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Academic Appointments

Texas A&M University | Mays Business School
Assistant Professor of Finance

College Station, TX
2019–Present

Education

University of North Carolina | Kenan-Flagler Business School
Ph.D. in Finance

2020

Utah State University | Jon M. Huntsman School of Business
M.S. in Financial Economics
B.S. in Economics

2014

2012

Publications

1. [Predicting Anomalies](#)
With Adam Reed, Matthew Ringgenberg, and Jacob Thornock.
Journal of Financial Economics, forthcoming.
2. [Anomaly Time](#)
With Adam Reed, Matthew Ringgenberg, and Jacob Thornock.
Journal of Finance, 2024, 79(5): 3543–3579.
3. [Gambling Preferences, Options Markets, and Volatility](#)
With Ben Blau and Ryan Whitby.
Journal of Financial and Quantitative Analysis, 2016, 51(2): 515–540.

Working Papers

4. [Co-searching for Alpha](#)
With Dora Horstman and Xiaan Zhou.
Invited to resubmit, *Journal of Financial and Quantitative Analysis*.
5. [Don't Sweat the Clear Stuff: Mutual Fund Shorts and Research Intensity](#)
With Adam Reed.
Revise and resubmit, *Journal of Financial and Quantitative Analysis*.
Best Paper Award in Investments, Southwestern Finance Association, 2024.
6. [Factor Time](#)
With Adam Reed, Matthew Ringgenberg, and Jacob Thornock.
7. [Identity-Linked Monitoring and Portfolio Choice](#)
With Dora Horstman and Shimeng Wang.
8. [\(Not\) Everybody's Working for the Weekend: A Study of Mutual Fund Manager Effort](#)
With Richard Evans.
Invited to resubmit, *Journal of Finance*.
9. [Talking to Digital Twins: Selective Disclosure and Belief Measurement in Financial Social Media](#)
With Raymond Duch and Sorin Sorescu.

Honors and Awards

Montague–Center for Teaching Excellence Scholar, Texas A&M University	2025–2026
Semifinalist for Best Paper Award in Investments, Financial Management Association	2025
Best Paper Award in Investments, Southwestern Finance Association	2024
Outstanding MBA Faculty Award, Mays Business School	2023
Semifinalist for Best Paper Award in Investments, Financial Management Association	2019

Presentations

Invited Academic Seminars

2026	Brigham Young University (scheduled).
2025	Brigham Young University; Colorado State University.
2024	Baylor University; University of Cologne Center for Financial Research; Louisiana State University.
2019	Florida State University; Lehigh University; Michigan State University; Texas A&M University; University of Georgia; University of Virginia Darden; Virginia Tech.
2018	Brigham Young University.

Conference and Other Research Presentations

** indicates a coauthor presentation. University entries denote seminars.*

2026	Alpine Finance Summit [*] ; Northern Finance Association (scheduled); Financial Management Association [*] (scheduled); AI in Business Conference Ohio State University (scheduled); Southern Finance Association [*] (scheduled).
2025	American Finance Association; Jackson Hole Finance Conference; Finance Down Under; Paris Hedge Fund Research Conference [*] ; FMA Consortium on Asset Management [*] ; European Winter Finance Summit [*] ; Finance and Accounting Annual Research Symposium [*] ; Southern Finance Association [*] ; Alpine Finance Summit; Modern Finance Conference; Financial Management Association [*] ; Modern Risk Society (MRS) International Risk Conference [*] ; Virginia Tech [*] .
2024	Paris Hedge Fund Research Conference; Southwestern Finance Association; Eastern Finance Association (×2); Midwest Finance Association; World Symposium on Investment Research [*] ; Annual HKU Summer Finance Workshop [*] ; European Finance Association; Quantitative Finance and Risk Analysis Symposium [*] ; Financial Management Association (New Ideas Session) [*] ; Financial Research Association (New Ideas Session); Tinbergen Institute / Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam [*] ; Michigan State University [*] ; Universidad Adolfo Ibáñez [*] .
2023	Paris Hedge Fund Research Conference; Financial Markets and Corporate Governance Conference; Finance and Accounting Annual Research Symposium; European Financial Management Association.
2022	Financial Intermediation Research Society [*] ; ITAM Finance Conference; Paris Financial Management Conference [*] .
2021	Future of Financial Information Conference; Academy of Behavioral Finance & Economics.
2020	Paris Hedge Fund Research Conference; Midwest Finance Association.
2019	Financial Management Association; Jacobs Levy Center Conference [*] ; Villanova University [*] ; York University [*] .
2018	Southern Finance Association; Paris Dauphine's Hedge Fund and Private Equity Conference [*] ; Mid-Atlantic Research Conference [*] ; University of Miami [*] ; Tulane University [*] ; University of Technology Sydney [*] ; University of Toronto [*] .

