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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

Naveen Jindal School of Management - UT Dallas

August 2020

Assistant Professor of Finance

EDUCATION

David Eccles School of Business - University of Utah

August 2015 - June 2020

Ph.D., Finance

Idaho State University

January 2013 - December 2014

M.B.A

University of California, Davis

August 2000 - December 2003

B.S., Microbiology

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Empirical Corporate Finance: Intellectual Property, Innovation, and Firm Value

RESEARCH PAPERS

The Strategic Effects of Trademark Protection with Davidson Heath

- Review of Financial Studies (August 2019)

The Real Effects of Secondary Markets on Innovation

- Job Market Paper

Marijuana Taxation and Imperfect Competition with Elena Patel and Nathan Seegert

- National Tax Journal, June 2020, 73 (2)

The Principal-Agent Problem and Employee Monitoring

- Working Paper

Revisiting Stock Option Exercise and CEO Overconfidence

- Working Paper

A pH-sensitive function and phenotype: evidence that EutH facilitates diffusion of uncharged ethanolamine in Salmonella enterica with John Roth and Joseph Penrod

- Journal of Bacteriology (2004)

TEACHING

Business Finance Spring 2021

FIN 3320.005/FIN 3320.009 The University of Texas at Dallas

Introduction to Stata Summer 2019

PhD Boot Camp University of Utah

Introduction to Corporate Finance Summer 2018

FINAN 3040 (5.1/6)
University of Utah

AWARDS AND WORKSHOPS

Finance Theory Group PhD Summer School

Wharton School of the University of Pennsylvania

The Monty & Christine Botosan Bridge to Practice Doctoral Award

Outstanding Paper

2018

2019

2016

2019

PRESENTATIONS

Miami Behavioral Finance Conference (Poster)

Secondary Markets, Animal Spirits, and Corporate Investment

Miami, FL

Eastern Finance Association Annual Meeting

2017 Jacksonville, FL

Lawsuits and Leverage

Paris Financial Management Conference

The Strategic Effects of Trademark Protection

Paris, France

WORK EXPERIENCE

Heinz Frozen Foods

2011-2014

Plant Microbiologist

Pocatello, ID

Mace Construction

2007-2011

Operations Manager

Salt Lake City, UT

Genentech

2005-2007

Bioprocess Manufacturing Technician

San Francisco, CA

Roth Laboratory

2000-2005

Bacterial Geneticist

Davis, CA

SKILLS

Programming: Python, Stata, LaTeX

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