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WELCOME

Recently, the emerge of technologies including Artificial Intelligence (AI) and Big Data has led to a substantial transformation in the subjects and methodology of research in accounting and finance. In order to further drive the advancement of intelligent accounting and finance research in China, School of Accounting at Dongbei University of Finance and Economics and Journal of Accounting Literature jointly organize the 2023 (1th) China Intelligent Accounting & Financial Conference (CIAFC). We would like to welcome you to the conference, which will be held in Dalian of China from May 13 to May 14, 2023.

CIAFC offers an exceptional academic forum for scholars in accounting and finance from all over the world to exchange their extensive research on a wide variety of critical topics and emerging trends that hold significant relevance not only in China, but also on a global scale.

Wish you gain many interesting and relevant insights from the conference, and have a pleasant time in Dalian!

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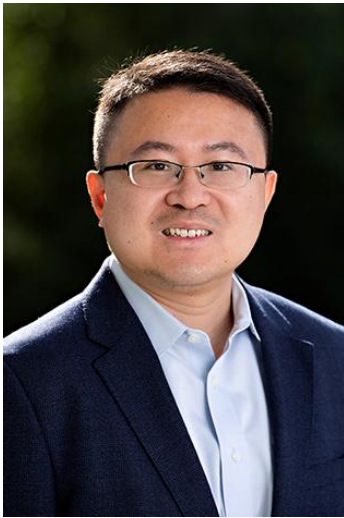
KEYNOTE SPEAKERS



Dr. **Sean Cao** is an associate professor of AI, FinTech, and sustainability (with tenure) in the Robert H. Smith School of Business at the University of Maryland. He is also an affiliated professor at Harvard Business School (D³ Institute). Dr. Cao's research has been featured in the Financial Times, CNBC, Bloomberg, The Guardian, and Quartz. To date, Dr. Cao has given over 100 invited research talks at major research universities. Dr. Cao also serves as a guest associate editor at Management Science. Dr. Cao co-chaired conferences with the Review of Financial Studies (dual submission) on Fintech and Machine Learning. (See more at <https://sites.google.com/view/seancao/home>). Dr. Cao is deeply committed to helping business communities through his research. He has been honored with the award by the Deloitte Initiative for AI and Learning (DIAL), leading to develop AI solutions for social inclusion and climate change. For teaching, Dr. Cao has been invited externally by major research universities to teach short-term doctoral seminars on AI and Fintech in finance and accounting. He also writes a textbook for AI in accounting runs a tutorial blog site (YouTube: Sean Cao_Fintech or Bilibili ID: Seancao_) that aims to help scholars outside of computer science smoothly adapt machine learning to finance and accounting research.



Professor **Qiang Cheng** is Dean and Lee Kong Chian Chair Professor of Accounting at School of Accountancy at the Singapore Management University. He joined Singapore Management University in 2011 as the Associate Dean (Research) at School of Accountancy. Dr. Cheng graduated from Tsinghua University, Beijing and received his PhD in the University of Wisconsin-Madison, US in 2002. He has previously taught at the University of Wisconsin-Madison, the University of British Columbia, and the University of Washington. An award-winning researcher and teacher, Dr. Cheng has published over thirty articles in leading scholarly accounting and finance journals, including The Accounting Review, Journal of Accounting Research, Journal of Accounting and Economics, and Journal of Financial Economics. He conducts research on various financial reporting and disclosure issues, including how corporate governance and family ownership affect corporate decisions, how investors use accounting information for valuation purposes, how executives affect financial reporting and disclosure decisions for their self-interests, and how security analysts help disseminate information in the capital markets. His current research focuses on the impact of digitalization on corporate decisions and ESG-related disclosure issues. Dr. Cheng previously served as an editor of The Accounting Review and a Council Member of the Institute of Singapore Chartered Accountants (ISCA). He currently serves on the Research Committee of the American Accounting Association (AAA). He served as the president of the Chinese Accounting Professors' Association of North America from 2009 to 2010.



