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# **EXPERIENCE**

| 2017 – now  | Chinese University of Hong Kong<br>Wei-Lun Endowed Chair Professor of Business AI (2024-now)<br>Associate Dean of Innovation and Impact (2018-2021)<br>Professor (2017-now)  |
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| 2022-2023   | Tsinghua University (visiting with academic leave) National Cheung-Kong Chair Professor Irwin and Joan Jacobs Endowed Chair Professor Associate Dean of Shenzhen Institute of Economics and Management Associate Dean of SIGS Institute of Innovation and Management |
| 2006 – 2017 | Hong Kong University of Science and Technology<br>Associate Professor of Information Systems (2012-2017)<br>Assistant Professor of Information Systems (2006-2012)   |
| 2023 – now  | MIS Quarterly Senior Editor  |
| 2011 – 2022 | Information Systems Research Senior Editor (2017-2022) Associate Editor (2011-2016)  |
| 2015 – 2020 | Management Science Associate Editor  |
| 2012 – 2020 | Cyberport Entrepreneurship Centre, Hong Kong<br>Advisory Board Member  |
| 2002 – now  | SSRN eBUSINESS & eCOMMERCE eJOURNAL<br>Managing Editor   |
| 1999 – 2000 | Dayang Image, Co., Ltd. International Marketing Manager  |
| 1998 – 1999 | China United Holdings<br>Investment Banking Consultant   |

# **EDUCATION**

Massachusetts Institute of Technology, 2006

Ph.D., Management,

Dissertation: Tapping into the Pulse of the Market – Essays on Marketing

Implications of Information Flows

Advisor: Erik Brynjolfsson

Committee: John Little, Chris Dellarocas

Tsinghua University, 1999

MSc, Management,

Dissertation: An Empirical Study of National Innovation Systems

Advisors: Guisheng Wu, Christian DeBresson

Tsinghua University, 1996

B.A., English,

B.E., Computer Science

#### **RESEARCH INTERESTS**

- <u>IT in Financial Markets</u>: AI's application, insider trading, financial uncertainty, social media's impact on the financial market, quantitative investing;
- Online Advertising: online word-of-mouth; search engine auctions;
- Economics of Data: big data, business analytics, business intelligence, incentives and biases, information environment for managers/investors, social media and social networks, economics of AI;
- <u>Digital Products</u>: pricing; innovation incentives.

#### **BOOKS**

- 1. Navigating the Factor Zoo: The Science of Quantitative Investing, Routledge, 2024. (ISBN 9781032768410)
- 2. 《数字跃迁: 数字化变革的战略和战术》(Digital Quantum Leap: Strategies and Tactics for Organizational Transformation), 2021. (ISBN: 9787111659600)
- 3. 《數位躍升力:建立敏捷組織與商業創新的數位新戰略》, 2021. (ISBN: 9789571382289)

## **PUBLICATIONS**

- 1. Hongqiao Chen, Ying-ju Chen, Yang Li, Xiaoquan (Michael) Zhang, and Sean X. Zhou, "Digital Goods Reselling: Implications on Cannibalization and Price Discrimination" *Production and Operations Management*, forthcoming.
- 2. Xiaoquan (Michael) Zhang, Dapeng Xu, Hong Hong, Kalok Chan, "Attention or Sentiment: How Social Media React to ESG?" *Information Systems Research*, forthcoming.
- 3. Miaozhe Han, Hongchuan Shen, Jing Wu, Xiaoquan (Michael) Zhang, "Artificial Intelligence and Firm Resilience: Evidence from Firm Performance under Disaster Shocks," *Information Systems Research*, forthcoming.

- 4. Dapeng Xu, Hong Hong, Lingfei Deng, and Xiaoquan (Michael) Zhang, "Crowdfunding Success Factors: A Meta-Analytic Investigation," *Information Systems Research*, forthcoming.
- 5. Tao Lu, Lihong Zhang, Xiaoquan (Michael) Zhang, Zhenling Zhao, "Beyond Risk: A Measure of Distribution Uncertainty" *Information Systems Research*, forthcoming.
- 6. Bingjie Qian, Tat-Koon Koh, and Xiaoquan (Michael) Zhang, "Effect of Virtual Identity Disclosure on Users' Giving 'Likes' in Community-Based Platforms: A Natural Experiment." *Information Systems Research*, forthcoming.
- 7. Jialu Liu, Siqi Pei, and Xiaoquan (Michael) Zhang, "Indirect Value of Public Infrastructure Technology," *Management Science*, forthcoming.
- 8. Yue Feng, Xianghua Lu, and Xiaoquan (Michael) Zhang, "Mutual Disclosures and Content Intimacy in User Engagement: Evidence from an Online Chat Group," *MIS Quarterly*, forthcoming.
- 9. Tianyi Li and Xiaoquan (Michael) Zhang, "Development Trajectory of Blockchain Platforms: the Role of Multi-Role," *Information Systems Research*, forthcoming.
- 10. Hongchuan Shen, Ivy Dang, and Xiaoquan (Michael) Zhang, "Mr. Right or Mr. Best: The Role of Information under Preference Mismatch in Online Dating," *Information Systems Research*, forthcoming.
- 11. Lihong Zhang and Xiaoquan (Michael) Zhang, "Mispricing and Algorithm Trading," *Information Systems Research*, forthcoming.
- 12. Jialu Liu, Siqi Pei, and Xiaoquan (Michael) Zhang, "Online Food Delivery Platforms and Female Labor Force Participation," *Information Systems Research*, forthcoming.
- 13. Dapeng Xu, Hong Hong, Xiaoquan (Michael) Zhang, and Qiang Ye, "Why Is the Grass Always Greener on the Other Side? Tourist Bias in Online Restaurant Ratings," *Information Systems Research*, forthcoming.
- 14. Xiaoyang Li, Yang Shi, Maggie Hu, and Xiaoquan (Michael) Zhang, "Numerological Heuristics and Credit Risk in P2P Lending," *Information Systems Research*, 34(4), 2023, 1744-1760.
- 15. Jiaqi Zhou, Qingpeng Zhang, Sijia Zhou, Xin Li, and Xiaoquan (Michael) Zhang, "Unintended Emotional Effects of Online Health Communities: A Text Mining-Supported Empirical Study," *MIS Quarterly*, 47(1), 2023, 195-266.
- 16. Tao Lu, May Yuan, Alex Wang, and Xiaoquan (Michael) Zhang, "Histogram Distortion Bias in Consumer Choices," *Management Science*, 68(12), 2022, 8963-8978.
- 17. Keongtae Kim, Jooyoung Park, Yang Pan, Kunpeng Zhang, and Xiaoquan (Michael) Zhang, "Risk Disclosure in Crowdfunding," *Information Systems Research*, 33(3), 2022, 1023-1041.
- 18. Erik Brynjolfsson, Alex Wang, and Xiaoquan (Michael) Zhang, "The Economics of IT and Digitization: Eight Questions for Research," *MIS Quarterly*, 45(1), 2021, 473-477.

