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CONFERENCE PAPERS

Jie Chen, Accounting
"Causes or Consequences? Earnings Management Around Seasoned Equity Offerings", with Z. Gu and Y. Tang, American Finance Association Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA, January 2009.

Abby Clay Turner, Economics & Public Policy
"Testing 1, 2, 3: An Analysis of 4Sight in Pennsylvania", with R. Strauss, American Education Finance Association Conference, Nashville, TN March 2009.

Vincent Glode, Financial Economics
"Information Spillovers and Performance Persistence in Private Equity Partnerships", with R. Green, London Business School Private Equity Symposium, London, England, June 2009.

Canan Gunes, Operations Management
"An Analysis of Greater Pittsburgh Community Food Bank" poster presentation, with W. van Hoeve and S. Tayur, Humanitarian Logistics Conference, Georgia Tech, Atlanta, GA, February 2009.

Benjamin Holcblat, Economics
"More Efficient Bootstrapping for GMM", SIMA (Applied Microeconomics) Seminar, Université de Paris I – Panthéon-Sorbonne, Paris, France, March 2009.

Bao-Jun Jiang, Information Systems
"Competitive Responses of Advertising and Promotion to Consumer Reviews", with K. Srinivasan, INFORMS Marketing Science Conference, Ann Arbor, MI, June 2009.

Ari Kang, Economics
"Parental Choices and the Future of Children", Midwest Economics Association Annual Meeting, Cleveland, OH, March 2009.

Peter Stuettgen, Marketing
"Where's the Beef? Estimating Inventory Position, Shrinkage, and Out-of-Stocks", with P. Boatwright, J. Kadane and S. Borle, INFORMS Marketing Science Conference, Ann Arbor, MI, June 2009.

Sam Swift, Organizational Behavior & Theory
"Which Type of Attitude Elicitation Best Predicts Behavior?", with D. Moore and B. Klein, Academy of Management Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL, August 2009.

Meng Zhu, Marketing
"Investigation of the Impact of Facial Images on Consumption", with D. Billeter and J. Inman, Society of Consumer Psychology Winter Conference, San Diego, CA, February 2009.

"The Effect of Mindsets on Common Decision Biases", with U. Khan and A. Kalra, Society of Consumer Psychology Winter Conference, San Diego, CA, February 2009.

JOB PLACEMENTS

Ashish Agarwal, Information Systems
University of Texas at Austin

Fernando Anjos, Financial Economics
University of Texas at Austin

Vincent Glode, Financial Economics
Wharton School, University of Pennsylvania

Guoming Lai, Management of Manufacturing and Automation
University of Texas at Austin

Richard Lowery, Economics
University of Texas at Austin

Erkut Sonmez, Operations Management
Carroll School of Management
Boston College

EVENTS

Benjamin Collier, Information Systems, and his wife Lisa welcomed their first child, Sophia Genevieve Grace, on March 19, 2009. Sophia weighed 7 lb. 3 oz. and measured 19 inches long at birth. Mom and Dad are doing well and enjoying being parents!

Sophia Genevieve Grace Collier

Tat Koon Koh, Information Systems, and his wife Elaine welcomed their second child, Josiah Yu-You, on February 21, 2009. Josiah weighed 6 lb. 14 oz. and measured 20 inches long at birth.

Josiah Yu-You Koh

ALUMNI

Preyas S. Desai (Ph.D., Marketing, 1992), has been selected as the Department Editor for Marketing in the journal *Management Science*. Preyas is a Professor at the Fuqua School of Business, Duke University.

Laurie Levesque (Ph.D., Organizational Behavior and Theory, 2001), recently stepped down as Chair of the Management Department at Suffolk University, Boston, MA, to accept a promotion to Assistant Dean and Academic Director of Undergraduate Programs.

UPCOMING

Friday, March 27: Open House for Admitted Students, Organizational Behavior and Theory

Wednesday, April 1: Open House for Admitted Students, Economics & Financial Economics

We need your news!

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