Professor **Xu Jiang** is a tenured associate professor of Business Administration (Accounting) at Duke University's Fuqua School of Business. He got his PhD in accounting from the University of Minnesota in 2011. He joined Fuqua faculty in July 2012 after serving as an assistant professor of accounting at Carnegie Mellon University's Tepper School of Business from September 2011 to June 2012. Professor Jiang's research applies theory to practical issues in financial reporting, disclosure, and auditing. His current work includes the design of optimal accounting standards with a particular focus on bias and discretion, economic consequences of accounting standards with a particular focus on measurement and auditing issues, and tax incidence. His work has been published in many journals, including *Contemporary Accounting Research*, *Journal of Accounting and Economics*, *Journal of Accounting Research*, *Management Science*, and *The Accounting Review*. He receives Excellence in Reviewing award from the *Journal of Accounting Research* for the year 2021 and will serve on the Editorial and Advisory Review Board of *The Accounting Review* from June 2023. He teaches financial accounting in the Master of Management Studies, Daytime MBA and Weekend Executive MBA programs, and is the recipient of the 2016 Master of Management Studies Excellence in Teaching Award.



Bohui Zhang is Presidential Chair Professor of Finance and Executive Dean of School of Management and Economics at The Chinese University of Hong Kong, Shenzhen. He is also the associate director of Shenzhen Institute of Data Economy, and the director of the Center for FinTech and Social Finance at Shenzhen Finance Institute. Before joining CUHK Shenzhen, he was the professor of finance at UNSW Business School, UNSW Sydney, and the associate director of the Institute of Global Finance. He studies the role of information intermediaries on capital markets, Chinese and foreign capital markets, and Fintech. His papers have been accepted for publication in the global top-tier finance, accounting, and business journals. He has also been awarded with research grants from Australian Research Council, the Centre for International Finance and Regulation, Australian School of Business, and National Natural Science Foundation of China. He is also the Vice President of Asian Finance Association.



SESSION CHAIRS



Yunsen Chen is a professor and doctoral supervisor of the School of Accountancy at Central University of Finance and Economics, and also serves as the vice dean of the Graduate School. His research has been published in academic journals including the Journal of Accounting and Public Policy, the Journal of Business Finance and Accounting, the Journal of Corporate Finance, Economic Research Journal, Journal of Management World, China Economic Quarterly, and Journal of Management Sciences in China. His policy articles have been published in financial media such as the Economic Daily, Security Daily, Shanghai Securities News, and China Securities Journal. He has received various academic honors, including the National High-level Talent Youth Scholar Program, National High-end Accounting Talents of the Ministry of Finance, Longma Scholars-Young Scholars, PwC Think Young Scholars, First Prize for Young Teachers of the Fok Ying Tung Education Foundation, Second Prize for Philosophy and Social Science Achievements of Beijing, and First Prize for Outstanding Papers of the Chinese Institute of Chartered Accountants of the Ministry of Finance.



Jinhui Luo is a professor and doctoral supervisor of the Department of Accounting of the School of Management at Xiamen University, and also the chief expert of major projects of the National Social Science Foundation of China and has been selected as National Accounting Leading Talent of the Ministry of Finance, Fujian High-level A-Class Talent and Fujian “Eagle Plan” Outstanding Youth Talents. He joined Xiamen University in 2011 and his research interests include financial accounting in the capital market, corporate governance, and innovation and entrepreneurship of private enterprises. In recent years, he has published more than 60 academic papers in well-known domestic and international academic journals, including Journal of Management World, Journal of Management Sciences in China, Journal of Financial Research, Accounting Research, Journal of Accounting and Public Policy, Journal of Corporate Finance, and Journal of Banking and Finance. His research has won Fujian Provincial Social Science Excellent Achievement Award, the National 100 Excellent Management Cases, and he got the Fok Ying Tung Education Foundation Young Teacher Award, and other honors. At present, he is hosting the National Social Science Foundation of China major project to study and interpret the spirit of the Sixth Plenary Session of the Nineteenth Central Committee of the Party and has hosted several national Natural Science Foundation of China projects and provincial and ministerial research projects.