- 19. Terrence Hendershott, Xiaoquan (Michael) Zhang, Leon Zhao, and Eric Zheng, "FinTech as a Game Changer: Overview of Research Frontiers" *Information Systems Research*, 32(1), 2021, 1-17.
- 20. Michael Kummer, Olga Slivkó, and Xiaoquan (Michael) Zhang, "Unemployment and Digital Public Goods Contribution" *Information Systems Research*, 31(3), 2020, 801-819.
- 21. Monic Sun, Xiaoquan (Michael) Zhang, and Feng Zhu, "U-Shaped Conformity" *Marketing Science*, 38(3), 2019, 461-480.
- 22. Xin Li, Juan Feng, and Xiaoquan (Michael) Zhang, "Online Product Reviews-Triggered Dynamic Pricing: Theory and Evidence" *Information Systems Research*, 30(4), 2019, 1107-1123.
- 23. Alex Wang, Xiaoquan (Michael) Zhang, and Il-Horn Hann, "Socially Nudged: A Quasi-Experimental Study of Friends' Social Influence in Online Product Ratings," *Information Systems Research*, 29(3), 2018, 641-655.
- 24. Xiaomeng Du, Meng Su, Xiaoquan (Michael) Zhang, and Xiaona Zheng, "Bidding for Multiple Keywords in Sponsored Search Advertising: Keyword Categories and Match Types" *Information Systems Research*, 28(4), Dec 2017, 711-722.
- 25. Xiaoquan (Michael) Zhang and Lihong Zhang, "How Does the Internet Affect the Financial Market? An Equilibrium Model of Internet Facilitated Feedback Trading," *MIS Quarterly*, 39(1), 2015, 17-38.
- 26. Xin Xu and Xiaoquan (Michael) Zhang, "Impact of Wikipedia on Market Information Environment: Evidence on Management Disclosure and Investor Reaction," *MIS Quarterly*, 37(4), 2013, 1043-1068.

  (MISQ Paper of the Year Award)
- 27. Xiaoquan (Michael) Zhang and Juan Feng "Cyclical Bid Adjustments in Search-Engine Advertising," *Management Science*, 59(7), September 2011, 1703-1719.
- 28. Xiaoquan (Michael) Zhang and Feng Zhu, "Group Size and Incentives to Contribute: A Natural Experiment at Chinese Wikipedia," *American Economic Review*, 101(4), June 2011, 1601-1615.
- 29. Feng Zhu and Xiaoquan (Michael) Zhang "Impact of Online Consumer Reviews on Sales: The Moderating Role of Product and Consumer Characteristics," *Journal of Marketing*, 74(2), March 2010, 133-148.
- 30. Edward Malthouse, Michael Haenlein, Bernd Skiera, Egbert Wege, and Xiaoquan (Michael) Zhang, "Managing Customer Relationships in the Social Media Era: Introducing the Social CRM House," *Journal of Interactive Marketing*, 27(4), November 2013, 270-280.
- 31. Xiaoquan (Michael) Zhang and Alex Wang, "Network Positions and Contributions to Online Public Goods: The Case of Chinese Wikipedia," *Journal of Management Information Systems*, 29(2), Fall 2012, 11-40.
- 32. Alex Wang and Xiaoquan (Michael) Zhang "Sampling of Information Goods," *Decision Support Systems*, 48(1), December 2009, 14-22.
- 33. Chris Dellarocas, Xiaoquan (Michael) Zhang, and Neveen Awad, "Exploring the Value of Online Product Reviews in Forecasting Sales: The Case of Motion

Pictures" *Journal of Interactive Marketing*, 21 (4), December 2007, 2-20. (Journal of Interactive Marketing 2008 Best Paper Award)

34. Erik Brynjolfsson and Xiaoquan (Michael) Zhang, "Innovation Incentives for Information Goods," (with Erik Brynjolfsson). *Innovation Policy and the Economy* eds. Adam B. Jaffe, Josh Lerner and Scott Stern, *NBER*, 2007 vol. 7, 99-121.

## **PATENTS**

张晓泉, 2021, "支付信息费用的方法和系统", 国家知识产权局专利号: 201811070544.X。

Zhang, X. and Mo, G., 2015, "Method and System for Using a Point System to Deliver Advertisement Emails and to Stop Spam," United States Patents and Trademarks Office, Number: 10/707,694.

## **HONORS & AWARDS**

Keynote Speaker, Goldman Sachs Uncorrelated Strategies Forum, 2024

Keynote Speaker, International Conference on Smart Finance, 2024.

Keynote Speaker, Shenzhen Bay Club, 2024.

Keynote Speaker, UBS Quant Conference, 2023.

Keynote Speaker, Morgan Stanley MSQA Asia Investment Forum, 2023.

Tsinghua Research Award, 2023.

Tsinghua EMBA Teaching Award, 2023.

Best Paper Award, China Summer Workshop on Information Management, 2022

Keynote Speaker, Asia-Pacific Credit Outlook 2022 Conference.

Keynote Speaker, China Digital Industry Summit, 2021.

CUHK Teaching Merit Award, 2021, 2020, 2019

Best Paper Award, Workshop on Information Systems and Economics (WISE), 2020

Keynote Speaker, International Conference on Smart Finance, 2020.

Keynote Speaker, Taiwan CIO Summit, 2020.

Keynote Speaker, Microsoft-Tsinghua AI Summit, 2019.

Keynote Speaker, Taiwan CIO Value Institute, 2019.

Keynote Speaker, 20th ZEW Summer Workshop for Young Economists:

Digitized Economy and Novel Research Methods, 2018.

Keynote Speaker, Asia Pacific Quant Conference, 2017.

Keynote Speaker, Global Artificial Intelligence and Robotics Summit, 2017.

Service Award, Information Systems Research, 2016.

