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Academic Experience

University of Alberta
Associate Professor (with tenure), July 2019 - Present
Assistant Professor, January 2014 – June 2019

Baruch College – City University of New York
Assistant Professor, September 2007 - December 2013

Education

Ph.D. in Business Administration (Accounting)
University of Washington, 2007

Master of Professional Accounting
University of Washington, 2002

B.A. in Business Administration (Accounting), *summa cum laude*
University of Washington, 2001

Research and Teaching Interests

Research: Financial reporting, market efficiency, anomalies, and pension accounting

Teaching: Financial accounting and managerial accounting

Publications

“Does Accounting Conservatism Reduce Overpricing Caused by Short Sales Constraints?” with Shamin Mashruwala, *Contemporary Accounting Research*, 2018, 35(4), 2160-2190.

“The Value and Credit Relevance of Multiemployer Pension Plan Obligations” with Ting Chen, Xiumin Martin, and Shamin Mashruwala, *The Accounting Review*, 2015, 90(5), 1907-1938.

“Is There a ‘Torpedo Effect’ in Earnings Announcement Returns? The Role of Short-Sales Constraints and Investor Disagreement” with Shamin Mashruwala, *Journal of Accounting, Auditing, and Finance*, 2014, 29(4), 519-546.

“The Pricing of Accruals Quality: January versus the Rest of the Year” with Shamin Mashruwala. *The Accounting Review* 2011, 86(4), 1349-1381.

“Why is the accrual anomaly not arbitrated away? The role of idiosyncratic risk and transaction costs” with Shivaram Rajgopal and Terry Shevlin, *Journal of Accounting and Economics* 2006, 42 (1-2), 3-33.

Working Papers

“Real and reporting effects of IFRS induced accounting changes for convertible debt” with Mark Huson, Shamin Mashruwala, and Heather Wier

“Stock Repurchases: EPS Effects vs. Wealth Transfer Effects” with Shamin Mashruwala

Teaching Experience

University of Alberta

- Intermediate Financial Accounting I (undergraduate)
- Intermediate Managerial Accounting (undergraduate)
- Introductory Managerial Accounting (MBA)

Baruch College

- Intermediate Financial Accounting I (undergraduate)
- Introductory Financial Accounting (undergraduate)

University of Washington

- Introductory Financial Accounting - recitation sections (undergraduate)
- Introductory Managerial Accounting - recitation sections (undergraduate)
- Managerial Accounting - teaching assistant (MBA)

Presentations

Annual Meeting, Canadian Academic Accounting Association, 2018

Oregon State University, 2015

DePaul University, 2013

Fordham University, 2013

University of Alberta, 2013

University of Washington at Bothell, 2012

University of Illinois at Chicago, 2012

FARS Meeting, American Accounting Association, 2010

Annual Meeting, American Accounting Association, 2009

University of Minnesota, 2007
Georgetown University, 2007
Baruch College, 2007, 2008, 2012
University of Washington, 2003, 2005, 2006

Conference Participation

Annual Meeting, Canadian Academic Accounting Association, 2018
Annual Meeting, American Accounting Association, 2003, 2005, 2009, 2012, 2015, 2017
University of Alberta Accounting Research Conference - Banff, 2014, 2015
University of Calgary/Temple University Banff Conference, 2015
European Accounting Association Annual Congress, 2014
Baruch-SWUFE Conference, 2010, 2011
Review of Accounting Studies Conference, 2010
Contemporary Accounting Research Conference, 2008, 2010
FARS Meeting, American Accounting Association, 2010
Journal of Accounting, Auditing, and Finance Conference, 2008, 2009
Four Schools Conference (Baruch, Columbia, NYU, Rutgers), 2008
New Faculty Consortium, American Accounting Association, 2008
UBCOW Conference (Universities of British Columbia, Oregon, and Washington), 2003-2007
Journal of Accounting and Economics Conference 2004, 2005
PAC 10 Doctoral Consortium, 2003, 2004

Professional Service

Scientific Committee for the Canadian Academic Accounting Association's (CAAA) Annual Conference, 2018 and 2019

Ad Hoc Referee for *The Accounting Review*; *Review of Accounting Studies*; *Accounting Horizons*; *Journal of Accounting, Auditing, and Finance*; *Journal of Accounting and Public Policy*; *Advances in Accounting*; and the AAA Annual Meeting

University Service

University of Alberta

Accounting Department Teaching Committee, 2017 and 2019
Accounting Department Research Committee, 2019
PhD Dissertation Committees: Dasha Smirnow and Sarin John, 2017 and 2019
Accounting Department Winspear Chair Search Committee, 2016
School of Business Teaching and Learning Task Force, 2015

Baruch College

School of Public Affairs Curriculum Committee, 2011-2013
PhD Dissertation Committee: Sha Zhao, 2013
PhD Student Position Paper Committees: Bo Zhang, Sha Zhao, Anna Brown, 2008-2011

Faculty Advisor for PWC xTax Case Competition, 2009-2010
Faculty Advisor for Association of Latino Professionals in Finance and Accounting,
2007-2009

Honors and Awards

PSC-CUNY Research Award, Baruch College-CUNY, 2008-2011
Stan Ross Scholar, Baruch College-CUNY, 2011
Irving Weinstein Scholar, Baruch College-CUNY, 2009
Ninth Highest Score on CPA Exam in Washington State, 2002
Phi Beta Kappa, 2001