

The Hong Kong Polytechnic University School of Accounting and Finance  
PhD Students Paper Presentation at International Conferences

Academic Year	PhD Student	Name of Conference	Title of Paper (with co-authors)
2017/18			
	HUANG Jingjing, Diana	ICAFEL 2018, Taiwan (21-25 Apr, 18)	Does media affect IPO appraisals in China?
	LI Zhi, Bernard	ICAFEL 2018, Taiwan (21-25 Apr, 18)	Lost in translation
	FENG Xiaoli	ICAFEL 2018, Taiwan (21-25 Apr, 18)	Long-term Accounting Performance incentive and Corporate Social Responsibility
	SHANG Longfei	2018 Global PhD Colloquium, Sydney, Australia (24-25 May, 18)	Economic Policy Uncertainty and Lobbying Decision (Walid Saffar & Ji-Chai Lin)
	ZHANG Jian, Janus	2018 Global PhD Colloquium, Sydney, Australia (24-25 May, 18)	Policy Uncertainty and Loan Loss Provisions in the Banking Industry (Jeffrey Ng & Walid Saffar)
	WANG Yi, Alex	The 25th Annual Conference of the Multinational Finance Society (MFS), Budapest, Hungary (24-26 Jun, 18)	Appraisal Ratio and the Mutual Fund's Stock Picking Skill
	JING Jiao	JAAF conference 2018, JeJu, Korea (24-27 Jun, 18)	Rank and File Employee Satisfaction and the Cost of Equity Capital (Fu Jiajia & Ji Yuan)
	HOU Fangfang, Freida	2018 EFEG Summer Boot Camp at the PBCSF (Tsinghua University), Beijing, China (4-7 Jul, 18)	Capital Account Liberalization and Firm Innovation (Xingpeng Xu)
	LUO Yue, Joyce	2018 EFEG Summer Boot Camp at the PBCSF (Tsinghua University), Beijing, China (4-7 Jul, 18)	Are Inventors Vulnerable to Terrorist Attacks?
	WANG Yi, Alex	2018 EFEG Summer Boot Camp at the PBCSF (Tsinghua University), Beijing, China (4-7 Jul, 18)	Appraisal Ratio and the Mutual Fund's Stock Picking Skill
	YAN Siyuan, Adam	China Financial Research Conference (CFRC) 2018 (6-7 Jul, 18)	Is There Information Production in Auctioned IPOs with Uniform Price?
	CHEN Xiaoqi, Lynette	The 2018 International Conference on Economic Theory and Applications (18-20 Jul, 18)	The value of implicit political connection
	Mariem Khalifa Ep Sanaa	Mediterranean & African Finance and Accounting Association Conference, Hammamet, Tunisia (20-21 Jul, 18)	Media Coverage and Accounting Conservatism (C.S. Agnes Cheng & Samir Trabelsi)
	HOU Fangfang, Freida	AAA 2018, US (4-8 Aug, 18)	Foreign Capital and Earnings Management: International Evidence from Equity Market Opening (Jeffrey Ng, Tjomme Rusticus & Xingpeng Xu)
	JING Jiao	AAA 2018, US (4-8 Aug, 18)	Rank and File Employee Satisfaction and the Cost of Equity Capital (Fu Jiajia & Ji Yuan)
	HU Yue	AAA 2018, US (4-8 Aug, 18)	Explain Overreaction in Intra-industry Information Transfer (C.S. Agnes Cheng)
	ZHANG Jian, Janus	AAA 2018 & CLTA (American Accounting Association Annual Meeting and Conference on Teaching and Learning in Accounting) (4-8 Aug, 18)	Product Market Effects of Customer Referencing (Jiao Jing & Jeffrey Ng)
	GONG Zhaoran, Jason	European Finance Association (EFA) Conference 2018, Philadelphia, US (21-25 Aug, 18)	Restricting CEO Pay Backfires: Evidence from China (Kee-Hong Bae & Wilson Tong)
	HOU Fangfang, Freida	2017 China Financial Research Conference (10-11 Jul, 17)	The Profitability and Investment Factors in Chinese Stock Market (Shaojun Zhang)
	WENG Chia-hsiang, Mike	Summer School on Taxation and R&D at University of Mannheim, Germany (24-25 Jul, 17)	Are innovative Firms too Aggressive in Avoiding Taxes? (C.S. Agnes Cheng, Guo Peng & Qiang Wu)
	WENG Chia-hsiang, Mike	American Accounting Association Annual Meeting 2017 (4-9 Aug, 17)	Are innovative Firms too Aggressive in Avoiding Taxes? (C.S. Agnes Cheng, Guo Peng & Qiang Wu)
	JING Jiao	American Accounting Association Annual Meeting 2017 (4-9 Aug, 17)	Corporate Name-Dropping and the Cost of Equity Capital
	HU Yue	American Accounting Association Annual Meeting 2017 (4-9 Aug, 17)	Opacity of Income Smoothing, International Evidence (C.S. Agnes Cheng, Shuo Li & Yuxiang Zhong)
	ZHANG Jian, Janus	Accounting Horizons Special Forum Conference (3-5 Nov, 17)	Fixing the Core, Earnings Management, and Sustainable Emergence from Distress: Evidence from China (Jeffrey Ng & Kenneth Leung)