Keynote Speaker, The 14th International Symposium on Financial System

Engineering and Risk Management, 2016

Associate Editor of the Year, Information Systems Research, 2015

Paper of the Year, MIS Quarterly, 2014

Franklin Prize of Teaching Excellence, Finalist, 2013

NET Institute Summer Research Support, 2012

Keynote Speaker, International Conference on E-Commerce, 2012

Franklin Prize of Teaching Excellence, First Runner-up, 2012

Wei Lun Fellow, College of Fellows of HKUST, 2010-2017

Franklin Prize of Teaching Excellence, 2009

Best Paper Nominee, ICIS, 2009

Best Paper Award, *Journal of Interactive Marketing*, 2009 NET Institute Summer Research Support, 2007 SAS Fellowship on Consumer Sentiments and Market Value, 2006 4<sup>th</sup> Annual PSU-SAP Doctoral Award, 2004 Sloan Fellowship, Wilson Fellowship, Peterson Fellowship, 2000-2006

#### **GRANTS**

National Science Foundation of China – "Volatility Ambiguity, Pricing Kernel and Option Pricing" (#7247030852, Co-I, 2025-2028), RMB 580,000.

Hong Kong Research Grant Council – "Wisdom of Crowds Based on Content Consumption" (GRF 14504524, PI, 2024/25), HK\$625,000.

Hong Kong Research Grant Council – "Seeking Alpha or Seeking Noise? Attention Bias in Online Investment Communities" (GRF 14500521, PI, 2021/22), HK\$470,000.

Hong Kong Research Grant Council – "Labor Skills on Firm Performance: A Study from Unstructured Online Job Postings" (GRF 165052947, Co-I, 2021/22), HK\$406,000.

Hong Kong Research Grant Council – "Locals vs. Tourists: Differential Word-of-Mouth Effect" (GRF 14501320, PI, 2020/21), HK\$843,000.

Hong Kong Research Grant Council – "Private Provision of Online Public Goods" (GRF 14503818, PI, 2018/19), HK\$800,000.

Hong Kong Research Grant Council – "Contributing to the Development of Hong Kong into a Global Fintech Hub" (Theme Based Research, TRS:T31-604/18-N, Co-I, 2018/19), HK\$32,000,000.

Sino-Swiss Science and Technology Cooperation Program – "Research-Innovation Community for Big Data Research in Science, Engineering and Management" (Co-I, 2015 – 2017).

Hong Kong Research Grant Council – "Influence Structure in Online Social Networks" (GRF 11504815, Co-I, 2015/16).

HKUST – "A Dynamic Pricing System for E-Commerce" (PCF.010.13/14), HK\$120,000.

Hong Kong Research Grant Council – "Showrooming" (GRF 16504614, PI, 2014/15), HK\$800,000.

NET Institute – "To Belong or to Be Different? A Large-Scale Field Experiment in a Chinese Social Network" (#12-15, 2012), US\$7,500.

Hong Kong Research Grant Council – "Do Social Media Reduce Information Asymmetry in Capital Markets?" (GRF 694213, PI, 2013/15), HK\$492,800.

Hong Kong Research Grant Council – "The Wrong Tail – Does Endless Choice Create Unlimited Demand?" (GRF 647311, PI, 2011/12), HK\$330,065.

Hong Kong Research Grant Council – "Is There Value in Serendipity? An Investigation of Conference Calls." (GRF 644511, Co-I, 2011/12), HK\$457,844.

Hong Kong Research Grant Council – "Online Social Networks and User Participation Behavior in Virtual Communities" (GRF 645211, Co-I, 2011/12), HK\$827,066.

HKUST – "The Wrong Tail: Does Endless Choice Create Unlimited Demand" (DAG11BM02S, PI, 2011/12), HK\$17,682.

National Science Foundation of China – "Social Media and Information Environment of the Financial Market" (#71001056, Co-I, 2011/13), RMB 177,000.

Hong Kong Research Grant Council – "Behavioral Conformity in Online Social Networks" (RPC11BM12, PI, 2011/12), HK\$203,000.

Hong Kong Research Grant Council – "The Wrong Tail: Does Endless Choice Create Unlimited Demand" (RPC10BM15, PI, 2010/11), HK\$140,000.

HKUST – "Information Transparency and Management Disclosure" (DAG S09/10.BM03, PI, 2009/10), HK\$55,000.

HKUST – "Harnessing the Power of the Crowd through Social Dynamics" (DAG\_S09/10.BM11, PI, 2009/10), HK\$35,751.

Hong Kong Research Grant Council – "Reversible Preferences? A Study of How Privacy May Bias Consumer Choice" (GRF 642709, Co-I, 2009/10), HK\$386,400.

Hong Kong Research Grant Council – "On the Impact of Information Technology in Financial Markets" (RPC07/08.BM16, PI, 2007/08), HK\$149,840.

HKUST – "Socially Efficient Innovation Incentives and Pricing of Information Goods" (SBI07/08.BM10, PI, 2007/08), HK\$50,000.

NET Institute – "Group Size and Incentives to Contribute" (#07-22, 2007), US\$2,000.

HKUST – "Understanding The Influence of Online Consumer Reviews on the Demand for Experience Goods" (DAG06/07.BM09, PI, 2006/07), HK\$100,000.

#### **WORK IN PROGRESS**

- Ning Jia, Sean Xu, Zhitao Yin, and Michael Zhang, "Investor Misreaction to Secondhand Information on Social Media: Evidence from a Wikipedia Experiment"
- 2. Ding Ma, Yingjie He, Yinghao Chu, Michael Saunders, and Michael Zhang, "An Integrated Deep Learning Framework for Real-Time Air Pollution Control"
- 3. Tongda Zhang, Ding Ma, Michael Saunders, Michael Zhang, "Probing the Irrationality of AI: Experiments with ChatGPT"
- 4. Ding Ma, Tongda Zhang, Michael Saunders, Michael Zhang, "Innovating with Intelligence: Establishing An Institutional Protocol for AI-Driven Product Development"
- Ding Ma, Tongda Zhang, Michael Saunders, Michael Zhang, "Transforming E-Commerce Analysis: An Inclusive Infrastructure and a Fast Search Algorithm"
- 6. Daniel Blaseg, Ehsan Bolandifar, Michael Zhang, "The Paradox of Budget Transparency: Budget Disclosures and Performance in Crowdfunding Ventures"

