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### SELECTED AWARDS

**Honorary Doctorate**, London Business School, 2019  
AAA Presidential Scholar, 2017-18  
**Doctor Honoris Causa**, University of Cyprus, 2016  
AAA Notable Contributions to Accounting Literature Award, 2014  
**Doctor Honoris Causa**, University of Technology, Sydney, 2013  
Distinguished Alumnus Award, Birla Institute of Technology & Science, Pilani, India, 2013

### EMPLOYMENT

2015- Present Gordon Y Billard Professor of Accounting and Finance, Sloan School of Management, Massachusetts Institute of Technology  
2010 –2015 Deputy Dean and Gordon Y Billard Professor of Accounting and Finance, Sloan School of Management, Massachusetts Institute of Technology  
2008 – 2009 Global Head of Equity Research, Barclays Global Investors, Barclays Bank.  
2007 – 2008 Deputy Dean and Gordon Y Billard Professor in Management, Sloan School of Management, Massachusetts Institute of Technology  
2006 – 2007 Head of the Department of Economics, Finance, and Accounting, and Gordon Y Billard Professor in Management, Sloan School of Management, Massachusetts Institute of Technology  
2005 – 2006 Thomas Henry Carroll-Ford Visiting Professor of Business Administration, Harvard Business School  
2003 – 2005 Head of the Department of Economics, Finance, and Accounting, and Gordon Y Billard Professor in Management, Sloan School of Management, Massachusetts Institute of Technology  
1999 – 2003 Gordon Y Billard Professor in Management and Head of the Accounting Group, Sloan School of Management, Massachusetts Institute of Technology  
1998 – 1999 Professor and Accounting Area Coordinator, University of Rochester  
1997 – 1998 Visiting Professor, Sloan School of Management, Massachusetts Institute of Technology  
1996 – 1997 Professor and Accounting Area Coordinator, University of Rochester  
1991 – 1996 Associate Professor & Accounting Area Coordinator, University of Rochester  
1988 – 1991 Assistant Professor and Accounting Area Coordinator, University of Rochester  
1986 – 1988 Assistant Professor, University of Rochester

## BOARD OF DIRECTORS APPOINTMENTS

2015 – Present **BSE** (Bombay Stock Exchange) <http://www.bseindia.com/>  
 2014 – 2016 FIA Technology Services <http://www.fiaglobal.com/index.php>  
 2008 – present Monsoon Kitchens <http://www.monsoonkitchens.com/>  
 1998 – 2004 Vicarious Visions <http://www.vvisions.com/>  
 2016 – Present Trillium Asset Management [www.trilliuminvest.com](http://www.trilliuminvest.com)  
 2017-Present Velan Studios <https://www.velanstudios.com/>

## OTHER APPOINTMENTS

2001 – 2003 Honorary Visiting Professor, Cranfield University  
 2001, Winter Visiting Professor, London Business School  
 1997, Summer Visiting Professor at the University of Technology in Sydney, Australia  
 1996, Fall Weinstein Distinguished Visiting Professor, Baruch CUNY, New York  
 1994 – 1997 Honorary Visiting Professor, City University Business School, London  
 1979 – 1980 Officer, DCM's Shriram Fertilizers and Chemicals, Mumbai

## EDUCATION

**Ph.D.** Accounting, University of Iowa, 1986

**M.B.A.** (PGDM) Accounting and Finance, Indian Institute of Management, Ahmedabad, India, 1982

**B.E.** Chemical Engineering, Birla Institute of Technology and Science, Pilani, India, 1979

## RESEARCH

1. Collins, D, W., Kothari, S., Rayburn J., 1987, Firm Size and the Information Content of Prices with Respect to Earnings, *Journal of Accounting and Economics* 9, 111-138.
2. Kothari, S., Lys, T., Smith, C., and Watts, R., 1988. Auditor Liability and Information Disclosure, *Journal of Accounting, Auditing and Finance* 3, 307-339.
3. Handa, P., Kothari, S., and Wasley, C., 1989, The Relation Between the Return Interval and Betas: Implications for the Size-Effect, *Journal of Financial Economics* 23, 79-100.
4. Kothari, S., Wasley, C., 1989, Measuring Security Price Performance in Size Clustered Samples, *The Accounting Review* 64, 228-249.
5. Collins, D., Kothari, S., 1989, An Analysis of the Cross-sectional and Intertemporal Determinants of Earnings Response Coefficients, *Journal of Accounting and Economics* 11, 143-181.
6. Ball, R., Kothari, S., 1989, Nonstationary Expected Returns: Implications for Tests of Market Efficiency and Serial Correlation in Returns, *Journal of Financial Economics* 25, 51-74.
7. Ball, R., Kothari, S., 1991, Security Returns Around Earnings Announcements, *The Accounting Review* 66, 718-738.
8. Kothari, S., Sloan, R., 1992, Information in Prices About Future Earnings: Implications for Earnings Response Coefficients, *Journal of Accounting and Economics* 15, 143-171.

