

Fenghui Yu

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Positions

Oct 2023–Present *Assistant Professor (Tenured)*
Aug 2022–Sept 2023 *Assistant Professor (Tenure-Track)*
- Delft Institute of Applied Mathematics, TU Delft, Netherlands

Jun 2019–July 2022 *Postdoctoral Researcher*
- RiskLab and Department of Mathematics, ETH Zürich, Switzerland

Jan 2019–May 2019 *IMR Postdoctoral Fellow*
- Department of Mathematics, The University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong

Research Visits

Oct–Dec 2024 *FIM (Forschungsinstitut für Mathematik) Academic Guest*
Department of Mathematics, ETH Zürich, Switzerland

Aug 2015 *Academic Visitor*
Department of Mathematical Sciences, University of Copenhagen, Denmark

Education

Sept 2014–Dec 2018 Ph.D., Mathematics - The University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong
Research Field: Mathematical and Computational Finance
Supervisor: Prof. Wai-Ki Ching
Thesis: On Pricing, Hedging and Trading in Financial Management

Sept 2010–Jul 2014 B.S. Mathematics; B.E. Finance (Double Degree) - Jilin University, China
Major: Computational Mathematics; Minor: Finance and Financial Management

Research Interests

- Quantitative Methods in Finance, Algorithmic Trading and Market Microstructure
- Applied Probability, Stochastic Modeling and Stochastic Optimal Control
- Machine Learning, Data-driven Innovation and their Applications in Finance

Honors and Awards

2024–2025 IDEA League Fellowship - *IDEA League strategic alliance*
2018 Scientific Research Network (WOG) Grant - *Research Foundation Flanders (FWO), Belgium*
2016, 2018 Conference Grant for Research Postgraduate Students
- *The University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong*
2016 SIAM Student Travel Award - *SIAM, USA*
2016 Doris Chen Postgraduate Travel Grant - *The University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong*

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| 2016 | International Student Travel Award - <i>PIMS, Canada</i> |
| 2014–2018 | HKU Foundation Postgraduate Fellowship - <i>The University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong</i> |
| 2014–2018 | Postgraduate Scholarship - <i>The University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong</i> |
| 2012–2014 | First Rank Scholarship - <i>Jilin University, China</i> |
| 2011–2014 | Outstanding Undergraduate - <i>Jilin University, China</i> |

Fundings

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| 2025–2027 | Strategic Research Initiative of <i>Real-World-Inspired Sequential Decision-Making</i> (joint application), €20,000 - 4TU.AMI, Netherlands |
| 2024–2025 | IDEA League Fellowship (Sole PI), €21,310 - IDEA League strategic alliance |

Papers

- Felix Lokin and **Fenghui Yu**. *Fill Probabilities in a Limit Order Book with State-Dependent Stochastic Order Flows*. Preprint, 2024.
- **Feng-Hui Yu**, Wai-Ki Ching, Chu-Fang Wu and Jia-Wen Gu. *Optimal Pairs Trading Strategies: a Stochastic Mean-Variance Approach*. *Journal of Optimization Theory and Applications*, 196, 36–55, 2023.
- Dong-Mei Zhu, Jia-Wen Gu, **Feng-Hui Yu**, Tak-Kuen Siu and Wai-Ki Ching. *Optimal Pairs Trading with Dynamic Mean-Variance Objective*. *Mathematical Methods of Operations Research*, 94(1), 145–168, 2021.
- Dong-Mei Zhu, Jia-Wen Gu, **Feng-Hui Yu**, Wai-Ki Ching and Tak-Kuen Siu. *How Correlation Risk in Basket Credit Derivatives Might be Priced and Managed?* *IMA Journal of Management Mathematics*, 32(2), 195–219, 2021.
- **Feng-Hui Yu**, Jie-Jun Lu, Jia-Wen Gu and Wai-Ki Ching. *Modeling Credit Risk with Hidden Markov Default Intensity*. *Computational Economics*, 54(3), 1213–1229, 2019.
- **Feng-Hui Yu**, Wai-Ki Ching, Jia-Wen Gu and Tak-Kuen Siu. *Interacting Default Intensity with Hidden Markov Process*. *Quantitative Finance*, 7(5), 781–794, 2017.
- Tak-Kuen Siu, **Feng-Hui Yu**, Qing-Qing Yang, Jia-Wen Gu and Wai-Ki Ching. *Pricing Participating Policies Under Hidden Markov Models via Neural Networks*. Preprint, 2019.
- **Feng-Hui Yu** and Wai-Ki Ching. *Multi-Period Optimal Mean-reverting Spread Trading Strategies with Hidden Markovian Regime Switching*. Working Paper.
- **Feng-Hui Yu**. *Optimal Convergence Trading Strategies with Cutting Loss Exit*. Working Paper.

