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RESEARCH INTERESTS	Empirical asset pricing, Derivatives, High-frequency data, Price efficiency, Mutual funds, AI/Machine Learning	
ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT	Xavier University , Assistant Professor of Finance Department of Finance Williams College of Business	2025-present
	Baruch College CUNY , Assistant Professor of Finance Zicklin School of Business	2018-2025
EDUCATION	Georgia Institute of Technology , Atlanta Scheller College of Business Ph.D. in Finance (2018), M.S. in Quantitative and Computational Finance (2012) Yonsei University , Seoul, South Korea M.S. in Economics (2010), B.S. in Mechanical Engineering and Business (2009)	
PUBLICATIONS	On the Efficiency Contributions of Analyst Recommendations to Financial Markets with Suzanne S. Lee (Georgia Tech) <i>Journal of Financial Markets</i> , (2025) 75, 100985	
WORKING PAPERS	Risk Perception and Corporate Financing Behaviors with Armen Hovakimian (Baruch College), Joonsung (Francis) Won (University of Virginia) <ul style="list-style-type: none">- <i>Revise & Resubmit</i>- <i>CICF (2023), FMA (2022), CFEA(2022), KAFA Brown Bag (2021), Baruch College (2021)</i> Market Returns Dormant in Options Panels with Yoosoon Chang (Indiana University), Soohun Kim (KAIST), and Joon Y. Park (Indiana University) <ul style="list-style-type: none">- <i>Under review</i>- <i>MFA (2025) NBER-NSF (2024), SoFiE (2024), FMA (2024), SETA (2022), FMA derivatives and volatility (2021), AKFA (2021), KAEA (2021), APAD (2020), Baruch College (2019)</i> Characteristics-based Risk Decomposition and Mispricing in High-frequency Return Panel with Suzanne S. Lee (Georgia Tech) and Soohun Kim (KAIST) <ul style="list-style-type: none">- <i>Under review</i>- <i>FMA (2025), SoFiE (2025), Eastern FA (2025), MFA (2025), SWFA (2025), Erasmus University Rotterdam (2024), University of College Dublin (2024)</i> Passive-Active Complementarity in Price Efficiency: Evidence from Russell Reconstitutions <ul style="list-style-type: none">- <i>Under review</i>- <i>CICF (2021), MFA (2020), FMA (2018), NFA (2018), Triple Crown Conference (2019), Baruch College (2020), Yeshiva University (2019)</i> Realized Skewness for Information Ambiguity with Suzanne S. Lee <ul style="list-style-type: none">- <i>FMA (2016), NFA (2016), MFA (2016)</i>	

WORK IN PROGRESS	Jump Prediction with Machine Learning Disentangling Variance Risk Premium Connectivity of Stock Market and the Cross-Section of Returns	
ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE	Xavier University - Business Finance, FINC 300 2025 Fall - present - Fundamentals of Finance, FINC 550 (Graduate) 2026 Spring - present Baruch College , the City University of New York - Advanced Corporate Finance, FIN 4610 (Undergraduate) 2016 - 2025 : Overall Evaluation 4.7/5.0 - Corporate Finance, FIN 9770 (Graduate) 2022 - 2025 : Overall Evaluation 4.7/5.0 Georgia Institute of Technology - Finance and Investment, MGT 3078 (Undergraduate) Fall 2016 : Overall Evaluation 4.7/5.0 - Investment, MGT 3076 (Undergraduate) Spring, Summer 2015 : Overall Evaluation 4.6/5.0	
UNIVERSITY SERVICES	Zicklin Graduate Curriculum Committee, Baruch College 2022 - 2025 Faculty Recruitment Committee, Baruch College 2019-2021 Ph.D. Recruitment Committee, Baruch College 2019-2000	
PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES	Ad-hoc Referee: Journal of Banking and Finance, Asia-Pacific Journal of Financial Studies, Advances in Econometrics Conference Committee: Conference on Asia-Pacific Financial Markets (2024) Membership: American Finance Association, Northern Finance Association, European Finance Association, Financial Management Association, Western Finance Association, Midwest Finance Association, Korean-American Finance Association, Southwestern Finance Association	
AWARDS AND HONORS	Downing Scholarship, Xavier University 2026 Spring - present Professional Staff Congress-CUNY Research Award 2019-2022 Doctoral Student Travel Grant, American Finance Association (AFA) 2016 Doctoral Student Travel Grant, Korea-America Finance Association (KAFA) 2016 Ph.D. Fellowship, Scheller College of Business, Georgia Institute of Technology 2012-2016	
INDUSTRY EXPERIENCE	Woori Investment and Securities Co. 2011-2012 Hedge Fund Investment Group <i>Associate Manager</i>	
COMPUTER SKILLS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Statistical Packages: SAS, Stata, R, Eview, and GAUSS • Languages: Matlab, Python, C/C++, VBA, and Latex 	
CITIZENSHIP	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • U.S. Permanent resident, South Korea citizen 	

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