- 7. Sijia Ma, Chong (Alex) Wang, Michael Zhang, Tao Lu, "Facade of Trust: The Impact of AI-Enhanced Profile Pictures in Online Interactions"
- 8. Xingjin Chen, Yilin Li, Xiaoyu Xia, Sean Xin Xu, Michael Zhang, "Nonlinear Impact of Structural Diversity on User Engagement in Social Networks: Evidence from a Large-scale Field Experiment"
- 9. Li, T., Tang, Z., Lu, T., Zhang, X., "Propose and Review: Interactive Bias Mitigation for Machine Classifiers"
- 10. Han, M., Shen, H., Zhai, S., Zhang, X., "An Empirical Study of Algorithm-Induced Online Information Misallocation"
- 11. Pei, S., Zhang, Y., Feng, J., Zhang, X., "How Much Personalized Information is Necessary? Re-examining Personalized Recommendations in Consumer Purchases"
- 12. Sun, L., Chen, Y., Zheng, X., Su, M., Zhang, X., "Short-Term Cannibalization and Long-Term Loyalty Effects of Recommender Systems: Evidence from a Field Experiment"
- 13. Kawamata, Y., Zhang, X., Akiyama, E. "Impulsive Equilibrium in Search-Engine Advertising"
- 14. Cheng, B., Zhang, L. and Zhang, X. "Uncertainty and Failure of Diversification"
- 15. Hu, M., Han, X., and Zhang, X. "Intensified Online Opinion Clashes with Salient Group Identity"
- 16. Zhang, X., Xu, D., Hong, H. "Investor Attention or Investor Sentiment: How Social Media React to ESG?"
- 17. Gao, C., Hong, H., Zhang, X., and Ye, Q., "Seeking Alpha or Seeking Noise? Attention Bias in Online Investment Communities"
- 18. Han, M., Shen, H., Wu, J., and Zhang, X. "AI Intensity and Firm Resilience: Evidence from Firm Performance under Disaster Shocks"
- 19. Wu, W., Xu, H., Zhang, X., and Zheng, R., "Ignorance Is Bliss: The Role of Information in Keyword Auctions"
- 20. Sun, S., Xu, K., and Zhang, X., "Do Monetary Incentives Crowd Out UGC Contributions? Evidence from YouTube"
- 21. Chi, H., Piramuthu, S., Zhou, W. and Zhang, X., "Self-Cannibalization of Durable Goods with Sharing: A Producer Perspective."
- 22. Liu, A., Xu, X., Zhang, X., and Zhao, X., "Social Media and Financial Information Asymmetry: How Information Aggregation on Wikipedia Reduces Insider Trading Profitability."
- 23. Liu, Y., Zhang, L., and Zhang, X., "Statistical Inference under Ambiguity"
- 24. Weiran Shen, Binghui Peng, Michael Zhang, Hanpeng Liu, Ruohan Qian, Yan Hong, Zhi Guo, Zongyao Ding, Pengjun Lu and Pingzhong Tang, "Reinforcement Mechanism Design"
- 25. Zihe Wang, Pingzhong Tang and Michael Zhang, "Optimal Commitments in Auctions with Incomplete Information"

- 26. Lihong Zhang, Gene Lai, Baimin Yu and Michael Zhang, "Longevity Risk, Optimal Retirement, Consumption Choice, and Risky Investment Decision"
- 27. Michael Zhang, Henry Qian, Alex Wang and Monic Sun, "Perilous Randomized Experiments in Social Networks"
- 28. Chen, X, Wang A., and Zhang, X., "All Online Friends Are Not Created Equal: Discovering Influence Structure in Online Social Networks."
- 29. Wang, A., Zhang, X., and Tam, K., "Role Identity Salience and User Participation in Online Communities."
- 30. Novoselov, K., Hsieh, C-C., and Zhang, X., "Do Questions Convey Valuable Information? An Empirical Investigation of Conference Calls"
- 31. Wu, W., Zhang, X., and Zheng, R., "An Empirical Study on the Monitoring Role of Wikipedia in the Financial Market."
- 32. Wu, W., Shi, W., Zhang, X., and Zheng, R., "Firm Performance and Information Dissemination: Evidence from Twitter."
- 33. Zhang, T., and Zhang, X., "Corporate Campaign Contributions and Political Favoritism."
- 34. Erik Brynjolfsson and Michael Zhang, "Producer Innovation Incentives and Revenue Distribution of Bundled Products"

#### **CONFERENCES**

- 1. "Algorithmic Bias or Human Choice: The Gender Difference in the Impact of Algorithmic Recommendation on Time Preference" (with Kayla Li and Zheng Gong) Workshop on Information Systems and Economics (WISE) 2024, Bangkok, Thailand.
- 2. "The Impact of AI Summary on Information Content Consumption: Evidence from an Online Video-sharing Platform" (with Kayla Li, Miaozhe Han and Jie Song) Workshop on Information Systems and Economics (WISE) 2024, Bangkok, Thailand.
- 3. "Unveiling the Discrepancy between Reviewer Intent and Consumer Interpretation" (with May Yuan and Leilei Gao) ACR Annual Conference, September 26-29, 2024, Paris, France.
- 4. "Algorithmic Bias or Human Choice: The Gender Difference in the Impact of Algorithmic Recommendation on Time Preference" (with Kayla Li and Zheng Gong) Statistical Challenges of E-Commerce Research (SCECR) July 19-21, 2024, Lisbon, Portugal.
- 5. "An Empirical Study of Algorithm-Induced Online Information Misallocation" (with Han, M., Shen, H., Zhai, S.) Statistical Challenges of E-Commerce Research (SCECR) July 19-21, 2024, Lisbon, Portugal.
- 6. "Algorithm-Induced Online Information Misallocation" (with Han, M., Shen, H., Zhai, S.) Workshop on Information Systems and Economics (WISE) 2023 Dec 13-15, 2023, India.
- 7. "Algorithmic Recommendations Change Guys' Patience but Not Gals': Evidence from a Field Experiment" (with Kayla Li, Zheng Gong), Workshop on

