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EDUCATION

Cornell University , SC Johnson College of Business Ph.D. in Finance	Ithaca, U.S. 2022-Present
Renmin University of China , School of Finance M.A. in Finance	Beijing, China 2019-2022
Renmin University of China , School of Finance B.A. in Economics	Beijing, China 2015-2019

WORK IN PROGRESS

“Public Market Valuations and Private Innovation: Evidence from the Biotech Industry”

- ***Presentations:*** Cornell Finance PhD seminar (2025 x2)

“Monitoring Technology and Venture Capital Financing”

- ***Presentations:*** Cornell Finance PhD seminar (2026)

“Insider Trading Around In-Kind Venture Capital Distributions” (with Minmo Gahng and David Robinson)

“Innovation Financing Overhang” (with Minmo Gahng and Blake Jackson)

RESEARCH & TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Research Assistance for

Prof. Minmo Gahng, Cornell University (2024)
Prof. Lawrence Jin, Cornell University (2023)
Prof. Dong Lu, Renmin University of China (2021)

Teaching Assistance for

Undergraduate Courses

AEM 4572 Entrepreneurial Finance and Private Equity (Minmo Gahng, Spring 2026)

Graduate & MBA Courses

NBAT 5900 Advanced Topics in Finance (Ming Huang, Fall 2025)
NBAB 6560 Valuation (Pamela Moulton, Summer 2024 & 2025 & 2026)
NBA 5420 Investment and Portfolio Management (Matthew Baron, Spring 2024 & 2025)
NBA 5980 Behavioral Finance (Matthew Baron, Spring 2024 & 2025)

AWARDS AND FELLOWSHIPS

NBER Entrepreneurship Research Boot Camp	2026
Harold L. Bache Doctoral Fellowship in Finance	2025

Cornell PhD GRA Fellowship	2022-2026
First-class Graduate Scholarship, Renmin University of China	2019-2021
Group 2nd Place, 2018 Cornell International Real Estate Case Competition	2018
Undergraduate Innovation Training Program Grant, Renmin University of China	2017

NON-ACADEMIC EXPERIENCES

Capital Securities: Intern, Asset Management Division, Beijing, China	2020
Yinhua Fund Management: ETF Team Intern, Beijing, China	2019

OTHERS

Programming: Stata, Python, R, LaTeX, Matlab
Passed PhD qualifying Exams: Finance in Feb 2025; Economics in June 2023