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## Academic Appointment

Georgia State University 08/2023 – present  
– Assistant Professor, Maurice R. Greenberg School of Risk Science

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## Education

Ph.D. Actuarial Science, University of Waterloo 06/2023  
– Advisor: Ruodu Wang

M.Phil. Mathematics, Hong Kong University of Science and Technology 07/2019  
– Advisor: Yue Kuen Kwok

B.S. Mathematics and Economics, Hong Kong University of Science and Technology 07/2017

International Exchange Student, Technical University of Munich 04/2016 – 09/2016

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## Professional Designation

Associate of the Society of Actuaries (A.S.A.) 08/2023

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## Research Interests

Actuarial Science; Quantitative Risk Management; Operations Research; Financial Engineering; Game Theory

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## Publications and Manuscripts

### Pre-publication manuscripts

- [1] Bellini, F., Huang, M., **Wang, Q.** and Wang, R. (2025). Lambda Expected Shortfall. Preprint.
- [2] Jiao, Z., **Wang, Q.** and Zhao, Y. (2025). Standard and comparative e-backtests for general risk measures. Preprint.
- [3] Chi, Y., Fung, T. C., Peng, L. and **Wang, Q.** (2025). Statistical solutions of optimal multivariate reinsurance under distortion risk measures. Preprint.

## Peer-reviewed journal articles

- [1] Wang, Q., Wang, R. and Ziegel, J. (2025). E-backtesting. *Management Science*, available online.
- [2] Han, X., Wang, Q., Wang, R. and Xia, J. (2021). Cash-subadditive risk measures without quasi-convexity. *Mathematics of Operations Research*, available online.
- [3] Boonen, T. J., Chen, Y., Han, X. and Wang, Q. (2024). Optimal insurance design with Lambda-Value-at-Risk. *European Journal of Operational Research*, **327**(1), 232–246.
- [4] Aboagye, E., Asimit, V., Fung, T. C., Peng, L. and Wang, Q. (2024). A revisit of the optimal excess-of-loss contract. *European Journal of Operational Research*, **322**(1), 341–354.
- [5] Pesenti, S., Wang, Q. and Wang, R. (2024). Optimizing distortion riskmetrics with distributional uncertainty. *Mathematical Programming*, **213**, 51–106.
- [6] Wang, Q., Wang, R. and Zitikis, R. (2022). Risk measures induced by efficient insurance contracts. *Insurance: Mathematics and Economics*, **103**, 56–65.
- [7] Embrechts, P., Mao, T., Wang, Q. and Wang, R. (2021). Bayes risk, elicibility, and the Expected Shortfall. *Mathematical Finance*, **31**(4), 1190–1217.
- [8] Wang, Q., Wang, R. and Wei, Y. (2020). Distortion riskmetrics on general spaces. *ASTIN Bulletin*, **50**(4), 827–851.
- [9] Wang, Q. and Kwok, Y. K. (2020). Real option signaling games of debt financing using equity guarantee swaps. *International Journal of Theoretical and Applied Finance*, **23**(5), 2050036.
- [10] Wang, Q. and Kwok, Y. K. (2019). Signaling game models of equity financing under information asymmetry and finite project life. *International Journal of Financial Engineering*, **6**(1), 1950002.

## Dissertations

- [1] Wang, Q. (2023). Characterizing, optimizing and backtesting metrics of risk. *Ph.D. Thesis*. University of Waterloo, Canada.
- [2] Wang, Q. (2019). Real option signaling games under asymmetric information and finite option life. *M.Phil. Thesis*. Hong Kong University of Science and Technology, Hong Kong.

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## Selected Honors and Awards

3rd place of Mathematics Doctoral Prize, UW	2024
Statistical Society of Canada's Pierre Robillard Award, SSC	2024
<i>An award with one recipient per year recognizing the best Ph.D. thesis defended at a Canadian university in a given year in the fields of probability or statistics</i>	
James C. Hickman Scholar Doctoral Stipend, SOA	2021 – 2023
<i>An award with annually 3-5 recipients currently enrolled in or applying to actuarial science doctoral programs or a related field, in the U.S. or Canada, recognizing great academic performance and potential</i>	
Honorable Mention in ARC Graduate Student Presentation Awards, SOA	2022
SAS Chair's Award, UW	2021 – 2022
Comprehensive Award (out of 2 recipients), UW	2020
International Doctoral Student Award, UW	2019 – 2023
Statistics and Actuarial Science Doctoral Entrance Award, UW	2019
Postgraduate Studentship, HKUST	2017 – 2019
Scholarship Scheme for Continuing Undergraduate Students, HKUST	2015 – 2017
Fong Shu Chuen Scholarship, HKUST	2015 – 2016
School of Science Dean's List, HKUST	2014

