Preliminary Program

Summer Institute of Finance Conference

July 12 - 13, 2021

(All Times Refer to Beijing Time, GMT +8)

Online and Onsite in Shanghai

Online: Zoom
Onsite: Room 203

Shanghai Advanced Institute of Finance (SAIF)

Shanghai Jiao Tong University

No.211 West Huaihai Road, Shanghai

Day One. Monday, July 12. 8:00AM - 3:30PM

Session 1: Financial Distress

8:00AM - 9:30AM

Session Chair: Sheridan Titman, University of Texas at Austin

8:00AM - 8:45AM

Feedback and Contagion through Distressed Competition

Hui Chen, Massachusetts Institute of Technology

Winston Dou, *University of Pennsylvania*

Hongye Guo, University of Pennsylvania

Yan Ji, Hong Kong University of Science and Technology

Presenter: Winston Dou, *University of Pennsylvania* Discussant: Jincheng Tong, *University of Toronto*

8:45AM - 9:30 AM

Gambling for Redemption or Rip-off, and the Impact of Superpriority

Philip Dybvig, Washington University in St. Louis and Southwestern University of Finance and Economics

Xinyu Hou, Washington University in St. Louis

Presenter: Xinyu Hou, *Washington University in St. Louis* **Discussant: Harold Zhang**, *University of Texas at Dallas*

Break: 9:30AM - 9:45AM

Session 2: Agency and Monitoring

9:45AM - 11:15AM

Session Chair: Kose John, New York University

9:45AM - 10:30AM

Looking the Other Way: The Screening Role of (Weak) Internal Monitoring

Felix Feng, *University of Washington* Wenyu Wang, *Indiana University*

Yufeng Wu, *University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign* **Presenter: Felix Feng**, *University of Washington* **Discussant: Andrew Winton**, *University of Minnesota*

10:30AM - 11:15AM

Morale, Performance, and Disclosure

Xu Jiang, *Duke University* Ian Xue, *Duke University*

Presenter: Ian Xue, Duke University
Discussant: Jun Yang, Indiana University

Break: 11:15AM - 11:30AM

Session 3: New Measures, New Insights

11:30AM - 1:00PM

Session Chair: Xiaoyan Zhang, PBC School of Finance, Tsinghua

University

11:30AM - 12:15PM

The Informativeness of Text, the Deep Learning Approach

Allen Huang, Hong Kong University of Science and Technology Hui Wang, Hong Kong University of Science and Technology Yi Yang, Hong Kong University of Science and Technology

Presenter: Allen Huang, Hong Kong University of Science and Technology

Discussant: Baozhong Yang, Georgia State University

12:15PM -1:00 PM

Concentration in Product Markets

C. Lanier Benkard, *Stanford University*Ali Yurukoglu, *Stanford University*Anthony Lee Zhang, *University of Chicago*

Presenter: Anthony Lee Zhang, University of Chicago

Discussant: Sudipto Dasgupta, The Chinese University of Hong Kong

Break: 1:00PM - 2:00PM

Session 4: Firms and Labor Mobility

2:00PM - 3:30PM

Session Chair: Ron Masulis, University of New South Wales

2:00PM - 2:45PM

<u>Assessing and Addressing the Coronavirus-induced Economic Crisis:</u> <u>Evidence from 1.5 Billion Sales Invoices</u>

Zhuo Chen, PBC School of Finance, Tsinghua University

Pengfei Li, PBC School of Finance, Tsinghua University

Li Liao, PBC School of Finance, Tsinghua University

Zhengwei Wang, PBC School of Finance, Tsinghua University

Presenter: Pengfei Li, PBC School of Finance, Tsinghua University

Discussant: Wenlan Qian, National University of Singapore

2:45PM - 3:30PM

The Talent Gap in Family Firms

Morten Bennedsen, University of Copenhagen and INSEAD

Margarita Tsoutsoura, Cornell University

Daniel Wolfenzon, Columbia University

Presenter: Morten Bennedsen, University of Copenhagen and INSEAD

Discussant: Claudia Custodio, Imperial College London

Day Two. Tuesday, July 13. 8:00AM - 11:15AM

Session 5: Hedging 8:00AM - 9:30AM

Session Chair: Kewei Hou, The Ohio State University

8:00AM - 8:45AM

Operating Leverage and Hedging: A Tale of Two Production Costs for Asset Pricing

Leonid Kogan, Massachusetts Institute of Technology

Jun Li, University of Texas at Dallas

Harold Zhang, University of Texas at Dallas

Yifan Zhu, University of Texas at Dallas

Presenter: Jun Li, University of Texas at Dallas

Discussant: Shaojun Zhang, The Ohio State University

8:45AM - 9:30AM

Unmasking Mutual Fund Derivative Use

Ron Kaniel, University of Rochester

Pingle Wang, University of Texas at Dallas

Presenter: Pingle Wang, University of Texas at Dallas Discussant: Veronika Pool, Vanderbilt University

Break: 9:30AM - 9:45AM

Session 6: Funds 9:45AM - 11:15AM

Session Chair: Hong Yan, Shanghai Advanced Institute of Finance, Shanghai Jiao Tong University

9:45AM - 10:30AM

The Proxy Advisory Industry: Influencing and Being Influenced

Chong Shu, University of Southern California

Presenter: Chong Shu, University of Southern California Discussant: Peter Iliev, Pennsylvania State University

10:30AM - 11:15AM

The Risk, Reward, and Asset Allocation of Nonprofit Endowment Funds

Andrew Lo, Massachusetts Institute of Technology Egor Matveyev, Massachusetts Institute of Technology Stefan Zeume, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

Presenter: Egor Matveyev, Massachusetts Institute of Technology

Discussant: Clemens Sialm, University of Texas at Austin