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RESEARCH INTERESTS Empirical Asset Pricing, Variance Risk, Financial Derivatives, Financial Econometrics

EMPLOYMENT

National University of Singapore, Singapore

Assistant Professor of Finance 2017-

EDUCATION

University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA

Ph.D. in Business Administration 2017 Finance and Business Economics Marshall School of Business

Committee Members: Christopher Jones, Juhani Linnainmaa, Scott Joslin, and Selale Tuzel

Stanford University, Stanford, CA

M.S., Statistics 2010

Yonsei University, Seoul, Korea

B.A., Applied Statistics; B.B.A., Business Administration 2008

FORTHCOMING PAPERS

Variance Risk in Aggregate Stock Returns and Time-Varying Return Predictability,

2018, Forthcoming, Journal of Financial Economics

Working Papers

Market and Non-Market Variance Risk in Individual Stock Returns

Implied Variance and Market Index Reversal

(with Christopher Jones and Tong Wang)

Conference/ Seminar

PRESENTATIONS

2017 Penn State Smeal College of Business

National University of Singapore $(\times 2)$

University of Hong Kong City University of Hong Kong Case Western Reserve Weatherhead

Texas A&M Young Scholars Finance Consortium

AFA Poster Session

Society of Financial Econometrics*

5th HEC-McGill Winter Finance Workshop*

Midwest Finance Association*

2016 USC Marshall School of Business

Midwest Finance Association Eastern Finance Association

USC-UCLA-UCI-Caltech Finance Day*

2015 USC Marshall School of Business

Australasian Finance and Banking Conference

(* Co-author Presentations)

Discussions 2017 Singapore Scholars Symposium

CAPM-based Company (Mis)valuations by Dessaint, Olivier, Otto, and Thesmar

2017 Eleventh Risk Management Conference

Center of Volume Mass: Does Aggregate Option Market Activity Predict Stock Returns? by Bernile,

Gao, and Hu

2016 Midwest Finance Association

Volatility Uncertainty, Time Decay and Option Bid-Ask Spreads in the Incomplete Market by Hsieh

and Jarrow

2016 Eastern Finance Association

Short-Sale Constraints and Option Trading: Evidence from Reg SHO by Chen, Chen and Chou

2015 Australasian Finance and Banking Conference

Procyclicality of the Correlation Between Dividend Growth and Consumption Growth by Xu

REFEREE ACTIVITY Journal of Business and Economic Statistics

TEACHING FIN 3118 Financial Risk Management (NUS, 2018)

EXPERIENCE BUAD 306 Business Finance (USC, 2015)

RESEARCH Christopher Jones (2014-2016), Scott Joslin (2015), Selale Tuzel (2012-2013),

Assistant Yasushi Hamao (2011-2012), and Arthur Korteweg (2009)

WORK Full-time:

EXPERIENCE Korea Investment & Securities, Risk Management, Seoul, Korea (2010 - 2011)

Internship:

Samsung Securities Co. Ltd (Equity Trading, 2008),

Morgan Stanley & Co. International (Debt Capital Markets, 2006), PwC Sam-il Accounting(2002)

CERTIFICATIONS International:

FRM Charterholder (GARP), CFA passed level 1

Korean:

FRM, Certified Securities Investment Advisor, Certified Derivatives Investment Advisor

COMPUTER SKILLS C/C++, HTML, Java, Matlab, Minitab, R, SAS, S+, SPSS, SQL, Stata, and VBA

ADDITIONAL Mandatory military service at Accounting and Finance Group,

INFORMATION Republic of Korea Air Forces (2004–2006)

Languages: English (fluent), Korean (native), and German (conversational, ZD/ZMP)