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Education

University of South Carolina 2012-2017
Ph.D. in Finance

Professional Experience

Assistant Professor of Finance 2017-Present
University of Texas at El Paso

Deputy Manager 2012
Actuarial Specialist 2009-2012
Senior Staff 2006-2008
Cathay Life Insurance Co., Ltd., (Taipei, Taiwan)

Professional Organization

Fellow of the Society of Actuaries (FSA) 2011-Present

Research Interests

Risk Management and Insurance, Financial Markets and Institutions, Law and Finance

Publications

- 1) “Does Having an Affiliated Bank Improve Life Insurer Performance in a Turbulent Market?”
Journal of Risk and Insurance, 87.3 (2020): 627-664
- 2) “Correlated Trading by Life Insurers and its Impact on Bond Prices,” (with Greg Niehaus),
Journal of Risk and Insurance, 87.3 (2020): 597-625.
- 3) “U.S. life insurers’ responses to the financial crisis: a review of the research,” (with Greg
Niehaus), Journal of Financial Perspectives 4 (2017), 107-120.

Teaching Experience

Instructor, Business Finance (undergraduate), UTEP, 2017-2020

Instructor, Actuarial Finance I & II (undergraduate), UTEP, 2018-Present

Instructor, Principle of Insurance (undergraduate), UTEP, 2019-Present

Instructor, Investment Analysis and Portfolio Management (undergraduate), University of South
Carolina, Summer 2013, 2014, 2015 and 2016

Research Presentations * presented by coauthor

- American Risk and Insurance Association Annual Meeting (ARIA) 2016, 2018
- Conference on the Theories and Practices of Securities and Financial Markets
- Financial Management Association (FMA) Doctoral Student Consortium 2016
- Financial Management Association Annual Meeting (FMA) 2016
- Fixed Income and Financial Institutions Conference, University of South Carolina, 2016
- Munich Risk and Insurance Center, LMU, 2017*
- National Central University, 2016
- National Taiwan University, 2016
- National Tsing Hua University, 2016
- Southern Finance Association (SFA) Annual Meeting 2015
- Southwestern Finance Association Annual Meeting (SWFA) 2016
- Temple University Seminar (Risk Management and Insurance Department) 2015*, 2018*
- University of Georgia, PHD student symposium (RMI), 2017
- University of North Carolina Charlotte, 2016*
- University of South Carolina 2014, 2015*, 2018*
- University of Texas at El Paso, 2016
- World Risk and Insurance Economics Congress (WRIEC) 2015, 2020

Fellowships and Honors

- Outstanding Research Award – Finance, UTEP 2019
- Presidential Fellowship, The Graduate School of the University of South Carolina,
2012 – 2016
- The University of South Carolina Graduate Assistantship 2012 – 2017
- Support to Promote Advancement of Research and Creativity (SPARC) Graduate
Research Grant, University of South Carolina 2016
- Hagen Family Foundation Travel Award 2015
- Graduate Student Travel Grant, University of South Carolina 2015
- Performance Above and Beyond Award, University of South Carolina 2015, 2016

Professional Service

Referee

- Journal of Risk and Insurance 2017
- Journal of Banking and Finance 2017, 2020

Membership in Professional Organizations

SOA University Support Actuary

2017-Present

Discussant

- Southern Finance Association (SFA) Annual Meeting 2015
- Conference on the Theories and Practices of Securities and Financial Markets 2015
- Southwestern Finance Association Annual Meeting (SWFA) 2016
- Midwest Finance Association (MFA) 2016
- American Risk and Insurance Association Annual Meeting (ARIA) 2016, 2019
- World Risk and Insurance Economics Congress (WRIEC) 2020

Session Chair: Midwest Finance Association (MFA) 2016