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ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT

BI Norwegian Business School
Assistant Professor of Finance

Oslo, Norway
August 2017-

EDUCATION

The University of Texas at Austin – McCombs School of Business
PhD in Finance
MS in Finance

Austin, TX
May 2017
2013

Swarthmore College
BA in Economics

Swarthmore, PA
2008

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Corporate Finance, Capital Structure, Entrepreneurship, Search Models, Empirical Methods

Publications

Asset Life, Leverage, and Debt Maturity Matching (with Thomas Geelen, Jakub Hajda, and Erwan Morellec) – Accepted – Journal of Financial Economics

Non-pecuniary Benefits: Evidence from the Location of Private Company Sales (with Mark Jansen) – Accepted – Review of Corporate Finance Studies

WORKING PAPERS

Collateral Damage: Low-Income Borrowers Depend on Income Based Lending (with Mark Garmaise and Mark Jansen)

Economic Magnitudes within Reason (with Zack Liu)

Adverse Selection, Capital Supply, and Venture Capital Allocation

A Signaling Theory of Derivatives-Based Hedging (with Fernando Anjos)

What Does the Rise of Working-From-Home Stocks Tell About Long-term Valuation? (with Zack Liu and Miao Ben Zhang)

WORKS IN PROGRESS

Predation Incentives and Human Capital Allocation (with Zack Liu)

Machine Learning in Differences-in-Differences Analyses (with Alejandro Lopez-Lira)

ACADEMIC PRESENTATIONS

2024: IBEFA Meeting at ASSA*, American Finance Association*, Jackson Hole Finance Conference
2023: European Winter Finance Summit*, SFS North American Cavalcade*, 8th SDU Finance Workshop*, Philadelphia Federal Reserve 5th Auto Finance Conference*, WEAI Summer Conference*, European Finance Association*, NOVA SBE, 12th Tel Aviv Finance Conference*[†]
2022: NFN Virtual Seminar, Finance Theory Group Spring Meeting*, DFI Research Fellow Retreat*, French Finance Association Meetings*, NICE Conference, LBS Summer Symposium*, Northern Finance Association*, Junior European Finance Conference, ESSEC-Cergy, UT Dallas Fall Finance Conference*, 3rd CEAR-RSI Household Finance Workshop, Santiago Finance Workshop, Workshop on Horizon Risks and Corporate Policies*, Paris December Finance Meeting
2021: NICE Conference, Copenhagen Business School*
2020: NFN Virtual Seminar, University of Houston*
2019: BI Norwegian Business School Research Days, BI-Simula Seminar
2018: SFS North American Cavalcade, 2nd Private Markets Research Conference, FMA Meeting, NFN Young Scholars Workshop
2017: Carnegie Mellon (Tepper), Pennsylvania State University (Smeal), University of Minnesota (Carlson), University of Melbourne, BI Norwegian Business School, Paris Financial Management Conference, Paris December Finance Meeting
2016: University of Texas at Austin (McCombs), NOVA SBE*
2015: Midwest Finance Association, Southwest Finance Association, Eastern Finance Association*
* Presented by co-author, † Scheduled

ACADEMIC DISCUSSIONS/SERVICE

2024: Finance Down Under Conference*[†]
2023: 4th BI Conference on Corporate Governance*, European Finance Association*, European Finance Association Doctoral Consortium*
2022: SKEMA-ESSEC Finance Workshop*, BI Finance Seminar Series (Organizer), Paris December Finance Meeting*
2021: NFN Virtual Seminar*, NFN Young Scholars Workshop*, Northern Finance Association (Program Committee), Eastern Finance Association (Program Committee), BI Finance Seminar Series (Organizer)
2020: NFN PhD Workshop*, Northern Finance Association (Program Committee), BI Finance Department Recruiting Committee, BI Finance Seminar Series (Organizer)
2019: NFN Young Scholars Workshop*, 11th Nordic Corporate Governance Network Conference*, 3rd BI Conference on Corporate Governance (Organizer)*, Northern Finance Association (Program Committee), BI Finance Department Recruiting Committee, BI Finance Seminar Series (Organizer)
2018: Texas Finance Alumni Conference*, Swiss Society for Financial Market Research Conference* (Session Chair), FMA Meeting*^{×2}, Northern Finance Association (Program Committee)
2017: Paris Financial Management Conference*, Paris December Finance Meeting*
2015: Midwest Finance Association*, Southwest Finance Association*
† Scheduled, * Discussant

Ad-Hoc Referee:

Review of Financial Studies, Management Science, Journal of Corporate Finance, Financial Innovation

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Instructor:

BI Norwegian Business School:

- Corporate and Financial Risk Management (Bachelors Course) - (Avg 4.6/5 Rating) - Spring 2019-2021
- Financial Risk Management (Masters Course) - (Avg 4.7/5 Rating) - Spring 2018-2023
- Awarded Best Graduate Course Instructor - BI Finance Department

University of Texas at Austin - McCombs School of Business:

- Investment Management (Undergraduate Course) - Summer 2014

Representative Masters Thesis Supervision:

E. McDougal & S. Trajchevska - Predicting Private Equity Investment Decisions with Machine Learning
F. Brekmo & J. Agramonte - Factor Model Estimation for IPO Initial Returns in Developed Equity Markets
S. Solhaug & O. Vennerod - Comovement in the Norwegian Stock Market
J. Melhund & L. van Heesch - Foreign versus domestic buy-outs: Evidence from Returns of Private Equity
M. Litschi & A. Skytte - To Build or to Buy? The Decisions of a Tanker Fleet Manager
S. Amundsen & L. Eikeri - Volatility Spillover in the Cryptocurrency market

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

The Brattle Group *Washington, D.C*

Research Analyst

2008-2010

Senior Analyst

2010-2011

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

The Effects of Firm Ownership Structure on Firm Performance: A Labor Market Channel – Center for Corporate Governance Research Grant (250,000 NOK)

Using Machine Learning to Evaluate and Improve Difference-in-Difference Analyses in Corporate Governance Research – Center for Corporate Governance Research Grant (300,000 NOK)

Best Paper – French Finance Association Meeting, 2022

National Bureau of Economic Research – Entrepreneurship Research Bootcamp Participant, 2016

Best Corporate Finance Paper (Doctoral) – Southwest Finance Association Conference, 2015

Computing Skills: Stata, Python, Mathematica, MATLAB, Bloomberg

Language: English (Native), Norwegian (Intermediate - B1)

Citizenship: United States (Citizen), Norwegian (Residency)

REFERENCES

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