



**University of Georgia**  
**2022 Ph.D. Student Research Symposium**

February 4-5, 2022

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All presentations will be held in Correll Hall, Room 313

**Schedule**

**Friday, February 4, 2022**

- 5:00 p.m. – 5:30 p.m. Reception  
315 Correll Hall
- 5:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m. Introductions  
“Tort Reform, Physician Remuneration Type and Healthcare Expenditure”  
**Yu (Rainie) Fang, Temple University**
- 6:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. “The Wild(fire) West: An Examination into California Insurer  
Response to Wildfire Risk”  
**Dana Telljohann, Florida State University**
- 8:00 p.m. Dinner  
Porterhouse Grill (459 E. Broad St.)

**Saturday, February 5, 2022**

- 7:00 a.m. – 8:00 a.m. Breakfast  
315 Correll Hall
- 8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m. “Why do Institutions Invest in Socially Responsible Firms? Evidence  
from the Insurance Industry”  
**Patrick Cho, University of Mississippi**
- 9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. Panel: A Career in Academia: What to Expect  
(Evan Eastman, Randy Dumm, Jim Carson)
- 10:00 a.m. – 10:15 a.m. Break
- 10:15 a.m. – 11:15 a.m. “Capital Structure, Financial Strength Ratings, and Market Discipline”  
**Dan Yang, University of Georgia**
- 11:15 a.m. – 12:15 p.m. “Information Gaps and Health Insurance Enrollment: Evidence  
from the Affordable Care Act Navigator Programs”  
**Honglin Li, University of Wisconsin**
- 12:15 p.m. – 2:00 p.m. Lunch (Downtown Athens)
- 2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. “Market Performance and Forward-looking Statements in Public and  
Private Insurers’ MD&As”  
**Jian Zhang, Temple University**
- 3:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. Panel: Publication Best Practices  
(Martin Grace, Lars Powell, Chuck Nyce)
- 4:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. “Auditor Specialization in Securities’ Industries and Insurer’s Fair Value Reporting”  
**Bohan Song, Tulane University**
- 5:00 p.m. Adjourn

## Participants

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*University of Mississippi*

Randy Dumm  
*Temple University*

Evan Eastman  
*Florida State University*

Yu (Rainie) Fang  
*Temple University*

Martin Grace  
*Temple University*

Honglin Li  
*University of Wisconsin*

Prerna Mishra  
*Georgia State University*

Chuck Nyce  
*Florida State University*

Lars Powell  
*University of Alabama*  
*Alabama Center for Insurance Information and Research*

Bohan Song  
*Tulane University*

Dana Telljohann  
*Florida State University*

Chae Yoo  
*Georgia State University*

Jian Zhang  
*Temple University*

### ***University of Georgia Participants***

James Carson  
David Eckles  
Taylor Graciano  
Robert Hoyt  
J.C. Marais  
David McCarthy  
Marc Ragin  
Justin Waller  
Dan Yang

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