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EMPLOYMENT

The Chinese University of Hong Kong, CUHK Business School

Assistant Professor of Finance

2021 - Present

EDUCATION

University of Toronto, Rotman School of Management

Ph.D. in Finance

2021

Korea Advanced Institute of Science and Technology, South Korea

• M.S. in Management Engineering with specialization in Finance

2015

Sogang University, South Korea

B.B.A. and B.E., Summa Cum Laude (1st out of 230)

2013

RESEARCH INTEREST

Asset Pricing, Household Finance, and Climate Finance

PUBLICATIONS

A One-Factor Model of Corporate Bond Premia

with Redouane Elkamhi and Yoshio Nozawa Management Science, 2024, 70(3), 1875-1900

Asset holders' Consumption Risk and Tests of Conditional CCAPM with Redouane Elkamhi Journal of Financial Economics, 2023, 148(3), 220-244

Measuring "State-level" Economic Policy Uncertainty with Redouane Elkamhi and Marco Salerno Journal of Financial and Quantitative Analysis, forthcoming

Agency Conflicts and Investment: Evidence from a Structural Estimation

with Redouane Elkamhi, Daniel Kim, and Marco Salerno Review of Corporate Finance Studies, forthcoming

WORKING PAPERS

Subjective Risk-Return Trade-off with Chen Lin and Yang You

 MFA (2023), KAIST (2023), Korea University (2023), SNU (2023), Colorado Finance Summit (2022), CUHK (2022), Hong Kong Joint Finance Research Workshop (2022), NUS Risk Management Conference (2022)

Unintended Benefits of Employment Protection Laws: Households' Stock Market Participation

 NTU (2024, scheduled), FMA Asia/Pacific (2024, scheduled), Labor and Finance Conference (2023), SIPP Virtual Conference (2023), EFA (2020), NFA (2020), MFA (2020), SFA (2020), SWFA (2020), University of Toronto (2020), CUHK (2020)

Climate Change Risks and Households' Financial Risk-Taking with Zhenyu Gao and Singsen Lam

CICF (2024), CFRC (2024), SGFIN Annual Research Conference on Sustainability (2024), KAFA-KFMA-KAFE (2023), SIPP Virtual Conference (2023), AFBC (2022), KAFA (2022), CUHK (2022), NTHU Symposium on Sustainable Finance and Economics (2022)

Local Grocery Basket Inflation and Institutional Investors' Portfolio Choices with Byoung Uk Kang and Zhecheng Luo

CUHK (2023)

The Big Data (Scientists) Arms Race: How Data Scientists Shape Stock Price Informativeness with Ling Cen and Yanru Han

Yonsei University (2024)

The Composition of Market Participants and Asset dynamics

- SFS Cavalcade (2021), RCFS/RAPS Winter Conference (2020), EFA (2019), CICF (2019), APAD (2019), EFMA (2019), ABFER, CEPR and CUHK (2019), SFS Cavalcade Asia (2018), NFA (2018), FMA (2018), YES (2018), TADC (2018), AFM (2017), AFBC (2017), Indiana University (2017)
- Outstanding Paper Award, Joint Conference with the Allied Korea Finance Associations (2023)

OTHER PUBLICATION

Chinese Economic Policy Uncertainty and U.S. Households' Portfolio Decisions

with Kiryoung Lee and Yoontae Jeon,

Pacific-Basin Finance Journal, Volume 64, 2020

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Chinese University of Hong Kong

Empirical Methods in Asset Pricing (PhD level)

2022 - Present

Financial Markets (Undergraduate level)

2021 - Present

University of Toronto, Rotman School of Management

Capital Market Theory (Undergraduate level)

2019

Rotman School of Management Teaching Excellence Award

PRESENTATIONS

2024: CICF (Beijing, China)*, CFRC (Beijing, China)*, FMA Asia/Pacific (Seoul, Korea), MFA (Chicago, US), SGFIN Annual Research Conference on Sustainability (Singapore), A Workshop to Advance Research on Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion (Seattle, US), Yonsei University (Seoul, Korea), NTU Brown bag (scheduled, Singapore), SKKU (scheduled, Seoul, Korea)

2023: UNSW Business School (Sydney, Australia), UTS Business School (Sydney, Australia), University of Sydney (Sydney, Australia), Labor and Finance Conference (New York, US), KAIST (Seoul, Korea), Korea University (Seoul, Korea), Seoul National University (Seoul, Korea), Allied Korea Finance Associations (×2) (Seoul, Korea), KAFA-KFMA-KAFE (Pyeongtaek, Korea), SIPP Virtual conference (×2)

