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EDUCATION

AUG 2016 Ph.D. in FINANCE, University of Utah
MAY 2011 M.S. in FINANCE, University of Utah
JULY 2009 B.S. in FINANCE, Xiamen University

COMPLETED WORKING PAPERS

- [1] "Private Equity Funds and Firm Products," with Feng Zhang 2018
- [2] "Why Dissenting Views Gradually Become More Extreme," with Elena Asparouhova and Peter Bossaerts 2018
- [3] "Costly Information Acquisition in Decentralized Markets," with Elena Asparouhova and Peter Bossaerts 2018
- [4] "The Persistence of Fee Dispersion among Mutual Funds," with Michael Cooper and Michael Halling 2018
- [5] "Implications of Innovation Measurement," with Michael Cooper and Anne Marie Knott 2018
- [6] "Mutual Fund Management: Does Active Management Pay?" 2016
- [7] "Using Alpha to Generate Alpha," with Peter Bossaerts 2016

WORK IN PROGRESS

- [1] "Robots in Markets When Humans are Still in Control: An Experimental Investigation," with Elena Asparouhova, and Peter Bossaerts
- [2] "Gauging Financial Market Participants' Awareness of Resale Price Forecast Mistakes," with Peter Bossaerts

PRESENTATIONS AND PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

Conference and Seminar Presentations

*presented by coauthors

- 2017 FMA, Experimental Economics Workshop (The Center for Growth and Opportunity at Utah State University), *Consumer Federation of America Research Briefing, *Chapman Conference on the Experimental and Behavioral Aspects of Financial Markets, *Hebrew University
- 2016 EF Regional Conference North America, *CIFR Conference on Investment Management and Markets, Sydney (Australia)

Discussions

EF Regional Conference North America 2016, FMA 2014

Ad-hoc Referee

Economic Inquiry, Journal of Empirical Finance

Conference Organizing and Review Committee

FMA 2017, EFA 2018

TEACHING

Investment Analysis and Portfolio Management

Ph.D. BootCamp

Intermediate Corporate Finance

AWARDS AND OTHER ACTIVITIES

2017 Best Paper in Financial Markets and Institutions, FMA 2017

2015 Yale Summer School in Behavioral Finance, FMA Doctoral Consortium, Finance Department Student Teaching Excellence Award, Graduate Student Travel Assistance Award

2014 AFA Travel Award

MEDIA COVERAGE

[Wall Street Journal](#), December 4, 2016, "Similar Mutual Funds—but Very Different Fees," Micah Hauptman

[Barron's](#), December 8, 2016, "Mutual Funds Milk Investors, CFA Says"

[The New York Times](#), July 14, 2017, "Lower Fees Are Great, if You Actually Get Them," M.P. Dunleavy