- Information Systems and Economics (WISE) 2022 Dec 14-16, 2022, Copenhagen, Denmark.
- 8. "The Blessing of High Price: A Field Experiment on E-Commerce Platform" (with Miaozhe Han, Jie Song, Siqi Pei, Feng Zhu), Workshop on Information Systems and Economics (WISE) 2022 Dec 14-16, 2022, Copenhagen, Denmark.
- 9. "Algorithmic Recommendations Change Guys' Patience but Not Gals': Evidence from a Field Experiment" (with Kayla Li, Zheng Gong), 2022 Conference on Digital Experimentation (CODE@MIT), Oct 20-21, 2022, MIT, USA.
- 10. "The Blessing of High Price: A Field Experiment on E-Commerce Platform" (with Miaozhe Han, Jie Song, Siqi Pei, Feng Zhu), 2022 Conference on Digital Experimentation (CODE@MIT), Oct 20-21, 2022, MIT, USA.
- 11. "AI Intensity And Firm Resiliency: Evidence From Firm Performance Under Disaster Shocks" (with Miaozhe Han, Hongchuan Shen, Jing Wu), 2022 Conference on Information Systems and Technology (CIST), October 15-16, 2022, Indiana, USA.
- 12. "The Blessing of High Price: A Field Experiment on E-Commerce Platform" (with Miaozhe Han, Jie Song, Siqi Pei, Feng Zhu), 2022 Conference on Information Systems and Technology (CIST), October 15-16, 2022, Indiana, USA
- 13. "Propose and Review: Interactive Bias Mitigation of Machine Classifiers" (with Zhoufei Tang, Tao Lu, Tim Li), INFORMS 2022 Annual Meeting, October 16-19, Indiana, USA.
- 14. "The Blessing of High Price: A Field Experiment on E-Commerce Platform", (with Miaozhe Han, Jie Song, Siqi Pei, Feng Zhu), INFORMS 2022 Annual Meeting, October 16-19, 2022, Indiana, USA.
- 15. "AI Intensity And Firm Resiliency: Evidence From Firm Performance Under Disaster Shocks", (with Miaozhe Han, Hongchuan Shen, Jing Wu), INFORMS 2022 Annual Meeting, October 16-19, 2022, Indiana, USA.
- 16. "AI Intensity and Firm Resiliency: Evidence from Firm Performance under Disaster Shocks" (with Miaozhe Han, Hongchuan Shen, Jing Wu), The 15th China Summer Workshop on Information Management (CSWIM 2022), August 20-21, 2022, Ningbo, China. (Conference Best Paper Award)
- 17. "Preference-Based Online Information Allocation", (with Miaozhe Han, Hongchuan Shen, Sihan Zhai), 2022 Advances with Field Experiments (AFE), June 8-9, 2022, University of Chicago, Illinois, USA.
- 18. "Online Food Delivery Platforms and Female Labor Force Participation", (with Jialu Liu and Siqi Pei), Workshop on Information Systems and Economics (WISE), December 2020. (Conference Best Paper Award)
- 19. "The Impact of Government Regulation on Sharing Platform Growth: A Channel of Supplier Behavior Change" (with Miaozhe Han), International Conference on Information Systems (ICIS), December 2020.
- 20. "Prediction of Rare Events in Financial Market," Keynote at 2<sup>nd</sup> International Conference on Smart Finance (ICSF), August 2020, Beijing, China.
- 21. "Effect of Identity Disclosure on User Participation in Online Communities: A Natural Experiment, " (with Bingjie Qian and Tat Koon Koh), 80th Annual

- Meeting of the Academy of Management (AOM), August 2020, Vancouver, BC, Canada.
- 22. "Are All Heuristics Created Equal? Evidence from P2P Investments," (with Yang Shi, Maggie Rong Hu, Xiaoyang Li), Symposium on Statistical Challenges in E-Commerce (SCECR 2020), June 2020, Madrid, Spain.
- 23. "Are All Heuristics Created Equal? Evidence from P2P Investments," (with Yang Shi, Maggie Rong Hu, Xiaoyang Li), Fifth Annual Conference on Alternative Finance, June 2020, Judge Business School, Cambridge University, UK.
- 24. "Are All Heuristics Created Equal? Evidence from P2P Investments," (with Yang Shi, Maggie Rong Hu, Xiaoyang Li), 18th ZEW Conference on the Economics of Information and Communication Technologies (ZEW ICT Conference), June 2020, Mannheim, Germany.
- 25. "Practical Dynamic Mechanism Design," (with Weiran Shen, Binghui Peng, Ruohan Qian, Yan Hong, Zhi Guo, Zongyao Ding, Pengjun Lu, and Pingzhong Tang), American Association of Artificial Intelligence (AAAI), Feb 2020, New York, USA.
- 26. "The Grass is Always Greener on the Other Side? Tourist Bias in Online Restaurant Ratings," (with Hong Hong, Dapeng Xu, Qiang Ye), Workshop on Information Systems and Economics (WISE), Dec 2019, München, Germany.
- 27. "Detecting Regime Change in Financial Data with an Auto-Encoder," (with Le Zhang, Tao Lu, Weidong Liu), Statistical Challenges in E-Commerce Research (SCECR), June 2019, CUHK Business School, Hong Kong, China.
- 28. "Reinforcement Mechanism Design," (with Weiran Shen, Binghui Peng, Ruohan Qian, Yan Hong, Zhi Guo, Zongyao Ding, Pengjun Lu, and Pingzhong Tang), INFORMS Annual Conference, November 2018, Phoenix, AZ, USA.
- 29. "Distributional Matthew Effect in Consumer Choices," (with Tao Lu, Alex Wang and May Yuan), INFORMS CIST Conference, November 2018, Phoenix, AZ, USA.
- 30. "Statistical Inference with Ambiguity," (with Lihong Zhang and Yu Liu) Statistical Challenges in E-Commerce Research (SCECR), June 2018, Rotterdam School of Management, the Netherlands, Rotterdam, the Netherlands.
- 31. "Visual Center Bias in Online Product Ratings," (with Tao Lu, Alex Wang, and May Yuan), ZEW ICT Conference, June 2018, Mannheim, Germany.
- 32. "Nonconformity in Social Media Marketing: Experimental Evidence," (with Monic Sun and Feng Zhu), Marketing Analytics and Big Data Conference, September 2017, Columbia Business School, New York, USA.
- 33. "Do Questions Convey Valuable Information? An Empirical Investigation of Conference Calls" (with Kirill Novoselov and Chia-Chun Hsieh), Canadian Academic Accounting Association (CAAA) 2017 Conference, June 2017, Montreal, Quebec, Canada.
- 34. "The Impacts of Geographic Dispersion on OSS Project Success: Face to Face vs. Virtual Collaboration" (with Daning Hu and Xiao Li), International Conference on Information Systems (ICIS), December 2016, Dublin, Ireland.