9. Kothari, S., Shanken, J., 1992, Stock Return Variation and Expected Dividends: A Time-Series and Cross-Sectional Analysis, *Journal of Financial Economics* 31, 177-210.
10. Kothari, S., 1992, Price-Earnings Regressions in the Presence of Prices Leading Earnings: Earnings Level versus Change Specification and Alternative Deflators, *Journal of Accounting & Economics* 15, 173-202.
11. Ball, R., Kothari, S., and Watts, R., 1993, The Economics Determinants of the Relation Between Earnings Changes and Stock Returns, *The Accounting Review* 68, 622-638.
12. Handa, P., Kothari, S., Wasley, C., 1993 Sensitivity of Multivariate Tests of the CAPM to the Return Measurement Interval, *Journal of Finance* 48, 1543-1551.
13. Collins, D., Kothari, S., Shanken, J., and Sloan, R., 1994, Lack of Timeliness and Noise as Explanations for Low Contemporaneous Return-Earnings Association, *Journal of Accounting & Economics* 18, 289-324.
14. Ball, R., Kothari, S., Wasley, C., 1995, Can We Implement Research on Stock Trading Rules? *Journal of Portfolio Management* 21, 54-63.
15. Ball, R., Kothari, S., Shanken, J., 1995, Problems in Measuring Portfolio Performance: An Application to Contrarian Investment Strategies, *Journal of Financial Economics* 38, 79-107.
16. Kothari, S., Shanken, J., Sloan, R., 1995, Another Look at the Cross-Section of Expected Stock Returns, *Journal of Finance* 50, 185-224.
17. Kothari, S., Zimmerman, J., 1995, Price and Return Models, *Journal of Accounting and Economics* 20, 155-192.
18. Guay, W., Kothari, S., Watts, R., 1996, A Market-based Evaluation of Discretionary-Accrual Models, *Journal of Accounting Research Supplement* 34, 83-115.
19. Kothari, S., Warner, J., 1997, Measuring Long-Horizon Security Price Performance, *Journal of Financial Economics* 43, 301-339.
20. Kothari, S., Shanken, J., 1997, Book-to-Market, Dividend Yield, and Expected Market Returns: a Time-Series Analysis, *Journal of Financial Economics* 44, 169-203.
21. Dechow, P., Kothari, S., Watts, R., 1998, The Relation Between Earnings and Cash Flows, *Journal of Accounting & Economics* 25, 133-168.
22. Ball, R., Kothari, S., Robin, A., 2000, The Effect of International Institutional Factors on Properties of Accounting Earnings, *Journal of Accounting & Economics* 29, 1-51.
23. Kothari, S., Warner, J., 2001, Evaluating Mutual Fund Performance, *Journal of Finance* 56, 1985-2010.
24. Hentschel, L., Kothari, S., 2001, Are Corporations Reducing or Taking Risks with Derivatives? *Journal of Financial and Quantitative Analysis* 36, 93-118.
25. Kothari, S., 2001, Capital Markets Research in Accounting, *Journal of Accounting & Economics* 31, 105-231.
26. Kothari, S., Laguerre, T., Leone, A., 2002, Capitalization versus Expensing: Evidence on the Uncertainty of Future Earnings from Capital Expenditures versus R&D Outlays, *Review of Accounting Studies* 7, 355-382.

