# Lin Ge, Ph.D.

### **Assistant Professor of Finance**

# **Academic Background**

Ph.D. University of Pittsburgh, Katz Graduate School of Business, 2018.

### **Academic Experience**

Assistant Professor of Finance, University of Mississippi (August, 2018 - Present), Oxford, Mississippi.

### **Papers Under Review**

Ganguly, A., Ganguly, A., Ge, L., & Zutter, C. (2022). "The Causal Impact of Corporate Governance on Firms' Narrative Disclosures: Evidence from a Regression-Discontinuity Design," Initial submission.

Ganguly, A., Ganguly, A., & Ge, L. (2022). "Hedge Fund Activism and Capital Structure," 1st revise and resubmit.

Ganguly, A., Ganguly, A., Ge, L., & Zutter, C. (2022). "Shareholder Litigation and Textual Disclosures in SEC Filings: Evidence from a Natural Experiment," Initial submission.

Ganguly, A., Ganguly, A., & Ge, L. (2022). "Investor Relations Firms and Shareholder Activism," Initial submission.

# **Book Chapters**

#### Non-Refereed

Dutta, S., Ganguly, A., & Ge, L. (2017). Economics of Hedge Funds. *Hedge Funds: Structure, Strategies, and Performance*. Oxford University Press.

Dutta, S., Ganguly, A., & Ge, L. (2015). Economics of Private Equity. *Private Equity: Opportunities and Risks*. Oxford University Press.

Dutta, S., Ganguly, A., & Ge, L. (2015). The Role of Private Equity in IPOs. *Private Equity: Opportunities and Risks*. Oxford University Press.

### **Working Papers**

Ganguly, A., Ganguly, A., Ge, L., & Trzcinka, C. (2022). "CEO Overconfidence and Shareholder Activism."

Ge, L., Schlingemann, F., Wu, H., & Zhao, J. (2022). "Governance, CEO Power and Relative Performance Evaluation Effectiveness."

## **Presentation of Refereed Papers**

#### **International**

Ganguly, A. & Ge, L. (2021). *Hedge Fund Activism and Capital Structure*. Financial Management Association European Conference, Virtual, Virtual.

Ganguly, A., Ganguly, A., Ge, L., & Zutter, C. (2021). *The Causal Impact of Corporate Governance on Firms' Narrative Disclosures: Evidence from a Regression-Discontinuity Design*. 2021 World Finance Conference, Virtual, Virtual.

Ganguly, A., Ganguly, A., Ge, L., & Zutter, C. (2021). *The Causal Impact of Corporate Governance on Firms' Narrative Disclosures: Evidence from a Regression-Discontinuity Design*. Financial Management Association European Conference, Virtual, Virtual.

Ganguly, A., Ganguly, A., Ge, L., & Zutter, C. (2021). *Shareholder Litigation and Textual Disclosures in SEC Filings: Evidence from a Natural Experiment*. European Financial Management Association, Virtual, Virtual.

Ganguly, A., Ganguly, A., Ge, L., & Zutter, C. (2021). *The Causal Impact of Corporate Governance on Firms' Narrative Disclosures: Evidence from a Regression-Discontinuity Design*. 2021 International Conference of the French Finance Association, Virtual, Virtual.

Ganguly, A., Ganguly, A., Ge, L., & Zutter, C. (2021). Shareholder Litigation and Textual Disclosures in SEC Filings: Evidence from a Natural Experiment. 2021 International Conference of the French Finance Association, Virtual, Virtual.

Ganguly, A., Ganguly, A., Ge, L., & Zutter, C. (2021). *Shareholder Litigation and Textual Disclosures in SEC Filings: Evidence from a Natural Experiment*. Northern Finance Association annual meeting, Virtual, Virtual.

Ganguly, A., Ganguly, A., & Ge, L. (2021). *Investor Relations Firms and Shareholder Activism*. 2021 World Finance Conference, Virtual, Virtual.

