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EDUCATION	<b>The University of Chicago Booth School of Business</b>	Chicago, IL
	▪ Ph.D. Candidate in Finance	Expected Jun 2024
	<b>Massachusetts Institute of Technology</b>	Cambridge, MA
	▪ B.S. in Economics and Mathematics	Feb 2016
EMPLOYMENT	<b>Federal Reserve Board of Governors</b>	Washington, DC
	▪ Research Assistant, Division of Financial Stability	Jun 2016 – May 2018
	▪ Student Intern, Division of Research & Statistics	Jun 2015 – Aug 2015
RESEARCH INTERESTS	Corporate Finance, Corporate Debt, Entrepreneurial Finance	
RESEARCH	<b>JOB MARKET PAPER</b> “Are Direct Lenders More Like Banks or Arm’s-Length Investors?”	
	<b>PUBLICATIONS</b> “A Survey of Private Debt Funds” with Joern Block, Steven Kaplan, and Anna Schulze, <i>The Review of Corporate Finance Studies</i> , Forthcoming.	
	<b>WORKING PAPERS</b> “Private Equity and Corporate Borrowing Constraints: Evidence from Loan Level Data” with Sharjil Haque and Simon Mayer  “Venture Capital Start-up Selection” with Steven Kaplan	
	<b>WORK IN PROGRESS</b> “Direct lenders and banks: A symbiotic relationship” with Sharjil Haque  “Pandemic renegotiations” with Martin Kornejew	
SEMINARS AND CONFERENCES	2023: Chicago Area Entrepreneurship Workshop; Chicago Booth; Erasmus Corporate Governance Conference*; European Finance Association*; Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago (scheduled); Federal Reserve Bank of Philadelphia; FMA (panelist); Federal Reserve Board*; Financial Restructuring Roundtable; Mitsui Finance Symposium, Michigan Ross*; Private Equity Research Consortium, Oxford; Private Equity Research Consortium, UNC*; SKEMA Corporate Restructuring Conference*; Wharton-Harvard Insolvency and Restructuring Conference  2022: Chicago Booth; Federal Reserve Board*; HEC Paris Entrepreneurship Workshop (discussant); Private Equity Research Consortium, UNC*  2021: Chicago Booth; Corporate Restructuring & Insolvency Seminar  2020: Chicago Booth; AFA*	
REVIEW PAPERS	“Middle-Market Buyouts” (with Edoardo Marchesi), Palgrave Encyclopedia of Private Equity, 2023	

“Capital Structure in Private Equity” (with Simon Mayer), Palgrave Encyclopedia of Private Equity, 2023

## CASES

“BacklotCars” (with Steven Kaplan and Jeremy Ng), 2019

## HONORS & AWARDS

- Eugene F. Fama PhD Fellowship, 2023
- Financial Restructuring Roundtable Call for Paper Winner, 2023
- John and Serena Liew Fellowship, 2022
- Liew Fama-Miller Fellowship (for best second year paper), 2020
- CRSP Summer Research Grant, 2019
- Booth Doctoral Fellowship, Chicago Booth, 2018

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

### University of Chicago Booth School of Business

Chicago, IL

- Distressed Debt Investing (MBA) – TA for Amir Sufi 2023
- Debt, Distress, and Restructuring (MBA) – TA for Amir Sufi 2021-2023
- Entrepreneurial Finance and Private Equity (MBA) – TA for Steven N. Kaplan 2019-2022

## REFERENCES

- Professor Steven N. Kaplan (*Co-chair*)  
University of Chicago Booth School of Business  
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- Professor Amir Sufi (*Co-chair*)  
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## PERSONAL

Citizenship: USA  
Languages: English (fluent), Korean (native)  
Hobbies: Soccer, Golf

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