Ran Shi

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Appointments	University of Colorado Boulder	
	Assistant professor of finance	July 2022–
Education	London School of Economics	
	MRes. in finance (with distinction); Ph.D. in finance	2022
	Emory University	
	Ph.D. in biostatistics	2016
	Peking University	
	B.S. in biology and statistics (double major)	2011
Research Fields	Asset Pricing, International Finance, Financial Economics	
Publication	"The Spread of COVID-19 in London: Network Effects and Optimal Lockdowns," with <i>Christian Julliard</i> and <i>Kathy Yuan</i> , <i>Journal of Econometrics</i>	
Working Papers	"Forecasting Crashes with a Smile," with <i>Ian Martin</i> - Jack Treynor Prize	
	"Model Uncertainty in the Cross Section," with Jiantao Huang	
	"Convex Bounds on the SDF: Is the Singularity Near?" with Ian Martin	
	"Conditional Asset Pricing with Text-managed Portfolios" with <i>Jian Feng, Jiantao Huang</i> and <i>Shiyang Huang</i>	
	"A Quantitative Model of Limited Arbitrage in Currency Markets: Theotimation"	ory and Es-
Presentations	conferences and seminars:	
	AFA	2025
	Econometric Society European Meetings, SITE, UNSW Asset Pricing	2024
	University of Hong Kong (brown bag) SoFiF 2022 Appual Conference	2022

Econometric Society Asia Meetings, SFS Cavalcade, University of Colorado Boulder, Southern Methodist University, Tilburg University, Peking University HSBC Business School

discussions:

CFEA-Buffalo 2024, MFA 2023, EFA 2021

Awards and Grants

General Research Fund, the Hong Kong Research Grants Council

2023
Distinguished student paper award, International Biometric Society

2016
Student paper competition award on Bayesian statistical science, American Statistical Association

2015
Student paper competition award on statistics in imaging (declined), American Statistical Association

2015
Oak Ridge Institute of Science and Education fellowship

2014

Referencing

Economica, Financial Management, Journal of Corporate Fiance, Journal of Empirical Finance, Review of Finance Studies, Theoretical Economics

Teaching

Investment and Portfolio Management (undergraduate)

Spring 2023, Fall 2023, 2024 Empirical Asset Pricing (PhD)

Spring 2024

Other Positions

US Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

ORISE fellow statistician

2014