27. Core, J., Guay, W., Kothari, S., 2002, The Economic Dilution of Employee Stock Options: Diluted EPS for Valuation and Financial Reporting, *The Accounting Review* 77, 627-652.
28. Guay, W., Kothari, S., 2003, How Much Do Firms Hedge with Derivatives? *Journal of Financial Economics* 70, 423-461.
29. Guay, W., Kothari, S., Sloan, R., 2003, Accounting for Employee Stock Options, *American Economic Review* 93, 405-409.
30. Kothari, S., Shanken, J., 2004, Asset Allocation with Inflation-Protected Bonds, *Financial Analysts Journal* 60, 54-70.
31. Chan, W., Kothari, S., Frankel, R., 2004, Testing Behavioral Finance Theories Using Trends and Consistency in Financial Performance, *Journal of Accounting & Economics* 38, 3-50.
32. Kothari, S., Sabino, J., Zach, T., 2005, Implications of Survival and Data Trimming for Tests of Market Efficiency, *Journal of Accounting & Economics* 39, 129-161.
33. Kothari, S., Leone, A., Wasley, C., 2005, Performance Matched Discretionary Accrual Measures, *Journal of Accounting & Economics* 39, 163-197.
34. Barclay, M., Gode, D., Kothari, S., 2005, Matching Delivered Performance, *Journal of Contemporary Accounting & Economics* 1, 1-25.
35. Frankel, R., Kothari, S., Weber, J., 2006, Determinants of the Informativeness of Analyst Research, *Journal of Accounting & Economics* 41, 29-54.
36. Kothari, S., Lewellen, J., Warner, J., 2006, Stock Returns, Aggregate Earnings Surprises, and Behavioral Finance, *Journal of Financial Economics* 79, 537-568.
37. Kolasinski, A., Kothari, S., 2008, Investment Banking and Analyst Objectivity: Evidence from Analysts Affiliated with M&A Advisors, *Journal of Financial and Quantitative Analysis* 43, 817-842.
38. Jin, L., Kothari, S., 2008, Effect of Personal Taxes on Managers' Decision to Sell Unrestricted Equity, *Journal of Accounting & Economics* 46, 23-46.
39. Kothari, S., Li, X., Short, J., 2009, The Effect of Disclosures by Management, Analysts, and Financial Press on the Equity Cost of Capital: A Study Using Content Analysis, *The Accounting Review* 84, 1639-1670.
40. Kothari, S., Shu, S., Wysocki, P., 2009, Do managers withhold bad news? *Journal of Accounting Research* 47, 241-276.
41. Kothari, S., Ramanna, K., Skinner, D., 2010, Implications for GAAP from an Analysis of Positive Research in Accounting, *Journal of Accounting & Economics* 50, 246-286.
42. DeFranco, G., Kothari, S., Verdi, R., 2011, The Value of Earnings Comparability, *Journal of Accounting Research* 49, 895-931.
43. Guay, W., Kothari, S., Shu, S., 2011, Properties of Implied Cost of Capital Using Analysts' Forecasts, *Australian Journal of Management* 36, 125-149.
44. Ball, R., Kothari, S., Nikolaev, V., 2013, On Estimating Conditional Conservatism, *The Accounting Review* 88, 755-787.
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46. Kothari, S., Mizik, N., Roychowdhury, S., 2016, Managing for the Moment: The Role of Real Activity versus Accrual Earnings Management in SEO Valuation, *The Accounting Review*, 91, 559-586.
47. Jayaraman, S., Kothari, S., 2016, The Effect of Corporate Transparency on Bank Risk-Taking and Banking System Fragility, *The Accounting Review*, 91, 535-558.
48. Kothari, S., So, E., Verdi, R., 2016, Analysts' Forecasts and Asset Pricing: A Survey, *Annual Review of Financial Economics*, 8, 197-219.
49. Kothari, S., Lewellen, J., Warner, J., 2016, The Behavior of Aggregate Corporate Investment, working paper, MIT Sloan School of Management.
50. Jayaraman, S., Kothari, S., Ramanna, K. 2017, Capture and Competition: The Role of Product Market Competition in Reallocating Rents from Regulatory Capture, working paper, MIT Sloan School of Management.
51. He, X, Kothari, S., Xiao, T., Zuo, L., 2018, Long-Term Impact of Business Cycles on Auditors' Judgment, forthcoming in *The Accounting Review*.
52. Guest, N., Kothari, S., So, E., 2017, Flight-to-Dividends: The Role of Earnings in Periods of Capital Scarcity, working paper, MIT Sloan School of Management.
53. Guest, N., Kothari, S., Pozen, R., 2017, High Non-GAAP Earnings Predict Abnormally High CEO Pay, working paper, MIT Sloan School of Management.
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56. Frankel, R., Kothari, S., Zuo, L., 2018, Why shareholder wealth maximization despite other objectives, working paper, MIT Sloan School of Management.
57. Kothari, S., Loutskina, E., Nikolaev, V., 2011, Agency Theory of Overvalued Equity as an Explanation for the Accrual Anomaly, working paper, MIT Sloan School of Management.
58. Guay, W., Kothari, S., Loktionov, Y., 2008, Accounting for Derivatives in Emerging Market Economies, working paper, MIT Sloan School of Management.