## Academic Visits

University of Waterloo (Department of Statistics and Actuarial Science)	2023, 2025
Nankai University (School of Mathematical Sciences)	2023, 2025
Chinese University of Hong Kong-Shenzhen (School of Science and Engineering)	2024
Chinese Academy of Sciences (Academy of Math and Systems Science)	2021, 2023
University of Science and Technology of China (School of Management)	2021

## Conferences Organized

- 3rd Waterloo Student Conference in Statistics, Actuarial Science and Finance (Co-chair), 2022 (Waterloo, Canada)
- 2nd Waterloo Student Conference in Statistics, Actuarial Science and Finance (Co-chair), 2021 (Online)

## Invited Academic Presentations

- China Conference on Insurance and Risk Management, 2025 (Urumqi, China)
- 3rd Foundations and Applications of Decentralized Risk-Sharing, 2025 (Paris, France)
- Young Talents in Actuarial Science and Quantitative Finance Conference, 2025 (Waterloo, Canada)

- Pierre Robillard Invited Address, Statistical Society of Canada Annual Meeting, 2024 (St. John's, Canada)
  - Young Data Science Researcher Seminar Zurich, 2022 (Online)
  - INFORMS Annual Meeting, 2022 (Indianapolis, US)
  - Real Options Seminar, Osaka University, 2021 (Online)
  - SIAM Conference on Financial Mathematics and Engineering, 2021 (Online)
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## Contributed Academic Presentations

- 1st ASTIN Bulletin Conference, 2026 (Zurich, Switzerland)
  - 60th Actuarial Research Conference, 2025 (Toronto, Canada)
  - 59th Actuarial Research Conference, 2024 (Murfreesboro, US)
  - 27th International Congress of Insurance: Mathematics and Economics, 2024 (Chicago, US)
  - 57th Actuarial Research Conference, 2022 (Urbana-Champaign, US)
  - 25th International Congress on Insurance: Mathematics and Economics, 2021 (Online)
  - CORS/INFORMS International Conference, 2022 (Vancouver, Canada)
  - 56th Actuarial Research Conference, 2021 (Online)
  - 24th International Congress on Insurance: Mathematics and Economics, 2021 (Online)
  - 5th PKU-NUS Annual International Conference on Quantitative Finance and Economics, 2021 (Online)
  - 5th Asian Quantitative Finance Seminar, 2020 (Online)
  - 1st Waterloo Student Conference in Statistics, Actuarial Science and Finance, 2019 (Waterloo, Canada)
  - 23rd Annual International Real Options Conference, 2019 (London, UK)
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## Teaching Experience

- Courses at Georgia State University

RMI 8300 - Predictive Risk Modeling

Fall 2024, 2025

AS 3230/8230 - Financial Mathematics

Spring 2024, Fall 2024, 2025

- Instructor, University of Waterloo

ACTSC 371 - Introduction to Investment

Winter 2023

- Teaching Assistant, University of Waterloo

ACTSC 363 - Casualty and Health Insurance Mathematics 1	Fall 2022
ACTSC 964 - Quantitative Risk Management	Spring 2022
ACTSC 446/846 - Mathematics of Financial Markets	Winter 2022
ACTSC 431 - Casualty and Health Insurance Mathematics 2	Spring 2021
MATBUS 472 - Risk Management	Winter 2021 – 2022
ACTSC 431 - Loss Model I	Spring 2020
ACTSC 445/845 - Quantitative Enterprise Risk Management	Spring 2020
ACTSC 231 - Introductory Financial Mathematics	Winter 2020
MATBUS 471 - Fixed Income Securities	Fall 2019 – 2021, Winter 2020
MATBUS 470 - Derivatives	Fall 2019 – 2022, Winter 2021

- Teaching Assistant, Hong Kong University of Science and Technology

MATH 4321 - Game Theory	Spring 2018, 2019
MATH 4511 - Quantitative Methods for Fixed Income Derivatives	Fall 2018

## Peer-review Service

- Actuarial science journal(s): *ASTIN Bulletin, Insurance: Mathematics and Economics, Annals of Actuarial Science, North American Actuarial Journal*
- Mathematical finance journal(s): *Quantitative Finance, Mathematical Finance, Finance & Stochastics*
- Operations research journal(s): *Mathematics of Operations Research*
- Economics journal(s): *Economic Modelling*
- Probability journal(s): *Statistics & Probability Letters*

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