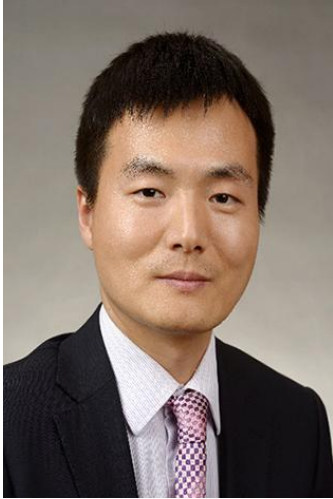
Zhiming Ma is an associate professor and doctoral supervisor of the Department of Accounting of Guanghua School of Management at Peking University. He graduated from the Hong Kong University of Science and Technology with a wide range of research interests, including debt covenants, auditing, and the intersection between accounting and finance. His academic papers were published in the Journal of Financial Economics, Journal of Accounting and Economics, Contemporary Accounting Research, Review of Accounting Studies, Journal of Financial and Quantitative Analysis, Academy of Management Journal, Accounting, Organizations and Society, Economic Research, and other international and domestic academic journals.



Chenkai Ni is an associate professor in the accounting department of Fudan University. He obtained an undergraduate degree in mechanical engineering from Peking University in 2007 and a PhD degree in accounting from National University of Singapore in 2014. His research interests include taxation, corporate governance and informational efficiency. His recent papers have appeared in leading journals such as The Accounting Review and the Journal of Financial and Quantitative Analysis.



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Youchao Tan is a professor of School of Management at Jinan University. He also serves as vice director at department of accounting and executive director of MPAcc Center. Prof. Tan has published about 30 papers in well-known domestic and international academic journals including *Economic Research Journal*, *Journal of Management World*, *Management Science*, *Research Policy*. Prof. Tan won the first prize of Tianjin Social Science Outstanding Achievement Award and the Excellent Paper Award of Accounting Institute of Finance. He also won the First Prize in national, provincial and school-level teaching competitions for 6 times.



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Qianwei Ying is a professor, doctoral supervisor and postdoctoral collaborative supervisor of the Department of Accounting and Finance at the School of Business at Sichuan University. He was selected as the National leading accounting talents (academic), Sichuan Tianfu Financial Elite, and high-level overseas talents of Sichuan Province. He was a visiting scholar at MIT Sloan School of Management, Foster School of Business at the University of Washington, and Carlson School of Management at the University of Minnesota. His "Financial Management" course was selected as a national first-class online undergraduate course. He has won over 30 awards, such as the Sichuan Provincial Special Prize for Teaching Achievements, presided over 10 national or provincial research grants, and published more than 70 papers in well-known academic journals.



Shengbao Zhai is vice-president and professor of Huaibei Normal University. His research interests include corporate finance, capital markets, corporate governance and innovation. He has published more than 70 papers in the well-known domestic and international academic journals including Journal of Management World, Accounting Research, and Accounting and Business Research. He has hosted more than ten national and provincial projects, including the National Social Science Fund, the Humanities and Social Sciences Program of the Ministry of Education, and the Social Science Key Projects of Anhui Province. He has won the second prize of the National Teaching Achievement Award and the Labor Day Medal of Anhui Province.