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1. Kothari, S., Shanken, J., 1993. Fundamentals Largely Explain Stock Price Volatility. *Journal of Applied Corporate Finance* 6, 81-87.
2. Kothari, S., Shanken, J., 1993. Growth Rates, Not Levels. *Journal of Applied Corporate Finance* 6, 111-112.
3. Kothari, S., Shanken, J., 1995. In Defense of Beta. *Journal of Applied Corporate Finance* 8, 53-58.
4. Kothari, S., Shanken, J., 1999. Beta and Book-to-Market: Is the Glass Half Full or Half Empty, in: D. B. Keim and W.T. Ziemba, eds.: *Security Market Imperfections in Worldwide Equity Markets* (Cambridge, U.K.: Cambridge University Press).

5. Kothari, S., 2000, Discussion of "The Relation Between Analysts' Forecasts of Long-Term Earnings Growth and Stock Price Performance Following Equity Offerings," *Contemporary Accounting Research* 17, 33-39.
6. Kothari, S., 2000, Role of Financial Reporting in Reducing Financial Risks in the Market, in Eric Rosengren and John Jordan, eds.: *Building an Infrastructure for Financial Stability* (Federal Reserve Bank of Boston, pp. 89-102).
7. Kothari, S., Shanken, J., 2002. *Anomalies and Efficient Portfolio Formation*. Association of Investment Management Research, Charlottesville, VA.
8. Kothari, S., Shanken, J., 2003, Time-Series Coefficient Variation in Value-Relevance Regressions: A Discussion of Core, Guay, and Van Buskirk and New Evidence, *Journal of Accounting & Economics* 34, 69-87.
9. Kothari, S., Warner, J., 2007, Econometrics of Event Studies, in Espen Eckbo, Ed., *Handbook of Empirical Corporate Finance* (Elsevier/North-Holland).
10. Kothari, S., Lester, R., 2012, The Role of Accounting in the Financial Crisis: Lessons for the Future, *Accounting Horizons* 26, 335-351.
11. Kothari, S., Swamy, G., Danilov, K., 2012, Generating Superior Performance in Private Equity: A New Investment Methodology, *Journal of Investment Management* 11, 28-41.
12. Pozen, R., Kothari, S., 2017, Decoding CEO Pay, *Harvard Business Review*, July-August, 78-84.

## BOOKS

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*Contemporary Accounting Research: Synthesis and Critique*, Edited by S.P. Kothari, Thomas Z. Lys, Douglas J. Skinner, Ross L. Watts, and Jerold L. Zimmerman, North-Holland Publishing, 2002.

## CONSULTING ACTIVITIES

September 2000: Report and Testimony for the United States International Trade Commission Investigation Nos. AA1921-197 (Review), etc., involving Certain Carbon Steel Products from Australia, etc., on behalf of domestic producers.

October 2001: Report and Testimony for the United States International Trade Commission Steel Global Safeguards 201 Investigation on behalf of domestic producers.

September 2002: Report and Deposition on behalf of Department of Justice in United States of America, Plaintiff, vs. Philip Morris Incorporated, et al, Defendants. Case No. 99-CV-02496 (GK).

April 2003: Acacia Mutual Life Insurance Company, et al, Plaintiffs, vs. BAA plc, et al, Defendants. Case No. C-2002-79742OT.

September 2004: Report and Deposition, In re: WorldCom, Inc. Securities Litigation, United States District Court, Southern District New York, Master File No. 02 Civ. 3288 (DLC).

November 2004: Fyffes, Plc., and DCC Plc., S&L Investments Limited, James Flavin and Lotus Green Limited, The High Court, Dublin, Ireland, 2002 No. 1183P. Trial testimony in May 2005.

2005: Report on behalf of PBL and ORS against Seven Network Limited and C7 PTY Limited, Australia, Federal Court Proceedings N1223 of 2002.

2006: Report and Deposition on behalf of UBS Paine Webber and UBS Warburg against Lampkin et al., in Civil Action H-02-0851 in the U.S. District Court, Houston Division.