	HU Ke	30th Australasian Finance and Banking Conference, Sydney (12-15 Dec, 17)	Carry, Momentum, and Anchoring on 52-week Extremes in the Foreign Exchange Market (Timothy K. Chue)

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	SHANG Longfei	2016 MFS Annual Conference, Stockholm, Sweden (26-29 Jul, 16)	What May Drive Volatility of Volatility? (Te-feng, Chen & Ji-Chai Lin)
	CHEN Sipeng, Steve	American Accounting Association Annual Meeting 2017 (5-10 Aug, 16)	A Tale of Two Distortions: Disclosure in Oil and Gas Industry
	SHANG Longfei	2016 FMA Annual Conference, Las Vegas, USA (19-22 Oct, 16)	What May Drive Volatility of Volatility? (Te-feng, Chen & Ji-Chai Lin)
	YU Junbiao	The 6th China Statistic Annual Conference (29-30 Oct, 16)	The Logic Behinds Capital Depreciation Differences
	LI Xiao, Amanda	2016 Accounting PhD Rookie Recruiting and Research Camp (2-4 Dec, 16)	Audit Firm Alliances and Audit Quality: International Evidence
<b>2015/16</b>			
	XU Jin, Karen	2015 World Finance & Banking Symposium, Hanoi, Vietnam (17-18 Dec, 15)	Crashing with Style: The Crash Risks of Style Investing (Dr. Timothy Chue & Dr. Yong Wang)
	CHALWATI Amna	2015 World Finance & Banking Symposium, Hanoi, Vietnam (17-18 Dec, 15)	Accounting Conservatism and Information Environment under IFRS Adoption (Samir Trabelsi & Mariem Khalifa)
	Mariem KHALIFA EP Sanaa	2015 World Finance & Banking Symposium, Hanoi, Vietnam (17-18 Dec, 15)	Accounting Conservatism and Information Environment under IFRS Adoption (Samir Trabelsi & Amna Chalwati)
	Mariem KHALIFA EP Sanaa	2015 The Tunisian Accounting and Finance Professors' Association of North America (TAFPANA) Annual Conference, Tunis, Tunisia (17-20 Dec, 15)	Conditional Conservatism in Bankrupt vs. Non-Bankrupt Firms (Samir Trabelsi)
	WENG Chia-hsiang, Mike	Paris Financial Management Conference, France (14-15 Dec, 15)	The Dark Side of the Moon: The Effect of Innovation on Corporate Tax Avoidance (C.S. Agnes Cheng, Peng Guo & Qiang Wu)
	FU Jiajia	2016 International Accounting Section Mid-Year Meeting, Louisiana, USA (18-20 Feb, 16)	Sophistication of the Chinese Mutual Funds and Mispricing of Accruals
	HU Yue	2016 Midyear meeting, IAS of AAA (18-20 Feb, 16)	Aggregate Accounting Information and Political Turnover (Philip Joos)
	XU Jin, Karen	ICAFEL and the Joint Symposium of PolyU and NTU, Taiwan (26-27 Mar, 16)	The Cross-Sectional Dispersion of Idiosyncratic Volatility (Timothy Chue)
	PECHA David	PBFEAM 2016, Chengdu, China (24th Annual Conference on Pacific Basin Finance, Economics, Accounting, and Management) (11-12 Jun, 16)	The Efficiency of Compensation Contracting in China (K.H. Fung)
	Mariem KHALIFA EP Sanaa	2016 Joint International Conference of the Journal of International Accounting Research (JIAR) and Accounting, Organizations & Society (AOS), Augsburg, Germany (7-9 Jul, 16)	Corporate Social Responsibility and Cash Holdings (Amna Chalwati, Rym Mabrouk & Samir Trabelsi)
	GONG Zhaoran, Jason	2016 FMA Asia/Pacific Doctoral Student Consortium, Sydney Australia (13-15 Jul, 16)	How do Acquisitions Relieve Targets Financial Constraints
	CHALWATI Amna	2016 TAFPANA Summer Conference, Monastir, Tunisia (16-18 Jul, 16)	Corporate Social Responsibility and Cash Holdings (Mariem Khalifa, Rym Mabrouk & Samir Trabelsi)
	SHANG Longfei	2016 MFS Annual Conference, Stockholm, Sweden (26-29 Jul, 16)	What May Drive Volatility of Volatility? (Te-feng, Chen & Ji-Chai Lin)
	LI Xiao, Amanda	American Accounting Association 2016 Annual Conference (1 Aug, 16)	Does Accounting Quality Differ under Principles-Based Standards and Rules-Based Standards? (C.S. Agnes Cheng & Stephen Lin)
	FU Jiajia	American Accounting Association Annual Meeting, New York, US (6-10 Aug, 16)	Strategic Use of Numeric Volume in 10-K Reports
	PECHA David	AAA 2016 + CLTA, New York, USA (American Accounting Association Annual Meeting and Conference on Teaching and Learning in Accounting) (6-10 Aug, 16)	Do Annual CEO Bonus Plans Spur Earnings Management?