- 35. "Social Media and Financial Market Transparency," (Keynote Speech), 14th International Symposium on Financial System Engineering and Risk Management, August 2016, Harbin, China.
- 36. "Optimal Commitments in Asymmetric Auctions with Incomplete Information," (with Pingzhong Tang and Zihe Wang). The 17th ACM Conference in Electronic Commerce (ACM EC'17), July 2016, the Netherlands.
- 37. "Economic Downturn and Volunteering: Do Economic Crises Affect Content Generation on Wikipedia?" (with Olga Slivko and Michael Kummer). NBER Summer Institute, July 2016, Boston, MA, USA.
- 38. "Firm Performance and Information Dissemination: Evidence from Twitter." (with Weifang Wu and Rong Zheng). SCECR, June 2016, Naxos, Greece.
- 39. "Nonconformity in Social Media Marketing: Experimental Evidence," (with Monic Sun and Feng Zhu). ZEW ICT Conference, June 2016, Mannheim, Germany.
- 40. "Economic Downturn and Volunteering: Do Economic Crises Affect Content Generation on Wikipedia?" (with Olga Slivko and Michael Kummer). 8<sup>Th</sup> Paris ICT Conference on the Economics of Information and Communication Technologies, October 2015, Paris, France.
- 41. "Homo Economicus and Market with Imperfections" (with Lihong Zhang). SEEK-Digital Economy Workshop, June 2015, Turin, Italy.
- 42. "Do Social Media Attenuate Outsiders' Information Disadvantage? Evidence from Wikipedia and Insider Trading," (with Alfred Liu, Sean Xu and Xiaofei Zhao). Canadian Academic Accounting Association Annual Conference (CAAA), May 2015, Toronto, Canada.
- 43. "Do Social Media Attenuate Outsiders' Information Disadvantage? Evidence from Wikipedia and Insider Trading," (with Alfred Liu, Sean Xu and Xiaofei Zhao). American Accounting Association Financial Accounting and Reporting Section (FARS) Mid-Year Meeting, January 2015, Nashville, Tennessee.
- 44. "Crowd Governance: The Monitoring Role of Wikipedia in the Financial Market, " (with Weifang Wu and Rong Zheng). Workshop on Information Systems and Economics (WISE), December 2014, Auckland, New Zealand.
- 45. "The Impacts of Informant and Friend Relationships on Online Opinion Sharing," (with Yue Feng and Alex Wang). International Conference on Information Systems (ICIS), December 2013, Milan, Italy.
- 46. "Do Social Media Attenuate Outsiders' Information Disadvantage? Evidence from Wikipedia and Insider Trading" (with Sean Xu, Zhitao Yin, Alfred Liu), ZEW Wikipedia Workshop, October 2013, Mannheim, Germany.
- 47. "To Belong or to Be Different? Evidence from a Large-Scale Field Experiment" (with Monic Sun and Feng Zhu). Marketing Science Conference, July, 2013, Istanbul, Turkey.
- 48. "To Belong or to Be Different? Evidence from a Large-Scale Field Experiment" (with Monic Sun and Feng Zhu). 7<sup>th</sup> Bi-annual Conference on the Economics of Intellectual Property, Software and the Internet, June, 2013, Toulouse, France.

- 49. "All Online Friends Are Not Created Equal: Discovering Influence Structure in Online Social Networks" (with Xi Chen and Alex Wang). Marketing Science Conference, July, 2013, Istanbul, Turkey.
- 50. "All Online Friends Are Not Created Equal: Discovering Influence Structure in Online Social Networks" (with Xi Chen and Alex Wang). 14<sup>th</sup> International Conference on E-Commerce (ICEC), August 2012, Singapore.
- 51. "Network Centrality and Contributions to Online Public Good The Case of Chinese Wikipedia" (with Alex Wang). 45th Hawaiian Conference on System Sciences (HICSS), January 2012, Maui, HI, USA.
- 52. "Peer-Induced Social Conformity Evidence from a Natural Field Experiment" (with Kai-Lung Hui and Liwen Hou). Workshop on Information Systems and Economics (WISE), December 2011, Shanghai, China.
- 53. "Unpacking Social Influence in Online Ratings" (with Alex Wang and Yue Feng), Workshop on Information Systems and Economics (WISE), December 2011, Shanghai, China.
- 54. "Internet-Facilitated Feedback Trading," (with Lihong Zhang). 44th Hawaiian Conference on System Sciences (HICSS), January 2011, Kauai, HI, USA.
- 55. "Role Identity Salience and User Participation in Online Communities," (with Alex Wang and Kar Yan Tam). International Conference on Information Systems (ICIS), December 2010, St. Louis, USA.
- 56. "Social Bias in Online Product Ratings," (with Alex Wang). Workshop on Information Systems and Economics (WISE), December 2010, St. Louis, USA.
- 57. "Role Identity Salience and User Participation in Social Networks," (with Alex Wang). Summer Workshop on Industrial Organization and Management Strategy (IOMS), August 2010, Shanghai, China.
- 58. "Producer Innovation Incentives and Revenue Distribution of Bundled Products," (with Erik Brynjolfsson), Workshop on Digital Business Models, June 2010, Paris, France.
- 59. "Role Identity Salience and User Participation in Social Networks," (with Alex Wang). 14<sup>th</sup> Pacific Asia Conference on Information Systems (PACIS), July 2010, Taipei, Taiwan.
- 60. "Crowding In or Crowding Out? Informational and Normative Social Influence in Online Communities," (with Alex Wang). 4<sup>th</sup> China Summer Workshop on Information Management (CSWIM), June 2010, Wuhan, Hu Bei, China. (Workshop Best Paper Award).
- 61. "Information Environment and Management Disclosure: How Social Media Play a Different Role Than Traditional Media," (with Sean Xu). *Proceedings of the 30th International Conference on Information Systems (ICIS)*, Dec. 2009, Phoenix, AZ, USA. (Conference Best Paper Nominee).
- 62. "Group Size and Incentives to Contribute A Natural Experiment at Chinese Wikipedia," (with Feng Zhu). Workshop on Information Systems and Economics (WISE), December 2008, Montreal, Canada.

- 63. "Pre-release Expectation, Word-of-mouth and Backfire: Evidence from the Motion Pictures Industry" (with Alex Wang and Natatha Foutz). *Marketing Science Conference*, June 2007, Singapore.
- 64. "Dynamic Price Competition on the Internet: Advertising Auctions," (with Jane Feng). Proceedings of the 8th ACM Conference on Electronic Commerce (ACM EC'07), San Diego, CA, USA.
- 65. "The Lord of the Ratings: How a Movie's Fate is Influenced by Reviews," (with Chris Dellarocas). *Proceedings of the 27th International Conference on Information Systems (ICIS)*, Dec. 2006, Milwaukee, WI, USA.
- 66. "The Influence of Online Consumer Reviews on the Demand for Experience Goods: The Case of Video Games," (with Feng Zhu). *Proceedings of the 27th International Conference on Information Systems (ICIS)*, Dec. 2006, Milwaukee, WI, USA.
- 67. "Intrinsic Motivation of Open Content Contributions: The Case of Wikipedia," (with Feng Zhu). *Workshop on Information Systems and Economics (WISE)*, Dec. 2006, Chicago, IL, USA.
- 68. "Price Cycles in Online Advertising Auctions," (with Juan Feng). *Proceedings of the 26th International Conference on Information Systems (ICIS)*, Dec. 2005, Las Vegas, NV, USA.
- 69. "Price Cycles in Online Advertising Auctions A Theoretical Study" (with Juan Feng). *INFORMS Annual Meeting*, Nov. 2005, San Francisco, CA, USA.
- 70. "Is Online Word of Mouth a Complement or Substitute to Traditional Means of Consumer Conversion," (with Chris Dellarocas and Neveen Awad). *Workshop on Information Systems and Economics (WISE)*, Dec. 2004, College Park, MD, USA.
- 71. "Exploring the Value of Online Reviews to Organizations: Implications for Revenue Forecasting and Planning", (with Chris Dellarocas and Neveen Awad). *Proceedings of the 25th International Conference on Information Systems (ICIS)*, Dec. 2004, Washington DC, USA.
- 72. "Slicing the Gordian Knot: A Novel Mechanism for Providing Innovation Incentives for Digital Goods", (with Erik Brynjolfsson). *Proceedings of the 25th International Conference on Information Systems (ICIS)*, Dec. 2004, Washington DC, USA.