Ganguly, A. & Ge, L. (2019). *Hedge Fund Activism and Capital Structure*. 2019 American Finance Association Annual Meeting Poster Session, Atlanta, Georgia.

Ganguly, A. & Ge, L. (2019). *Hedge Fund Activism and Capital Structure*. Financial Management Association Annual Meeting, New Orleans, Louisiana.

Ganguly, A., Ganguly, A., Ge, L., & Zutter, C. (2019). *The Causal Impact of Corporate Governance on Firms' Narrative Disclosures: Evidence from a Regression-Discontinuity Design*. 32nd Australasian Finance & Banking Conference, Sydney, Australia.

Ganguly, A. & Ge, L. (2019). *Hedge Fund Activism and Capital Structure*. 2019 Sydney Banking and Financial Stability Conference, Sydney, Australia.

Ganguly, A., Ganguly, A., Ge, L., & Zutter, C. (2019). *The Causal Impact of Corporate Governance on Firms' Narrative Disclosures: Evidence from a Regression-Discontinuity Design*. China Europe International Business School (CEIBS), Shanghai, China.

Ganguly, A., Ganguly, A., Ge, L., & Zutter, C. (2019). *Shareholder Litigation and Textual Disclosures in SEC Filings: Evidence from a Natural Experiment*. 2019 World Finance & Banking Symposium, New Delhi, India.

Ganguly, A. & Ge, L. (2019). *Hedge Fund Activism and Capital Structure*. 2019 World Finance & Banking Symposium, New Delhi, India.

Ganguly, A., Ganguly, A., Ge, L., & Zutter, C. (2019). *Shareholder Litigation and Textual Disclosures in SEC Filings: Evidence from a Natural Experiment*. 32nd Australasian Finance & Banking Conference, Sydney, Australia.

Ganguly, A., Ganguly, A., Ge, L., & Zutter, C. (2019). *The Causal Impact of Corporate Governance on Firms' Narrative Disclosures: Evidence from a Regression-Discontinuity Design*. 2019 Sydney Banking and Financial Stability Conference, Sydney, Australia.

Ganguly, A., Ganguly, A., Ge, L., & Zutter, C. (2019). *Shareholder Litigation and Textual Disclosures in SEC Filings: Evidence from a Natural Experiment*. 2019 Sydney Banking and Financial Stability Conference,

Sydney, Australia.

Ganguly, A., Ganguly, A., Ge, L., & Zutter, C. (2019). *Shareholder Litigation and Textual Disclosures in SEC Filings: Evidence from a Natural Experiment*. Financial Management Association Annual Meeting, New Orleans, Louisiana.

Ganguly, A. & Ge, L. (2019). *Hedge Fund Activism and Capital Structure*. 32nd Australasian Finance & Banking Conference, Sydney, Australia.

Ge, L. (2018). *Role of Investor Relations in Coping with Shareholder Activism*. Indian School of Business (ISB), Hyderabad, India.

Ge, L. (2018). Role of Investor Relations in Coping with Shareholder Activism. University of Guelph, Guelph, Canada.

Ge, L. (2017). *Role of Investor Relations in Coping with Shareholder Activism*. China Europe International Business School (CEIBS), Shanghai, China.

Ge, L., Schlingemann, F., Wu, H., & Zhao, J. (2017). *Governance, CEO Power and Relative Performance Evaluation Effectiveness (co-author presentation)*. Xiamen University, Xiamen, China.

Ge, L., Schlingemann, F., Wu, H., & Zhao, J. (2016). *Governance, CEO Power and Relative Performance Evaluation Effectiveness.* 2016 Paris Financial Management Conference, Paris, France.

#### **National**

Ganguly, A., Ganguly, A., Ge, L., & Zutter, C. (2020). *Shareholder Litigation and Textual Disclosures in SEC Filings: Evidence from a Natural Experiment*. Eastern Finance Association Annual Meeting, Virtual, Virtual.

