

# Bei Dong

## EDUCATION

- Ph.D. Accountancy, Michigan State University, May 2008
- B.S., Finance, Guanghua School of Management, Peking University, 1999

## RESEARCH and TEACHING INTERESTS

- Research: Causes and consequences of accounting choices, voluntary disclosures, earnings management and benchmarks, regulation and standard setting issues and capital market
- Teaching: Financial Statement Analysis, Financial Accounting and Reporting

## PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATION and ACTIVITIES

American Accounting Association

Discussant for the American Accounting Association Northeast Region Meeting 2008

Ad hoc reviewer for *Advances in Accounting* 2009

## WORKING PAPERS

- Submitted for publication
  - “The Discretionary Reporting of Noncontrolling Interests and Its Association with the Market Assessment of Credit Risk”; accepted by 2010 Journal of Contemporary Accounting & Economics Conference on 11/13/2009; accepted by 2011 AAASW conference; accepted by 2011 AAA conference; submitted to Accounting Horizon on 03/01/2011
  - “An empirical analysis of the decline in the information content of auditors’ going concern opinion” with Dahlia Robinson and Michael Robinson; submitted to the Accounting Review on 02/17/2011
- Data analysis
  - “Earnings Announcements: Intraday Market Reactions and Timing Strategies” with Edward Li (University of Rochester), K. Ramesh (Rice University), Min Shen (George Mason University); presented at Texas Christian University, University of South Florida, University of Rochester, and Rice University; targeting at submitting to Journal of Accounting and Economics by the end of the May, 2011
  - “An re-examination of analysts’ superiority over time-series model – random walk, random walk with drift, and unobserved component model”

with K. Ramesh (Rice University); targeting at submitting to Review of Accounting Studies by the end of July, 2011

- “Short Sales and Earnings Strings” with K. Ramesh (Rice University); presented at University of Oregon, Washington State University, Michigan State University, and University of South Florida; targeting at submitting to Contemporary Accounting Research by the end of August.
- "Insider trading, Earnings Management, and Bankruptcy" with Dahlia Robinson and Michael Robinson
- Data Collection (finished data collection and started preliminary data analysis)
  - “An examination of the strategic timing of earnings announcements and trading halts” with Edward Li (University of Rochester), K. Ramesh (Rice University), Min Shen (George Mason University)
  - “Information dissemination between conference call and earnings announcements: an examination of the strategic timing of earnings announcement and conference call” with Edward Li (University of Rochester), K. Ramesh (Rice University), Min Shen (George Mason University)

## **PRESENTATION**

- West Michigan University
- University of South Florida (Tampa campus)
- University of South Florida (Lakeland campus)
- 2008 AAANE conference
- 2011 AAASW conference

## **TEACHING**

Assistant Professor (Fall 2008 - current), University of South Florida

- Financial Accounting for MBA and EMBA

Assistant Professor (Fall 2007 and Spring 2008), University of South Florida

- Intermediate Financial Accounting I

Adjunct Professor (Fall 2006), University of South Florida

- Intermediate Financial Accounting I

Instructor (Summer 2002, 2003, 2005, and 2006), Michigan State University

- Principles of Financial Accounting (2 sessions with full responsibilities)

- Principles of Management Accounting (2 sessions with full responsibilities)

Teaching Assistant (Spring 2002 and Spring 2003), Michigan State University

- Principles of Financial Accounting
- Principles of Management Accounting

## **HONORS**

- 2001 – 2005: Research Assistantship, Michigan State University
- 1999: Graduate Fellowship, Graduate School of Chinese Academy of Social Science
- 1999: Outstanding Graduate, Peking University
- 1995 – 1998: Fellowships for outstanding academic performance in three consecutive academic years, Peking University
- 1995: Outstanding Student from Beijing Municipal Education Bureau (top 3% of all the undergraduates in Beijing receive this award)

## **CONFERENCE ATTENDED**

- 2011 AAA Southwest Regional Conference, Houston, TX, 03/09 – 03/12
- 2010 AAA Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA, 08/01 - 08/05
- 2009 AAA Annual Meeting, New York, NY, 08/01 – 08/05
- 2009 AAA New Faculty Consortium, Leesburg, Virginia, 02/05 – 02/08
- 2008 American Accounting Association Northeast Region Meeting, Newport, RI, 11/06 – 11/08
- 2008 AAA Annual Meeting, Anaheim, CA, 08/03 – 08/06
- 2007 AAA Annual Meeting, Chicago, 08/05 – 08/08
- International Accounting Consortium, March 2002, Seattle (University of Washington)

## **SERVICE**

- Committee member of Patty Trask (honor student majoring in Accounting and International Business)
- School of Accountancy Instructor Search Committee 2010
- Ad hoc reviewer for *Advances in Accounting* 2009
- COBA library committee 2009
- Supervisor of EMBA student summer project
- Grade Ph.D. students comprehensive exams 2009
- Discussant for the American Accounting Association Northeast Region Meeting 2008
- 2009 AAA New Faculty Consortium, Leesburg, Virginia, 02/05 – 02/08
- Discussant in 2008 American Accounting Association Northeast Region Meeting, Newport, RI, 11/06 – 11/08
- 2007 – 2011 Financial QIP committee