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ACADEMIC POSITIONS

Norwegian School of Economics (NHH)	Bergen, Norway
Associate Professor of Finance	Feb. 2019 – Present
Assistant Professor of Finance	Jul. 2017 – Jan. 2019
Norges Bank Investment Management Junior Professorship	Jul. 2017 – Present
Tulane University	New Orleans, LA
Visiting Assistant Professor of Finance	2015 – 2017
Higher School of Economics	Moscow, Russia
Assistant Professor of Finance (ICEF)	2014 – 2015
Assistant Professor of Economics	2014 – 2015

EDUCATION

The University of Iowa	Iowa City, IA
Ph.D. in Finance (Minor in Statistics)	May 2014
The University of Iowa	Iowa City, IA
Ph.D. Candidate in Mathematics	Aug. 2007 – May 2008
The University of Iowa	Iowa City, IA
B.S. in Mathematics, <i>Special Honors with Distinction</i>	Jul. 2007

RESEARCH & TEACHING INTERESTS

Corporate Finance, Mergers and Acquisitions, International Finance, Innovation, Entrepreneurship

PUBLICATIONS

1. “Human Capital Relatedness and Mergers and Acquisitions” (with David Mauer and Emma Xu), *Journal of Financial Economics* 129(1), 111-135, 2018
2. “Cross-border Mergers and Acquisitions amid Political Uncertainty: A Bargaining Perspective” (sole-authored), *Strategic Management Journal* 39(11), 2992-3005, 2018
3. “Dividend Stickiness, Debt Covenants, and Earnings Management” (with Jaewoo Kim and Erik Lie), *Contemporary Accounting Research* 34(4), 2022-2050, 2017

WORKING PAPERS

1. “Local Employment Opportunities and Corporate Retention Policies” (with Kose John, Karin Thorburn, and Emma Xu)
Presented at AFA 2020 San Diego, CAFM 2019 Seoul, Kyiv School of Economics
2. “Local Employment Opportunities and Corporate Innovation” (with Jason Jiang, Kose John, and Emma Xu)
Presented at AEA 2021 (scheduled), FMA 2020, CFEA 2019 NYU, HSE ICEF

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

NHH (Course Instructor)

- Entrepreneurial Finance (FIE 457), *newly-created* master level course
 - Fall 2020, Fall 2019, Fall 2018, Spring 2018
- Valuation (FIE 437), master level

Tulane University (Course Instructor)

- Valuation and Financing Enterprises (FINE 7600), MBA level
 - Fall 2016, 15 students, average evaluation: 6.0/7.0
 - Fall 2015, 17 students, average evaluation: 6.0/7.0
- Cases in Valuation and Financing (FINE 4600), undergraduate level
 - Spring 2017, 36 students: 6.5/7.0
 - Fall 2016, 55 students, average evaluation: 6.0/7.0
 - Spring 2016, 25 students, average evaluation: 6.1/7.0
 - Fall 2015, 55 students, average evaluation: 5.8/7.0

Higher School of Economics (Course Instructor)

- Financial Economics II (Corporate Finance), master level
- Taught in academic cooperation with *The London School of Economics and Political Science*
Fall 2014, 40 students

The University of Iowa (Course Instructor)

- Introduction to Financial Management (06F:100), undergraduate level
 - Summer 2011, 43 students, average evaluation: 5.31/6.0
 - Fall 2011, 49 students, average evaluation: 5.64/6.0
 - Spring 2012, 62 students, average evaluation: 5.66/6.0
 - Summer 2012, 44 students, average evaluation: 5.26/6.0

ACADEMIC PRESENTATIONS*

- 2021: American Economic Association (AEA) Annual Meeting (scheduled)
- 2020: American Finance Association (AFA) Annual Meeting at San Diego*, Financial Management Association Annual Meeting (scheduled)
- 2019: Annual Conference on Financial Economics and Accounting (CFEA) at NYU*, Nordic Initiative for Corporate Economics (NICE) Conference*, Center for Corporate Finance Conference at Bergen, Kyiv School of Economics, Asian Conference of Econometric Society*, Midwest Finance Association Annual Meeting at Chicago*
- 2018: Nordic Finance Network Workshop, European Accounting Association Annual Congress at Milan, NHH
- 2017: Tilburg University*, Erasmus University*, Aarhus University, NHH

2016: Aalto University, ESADE Business School, NEOMA Business School, Colorado State University, University of Tampa, HSE ICEF at Moscow, University of Texas at El Paso*

2015: University of South Carolina

2014: Financial Management Association Annual Meeting (Discussant), International Conference in Financial Economics at Moscow, University of Akron, Higher School of Economics

2013: Financial Management Association Annual Meeting (Discussant), FMA Doctoral Student Consortium, University of Iowa, University of New Hampshire, Iowa State University, California State University at Fullerton

2012: ESRC Conference in Exeter

*including coauthors

AWARDS & RECOGNITIONS

- Norges Bank Investment Management Junior Professorship, 2017 – Present
- Norges Bank Investment Management Publication Award (JFE 2018)
- NHH Publication Award (JFE 2018, SMJ 2018, CAR 2017)
- Finans Bergen Publication Award (JFE 2018, SMJ 2018, CAR 2017)
- FMA Doctoral Student Consortium, Chicago, 2013
- Ponder Fellowship, University of Iowa, 2008 – 2013
- American Finance Association Travel Grant, 2012
- Lowden Prize in Mathematics, University of Iowa, 2007

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITY

- External Reviewer
 - The Research Grants Council (RGC) of Hong Kong 2020
- Program Committee
 - Financial Management Association Annual Meetings 2018, 2020
- Ad Hoc Referee
 - Journal of Corporate Finance, Journal of Empirical Finance, International Finance, International Review of Finance, Journal of Financial Research, International Review of Law and Economics
- Norwegian School of Economics (NHH)
 - Finance Seminar Organizer (Regular and Brown Bag) 2018 – 2020
 - Finance Faculty Recruiting Committee 2018

PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATION

The Society of Actuaries, Passed levels P and FM examinations

SKILLS

Computer: Python, SQL, SAS, Stata, R, Matlab, SPSS, Office

Language: English (fluent), Korean (native), Norwegian (beginner)