Ganguly, A., Ganguly, A., Ge, L., & Zutter, C. (2020). *The Causal Impact of Corporate Governance on Firms' Narrative Disclosures: Evidence from a Regression-Discontinuity Design*. Financial Management Association Annual Meeting, New York, New York.

Ganguly, A., Ganguly, A., & Ge, L. (2020). *Investor Relations Firms and Shareholder Activism*. Financial Management Association Annual Meeting, New York City, New York.

Ganguly, A. & Ge, L. (2019). *Hedge Fund Activism and Capital Structure*. 2019 Eastern Finance Association Annual Meeting, Miami, Florida.

Ganguly, A., Ganguly, A., Ge, L., & Zutter, C. (2019). *The Causal Impact of Corporate Governance on Firms' Narrative Disclosures: Evidence from a Regression-Discontinuity Design*. Southwestern Finance Association Annual Meeting, San Antonio, Texas.

Ganguly, A., Ganguly, A., Ge, L., & Zutter, C. (2019). *The Causal Impact of Corporate Governance on Firms' Narrative Disclosures: Evidence from a Regression-Discontinuity Design*. Eastern Finance Association Annual Meeting, Boston, Massachusetts.

Ganguly, A., Ganguly, A., Ge, L., & Zutter, C. (2019). *Shareholder Litigation and Textual Disclosures in SEC Filings: Evidence from a Natural Experiment*. Eastern Finance Association Annual Meeting, Boston, Massachusetts.

Ganguly, A., Ganguly, A., Ge, L., & Zutter, C. (2019). Shareholder Litigation and Textual Disclosures in SEC Filings: Evidence from a Natural Experiment. Southwestern Finance Association Annual Meeting, San Antonio, Texas.

Ganguly, A. & Ge, L. (2017). *Hedge Fund Activism and Capital Structure (co-author presentation)*. Indiana University, Kelley School of Business, Bloomington, Indiana.

Ge, L., Schlingemann, F., Wu, H., & Zhao, J. (2017). *Governance, CEO Power and Relative Performance Evaluation Effectiveness.* 2017 Eastern Finance Association, Jacksonville, Florida.

Ge, L., Schlingemann, F., Wu, H., & Zhao, J. (2017). Governance, CEO Power and Relative Performance

Evaluation Effectiveness. 2017 Mid-West Finance Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, Illinois.

Ge, L. (2017). *Role of Investor Relations in Coping with Shareholder Activism*. 2017 Annual Finance Conference of Carnegie Mellon University, Penn State and University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Ge, L. (2017). *Role of Investor Relations in Coping with Shareholder Activism*. 2017 Causal Inference Workshop, Northwestern University, Chicago, Illinois.

### Regional

Ganguly, A., Ganguly, A., Ge, L., & Zutter, C. (2020). *The Causal Impact of Corporate Governance on Firms' Narrative Disclosures: Evidence from a Regression-Discontinuity Design*. Southern Finance Association Meeting, Palm Springs, California.

Ganguly, A., Ganguly, A., Ge, L., & Zutter, C. (2020). *The Causal Impact of Corporate Governance on Firms' Narrative Disclosures: Evidence from a Regression-Discontinuity Design*. Miami Herbert Business School Winter Research Conference on Machine Learning and Business, Virtual, Virtual.

Ganguly, A., Ganguly, A., Ge, L., & Zutter, C. (2020). *The Causal Impact of Corporate Governance on Firms' Narrative Disclosures: Evidence from a Regression-Discontinuity Design*. Eastern Finance Association Annual Meeting, Virtual, Virtual.

Ganguly, A., Ganguly, A., Ge, L., & Zutter, C. (2020). *The Causal Impact of Corporate Governance on Firms' Narrative Disclosures: Evidence from a Regression-Discontinuity Design*. MMMA Annual Conference, Oxford, Mississippi.

