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EDUCATION

University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA

Joseph M. Katz Graduate School of Business Ph.D. Accounting (Expected 2016)

University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA

Marshall School of Business Master of Accounting (2011)

Harbin Institute of Technology, Harbin, China

BS Economics (2007)

RESEARCH

Research Interests: Auditing; Corporate Governance; Earnings Management; Analyst forecast;

Working Papers:

"Audit Committee-Auditor Interlocking, Auditor Turnover and Audit Quality": Working paper from dissertation. Dissertation Committee: Chan Li (Chair), Harry Evans, Mei Feng, Josh Gunn and Kannan Raghunandan

"Is SOX 404 (a) Management Internal Control Reporting an Effective Alternative to SOX 404 (b) Internal Control Audits?" (with Chan Li and Kannan Raghunandan). *Under revision for the third round review at Auditing: A Journal of Practice and Theory.*

"Auditor Litigation, Audit Office Pricing and Client Acceptance" (with Chan Li and Nandu Nagarajan). Under revision for the second round review at The Accounting Review.

"Auditor Litigation: Consequence for Peer Auditors" (with Sean Cao, Gans Narayanamoorthy and Stephen Rowe).

"Audit Partner Tenure Management and Audit Opinions" (with Michele Frank, Chan Li and Zhifeng Yang).

"When Customers Talk, Do Analysts Listen?"

Work in Progress:

"Extraneous Negative Events and Corporate Disclosure Policy" (with Augustine Duru and Mikhail Pevzner): *writing stage*

"Product market competition and earnings management" (with Mei Feng and Yue Zhang): preliminary stage, Funded by 2015 David Berg Center Doctoral Research Award

"Political Activities and Analyst Forecast" (with Zhifeng Yang): preliminary stage

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Senior Auditor

Ernst and Young LLP *Areas of Specialty: IFRS, IPOs,*

2007 - 2010

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Instructor: Financial Accounting Summer 2014, Fall 2014, Fall 2015

TA: Financial Accounting Fall 2013

Tutor: MBA Financial Accounting Fall 2013

ACADEMIC SERVICE

Discussant

AAA Annual Meeting, 2013

Reviewer

- AAA Financial Accounting and Reporting Section Midyear Conference, 2015/2014
- AAA Auditing Section Midyear Conference, 2015/2014
- AAA Annual Meeting, 2012/2013/2014

PRESENTATIONS

"Auditor Litigation, Audit Office Pricing and Client Acceptance"

- AAA Annual Meeting, 2015
- AAA Auditing Section Midyear Conference, 2015
- University of Pittsburgh, 2014
- "Audit Partner Tenure Management and Audit Opinions"
- University of Pittsburgh, 2014
- "When Customers Talk, Do Analysts Listen?"
- University of Pittsburgh, 2015

REFERENCES

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Mei Feng, Associate Professor of Business Administration Email: mfeng@katz.pitt.edu Phone: (412) 624-1347