#### TEACHING and CURRICULUM DEVELOPMENT

- AI in Finance, CUHK Business School, FMBA, 50-70 students, Fall 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024.
  - Designed for EMBA students. Covers topics such as the mathematical and technological foundations of Artificial Intelligence, applications of machine learning in the financial market.
- Strategic Value of Information Technology, HKUST MSc core, 80 students, Fall 2013-2017. CUHK Chinese EMBA, 80 students, 2018-2024.
  - Designed for MSc/EMBA students. Covers topics such as the digital transformation, economics of IS, external and internal analysis of firm

strategy, competitive strategy, business processes and innovation, CRM and business analytics, etc.

• Entrepreneurial Finance, CUHK Business School, Financial MBA, 70 students, 2018-2023.

Designed this new course from scratch for Financial MBA students. Covers topics related to entrepreneurial finance. Topics covered include: VC/PE ecosystem, venture evaluation, financial projections, term sheet, real options, leadership, etc.

• Fintech Analytics, CUHK Business School, MBA/Master in Management, 100 students, 2019. CUHK Financial MBA, 70 students, 2020.

Designed this new course from scratch for MBA students. Covers topics related to financial technologies. Topics covered include: blockchain, AI, quantum computing, financial regulations, etc.

• Advanced PhD Seminar in Economics of IS, CUHK PhD, 20 students, 2018, 2020, 2021.

Designed for PhD students. Covers topics such as causal inference research methodology (experiments, instrumental variable estimation, regression discontinuity, natural experiments, quasi experiments, field experiments), online reputation systems and word-of-mouth, FinTech, online advertising and keyword auctions, social media social networks and online community, artificial intelligence and machine learning in economics research.

• *Introduction to Information Systems*, HKUST Undergraduate Core, two sessions each with 90-120 students, Spring 2007 – 2017.

Around the time when I joined HKUST, the department faced tremendous pressure of reduction in enrolment. In 2006, only 24 undergraduate students chose IS as major. As this course is a first-year core course for undergraduate students, its content plays a significant role in attracting students. I redesigned the course from scratch by removing technical details and adding managerial materials such as e-commerce, online advertising and social media. The outcome of this change in content is significant: the enrolment gradually grew over the years: 105 in 2007, 135 in 2008, 190 in 2009, 180 in 2010, 2011 and 2012 (quota fulfilled 100%).

I won the Franklin Prize for Teaching Excellence in 2009, and was the first runner up in 2012. This is an award with only one winner per year to recognize contributions to the undergraduate curriculum by the HKUST Business School faculty.

• *Information and Entrepreneurship Management*, HKUST MSc/MBA elective, 30-50 students, Spring 2008 – 2017.

Designed this new course from scratch for MSc/MBA students. Covers topics related to technology entrepreneurship. My previous experience as an investment banker, international marketing manager, and entrepreneur contributes significantly to the success of this course.

• Empirical Methods for Causal Inference, University of Rennes/University of Zurich, MSc/PhD Seminar, 15 students, 2011, 2014.

Designed this new course for Economics MSc/PhD students when I was a visiting professor at University of Rennes. This course covers the important topics related to causal inference. I discuss empirical research methodologies with a special focus on topics such as instrumental variables, natural and quasi experiments, field experiments, propensity scores and regression discontinuity designs.

#### **ACADEMIC SERVICES AND AFFILIATIONS**

Managing Editor

SSRN ISN Journal: eBusiness & eCommerce, 2004 – now

Senior Editor

MIS Quarterly, 2023 – now Information Systems Research (ISR), 2017 – 2022

Special Issue Senior Editor

Information Systems Research (ISR) Special Issue on FinTech, 2018

Associate/Area Editor

Information Systems Research (ISR), 2011 – 2016
Management Science, 2015 – 2020
Electronic Commerce Research and Applications (ECRA), 2011 – 2014
Production and Operations Management (POM), 2011 – 2014
Guest AE for Management Information Systems Quarterly (MISQ).
International Conference on Information Systems (ICIS), 2008 – 2011, 2013.

## Conference Co-Chair

15<sup>th</sup> Symposium of Statistical Challenges in E-Commerce Research (SCECR), 2019

5<sup>th</sup> China Summer Workshop on Information Management (CSWIM), 2011

Track Co-Chair

Pacific Asia Conference on Information Systems (PACIS), 2010, 2017 International Conference on Information Systems (ICIS), 2012, 2014, 2016

Program Committee Member

ZEW ICT Conference, 2021-2024

China Summer Workshop on Information Management (CSWIM), 2007 – 2010, 2012 – 2016.

ACM Conference on Electronic Commerce (ACM EC), 2008 International Conference on E-Commerce (ICEC), 2008 – 2016.

#### Referee

External Reviewer for CUHK (Shenzhen)'s FinTech Courses (2018 – now); Management Science, MIS Quarterly, Information Systems Research, Journal of Management Information Systems, Marketing Science, Journal of Marketing, Journal of Marketing Research, Journal of Interactive Marketing, US National Science Foundation, Operations Research, Production and Operations Management, European Journal of Operational Research, Journal

of Institutional Economics, The Economic Journal, Electronic Markets, International Conference on Information Systems, International Conference on E-Commerce, Pacific Asia Conference on Information Systems, Americas Conference on Information Systems, ACM Ecommerce Conference

