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## Education

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| <b>The Chinese University of Hong Kong</b><br><i>Ph.D. in Accountancy</i>                                                                    | <i>New Territories, Hong Kong SAR</i><br><i>Aug. 2024 - Present</i>                    |
| <b>Shanghai University of Finance and Economics</b><br><i>M.Phil. in Accounting</i><br><i>B.B.A. (Hons.) in Accounting, Minor in Finance</i> | <i>Shanghai, China</i><br><i>Sep. 2022 - Jun. 2024</i><br><i>Sep. 2018 - Jul. 2022</i> |

## Research Interests

Contracting and Governance; Corporate Disclosure; Information Intermediation

## Working Papers

- [1] **Vertical Integration and Executive Compensation Arrangements** [SSRN]  
with Anson Jiang, Gaizka Ormazabal, and Fan Wu  
*2026 AFAANZ Best Paper Award in Corporate Governance; GMARS 2026*

## Presentations & Conferences

- 2026 CAPANA Annual Research Conference  
2025 AIEA-NBER Conference; CUHK-RAPS-RCFS Conference; CUHK Accounting Research Conference  
2024 CUHK Accounting Research Conference

## Honors & Awards

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| College Graduate Excellence Award                                             | <i>2022; 2024</i> |
| Award for Postgraduate Studentship                                            | <i>2024</i>       |
| National Scholarship                                                          | <i>2023</i>       |
| First-class Academic Scholarship                                              | <i>2023</i>       |
| Project Concluding “Excellent” in College Student Innovation Training Program | <i>2021</i>       |
| First Prize of the People’s Scholarship                                       | <i>2020</i>       |
| College Student Outstanding Award                                             | <i>2020; 2021</i> |
| Finalist of the Interdisciplinary Contest in Modeling                         | <i>2020</i>       |

## Research Grants

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| <b>Competitive Graduate Student Research Grant</b> | <i>2026</i> |
| (HK\$ 20,000), The Chinese University of Hong Kong |             |

## Language & Skills

**Languages:** English (Proficient), Mandarin (Native), Cantonese (Elementary)  
**Technical Skills:** Stata, Python, R, SAS, L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X, Vibe Coding

## Teaching Experience

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| <b>Shanghai University of Finance and Economics</b><br><i>Teaching Assistant, Accounting Principles (Undergraduate)</i><br><i>Teaching Assistant, Financial Accounting (Undergraduate)</i> | <i>Shanghai, China</i><br><i>Feb. 2023 - Jun. 2023</i><br><i>Sep. 2021 - Dec. 2021</i> |
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## Practice Experience

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| <b>China Industrial Securities Co., Ltd., Research Institute</b><br><i>Fixed Income Analyst Intern</i> | <i>Shanghai, China</i><br><i>Nov. 2021 - Apr. 2022</i> |
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