: The Characteristics and Cause of Household Leverage in China.

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Corporate finance, Corporate governance, Product market, Common ownership

WORKING PAPERS

How Are Different Types of Shareholders Involved in Board Governance

- **Key words:** Ownership structure, Corporate governance, Nomination committee, Board governance

The Tradeoff between Governance and the Need for Liquidity

- **Key words:** Liquidity, Inside information

PRESENTATIONS

2023 SSE PhD Seminar

2022 SSE PhD Second Year Summer Paper Presentation

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

2023	Private equity (MSc), SSE	Lecturer: Per Strömberg	Teaching Assistant
2022	Corporate Finance (MSc), SSE	Lecturer: Ramin Baghai	Teaching Assistant
2021	Corporate Finance (MSc), SSE	Lecturer: Bo Becker	Teaching Assistant

WORKSHOPS AND SELECTED COURSEWORK

2023 Women in Central Banking workshop, Norges Bank

2023 Finance and Product Markets (Laurent Frésard and Gordon Phillips), Swiss Finance Institute (SFI)

2022 Digital currencies: Policy economics (Darrell Duffie), Swedish House of Finance

OTHER EXPERIENCE

2020 Management Consultant, Advisory Services, EY, Shanghai, China

- Conducted two Services projects: organizational restructuring for a mutual fund company and development strategy project for an industrial company.
- Analyzed process and organizational improvements, big data as well as business cases and financial data.

2019 Investment Banking, China Great Wall Securities Co. Ltd, Beijing, China

- Conducted due diligence, interviewed clients, and collaborated with law and accounting firms for an IPO project.
- Prepared application reports, organized drafts, and submitted registration materials to the China Securities Regulatory Commission.
- Collected data, analyzed financial statements, and assisted in writing prospectuses.

2017 Intern, AXA China Reginal Insurance Company Limited, Hong Kong, China

- Helped design a new pension product, collaborated on valuation model, proposed improvements, and prepared analysis of investment strategies and product schemes, earning praise from the manager.
- Collected and analyzed market data, contributing to profitable asset portfolios.

AWARDS & SCHOLARSHIPS

2022-2024 The Swedish Bank Research Foundation, Research grant

2020-2021 Stockholm School of Economics, Doctoral stipend

2016 Comprehensive First Prize Scholarship, Sichuan University

2015 Sichuan University Excellent Student Award

SKILLS & CERTIFICATES

- **Languages:** Chinese (native speaker), English (fluent)
- **Software:** STATA, MATLAB, R, Python, Office
- **Certificate:** CFA Level 1, Shanxing 100 Volunteer Certificate, China Foundation for Poverty Alleviation