

The 37th Asian Finance Association Annual Conference

List of Award Recipients

1. AsianFA Best Paper Award

(sponsored by Asian Finance Association)

Recipient: Chia-Yi Yen, University of Liverpool

Title: Too Much “Skin in the Game” Ruins the Game? Evidence from Managerial Capital Gains Taxes

Coauthored with Anna Theresa Bührle, DIW Berlin

2. AsianFA Best Paper Award

(sponsored by Asian Finance Association)

Recipient: Wei-Ling Song, Louisiana State University

Title: Inefficient Lease Usage: Evidence from Institutional Investor Responses to ASC 842

Coauthored with Wanying Jiang, The University of Texas Permian Basin; Chi Lam, Louisiana State University

3. AsianFA Best Paper Award

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Recipient: Xiang Zheng, Nanyang Technological University

Title: Workplace Harassment Risk, Non-disclosure Agreements, and Information Flow

Coauthored with Guido Friebe, Goethe Universität Frankfurt; Yuping Jia, Frankfurt School of Finance & Management; Menghan Zhu, Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam

4. PBFJ Best Paper Award

(sponsored by Pacific-Basin Finance Journal)

Recipient: Kelvin Jui Keng Tan, University of Queensland

Title: Wage Restrictions on Talent and Debt Contracting: Evidence from State-level Pay Transparency Laws

Coauthored with Hasibul Chowdhury, University of Queensland; Wenbin Hu, The University of Queensland; Shunji Mei, University of Adelaide

5. IRF Best Paper Award

(sponsored by International Review of Finance)

Recipient: Darya Yuferova, NHH Norwegian School of Economics

Title: Retail Bubble Riders

Coauthored with Prachi Deuskar, Indian School of Business; Shubham Upadhyay, Independent researcher

6. NCCU Best Paper Award

(sponsored by College of Commerce, NCCU)

Recipient: Qifei Zhu, National University of Singapore

Title: (Re)call of Duty: Mutual Fund Securities Lending and Proxy Voting

Coauthored with Tao Li, University of Florida

7. NCCU Best Paper Award for Sustainability Research

(sponsored by College of Commerce, NCCU)

Recipient: Baek-Chun Kim, National Chengchi University

Title: Intangibles, productivity, and stock prices

8. NCCU Best Paper Award for Sustainability Research

(sponsored by Center for Business Sustainability, NCCU)

Recipient: Qiang Wu, Hong Kong Polytechnic University

Title: Does Greenwashing Pay Off? Evidence from the Corporate Bond Market

Coauthored with Nazim Hussain, University of Groningen; Shuo Wang, University of Edinburgh; Cheng (Colin) Zeng, Hong Kong Polytechnic University

9. NCCU Best Paper Award for Sustainability Research

(sponsored by Center for Business Sustainability, NCCU)

Recipient: Xuan Wang, Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam and Tinbergen Institute

Title: Sustainable Investing and Public Goods Provision

Coauthored with Ilaria Piatti, Queen Mary University of London; Joel Shapiro, University of Oxford

10. NCCU Best Paper Award for International Research

(sponsored by College of Global Banking and Finance, NCCU)

Recipient: Gaiyan Zhang, University of Missouri-St. Louis

Title: “S” as Social: The Impact of Labor and Community Issues on Global Corporate Credit Risk

11.NCCU Best Paper Award for Doctoral Consortium

(sponsored by Center for Business Sustainability and College of Commerce, NCCU)

Recipient: Jewon Shin, Pennsylvania State University

Title: Mandatory Disclosure and ESG Profiles: Evidence from the Smaller Reporting Company Rule

12.NCCU Best Paper Award for Doctoral Consortium

(sponsored by Center for Business Sustainability and College of Commerce, NCCU)

Recipient: Ye (Brandon) Moe, University of Nebraska – Lincoln

Title: The Effect of TRACE Transparency on Reaching for Yield in the Corporate Bond Market