#### University Services

Executive Associate Dean, Tsinghua Institute of Innovation Management (2022 – 2023); Executive Associate Dean, Tsinghua Shenzhen Institute of Economics and Management (2022 – 2023); Associate Dean Innovation and Impact at CUHK (2018 – 2021); Co-Executive Director of Asia Pacific Institute of Business, CUHK (2021 – 2022); University Committee of Knowledge Transfer, CUHK (2020 – now); Co-Director of Hong Kong Shenzhen Finance Research Centre (2019 – now); Business School Executive Committee (2018 – 2021); Department Executive Committee (2017 - 2021); Department Academic Personnel Committee (2017 – 2021); Chung Chi College Art Committee (2018 – now); Search Committee for Design Thinking & Entrepreneurship Cluster Hiring (2016 - 2017), Department Head Search Committee (2016 - 2017), School Appointment and Substantiation Committee (2015 – 2017); Department Merit Salary Review Committee (2014 - 2017); Post-Graduate IS Program Coordinator (2010 - 2015); Member of IS Post-Graduate Program Committee (2010 – 2017); Chair of IS Faculty Search and Appointment Committee (2015 – 2017); Member of IS Faculty Search and Appointment Committee (2009 – 2015); Coach for APEX Case Competition (2009, 2010, 2011); Judge for University 1-Million Dollar Competition; Delegate for the Hong Kong PhD Fellowship Scheme Outreach Group; Committee Member of the Joint Minor Program of Entrepreneurship; Data Science Faulty Task Force; Task Force on Entrepreneurship Education; Ad Hoc Committee of HKUST Business School Advisory Council; Public Talk to American Chamber of Commerce on Social Media Marketing; Public Talk to Potential Applicants to HKUST Business School UG Program.

#### Mentor

The MISQ Scholarly Development Academy (2022)

#### Member

Chicago Quant Alliance (CQA), Institute for Operations Research and the Management (INFORMS), Association for Information Systems (AIS), American Economic Association (AEA), American Finance Association (AFA), Association for the Advancement of Artificial Intelligence (AAAI), INFORMS Society for Marketing Science (ISMS).

# Judge

Schwarzman Scholars Selection Committee (2016-now). Institute for Operations Research and the Management (INFORMS) CIST Best Paper Award Committee (2019, 2021, 2023, 2024), INFORMS Technology, Innovation Management and Entrepreneurship Best Paper Award Competition (2017). HKUST 1-Million Dollar Entrepreneurship Competition (2015-2017,2019,2020).

#### STUDENT SUPERVISION

- PhD in Information Systems
  - Alex Wang, Advisor, graduated in 2012, now Professor at City University of Hong Kong.
  - o Jia Jia, Reader, graduated in 2012 from HKUST.
  - Kwong Chun Sit, External Examiner, graduated in 2014 from Hong Kong Polytechnic University.
  - Wang Cong, External Examiner, graduated in 2015 from Hong Kong Polytechnic University.
  - Mei Li, External Examiner, graduated in 2016 from National University of Singapore.
  - Yue Feng, Reader, graduated in 2016, now Associate Professor at Hong Kong Polytechnic University.
  - o Tao Lu, Advisor, graduated in 2020, now Assistant Professor at Southern University of Science and Technology.
  - o Siqi Pei, Advisor, graduated in 2022 from CUHK, now Assistant Professor at Shanghai University of Finance and Economics.
  - o Jialu Liu, Co-advisor, graduated in 2022 from CUHK, now Assistant Professor at Shanghai Jiaotong University.
  - Miaozhe Han, Advisor, PhD candidate, CUHK, now Assistant Professor at HKUST.
  - Hao Ying, Advisor, PhD candidate, CUHK, now Research Assistant Professor at Hong Kong PolyU.
  - o Jie Song, Advisor, PhD candidate, CUHK.
  - o Ningning Cheng, Co-advisor, PhD candidate, CUHK.
  - o Feng Qin, Co-advisor, PhD candidate, CUHK.
  - o Chang Liu, Co-advisor, PhD candidate, CUHK.
  - o Rongyang Ma, Advisor, PhD student, Tsinghua.
  - o Zixiao Xiong, Advisor, PhD student, Tsinghua.
  - o Xinhua Zheng, Advisor, PhD student, Tsinghua.
  - o Guangjie Xu, Advisor, PhD student, Tsinghua.
  - o Yangchi Gao, Advisor, PhD student, Tsinghua.
  - o Chuchu Sun, Advisor, PhD student, CUHK.

## PhD in Marketing

- Xi Chen, Reader, graduated in 2013, now Associate Professor at Erasmus University.
- o Yang Shi, Reader, graduated in 2015.

#### • PhD in Computer Science

- o Erheng Zhong, Reader, graduated in 2014, now research scientist at Yahoo!
- o Bo Liu, Reader, graduated in 2017.

#### PhD in Economics

- Christophe Bellégo, External Examiner, graduated in 2016 from University of Paris 1 Panthéon Sorbonne, now head of public statistics and economic studies at the French Taxation Authority.
- o Donglei Zhang, Co-advisor, PhD candidate, CUHK.
- MSc in Information Systems

- Henry Qian, Advisor, graduated in 2013, got PhD from UT Austin, now economist at TikTok.
- MSc in Economics
  - o Zilei Zhang, Reader, graduated in 2018, now research scientist at Huatai Securities International.
- MPhil in Technology Leadership and Entrepreneurship
  - o Ramitha Soysa, Reader, graduated in 2016, now CEO at Iridescent Diamonds.
  - o Baochen Qiao, Reader, graduated in 2018, now partner at Super Quantum Fund.
- Undergraduate Research Opportunities Program (UROP)
  - Tong Zhang, Laura Shi, Zhiji Xu, Jiayin Kang, Alicia Huang, Zhefang Zhou, Vincent Tai, Harry Tai, Ming Hong Sirius Chan, Wing Ki Winki Chan, Ka Hei Katy Choi, Jing Donald Liu, Teresa Chor Yan Lam, Chenlai Shi, Yang He, Hao Sheng, Lorenzo Cecutti, May Yuan, Yuan Li, Jinming Zhang, Jiajia Wang, Jiachen Wang, Ting Ruan, Yu Wu, Yutong Li, Tanya Sughakar, Shuo Feng, Alex Shusei Wada, Chen Huang, Jai Singh Sra, Jihoon Chung.
- APEX Case Challenge, 2009
  - Sherlyn Khor, Shirley Tang, Anthea Kan, Arnold Leung, Carman Luo, Alicia Huang, Prerna Agarwal, Ritesh Dugar, Vishal Kirpalani
- CoMIS Case Competition, 2017
  - o Jack De Teh, Alvin Win Lock Chai, Ailin Eileen He
- Glocal Business Capstone Project, 2014
  - o Serene Yip, Hayden Cheung, Lukas Roth, Nils Kettemann, Yvette Lu
- MBA Business Plan Participants, 2014
  - o Cristiano Giacchè, Leire Mancisidor Uranga, Natalie Tan, Ramiro Martinez-Pardo, Jinn Yiun Leow