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- ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT** **Hong Kong University of Science and Technology (HKUST)**
Assistant Professor of Finance, 2020-
- EDUCATION** **London Business School**, London, UK
Ph.D. Finance, 2020
M.Res. Finance, 2016
- Delhi School of Economics**, Delhi, India
M.A. Economics, 2011
- Presidency College**, Kolkata, India
B.Sc. (Major in Economics), 2009
- PUBLICATIONS** **Experience of Communal Conflict and Inter-group Lending** (with Raymond Fisman, Janis Skrastins and Vikrant Vig)
Journal of Political Economy, Forthcoming.
- Effects of CEO Turnover in Banks: Evidence Using Exogenous Turnovers in Indian Banks** (with Krishnamurthy Subramanian and Prasanna Tantri)
Journal of Financial and Quantitative Analysis 54.1 (2019): 183-214.
- WORKING PAPERS** **Firm Boundaries and Political Uncertainty: Evidence Using State Elections in India**
Cubist Systematic Strategies Ph.D. Candidate Award for Outstanding Research (WFA)
- Policy Uncertainty, Multinational Firms and Reallocation**
- CONFERENCE AND SEMINARS** 2020: HEC Lausanne, Ohio State University, Oklahoma University, Hong Kong University of Science and Technology, Hong Kong University, Chinese University of Hong Kong, Stockholm School of Economics, University of Texas at Dallas, University of Connecticut, Centre for Analytical Finance (CAF) Summer Research Conference (Scheduled)
- 2019: HEC Paris Finance PhD Workshop, LBS Alumni Workshop, CAFRAL-Imperial College Business School Conference on “Financial Intermediation in Emerging Markets”, Trans Atlantic Doctoral Conference (TADC)
- 2018: Financial Research Workshop IIM Calcutta, China International Conference in Finance (CICF), Wheeler Institute Ph.D. Conference, Trans Atlantic Doctoral Conference (TADC)
- 2017: Western Finance Association (WFA), Centre for Analytical Finance (CAF) Summer Research Conference, Trans Atlantic Doctoral Conference (TADC), American Finance Association (AFA), PhD Poster Session
- HONORS, AWARDS AND GRANTS** Wheeler institute for business and development research grant, 2019
AQR institute research grant, 2018
Cubist Systematic Strategies Ph.D. Candidate Award for Outstanding Research (WFA), 2017
AFA Doctoral Travel grant, 2017
London Business School Ph.D. Programme Financial Award, 2014-2019
ESRC PhD Scholarship, 2014-2019
National Centre for Advanced Studies Award, Delhi School of Economics, 2009–2011

TEACHING EXPERIENCE Teaching assistant, Corporate Finance (EMBA) for Vikrant Vig (2020)
Teaching assistant, Corporate Finance (EMBA) for Ian Cooper (2015- 2019)
Teaching assistant, Advanced Corporate Finance (MBA & MiF) for Taylor Begley (2014-2015)
Teaching assistant, Mergers, MBOs and Other Corporate Reorganizations (MBA & MiF) for Stefan Lewellen (2016- 2017)

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE **Referee:** Review of Economics and Statistics
Conference Organization: TADC 2016, London

OTHER EMPLOYMENT Researcher, Centre for Analytical Finance (Indian School of Business), India 2013-2014
Economist (ICICI Bank), India, 2011–2012

RELEVANT SKILLS Computing: ArcGIS, EViews, Matlab, SAS, Stata

PERSONAL INFORMATION Citizenship: Indian
Languages: Bengali (Native), English (Fluent), Hindi (Fluent)

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