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CONFERENCE PROGRAM AT A GLANCE

Friday May 12th							
Registration						1F	
Saturday May 13th- Conference Day 1							
08:30-09:00	Opening Ceremony <i>Professor Yingfei Qi</i> Vice President, Dongbei University of Finance and Economics <i>Professor Xueyong Zhang</i> Editor of Journal of Accounting Literature, China Region; Dean, School of Finance, Central University of Finance and Economics			Moderator: <i>Professor Hang Liu</i> Dean, School of Accounting, Dongbei University of Finance and Economics		3F Hai Chance Ball Room (海创厅)  直播地址	
09:00-09:20	Group Photo Time						
09:20-10:20	Keynote Speech I : When to Force Firms to Shut up: Rational Inattention, Disclosure Externalities and Disclosure Regulation <i>Professor Xu Jiang</i> Duke University, online			Moderator: <i>Professor Yue Pan</i> Xiamen University			
10:20-10:30	Tea Break						
10:30-11:30	Keynote Speech II : Data Analytics and Accounting - Education and Research <i>Professor Qiang Cheng</i> Singapore Management University, online			Moderator: <i>Professor Zhiming Ma</i> Peking University			
11:30-13:30	Lunch Break						1F
13:30-15:30	Afternoon Parallel Sessions I						
	Session A1	Session A2	Session A3	Session A4	Session A5		
	Austin (奥斯汀)	Carleton (卡尔顿)	Zhongguancun (中关村)	Kista (基斯塔)	Sophia (索菲亚)	5F	
15:30-16:00	Tea Break						
16:00-17:20	Afternoon Parallel Sessions II						
	Session B1	Session B2	Session B3	Session B4	Session B5		
	Austin (奥斯汀)	Carleton (卡尔顿)	Zhongguancun (中关村)	Kista (基斯塔)	Sophia (索菲亚)	5F	
17:20-20:00	Dinner Time						
Sunday May 14th- Conference Day 2							
08:00-09:20	Morning Parallel Sessions III						
	Session C1	Session C2	Session C3	Session C4			
	Austin (奥斯汀)	Carleton (卡尔顿)	Zhongguancun (中关村)	Kista (基斯塔)		5F	



09:20-09:30	Tea Break		
09:30-10:30	<p>Keynote Speech III: The Evolving Scope of FinTech and AI: Examples and Opportunities Professor Sean Cao University of Maryland, online</p>	<p>Moderator: Professor Haoran Xu Vice Dean, School of Accounting, Dongbei University of Finance and Economics</p>	<p>3F Hai Chance Ball Room (海创厅)</p>  <p>直播地址</p>
10:30-11:30	<p>Keynote Speech IV: The Informational Role of Online Sales Professor Bohui Zhang The Chinese University of Hong Kong, Shenzhen</p>	<p>Moderator: Professor Xiaodong Zhang Vice Dean, School of Accounting, Dongbei University of Finance and Economics</p>	
11:30-12:00	<p>Closing Ceremony Speech by the representative of this year's hosting organization Professor Haoran Xu Vice Dean, School of Accounting, Dongbei University of Finance and Economics Speech by the representative of next year's hosting organization Professor Jin Hong Dean, School of Economics, Hefei University of Technology</p>	<p>Moderator: Professor Kejing Chen Vice Dean, School of Accounting, Dongbei University of Finance and Economics</p>	
12:00-13:30	Lunch Break		1F
<p>Disclaimer: Information was correct at time of printing. Any subsequent changes will be noted in the addendum.</p>			



Parallel Sessions

May 13, 2023: 13:30-15:30

Session A1, Artificial Intelligence and Digitalization I

Session Chair: Yunsen Chen

Title	Presenter	Discussant
Industrial Robots and Firm Innovation: Big Data Evidence from China	Xinran Zhang (Zhongnan University of Economics and Law)	Qiankun Gu (Wuhan University)
Supplier AI Application and Customer Audit Fees	Xiang Huang (Zhongnan University of Economics and Law)	Yingbing Jiang (Dongbei University of Finance and Economics)
Regional Digital Economy Policy, Enterprise Digital Transformation and Innovation Quality	Chuanxin Xu (Dongbei University of Finance and Economics)	Xiaojian Tang (Nanjing Agricultural University, online)