Ganguly, A., Ganguly, A., Ge, L., & Zutter, C. (2019). *Shareholder Litigation and Textual Disclosures in SEC Filings: Evidence from a Natural Experiment*. Southern Finance Association Meeting, Orlando, Florida.

Ganguly, A. & Ge, L. (2019). *Hedge Fund Activism and Capital Structure*. 2019 Southwestern Finance Association Annual Meeting, Houston, Texas.

Ganguly, A. & Ge, L. (2019). *Hedge Fund Activism and Capital Structure*. Southern Finance Association, Orlando, Florida.

Ge, L., Schlingemann, F., Wu, H., & Zhao, J. (2019). *Governance, CEO Power and Relative Performance Evaluation Effectiveness.* 2019 MMMA Conference, Oxford, Mississippi.

Ge, L. (2018). *Role of Investor Relations in Coping with Shareholder Activism*. University of Mississippi, Oxford, Mississippi.

### **Research Honors and Awards**

#### **Award**

2020: 2020 Best Paper Award Semi-Finalist in Corporate Finance, Financial Management Association.

2020: 2020 Outstanding Paper in Empirical Finance, Southern Finance Association.

2016: GPSG Travel Grant, University of Pittsburgh.

#### **Honor**

2018: Beta Gamma Sigma, Academic Honor Society.

2014: Student Honoree, Annual Scholars Convocation, University of Pittsburgh.

### **Scholarship**

2013 – 2016: ELG Metals Fellowship, University of Pittsburgh.

### **Service to the University**

### University of Mississippi

#### **Department Assignments**

### **Faculty Advisor:**

2021-2022: Doctoral Dissertation (LingHui Zhao)2019-2020 – 2020-2021: Student Managed Portfolio

#### **Organizer:**

2021-2022: Friday's Research Seminar

### **School Assignments**

#### **Other Institutional Service Activities:**

2021-2022: Information session for the finance major on Admitted Student Day

2020-2021: Information Session for the business school's staff members and academic advisors

### Thesis Assignments

#### **Other Institutional Service Activities:**

2020-2021: Honors Thesis Reader, Anna Gregory

2018-2019: Honors Thesis Reader, Elizabeth Weathersby

#### Service to the Profession

#### **Academic Conference: Discussant**

2022: European Financial Management Association, Rome, Italy.

2021: 2021 World Finance Conference, Virtual, Virtual.

2021: Financial Management Association European Conference, Virtual, Virtual.

2021: Eastern Finance Association Annual Meeting, Virtual, Virtual.

2020: Southwestern Finance Association Annual Meeting, San Antonio, Texas.

2019: Sydney Banking and Financial Stability Conference, Sydney, Australia-NSW.

2019: Australasian Finance & Banking Conference, Sydney, Australia- NSW.

2019: Southern Finance Association, Orlando, Florida.

2018 – 2019: Financial Management Association Annual Meeting, New Orleans, Louisiana.

2017 - 2018: Midwest Finance Association Annual Meeting.

2017: Eastern Finance Association Annual Meeting.

2016: Paris Financial Management Conference.

2015 – 2016: Financial Management Association Annual Meeting.

2014: Eastern Finance Association Annual Meeting.

### Academic Conference: Moderator / Facilitator

2014: Eastern Finance Association Annual Meeting.

### Chair: Conference / Track / Program

2021: 2021 World Finance Conference, Virtual, Virtual.

### Reviewer: Ad Hoc Reviewer for a Journal

2019: Journal of Business Finance & Accounting.

### **Reviewer: Conference Paper**

2021 – 2022: Southern Finance Association Meeting.

# **Memberships**

Western Finance Association, Lifetime
Southern Finance Association, 2019-Present
Southwestern Finance Association, 2019-Present
Eastern Finance Association, 2016-Present
Midwest Finance Association, 2016-Present
American Finance Association, 2013-Present
Financial Management Association, 2013-Present