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	WANG Meng, Macalia	Financial Management Association (FMA) Annual Conference, Nashville, Tennessee (14-17 Oct, 14)	Intra-Group School Ties and Fund Performance Evidence from US Hedge Fund
	LI Shuo	Financial Management Association (FMA) Annual Conference, Nashville, Tennessee (14-17 Oct, 14)	Higher ERC or Higher Future ERC from Income Smoothness? – The Role of Information Environment (C.S. Agnes Cheng & Joseph Johnston)
	Mariem KHALIFA EP Sanaa	2014 The Tunisian Accounting and Finance Professors' Association of North America (TAFPANA) Annual Conference, Tunis, Tunisia (18-20 Dec, 14)	Information Asymmetry and Accounting Conservatism under IFRS Adoption (Samir Trabelsi, Emna Chalouati & Christy Lu)
	LI Shuo	European Accounting Association (EAA) Conference, Glasgow, UK (28-30 Apr, 15)	Higher ERC or Higher Future ERC from Income Smoothness? – The Role of Information Environment (C.S. Agnes Cheng & Joseph Johnston)
	PECHA David	Joint China Accounting and Finance Review (CAFR) & Journal of Accounting, Auditing and Finance (JAAF) Conference, Chengdu, China (15-16 May, 15)	The Efficiency of Compensation Contracting in China: Do Better CEOs Get Better Paid? (Jack Fung)
	LI Xiao, Amanda	5th Biennial Conference of the World Accounting Frontiers Series (WAFS), Macau (27-30 May, 15)	Mandatory Adoption of IFRS in EU Countries and Corporate Cash Holdings (C.S. Agnes Cheng & Yuan Huang)
	LI Shuo	Canadian Academic Accounting Association (CAAA) Conference, Toronto, Ontario, Canada (28-31 May, 15)	CEO Campaign Contribution Channels and Financial Reporting Quality (CS Agnes Cheng, Walid Saffar & Tony Zhang)
	WENG Chia-hsiang, Mike	International Conference of Taiwan Finance Association Conference, Taiwan (5-6 Jun, 15)	Can Saving Cash from Equity Issuance Mitigate the Agency Problem of Excess Cash Holdings? Evidence from Mergers and Acquisitions (Yenn-Ru Chen & Yu-lin Huang)
	LI Xiao, Amanda	Journal of International Accounting Research Conference (JIAR), Sao Paolo, Brazil (20-21 Jul, 15)	Mandatory Adoption of IFRS in EU Countries and Corporate Cash Holdings (C.S. Agnes Cheng & Yuan Huang)
	PECHA David	Journal of International Accounting Research Conference (JIAR), Sao Paolo, Brazil (20-21 Jul, 15)	The Efficiency of Compensation Contracting in China: Do Better CEOs Get Better Paid? (Jack Fung)
	LI Shuo	AAA 2015 Annual Meeting, Chicago, USA (8-12 Aug, 15)	CEO Campaign Contribution Channels and Financial Reporting Quality (CS Agnes Cheng, Walid Saffar & Tony Zhang)
	LI Xiao, Amanda	AAA 2015 Annual Meeting, Chicago, USA (8-12 Aug, 15)	Mandatory Adoption of IFRS in EU Countries and Corporate Cash Holdings (C.S. Agnes Cheng & Yuan Huang)
<b>2013/14</b>			
	FU Jiajia	AAA 2013 Annual Meeting, Anaheim, CA, USA (3-7 Aug, 13)	The Implication of ERC, Earnings Management to Accrual Anomaly: Evidence from China (C.S. Agnes Cheng)
	CHALWATI Amna	Canadian Academic Accounting Association (CAAA) Annual Conference, Alberta, Canada (29 May - 1 Jun, 14)	Real Earnings Management and IPO Failure Risk (Samir Trabelsi)
	Mariem KHALIFA EP Sanaa	Canadian Academic Accounting Association (CAAA) Annual Conference, Alberta, Canada (29 May - 1 Jun, 14)	Conditional Conservatism in U.S. High- and Low- Technology Firms (Samir Trabelsi)
	Mariem KHALIFA EP Sanaa	Journal of International Accounting Research Conference (JIAR) (6-7 Jun, 14)	Conditional Conservatism in U.S. High- and Low- Technology Firms (Samir Trabelsi)
	PECHA David	International Accounting & Finance Doctoral Symposium (IAFDS), Trondheim, Norway (16-18 Jun, 14)	Annual CEO Bonuses, Corporate Governance Quality and Future Firm Performance
	LI Xiao, Amanda	AAA 2014 Annual Meeting, Atlanta, USA (2-6 Aug, 14)	The Information Content of Chinese Earnings Announcement
	LI Shuo	AAA 2014 Annual Meeting, Atlanta, USA (2-6 Aug, 14)	Higher ERC or Higher Future ERC from Income Smoothness? – The Role of Information Environment (C.S. Agnes Cheng & Joseph Johnston)