2006: Report and Deposition on behalf of Ernst & Young against Cendant Corporation Securities Litigation, in Civil Action 98-CV-1664 (WHW) in the U.S. District Court of New Jersey.

2007: Report on behalf of Ernst & Young against Cendant Corporation Securities Litigation, in Civil Action 98-CV-1664 (WHW) in the U.S. District Court of New Jersey.

2012: Report on behalf of Micron Technology, Inc. and Micron Semiconductor Products, Inc. against Oracle America, Inc., in Civil Action 10-cv-04340 in the U.S. Northern District of California, Oakland Division.

2013: Rebuttal report on behalf of Brookfield Asset Management Et Ano. v. AIG Financial Products Corp. Et Ano., in Civil Action 09-CV-8285 in the U.S. Southern District Court of New York.

2013: Report and Deposition testimony in re: Residential Capital, LLC et al., Debtors, United States Bankruptcy Court Southern District of New York, Case No. 12-12020 (MG)

2013: Declaration report on behalf of The Blackstone Group L.P. et al., Defendants, United States District Court Southern District of New York, Civil Action No. 08-CV-03601-HB

2014: Report, Rebuttal report and Deposition on behalf of Deutsche Bank National Trust Company, as Trustee for the Trustees, Plaintiff, United States District Court for the District of Columbia, Case No. 09-CV-1656-RMC

2014: Report, Rebuttal report, Deposition and Trial Testimony on behalf of Starr International Company, Inc., Plaintiff, in The United States Court of Federal Claims, No. 11-CV-00779 (TCW).

2014: Declaration report on behalf of Keurig Green Mountain, Defendant, in opposition to JBR's motion for a preliminary injunction, United States District Court, Southern District of New York, No 1:14-md-02542 (VSB), Applies to No. 14 Civ. 4242.

2014: Report and Deposition on behalf of Lead Plaintiffs in re Wilmington Trust Securities Litigation, United States District Court, District of Delaware, Case No. 10-cv-00990-SLR.

2014: Report on behalf of Ernst & Young LLP, Defendant, in Michael Courtney, et. al. v. Avid Technology, Inc., et. al., United States District Court, District of Massachusetts, Civil Action No. 1:13-cv-10686-WGY.

2015: Report and Deposition on behalf of Lead Plaintiffs in re Bank of New York Mellon Corp. Forex Transaction Litigation, United States District Court, Southern District of New York, Civil Action Master File No. 12-md-2335 (LAK).

2015: Report on behalf of Respondent in re Hulley Enterprises Ltd, Yukos Universal Ltd, and Veteran Petroleum Ltd. v. The Russian Federation, United States District Court for the District of Columbia, Case No. 1:14-cv-01996-ABJ.

2015 and 2016: Report, Supplemental Report and Deposition on behalf of Plaintiff in re Freeman Investment Management Co. LLC., United States District Court for the Southern District of California, Case No. 13-cv-2856 JLS (RBB).

2016 and 2017: Report and Rebuttal report and deposition on behalf of Plaintiffs in re FACEBOOK, INC. IPO Securities and Derivative Litigation, United States District Court for the Southern District of New York, Case No. MDL No. 12-2389 (RWS).

2016: Report on behalf of Lead Plaintiffs in re The Trustees of the Drywall Acoustic Lathing and Insulation Local 675 Pension Fund and 0793094 B.C. Ltd. v. SNC-Lavalin Group et al., Court File Number: CV-12-453236CP, Toronto, Ontario, Canada.

2017: Expert report on behalf of Defendants in re SanDisk et al. v. Toshiba in the INTERNATIONAL COURT OF ARBITRATION, ICC Case 22815/MK.

2017 and 2018: Expert report, deposition, and testimony on behalf of Defendants IN THE MATTER OF THE ARBITRATION OF Freestone Insurance Company, in Liquidation Claimant, v. Ernst & Young, LLP, Respondent. CPR File G-16-52-C at Wilmington, Delaware.

2018: Declaration in support of Proposed Plan of Allocation in re Allergan, Inc., proxy violation derivatives litigation, United States District Court, Central District of California, Southern Division, Case No. 2:17-cv-04776 DOC (KESx).

2018: Expert report and deposition on behalf of plaintiffs in re Alere Inc., United States District Court of Massachusetts, Case No. 1:16-cv-10766-PBS.

## PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

**Editor, *Journal of Accounting & Economics***, 1997-Present.

Associate Editor, *Journal of Contemporary Accounting & Economics*, 2005-Present.