May 13, 2023: 13:30-15:30

Session A2, Stock Market I

Session Chair: Yue Pan, Wenlan Zhang

Title	Presenter	Discussant
Identifying Economic Links Using Social Media: Evidence from the Suspension of Ant Group's IPO	Bin Lyu (Shanghai University of Finance and Economics)	Jose Liu (Newcastle University, online)
Textual Similarity and Stock Return: Evidence from the Chinese Stock Market	Qiwu Guo (Newcastle University)	Yongliang Wu (Renmin University of China)
Corporate Operational Activities and Long-Term Stock Returns: A Textual Analysis	Yunjing Liu (Renmin University of China)	Kaitang Zhou (Wuhan University, online)

May 13, 2023: 13:30-15:30

Session A3, Information Disclosure I

Session Chair: Xin Zhang

Title	Presenter	Discussant
The Information Content of Corporate Disclosure Via WeChat Public Account	Tao Yuan (Nanjing University)	Wei Zhou (Shanghai University of Finance and Economics, online)
Effect of innovation disclosure in annual reports on R&D subsidies in China	Wei Zhou (Shanghai University of Finance and Economics, online)	Dapeng Tang (Dongbei University of Finance and Economics)
Shadow Optimism, Company Performance, and Investor Reaction: Evidence from Textual Analysis on Chinese Listed Companies' Full Content and Summary of Annual Report	Menglin Cui (University of Shanghai for Science and Technology, online)	Tao Yuan (Nanjing University)



May 13, 2023: 13:30-15:30

Session A4, Auditing and Corporate Governance I

Session Chair: Baolei Qi

Title	Presenter	Discussant
A handy tool makes a handyman: Audit firm informatization and audit quality in the time of Covid-19	Jing Pan (Jinan University)	Yu Wang (Dongbei University of Finance and Economics)
Competitive Pressure from Peers, Firms Sizes, and Firms' Risk-taking Behaviors: A Machine Learning Evidence	Wei Cao (Shanghai University of Finance and Economics)	Zhiying Hu (University of Science and Technology Beijing, online)
Does the Disclosure of Key Audit Matters Affect the Cost of Trade Credit? Evidence from Chinese Listed Firms	Qiongwen Hu (University of Science and Technology, Beijing)	Changli Zeng (Southwestern University of Finance and Economics, online)

May 13, 2023: 13:30-15:30

Session A5, Environmental, Social, and Governance

Session Chair: Jinhui Luo

Title	Presenter	Discussant
Socially Responsible Local Firms and Stock Market Participation: Evidence from the U.S. Household Survey	Li Yu (Nankai University)	Jiaxin Wang (Zhongnan University of Economics and Law)
Does Digital Finance Matter for Corporate Environmental Performance? Evidence From Heavily Polluting Industries	Junzi Zhang (University of Strathclyde ,online)	Li Yu (Nankai University)
Human Capital Effects of Corporate Climate Exposure	Tong Li (The University of Hong Kong)	Yunbiao Ma (Central University of Finance and Economics, online)

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Parallel Sessions

May 13, 2023: 16:00-17:20

Session B1, Artificial Intelligence and Digitalization II

Session Chair: Zhiming Ma

Title	Presenter	Discussant
Digital Transformation and Organization Power Allocation: Empirical Evidence of Chinese Listed Business Groups	Lan Luo (Xiamen University)	Kaijuan Gao (Hunan University, online)
The Impact of Industrial Robots Uses on the Cost Stickiness of Chinese Firms	Mei Zhao (Dongbei University of Finance and Economics)	Yuanyuan Liu (Xiamen University, online)

May 13, 2023: 16:00-17:20

Session B2, Stock Market II

Session Chair: Youchao Tan

Title	Presenter	Discussant
Can Online Interactions Help Level the Playing Field for Firms in Different Regions?	Yuxuan Chang (Shanghai University of Finance and Economics)	Jiaying Fan (Shanghai Lixin University of Accounting and Finance)
Corporate Culture and Corporate Misbehavior: Evidence from Stock Price Crash Risk	Di Huo (Xiamen University)	Xue Xia (Sun Yat-sen University, online)

