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#### **Undergraduate Studies**:

B.A. Finance Accounting and Management, University of Nottingham, Ningbo, China, 2005-2009

#### Masters Studies:

MSc Risk Management and Financial Engineering, Imperial College London, 2009-2010

#### Graduate Studies:

Imperial College London, 2011 - 2017 <u>Ph.D. in Finance</u> <u>Thesis Title</u>: "Media Content and Credit Risk: Empirical Analyses Based on Credit Default Swap Market"

### **Teaching and Research Fields**:

Credit Risk, Credit Default Swap (CDS), Behavioural Finance, News Sentiment China, Banking, Real Estate Economies, Financial Liberalisation

# **References:**

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# **Research Experience and Other Employment:**

2011	Venture Capital Investment Centre, Shanghai Tongji University	Research Assistant
2010	Shanghai Dazhihui Terminal Technology Co.Ltd	Market Researcher
2009	China European International Business School	Research Assistant

# **Teaching Experience:**

2015-17	MSc: Application of MATLAB in Finance (course leader; score 4.2/5)
2017	MSc: Derivatives (taught by Harjoat Bhamra; score 4.75/5)
2015-17	MBA: Financial & Management Accounting (taught by Bot-Vos Jolande; 4.4/5)
2011-15	MSc: Enterprises Risk Management (taught by Malcolm Kemp; score 4.3/5)
2013-14	MSc: Advanced Investment (taught by Enrico Biffis: score 4/5)
2012-13	MSc: Investment (taught by Ana Babus: score 4/5)
	2017 2015-17 2011-15 2013-14

# **Professional Activities**

e European Journal of Finance
ina International Conference in Finance 2017, Hangzhou
orld Finance and Banking Symposium 2016, Dubai
ian Financial Association Annual Meeting 2015, Changsha
ina International Conference in Finance 2015, Shenzhen

# Honors, Scholarships, and Fellowships:

2017-2018	Imperial College Business School, Senior Teaching Fellowship
2015-2017	Imperial College Business School, Teaching Fellowship
2015	Dean's Community Award
2012 - Present	Certificated Associate of the Professional Risk Management (PRM)
2011-2014	Imperial College Business School GTA Scholarship

# **Programming Skills**

Software:MATLAB, STATA, SAS, R, Fortran, VBA, C++, Linux for HPC operationDatabase:Bloomberg, Datastream, Markit, Wind, RavenPack, CRSP, Computstat, RiskMetrics and others

## <u>Research Papers:</u> "Financial Liberalisation and House Prices: Evidence from China" (Job Market Paper)

This paper investigates whether financial liberalisation can causally impact the Chinese real estate market, with the 2008 US financial crisis providing exogenous variation in credit supply. Using the cross-sectional variation in foreign banks' establishment and asset value, I document that cities with a higher level of financial openness have more volatile property price movements. I also show that the growth drops in the property price in 2008 are larger for cities with higher withdrawal or exit rates of overseas banks. The evidence suggests a credit supply channel. Further analyses show that the negative effect of financial liberalisation on the house price growth rate is more pronounced for more geographically constrained cities.

"Excess Co-Movement in Credit Default Swap Markets: Evidence from the CDX Indices" (with Lara Cathcart, Lina El-Jahel and Leo Evans) Revise & Resubmit at *Journal of Financial Markets* 

**"Media Content and Sovereign Credit Risk" (with Lara Cathcart, Nina Gotthelf and Matthias Uhl)** Under review at *Journal of Banking & Finance;* Presented at 2017 World Finance & Banking Symposium (Dubai), University of Zurich

"Systemic Risk, Credit Default Swaps and Bailout Guarantees" (with Enrico Biffis and Pasquale Della Corte) Presented at 2015 CICF (Shenzhen), 2015 AsianFA(Changsha)

"The Impacts of News and Investor Attention in the Credit Default Swap and Equity Markets" (with Lara Cathcart and Lina El-Jahel) Presented at 2017 CICF (Hangzhou)