# **Justin Deng**

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**PERSONAL** 

Date of Birth: November, 1989

Place of Birth: Tennessee, United States

**EDUCATION** 

# New York University, Stern

PhD in Accounting 2012-2018 (expected)

**Dissertation:** Examining how a firm's news releases impacts investors' understanding of earnings: A test of the Confirmation

Hypothesis.

Committee: Stephen Ryan (chair), Mary Billings, Michael Jung, and

Lawrence White

GPA: N/A

Comprehensive Exam Score: 3.61/4.00

# **Cornell University**

Bachelor of Science

2008-2012

Major: Material Science and Engineering

**GPA:** 3.9/4.0

**Thesis:** The effectiveness of hydrogels in transmitting ultrasound

(Advisor George Lewis)

#### **PUBLICATIONS**

## **Refereed Papers**

• 2012. Li, Jie, Jongmin Shim, Justin Deng, Johannes Overvelde, Xuelian Zhu, Katia Bertoldi, and Shu Yang. Switching periodic membranes *via* pattern transformation and shape memory effect. *Soft Matter*.

#### **Working Papers**

- Bonini, Stefano, Justin Deng, Mascia Ferrari, and Kose John. On long-tenured independent directors.
  - o Available at SSRN: <a href="https://ssrn.com/abstract=2965588">https://ssrn.com/abstract=2965588</a>
- Deng, Justin. Examining how a firm's news releases impact investors' understanding of earnings: A test of the confirmation hypothesis

#### **TEACHING**

#### **Teaching Experience**

• 2015, Summer. Instructor: Introduction to Financial Accounting. New York University, Stern School of Business.

Teaching Score: 6.2/7.0

- 2012, Fall. Teaching Assistant: Materials Chemistry (3000-level course with Prof. Lara Estroff). Cornell University, School of Engineering.
- 2009, Spring. Teaching Assistant: Introduction to MatLab (with Prof. Daisy Fan). Cornell University, School of Engineering.

#### **WORK IN INDUSTRY**

#### **Non-Profit Activity**

- 2015-2017, Accountant for small, local church
  - Used Quickbooks Online

#### Research-related

- 2011-2012, Research Assistant for Biomedical Lab in Cornell University under George Lewis
- 2010, Research Assistant in Polymer Research at the University of Pennsylvania under Professor Shu Yang

#### Other

 2009, Cost analysis for business expansion into solar energy for APG International

## **PRESENTATIONS**

- 2013 AAA, Annual meeting, poster session
  - Does high-frequency trading mitigate post-earnings announcement drift?
- 2015 AAA, Annual meeting, poster session
  - o On long-tenured directors
- 2016 AAA, Annual meeting, conference presentation, co-author
  - o On long-tenured directors

#### **SERVICE**

#### Reviewer

- 2014 AAA, Mid-Atlantic Conference
- 2015 AAA, Annual meeting

#### **Research Assistant**

• 2015, Research Assistant for *The End of Accounting* by Baruch Lev and Feng Gu.

# **SKILLS**

# **Computer Languages:**

SAS, Stata, Python

# Other Software-related Skills:

Quickbooks

## **Personal Interests:**

Christianity, basketball, *A Song of Ice and Fire*, economic development of impoverished people-groups (volunteer-work in homeless shelters and Haiti).