2022: Colorado Finance Summit (Vail, US), Australasian Finance & Banking Conference (Virtual)*, Risk Management Conference (Singapore), KAFA Brown Bag Seminar (Virtual), CUHK Brown Bag, American Finance Association (Virtual)*, Hong Kong Joint Finance Research Workshop*, NTHU Symposium on Sustainable Finance and Economics (virtual)

2021: SFS Cavalcade (Virtual), Midwest Finance Association (Virtual), Eastern Finance Association (Virtual), Northern Finance Association (Virtual), HKUST Brown Bag*

- 2020: Paris December Finance meeting (Virtual), Southern Finance Association (Virtual), Northern Finance Association Ph.D. symposium (Virtual), European Finance Association Doctoral Tutorial (Virtual), Midwest Finance Association (Virtual), Southwestern Finance Association (San Antonio, US), University of Toronto (Toronto, Canada), RCFS/RAPS Winter Conference 2020 (Nassau, The Bahamas)*
- **2019**: Financial Management Association (New Orleans, US), European Finance Association (Carcavelos, Portugal), Risk Management Conference (Singapore), Asia-Pacific Association of Derivatives (×2) (Seoul, Korea), China International Conference in Finance (Guangzhou, China), European Financial Management Association (Ponta Delgada, Portugal)
- 2018: SFS Cavalcade Asia-pacific (Singapore), Northern Finance Association (Québec, Canada), Financial Management Association (San Diego, US), Young Economists Symposium (New York, US), Trans-Atlantic Doctoral Conference (London, UK), Southwestern Finance Association (Albuquerque, US)
- **2017**: Australasian Finance Banking Conference (Sydney, Australia), Auckland Finance Meeting (Queenstown, New Zealand), University of Toronto (Toronto, Canada)
 - * = presentation by co-author

DISCUSSIONS

- **2024**: China International Conference in Finance (×2) (Beijing, China), MFA (Chicago, US)
- **2023**: Korean Finance Association (Seoul), UNSW Asset Pricing Workshop (Sydney), 2023 HK PolyU Fixed Income and Institutions Research Symposium, KAFA BrownBag Seminar (Virtual), 9th HK Joint Finance Research Workshop, 2023 CFRI & CIRF Joint Conference (Virtual), China International Conference in Finance (×2) (Shanghai, China), KAFA-KFMA-KAFE (Korea), KIF-KAEA-KAFA (Virtual)
- 2022: Financial Management Association (Virtual)
- 2021: Eastern Finance Association (Virtual), Financial Management Association (Virtual)
- 2020: Southern Finance Association (Virtual), Southwestern Finance Association (San Antonio, US)
- **2019**: Financial Management Association (\times 2) (New Orleans, US), European Financial Management Association (Ponta Delgada, Portugal)
- **2018**: Financial Management Association (San Diego, US), Young Economists Symposium (New York, US), Trans-Atlantic Doctoral Conference (London, UK), Southwestern Finance Association (Albuquerque, US)
- **2017**: Australasian Finance Banking Conference (Sydney, Australia), Auckland Finance Meeting (Queenstown, New Zealand)

AWARDS AND GRANT

Direct Grant (HK\$60,000), CUHK	2023
Shinhan Bank & KAFA Best Paper Award	2023
Outstanding Paper Award, Joint Conference with the Allied Korea Finance Associations	2023
Direct Grant (HK\$10,000), CUHK	2022
Direct Grant (HK\$50,000), CUHK	2021
Rotman School of Management Teaching Award, University of Toronto	2020
Financial News-KAFA Doctoral Student Dissertation Award	2020

ACADEMIC SERVICE

Journal referee: Review of Financial Studies, Management Science, Review of Asset Pricing Studies, Journal of Banking and Finance (\times 6), Research Policy, Journal of Empirical Finance (\times 2), International Journal of Finance and Economics, Asia-Pacific Journal of Financial Studies

Conference review committee: MFA (2023)

Membership: American Finance Association, Christian Finance Faculty Association, Korea-America Finance Association, Korean Finance Association, Midwest Finance Association

UNIVERSITY SERVICE

Chinese University of Hong Kong	
Seminar co-coordinator	2023 - Present
Committee on RPG Studies	2022 - Present
Database Committee	2021 - Present
 Pastoral and Spiritual Care Committee, Chung Chi College 	2021 - Present
Student Supervision	
- Singsen Lam (co-supervisor, first placement: Sun Yat-Sen University, 2025)	
Competitive Graduate Student Grant Review	2023
OTHER EXPERIENCE	
Military Service, Sergeant, 17th Fighter Wing, Republic of Korea Air Force	2007 - 2010
PERSONAL INFORMATION	
Married with two children	

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