Co-organized Events

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| Aug 2025 | Minisymposium: <i>Theory and Algorithms in Trading and Market Simulation</i> NUS Quantitative Finance Conference - Singapore |
| July 2024 | Minisymposium: <i>Control, Optimization and Market Microstructure</i> 12th Bachelier World Congress - Rio de Janeiro, Brazil |
| Sept 2023 | 15th European Summer School in Financial Mathematics - Delft, Netherlands |

Academic Talks

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| Aug 2025 | NUS Quantitative Finance Conference - Singapore |
| July 2025 | SIAM Conference on Financial Mathematics and Engineering (FM25) - Miami, USA |
| June 2025 | 12th General AMaMeF Conference - Verona, Italy |

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| May 2025 | 4TU.AMI.SRI Real-World-Inspired Sequential Decision Making Meeting - Utrecht, Netherlands |
| Nov 2024 | BIRS Workshop on Modeling, Learning and Understanding: Modern Challenges between Financial Mathematics, Financial Technology and Financial Economics - Banff, Canada |
| July 2024 | 12th Bachelier World Congress - Rio de Janeiro, Brazil |
| June 2024 | Statistics and Machine Learning in Finance Seminar - University of Oxford, UK |
| April 2024 | Recent Advances in Stochastic Control, Machine Learning and Quantitative Finance - Shanghai, China |
| April 2024 | International Conference on Computational Finance - Amsterdam, Netherlands |
| June 2023 | 4TU.Applied Mathematics Institutes Summer Event - Delft, Netherlands |
| Mar 2023 | Dutch Mathematical Finance Seminars - TU Delft, Netherlands |
| Feb 2023 | Seminar in Mathematical Finance - McMaster University, Canada |
| Nov 2022 | 14th DIAM Research Day - TU Delft, Netherlands |
| Oct 2022 | Finance Research Day - TU Delft, Netherlands |
| Oct 2020 | Seminar of Josef Teichmann's Group - ETH Zürich, Switzerland |
| Dec 2019 | Youth Probability and Statistics Forum - Beijing, China |
| Dec 2019 | Post/Doctoral Seminar in Mathematical Finance - ETH Zürich, Switzerland |
| Feb 2018 | Workshop on Computational Science and Optimization - Hong Kong |
| Nov 2016 | SIAM Conference on Financial Mathematics and Engineering - Austin, USA |
| Jul 2016 | 6th International IMS-FIPS Workshop - Edmonton, Canada |
| Jun 2016 | 11th East Asia SIAM Conference - Macao |
| Feb 2016 | 4th Asian Quantitative Finance Conference - Osaka, Japan |

Teaching

(All of the courses were given in English)

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| Fall 2025 | Lecturer , Delft Institute of Applied Mathematics - TU Delft, Netherlands |
| Fall 2024 | <i>Special Topics in Financial Engineering (Machine Learning in Finance)</i> |
| Fall 2023 | |
| Fall 2025 | Lecturer , Delft Institute of Applied Mathematics - TU Delft, Netherlands |
| Fall 2024 | <i>Quantitative Risk Management</i> |
| Fall 2023 | |
| Spring 2022 | Teaching Assistant , RiskLab - ETH Zürich, Switzerland |
| Spring 2021 | <i>Quantitative Risk Management</i> |
| Fall 2017 | Teaching Assistant , Department of Mathematics - The University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong <i>Discrete Mathematics</i> |
| Fall 2017 | Teaching Assistant , Department of Mathematics - The University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong |
| Fall 2016 | |
| Fall 2015 | <i>University Mathematics I</i> |
| Spring 2015 | Teaching Assistant , Department of Mathematics - The University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong <i>Computational Methods and Differential Equations with Applications</i> |

Supervision

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| Master Students | David Brouwers (jointly with MN), Oct, 2024 - <i>TU Delft, Netherlands</i> |
| | Giorgia Bifronte, Aug, 2024 - <i>TU Delft, Netherlands</i> |
| | Luca Fornaro (jointly with MN), Aug, 2024 - <i>TU Delft, Netherlands</i> |
| | Tomás Carrondo (jointly with Christa Cuchiero), June, 2024 - <i>TU Delft, Netherlands</i> |
| | Laurens Chin-A-Pauw, Mar, 2024 - <i>TU Delft, Netherlands</i> |
| | Felix Lokin (jointly with MN), Sept, 2023 - <i>TU Delft, Netherlands</i> |
| | Vangelis Nakos, Sept, 2023 - <i>TU Delft, Netherlands</i> |

Additional Information

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| Mar 2025 | Certificate of University Teaching Qualification - <i>4TU.Education, Netherlands</i> |
| 2024 – | Member of the EEMCS Faculty Graduate School PhD Mentor Group - <i>TU Delft, Netherlands</i> |
| Jan 2015 | Certificate of Teaching and Learning in Higher Education - <i>The University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong</i> |
| Referee Service | Automatica, Mathematical Methods of Operations Research, International Journal of Theoretical and Applied Finance |
| Languages | Chinese (native), English (fluent) |