Xiao Yin

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RESEARCH INTERESTS

• Household Finance, Macroeconomics, Behavioral Economics, Financial Intermediaries, Asset Pricing

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

• UCL London, UK

Department of Economics, School of Management Assistant Professor of Economics and Finance

2023 -

EDUCATION

• UC Berkeley, CA

Haas School of Business

Ph.D. in Finance 2023

M.S. in Finance with Distinction 2020

• University of Washington Seattle, WA

B.S. in Economics with Honor 2016

B.S. in Statistics 2016

WORKING PAPERS

- Higher-Order Beliefs and Risky Asset Holdings, 12/2024 with Yuriy Gorodnichenko
- Subjective Income Expectations and Household Debt Choices, 11/2024 with Francesco D'Acunto and Michael Weber
- Learning in the Limit: Income Inference from Credit Extensions, 10/2024 R&R at Journal of Finance
- Interest Rate Misperception in the Credit Card Market, 10/2024 with Tianyu Han
- The Effects of Big Data on Commercial Banks, 10/2024
- Investing in Lending Technology: IT Spending in Banking, 01/2024 with Zhiguo He, Sheila Jiang, and Douglus Xu
 R&R at Management Science

Presentations

• 2025 (including scheduled)

American Finance Association Annual Meeting; Georgia Tech-Atlanta Fed Household Finance Conference; SFS Cavalcade; Western Finance Association

2024

Bank of Italy, Bocconi University and CEPR Conference on Financial Stability and Regulation; City, University of London (Bayes); Duke/UNC Asset Pricing Conference; Fama-Miller RP Reunion Conference; FDIC Consumer Research Symposium; FRB Macro Seeds Conference; ISMS Marketing Science Conference; London Behavioral Finance Group Meeting; Stockholm Debt Relief Workshop; University of Bonn; Venice Summer Institute 2024; 13th MoFiR workshop on Banking; 22nd Annual International Industrial Organization Conference; 2024 Advances with Field Experiments Conference; 14th ifo Conference on Macroeconomics and Survey Data

2023

American Economic Association; CU Boulder; CUNY Baruch; GA Tech; Indiana Bloomington; MSU; UCL; Oxford; Western Finance Association; Young Scholars Finance Consortium

2022

UC Berkeley; CKGSB; PKU

DISCUSSION

• 2025 (including scheduled)

Goetzmann, W. N. and Kim, D., and Shiller, R. J.: *Emotions and Subjective Crash Beliefs* Midwest Finance Association

2024

Couts, S. J. and Gonçalves, A. S. and Loudis, J.: The Subjective Risk and Return Expectations of Institutional Investors WashU Finance Conference

Li, Z. and Van Nieuwerburgh, S. and Renxuan, W.: Understanding Rationality and Disagreement in House Price Expectations European Finance Association

Bessen, J. E. and Wang, X.: The Intangible Divide: Why Do So Few Firms Invest in Innovation? 22nd Annual International Industrial Organization Conference

Professional Services

• Referee

American Economic Review, European Economic Review, Journal of Banking and Finance, Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization, Journal of Financial and Quantitative Analysis, Review of Economic Studies.

Conference Co-organizer	
London FIT Workshop	2023-
Micro and Macro Implications for Household Finance	2023-
Teaching	
• Instructor	UCL
Big Data Analytics (Master of Finance)	2025-
Financial Econometrics (Master of Finance)	2023-
• Teaching Assistant	UC Berkeley, Haas
Behavioral Finance (Master of Financial Engineering)	2022 - 2023
Digital Finance (Berkeley Executive Education)	2022
Empirical Methods in Finance (Master of Financial Engineering)	2020
Previous Employment	
• Research Professional	Chicago, IL
Booth School of Business, University of Chicago	2016 - 2018
Academic Visits	
Bank of Communications	Shanghai/Zhengzhou, China
	2019, 2021
AWARDS AND RESEARCH GRANTS	

WFA Brattle Group Ph D. Candid

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Fisher Center Research Grant	2022 - 2023
Institute for Business Innovation Peter T. Jones Fund	2022
Institute for Business Innovation Wu Family Fellowship Fund (wih Tianyu Han)	2022

SKILLS

• Python, Stata, SAS, Matlab, Mathematica, R, Julia, Java.