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## Research Interests

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Corporate Finance, Technology and Finance, Law and Finance

## Education

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2019/09 – 2024/06 (Expected)	The University of Hong Kong	Ph.D. in Finance
2018/08 – 2019/06	The University of Hong Kong	M.Fin. in Fintech
2014/09 – 2018/06	Sun Yat-Sen University	B.B.A in Accounting

## Publications

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Wenzhi Ding, Ross Levine, Chen Lin, and Wensi Xie, 2020. Corporate Immunity to the COVID-19 Pandemic.  
*Journal of Financial Economics* forthcoming.

## Working Papers

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Provide upon request.

## Research in Progress

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Provide upon request.

## Conferences and Presentations

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2020	33rd Australasian Finance and Banking Conference - PhD Forum (Presenter)
2019	SFS Cavalcade Asia-Pacific 2019 (Attendee, Helper)

## Teaching Experience

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2019 Spring	Quantitative Research (EMBA & DBA)	Teaching Assistant
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## Honors and Awards

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2020	HKU FBE PhD Research Excellence Award
2019	HKU Foundation Postgraduate Fellowship, University of Hong Kong FBE PhD Entrance Scholarship
2016	Financial Management Invitation Tournament Second Best of China (Team Leader), China University Entrepreneurship Challenge Silver Prize of China (Team Leader), EY Cup Case Analysis Competition Outstanding Report
2015	Global Management Challenge Third Prize of China (Team Leader), MPAcc Case Analysis Competition Top 10 in China, China University Mathematics Modelling Competition Winner Prize (Team Leader)

## Professional Services

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**Exchange Studies**

2016/07 – 2016/08	The University of California – Berkeley	Legal Study (Summer Session)
2015/07 – 2015/08	The University of Cambridge	Culture Study (Summer Session)

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**Industry Experiences (Internship)**

2020/03 – Now	Bank for International Settlements (BIS)	Temp Research Analyst
2018/01 – 2018/05	Bain & Company	Part-time Assistant (Strategic Consulting)
2017/08 – 2017/11	GF Securities	Investment Banking Intern (TMT Division)
2017/07 – 2017/08	Shenzhen Nongjinqian	Data Science Assistant (P2P Lending)
2017/01 – 2017/04	Deloitte	Audit Intern
2016/06 – 2017/06	Sun Yat-Sen University Student Entrepreneur Center	Student Director
2016/01 – 2016/02	Ernst & Young	Audit Intern

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**Personal Projects**

py_reminder	A convenient Python tool to help on monitoring program progress. [ <a href="#">Link</a> ]
Notes on LeetCode	Sharing my personal notes and reflections of LeetCode exercises. [ <a href="#">Link</a> ]
Std. Country Code	A toolset and dataset that helps standardizing country identifier. [ <a href="#">Link</a> ]

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**Additional Skills**

Language	Mandarin Chinese (Native), English (Fluent), Cantonese (Basic)
Research-related	Python, Stata, ArcGIS, C++, R, SQL, LaTeX
Other skills	Microsoft Office, Markdown, HTML, Photoshop, Premiere, After Effects, Maya

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**Other Personal Information**

Hobbies	Guitar, Piano, Jogging, Rubik Cube, Visual Designs
Nationality	Chinese

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**References**

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