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Academic Positions

2018.7–present	Professor, Arizona State University.
2014.8–2018.6	Associate Professor, Arizona State University.
2011.8–2014.7	Associate Professor, Baruch College.
2005.8–2011.5	Assistant Professor, Purdue University.
2021.9–2021.10	Visiting Scholar of Accountancy, City University of Hong Kong.
2011.5–2011.6	Visiting Scholar of Accountancy, City University of Hong Kong.
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Education

Ph.D. in Accounting, University of British Columbia, 2005.

Master in Accounting, Renmin University of China, 2000.

Bachelor in Accounting, Northeastern University, China (with distinction), 1997.

Research Interest

Disclosure, labor, technology, misconduct, tax avoidance, and shareholder activism.

Citations

7,601 citations on Google Scholar as of 10/1/2026.

Publications

1. Yinghua Li, Haotian Shi, Stephen Teng Sun, and Xiao Xiao, 2026. Capital Markets Regulation and Human Capital Investments: Evidence from SOX and Accounting Major Choice. *Review of Accounting Studies* 31: 2486–2519.
2. Young Hoon Kim, Yinghua Li, and Dechun Wang, 2025. Does Audit Partner Individualism Reduce Client Earnings Comparability? Evidence from the U.S. *Contemporary Accounting Research* 42:2090–2121.

3. Yinghua Li, Yupeng Lin, Xiaojiao Wang, and Shijie Yang, 2024. Wall Street and Product Quality: The Duality of Analysts. *The Accounting Review* 99(5): 387–420.
4. Sean Cao, Yinghua Li, and Guang Ma, 2022. Labor Market Benefit of Disaggregated Disclosure. *Contemporary Accounting Research* 39(3), 1726–1757.
5. Rajiv D. Banker, Rong Huang, Yinghua Li, and Sha Zhao, 2021. Impact of Mandatory IFRS Adoption on Firm Productivity. *Production and Operations Management* 30(1), 68–84.
6. Inder Khurana, Yinghua Li, and Wei Wang, 2018. The Effects of Hedge Fund Interventions on Strategic Firm Behavior. *Management Science* 64(9), 4094–4117.
7. Yinghua Li, Yupeng Lin, and Liandong Zhang, 2018. Trade Secrets Law and Corporate Disclosure: Causal Evidence on the Proprietary Cost Hypothesis. *Journal of Accounting Research* 56(1), 265–308.
8. C.S. Agnes Cheng, Henry He Huang, and Yinghua Li, 2016. Does Shareholder Litigation Deter Insider Trading? *Journal of Law, Finance, and Accounting* 1(2), 275–318.
9. Yinghua Li, and Liandong Zhang, 2015. Short Selling Pressure, Stock Price Behavior, and Management Forecast Precision: Evidence from a Natural Experiment. *Journal of Accounting Research* 53(1), 79–117.
10. C.S. Agnes Cheng, Henry He Huang, and Yinghua Li, 2015. Hedge Fund Intervention and Accounting Conservatism. *Contemporary Accounting Research* 32(1), 392–421.
11. Mark DeFond, Mingyi Hung, Siqi Li, and Yinghua Li, 2015. Does Mandatory IFRS Adoption Affect Crash Risk? *The Accounting Review* 90(1), 265–299.
12. C.S. Agnes Cheng, Henry He Huang, Yinghua Li, and Jason Stanfield, 2012. The Effect of Hedge Fund Activism on Corporate Tax Avoidance. *The Accounting Review* 87(5), 1493–1526.
13. Jeong-Bon Kim, Yinghua Li, and Liandong Zhang, 2011b. CFOs versus CEOs: Equity Incentives and Crashes. *Journal of Financial Economics* 101, 713–730.
14. Jeong-Bon Kim, Yinghua Li, and Liandong Zhang, 2011a. Corporate Tax Avoidance and Stock Price Crash Risk: Firm-Level Analysis. *Journal of Financial Economics* 100, 639–662.
15. C.S. Agnes Cheng, Henry He Huang, Yinghua Li, and Gerald J. Lobo, 2010. Institutional Monitoring through Shareholder Litigation. *Journal of Financial Economics* 95, 356–383.

16. Yinghua Li, 2009. Shareholder Litigation, Management Forecasts, and Productive Decisions during the Initial Public Offerings. *Journal of Accounting and Public Policy* 28, 1–15.
17. Joy Begley, Sandra Chamberlain, and Yinghua Li, 2006. Modeling Goodwill for Banks: A Residual Income Approach with Empirical Tests. *Contemporary Accounting Research* 23(1), 31–68.

Professional Services

AAA International Accounting Section (IAS) Outstanding Dissertation Committee, 2023–2025.

Editorial Advisory and Review Board, *The Accounting Review*, 2016–2023.

Editorial Review Board, *Journal of International Business Studies*, 2025–present.

Editorial Board, *Journal of International Accounting Research*, 2017–present.

Editor, *China Accounting and Finance Review*, 2019–2022.

Editorial Board, 2016 *Journal of Accounting, Auditing, and Finance* Conference.

Ad hoc Reviewer for Scholarly Journals:

The Accounting Review, Journal of Accounting Research, Journal of Accounting and Economics, Contemporary Accounting Research, Review of Accounting Studies, Review of Financial Studies, Journal of Financial and Quantitative Analysis, Management Science, Journal of International Business Studies, Journal of International Accounting Research, Production and Operations Management, Asia-Pacific Journal of Accounting & Economics, European Accounting Review, European Financial Management, Financial Management, Journal of Accounting Auditing and Finance, Journal of Accounting and Public Policy, Journal of the American Tax Association, Journal of Contemporary Accounting and Economics, Review of Quantitative Finance and Accounting.

Other Review Activities:

American Accounting Association (AAA) Annual Meetings, Chinese Accounting Professors' Association of North America (CAPANA) Annual Research Conferences, European Finance Association (EFA) Annual Meetings, Financial Accounting and Reporting Section (FARS) Mid-Year Meetings, Hong Kong Research Grants Council (RGC), Midwest American Accounting Association Meetings, and Society for Financial Studies (SFS) Cavalcade Conference.