May 13, 2023: 16:00-17:20

Session B3, Information Disclosure II

Session Chair: Chenkai Ni

Title	Presenter	Discussant
Mandatory Timely Reporting, Managerial Myopia, and Informational Feedback	Le Wang (Xi'an University of Posts & Telecommunications)	Lu Liu (Nanyang Technological University)
Signal or Pressure? Retail Investor Attention and MD&A Quality	Lu Wang (Dongbei University of Finance and Economics)	Le Wang (Xi'an University of Posts & Telecommunications)



May 13, 2023: 16:00-17:20

Session B4, Auditing and Corporate Governance II

Session Chair: Hongxian Zhen

Title	Presenter	Discussant
Enterprise Digital Transformation and Audit Quality—— Empirical Evidence from Annual Reports of Chinese Listed Companies	Ruyi Chen (Dongbei University of Finance and Economics)	Shaowei Zhang (Dongbei University of Finance and Economics)
The Communicative Value of Key Audit Matters in M&As: The Effect of Performance Commitments	Xiang Luo (Southwest Jiaotong University)	Dongyan Mo (Dongbei University of Finance and Economics)

May 13, 2023: 16:00-17:20

Session B5, Analyst Behavior

Session Chair: Qianwei Ying

Title	Presenter	Discussant
Information Advantage or Interest Conflict? What Can Investors Tell From the Textual Features of Affiliated Analysts?	Jing Liu (Harbin Institute of Technology)	Bo Liu (Dongbei University of Finance and Economics)
Does State Affiliation Create Information Advantage to Financial Analysts	Bo Liu (Dongbei University of Finance and Economics)	Jing Liu (Harbin Institute of Technology)

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Parallel Sessions

May 14, 2023: 08:00-09:20
Session C1, Mergers and Acquisitions
Session Chair: Shengbao Zhai

Title	Presenter	Discussant
Regional Financial Development and Corporate Vertical Integration: A Quasi-natural Experiment of City Commercial Banks in China	Chunxiao Geng (Shandong University)	Yu You (Hubei Minzu University, online)
Characteristics and Economic Consequences of Mergers and Acquisitions in China's High-Tech Enterprises	Yu You (Hubei Minzu University, online)	Chunxiao Geng (Shandong University)

May 14, 2023: 08:00-09:20
Session C2, Firm Investment
Session Chair: Min Zhang

Title	Presenter	Discussant
Artificial Intelligence and Corporate Financialization: Evidence from China	Wanxin Feng (Shanghai University of Finance and Economics)	Yuen Lin (Jilin University, online)
Maturity mismatched investment, digital financial inclusion, and digital orientation: Evidence from China	Meng Xu (Harbin Engineering University)	Song Tang (Shanghai University of Finance and Economics, online)

May 14, 2023: 08:00-09:20
Session C3, Macro-policy and Firm Behavior
Session Chair: Chao Yan

Title	Presenter	Discussant
Digital Infrastructure Construction and Enterprise Innovation Risk——A Quasi-natural Experiment Based on "Broadband China" Strategy	Dapeng Tang (Dongbei University of Finance and Economics)	Kai Wu (Central University of Finance and Economics, online)
The Real Impact of An Efficient Taxation System	Shaoqing Kang (Shanghai Jiao Tong University)	Xin Yuan (Dongbei University of Finance and Economics)



May 14, 2023: 08:00-09:20

Session C4, Asset Pricing

Session Chair: Weimin Xie

Title	Presenter	Discussant
Ridge Latent Factors	Yuanqi Yang (Central University of Finance and Economics)	Zhaobo Zhu (Shenzhen University)
In Search of Cryptocurrency Failure	Zhaobo Zhu (Shenzhen University)	Yifeng Zhu (Central University of Finance and Economics, online)

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