Associate Editor, *Asia-Pacific Journal of Accounting & Economics*, 2000-2004.

Associate Editor, *Journal of Accounting & Economics*, 1990-1996.

Editorial Board Member, *The Accounting Review*, 1989-1992.

Referee for: *The Journal of Finance*, *Journal of Financial Economics*, *Journal of Accounting Research*, *The Accounting Review*, *Journal of Financial and Quantitative Analysis*, *Contemporary Accounting Research*, *Journal of Business*, *The Review of Financial Studies*, *Review of Economics and Statistics*, *British Accounting Review*.

**Keynote Speaker** at British Accounting Association Annual Meetings, April 1995, Accounting Association of Australia and New Zealand Annual Meetings, July 1996, HKUST Summer Symposium on Accounting Research, June 2001 and July 2012, Accounting Research Consortium, University of Technology, Sydney, Australia, January-February 2012, Ontario Universities Accounting and Finance Symposium, October 2016; Corporate Finance, Governance & Sustainability Conference at Delhi School of Business, October 2016, Distinguished Faculty Speaker at the British Accounting Association Doctoral Consortium, April 1995, Distinguished Faculty Speaker at the Accounting Association of Australia and New Zealand Doctoral Consortium, July 1996, Doctoral Consortium speaker at the *Asia-Pacific Journal of Accounting & Economics* Conference in Shanghai, January 2003, AAA *Financial Accounting Reporting Section* Doctoral Consortium in Orlando, January 2003, AAA Doctoral Consortium speaker at Lake Tahoe, June 2004.

## INVITED PRESENTATIONS AT SCHOOLS AND CONFERENCES

1986 SUNY at Buffalo, University of Michigan, University of Rochester, University of Chicago, Wharton School, Northwestern University, Washington University at St. Louis, University of Texas at Austin, and Carnegie Mellon University.

1987 University of Michigan, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, SUNY at Buffalo, International Conference on Forecasting at Boston, and AAA Meetings.



- 1988 University of Chicago, Cornell University, University of Washington at Seattle, SUNY at Buffalo, and Michigan State University.
- 1989 Columbia University Research Conference, Duke University, University of Iowa, Stanford University, University of California at Berkeley, University of Minnesota, New York University, and University of Pennsylvania at College Park.
- 1990 Harvard University, Northwestern University, Ohio State University, University of Arizona, University of Southern California, Temple University, Washington University at St. Louis, AAA meetings at Toronto, European Finance Association meetings, and Contemporary Accounting Research Conference.
- 1991 Arizona State University, Indiana University, and University of Michigan.
- 1992 Cornell University, Vanderbilt University, University of Wisconsin at Madison, University of Illinois, University of Nebraska, Stanford University Summer Camp, AAA Meetings at Washington D.C., Duke University, Michigan State University, Wharton School at the University of Pennsylvania, SUNY at Buffalo, University of Missouri at Columbia, and JAAF-Peat Marwick Conference.
- 1993 Baruch CUNY at New York, Pennsylvania State University, City University Business School at London, Institute for Quantitative Investment Research at Cambridge, Accounting and Finance Conference at St. Louis, International Seminar on Futures and Options in Mumbai, India, University of Iowa, and Iowa State University.
- 1994 University of Manchester, University of Glasgow, Carnegie Mellon University, Harvard Business School, London Business School, and Baruch CUNY.
- 1995 City University Business School at London, Western Finance Association Meeting at Aspen, Colorado, AAA Meetings at Orlando, SUNY at Buffalo, Syracuse University, and Rice University.
- 1996 Northwestern University, City University Business School, KOC University at Istanbul, University of New South Wales at Sydney, JAR Conference at Chicago, Michigan, ISDA Conference, Washington DC, Arizona, AAA meetings at Chicago, Boston College, and University of Maryland.
- 1997 University of Southern California, Tulane University, Ibbotson Associates Cost of Capital Conference at Chicago, London School of Economics, City University Business School at London, National Association of Pension Funds at London, University of Technology at Sydney, Harvard University, University of Rochester, Washington University at St. Louis, Cornell University, and Columbia University.
- 1998 Stanford University, Morningstar Inc. at Chicago, New Faculty Consortium at St. Charles, University of Notre Dame, University of Alberta, University of Technology at Sydney, University of Iowa, University of California at Berkeley, *Contemporary Accounting Research* Conference at Vancouver, and University of California at Los Angeles.
- 1999 AAA-KPMG International Accounting Conference at Montvale, NJ, University of British Columbia, University of Tilburg in Holland, INSEAD in France, University of Colorado at Denver, University of Michigan, University of Oklahoma, Financial Economics and Accounting Conference at the University of Texas at Austin, and Boston Area Research Colloquium at Boston University.
- 2000 Australian Graduate School of Management, University of Technology at Sydney, University of Sydney, Syracuse University, Boston Federal Reserve Annual Research Conference,