Teaching

Teaching Innovation | [Boone's Finance Boot Camp](#) 2026

Created a public, self-paced finance curriculum with 19 videos, notes, Excel workbooks, interactive calculators, and auto-graded quizzes with explanatory feedback. Integrated *VB—Virtual Boone*, an LLM teaching assistant. Covers time value of money, bonds, financial statements, free cash flow, and NPV. Developed through the Montague–Center for Teaching Excellence Scholar Award.

Curriculum Development | [Flex-Online MBA Core Finance](#) 2024–2025

Selected to design and launch the eight-week core finance course, combining financial valuation, live and asynchronous instruction, applied assignments, and interactive tools.

Texas A&M University | Mays Business School

Evaluations average sections within each term; all are out of 5.0.

FINC 612: Corporate Finance | Full-Time MBA

Fall 2026: *scheduled*; Fall 2025: 4.7; Fall 2024: 4.7; Fall 2022: 4.9; Fall 2021: 4.6.

FINC 612: Corporate Finance | Anthony Bahr '91 Engineering MBA

Fall 2026: *scheduled*; Fall 2025: 4.9.

FINC 612: Finance for the Professional | Flex-Online MBA

Spring 2027: *scheduled*; Spring 2026: 4.8; Spring 2025: 4.7.

FINC 381: Money & Capital Markets | BBA

Spring 2024: 4.7; Fall 2020: 4.8; Spring 2020: 4.8.

FINC 341: Business Finance | Online

Facilitator | Summer 2022.

FINC 409: Survey of Finance Principles | Online

Contributor | Spring 2020.

University of North Carolina | Kenan-Flagler Business School

BUSI 408: Corporate Finance | BBA

Summer 2017: 4.9.

Doctoral Advising

Dissertation committee member | Texas A&M University

Toshi Fukui (2025); placement: Monash University.

Dora Horstman (2023); placement: North Carolina State University.

Yao Han (2021); placement: Jiangxi University of Finance and Economics.

Yuan Zhou (2027, expected); Zitong Zhao; Whitney Holman.

Other Professional Experience

Cache Valley Bank

Logan, UT

Credit Analyst

2012–2014

Served as the sole credit analyst for the bank's largest lending team, underwriting and servicing commercial, real estate development, consumer, and agricultural loans. During my time with CVB, our team's rapidly growing portfolio became the first in the bank's history to surpass \$100 million in loans.

Service

Refereeing

Review of Financial Studies; Management Science; Review of Finance; Journal of Financial and Quantitative Analysis; Review of Asset Pricing Studies; Journal of Corporate Finance; Journal of Banking and Finance; North American Journal of Economics and Finance.

Conference Discussant

Midwest Finance Association (2020, 2026); Modern Finance Conference (2025); Northern Finance Association (2025); Conference on Financial Economics and Accounting (2025); Southwestern Finance Association (2024); Eastern Finance Association (2024, ×2); Alpine Finance Summit (2024); Financial Management Association (2019, 2021, 2023); Financial Markets and Corporate Governance Conference (2023); Finance and Accounting Annual Research Symposium (2023); Academy of Behavioral Finance & Economics (2021); Southern Finance Association (2018).

Conference Session Chair

Young Scholars Finance Consortium (2022, 2023, 2024, 2026); Modern Finance Conference (2025); Southwestern Finance Association (2024); Eastern Finance Association (2024); Financial Management Association (2023); North Carolina Finance Alumni Conference (2023); Academy of Behavioral Finance & Economics (2021); Lone Star Conference (2021).

Program Committees and Conference Reviewing

Program committee: Midwest Finance Association (2023–2027); Conference on Financial Economics and Accounting (2025); Young Scholars Finance Consortium (2020–2025).

Reviewer: Eastern Finance Association (2022, 2023, 2024); Southern Finance Association (2024); Southwestern Finance Association (2024).

University Service | Texas A&M University

Coordinator | PG&E Lecture Series.

Member | Finance Department Recruiting Committee.

Faculty advisor | Delta Sigma Pi; Old Army Gentlemen's Society (OLAGS); Aggie Business Brothers.

Selected Media Coverage

Texas A&M Experts | [“How Bond Prices Affect Everyone”](#) [featured expert], September 1, 2026.

Texas A&M Experts | [“Cash Only? The Pros and Cons of Credit Card Usage”](#) [featured expert].

Distributed through Associated Press *AP Campus Insights*; aired in multiple U.S. television markets, April 17–23, 2026.

Institutional Money | [“Vorgezogener Renditeeffekt”](#) | Coverage of *Anomaly Time*, Issue 2/2025, p. 114.

Rational Reminder Podcast | Episode 342 | [“Matthew Ringgenberg: When Do Anomaly Returns Happen?”](#) [coauthor interviewed regarding *Anomaly Time*], January 30, 2025.

Detroit Free Press | Susan Tompor | [“Rocket Companies stock soars 70% on speculative trading, mirroring GameStop”](#) [background contributor], March 2, 2021.

Detroit Free Press | Susan Tompor | [“Rocket stock finds itself among heavily shorted”](#) [quoted], January 30, 2021.