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Present Position

Assistant Professor
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Citizenship

Canadian

Areas of Concentration

Financial econometrics, copulas, nonparametric econometrics, multivariate analysis, empirical finance.

Education

Ph.D.	Economics	University of Western Ontario	2013
M.A.	Economics	University of Western Ontario	2008
Hons. B.A.	Economics	University of Western Ontario	2007

Ph.D. dissertation: “News, Copulas, and Independence”.

Graduate supervisor: Prof. John Knight.

Other Affiliations

Honorary Associate Professor in the Discipline of Business Analytics, University of Sydney Business School (Aug. 2016).

Partner, Director of Research, Darwinian (Sep. 2010-present).

Publications

Medovikov, I. (2016). When does the stock market listen to economic news? New evidence from copulas and news wires. *Journal of Banking & Finance*, 65, 27–40.

Medovikov, I., “Non-Parametric Weighted Tests for Independence Based on Empirical

Copula Process”. *Journal of Statistical Computation and Simulation*, 86(1), 2016.

Medovikov, I. (2014). Can Analysts Predict Rallies Better Than Crashes? *Finance Research Letters*, 11(4), 319–325.

Keshishbanoosy, R., St-Amant, P., Ball, D., Medovikov, I., “A Money and credit real-time database for Canada”, *Bank of Canada Review*, Summer 2008, pp. 55-64.

Articles Being Revised

Medovikov, I., Prohorov, A., “A New Measure of Vector Dependence, with an Application to Financial Contagion”. *Journal of Financial Econometrics*.

Work In Progress

Medovikov, I., “Can Analysts Predict Volatility?”. Work in progress.

Refereeing

Emerging Markets Finance and Trade
Finance Research Letters
Journal of Statistical Computation and Simulation
Journal of Business Research
Journal of Economic Asymmetries

Conference Presentations

Canadian Economics Association Annual Meetings Ottawa, ON Jun 2016

Paper presented: “Can analysts predict volatility?”

9th International Conference on Computational and London, UK Dec 2015
Financial Econometrics

Paper presented: “A new measure of vector dependence, with an application to financial contagion.”

Canadian Economics Association Annual Toronto, ON May 2015
Conference (presenter, discussant, CESG session
chair)

Paper presented: “When does the stock market listen to economic news? New evidence from copulas and news wires.”

Canadian Economics Association Annual Vancouver, BC May 2014
Conference (presenter, discussant, CESG session
chair)

Paper presented: "Can analysts predict rallies better than crashes?"

Canadian Economics Association Annual Conference (presenter) Montreal, QC May 2013

Paper presented: "The Serial Dependence Function: Omnibus measure of serial dependence based on the empirical copula process"

Midwest Econometrics Group Meetings (presenter) Chicago, IL Oct 2011

Paper presented: "A test for independence in econometric models"

Canadian Econometrics Study Group (CESG) Annual Meeting (presenter) Toronto, ON Oct 2011

Paper presented: "A test for independence of random vectors based on weighted empirical copula process"

Canadian Economics Association Annual Meeting (presenter, discussant) Ottawa, ON Jun 2011

Paper presented: "A test for independence of random vectors based on weighted empirical copula process"

Midwest Econometrics Group Meetings (presenter) St. Louis, MO Nov 2010

Paper presented: "A test for independence of random vectors based on weighted empirical copula process"

Canadian Economics Association Annual Meeting (presenter, discussant) Québec City, QC May 2010

Paper presented: "Macroeconomic news index: analyzing the effect of macroeconomic news on financial markets"

Invited Talks

University of Sydney Business School Sydney, AU August 2016

Title: "Can analysts predict volatility?"

Department of Economics, Ryerson University Toronto, ON Oct 2013

Title: "Copula-based measures of vectorial dependence"

Statistics & Data Centre, University of Western Ontario London, ON Apr 2013

Title: "Topics in applied time-series analysis"

Statistics & Data Centre, University of Western Ontario London, ON Oct 2011

Title: "Introduction to time-series analysis"

Other Presentations

Ryerson Doctoral Workshop on Applied Econometrics Toronto, ON May 2015

Title: "Discussion of: Financial Modelling with Censored / Truncated Distributions, by Xiao Yan Lin (University of Waterloo)".

Brock University Research Celebration St. Catharines, ON Mar 2014

Title: "On Predictive Value of Analyst Recommendations"

Brock University Economics Research Seminar St. Catharines, ON Oct 2013

Title: "Non-Parametric Measures of Vector Dependence"

Grants & Awards

Faculty Excellence in Teaching Award	Brock University	2016
Council for Research in Social Sciences Grant	Brock University	2015-2012
Ontario Graduate Scholarship	Western University	2011
Social Science Alumni Association Award	Western University	2011
Social Science Research Fellowship	Western University	2010
Western Graduate Scholarship	Western University	2007

Other Distinctions

Summer paper prize (nomination)	Western University	2009
Alumni essay prize (nomination)	Western University	2006

Department Service

Graduate committee	Brock University	2013,2014,2016
Research seminar committee	Brock University	2012,2013,2015
Computer committee	Brock University	2013,2015
Committee for academic policy	University of Western Ontario	2009

Student Supervision

Haoyang Zheng (Master's Research Paper)	2016
Mikhail Susin (Master's Research Paper)	2016
Ning Zhao (undergraduate)	2013