- Stanford University, Harvard University, AAA-BAA conference at Cambridge University, European Financial Association Conference in London, University of Chicago, American Accounting Association meetings in Philadelphia, and MIT Sloan School of Management.
- 2001 Cranfield University, Yale University, University of Rochester, HKUST, University of Technology at Sydney, University of Chicago, Pennsylvania State University, University of Texas at Dallas, MIT, and Duke University.
- 2002 Georgetown University, London Business School Donor Seminar, University of Pittsburgh, London Business School Symposium, Cornell University, Oklahoma State University, University of Rochester, New York University, Arizona State University, and Wharton School at the University of Pennsylvania.
- 2003 FARS Conference, APJAE Conference in Shanghai, University of Southern California, and University of Technology at Sydney.
- 2004 APJAE Conference in Kuala Lumpur, Emory University, AAA Doctoral Consortium, Harvard University, Fed-JFE Conference at Ohio State University, the U.S. Securities & Exchange Commission, Case Western Reserve University, University of Maryland, and Financial Economics and Accounting Conference at USC.
- 2005 Journal of Accounting, Auditing, and Finance Conference at NYU, Harvard University, Carnegie Mellon University, Samsung School of Business, S. Korea, and University of Texas at Dallas.
- 2006 Stanford University, Southern Methodist University, University of Georgia, Rutgers University, University of Chicago, Ohio State University, University of Minnesota, Michigan State University, Indian Institute of Technology, Bombay, BSI Gamma Foundation, Switzerland, and Cornell University.
- 2007 Indian Institute of Management, Calcutta, Brigham Young University, University of California, Riverside, University of Edinburgh, University of Southern California, University of Texas at Austin, Tuck at Dartmouth College, University of California, Los Angeles, Washington University in St. Louis, University of Massachusetts at Amherst, BARC Seminar at Boston University, Association of Finance Professionals, Boston, and London Business School.
- 2008 Lancaster University and University of Manchester.
- 2009 Temple University, London Business School, University of Rochester, Stanford University, American Accounting Association meetings in New York, Georgetown University, JAE Conference at MIT, and BITS Pilani.
- 2010 University of Chicago, University of Texas at San Antonio, and Sabanci University, Istanbul.
- 2011 Canadian Accounting Association, London School of Economics, Fudan University, and Xi'an Jiaotong University.
- 2012 Harvard Business School, Tsinghua University, Sun Yat-Sen University, and HKUST.
- 2013 USC, NY Federal Reserve Bank
- 2014 Louisiana State University, National Taiwan University
- 2015 Lehigh University, University of California, Irvine, Ohio State University, University of Cyprus, MIT Club of Cyprus, Indian School of Business National Conclave

- 2016 Hong Kong Polytechnic University, IIT, Bombay, Texas Christian University, Chinese University of Hong Kong, London Business School, University of Iowa, City University London
- 2017 Oxford University Blavatnik School, MIT, Indian Institute of Management, Ahmedabad, Tulane University.
- 2018 MIT Sloan, PCAOB in Washington DC, SEC in Washington DC, Keynote speech at the Conference on Financial Economics and Accounting at Tulane University.

## TEACHING

Corporate Financial Accounting, MBA core course  
 Financial Statement Analysis, MBA elective course  
 Empirical Accounting Research, PhD seminar  
 Positive Accounting Theories, MBA elective course  
 Cases in Finance, MBA elective course  
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 Corporate Financial Accounting: Simon School's Executive MBA programs in Holland and Switzerland

Intensive doctoral research courses in Accounting and Finance to faculty and students in:

Finland (1991, 1992), University of Alberta, Canada (1991), European Institute for Advanced Studies in Management, Brussels (1993), Baruch College, City University of New York, NY (1996), University of Technology at Sydney, Australia (1997, 1998, 2000, 2001, 2003), London Business School (2001).

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