

# Cyrus Aghamolla - CV

## Employment

Associate Professor, Rice University, Jones Graduate School of Business, 2023-present

## Prior Employment

Associate Professor (with tenure), University of Minnesota, Carlson School of Management

Assistant Professor, University of Minnesota, Carlson School of Management

## Education

PhD, Columbia GSB, 2013-2016

MA, Stanford GSB, 2010-2013

MA, Stanford, 2010-2013

BS, University of Maryland, 2005-2009

## Publications

Strategic complexity in disclosure (with Kevin Smith). *Journal of Accounting and Economics*, forthcoming.

Managerial myopia, earnings guidance, and investment (with Tadashi Hashimoto). 2023. *Contemporary Accounting Research*, 40 (1), 166-195.

Do mandatory disclosure requirements for private firms increase the propensity of going public? (with Richard Thakor), 2022. *Journal of Accounting Research*, 60 (3), 755-804.

IPO peer effects (with Richard Thakor). 2022. *Journal of Financial Economics*, 144 (1), 206-226.

Aggressive boards and CEO turnover (with Tadashi Hashimoto). 2021. *Journal of Accounting Research*, 59 (2), 437-486.

No reliance on guidance: Counter-signaling in management forecasts (with Carlos Corona and Ronghuo Zheng). 2021. *RAND Journal of Economics*, 52 (1), 207-245.

Strategic timing of IPOs and disclosure: A dynamic model of multiple firms (with Ilan Guttman). 2021. *The Accounting Review*, 97 (3), 27-57.

Voluntary disclosure with evolving news (with Byeong-Je An). 2021. *Journal of Financial Economics*, 140 (1), 21-53.

Information arrival, delay, and clustering in financial markets with dynamic freeriding (with Tadashi Hashimoto). 2020. *Journal of Financial Economics*, 138 (1), 27-52.

Debt contract enforcement and conservatism: Evidence from a natural experiment (with Nan Li). 2018. *Journal of Accounting Research*, 56 (5), 1383-1416.

### Working papers

Observational learning, endogenous timing, and information acquisition.

Sequential reporting bias (with Ilan Guttman and Evgeny Petrov).

Merchants of death: The effect of credit supply shocks on hospital outcomes (with Pinar Karaca-Mandic, Xuelin Li, and Richard Thakor).

Mandatory vs. voluntary ESG disclosure, efficiency, and real effects (with Byeong-Je An).

Endogenous offer arrival in the market for lemons (with Tadashi Hashimoto).

When private equity comes to town: The local economic consequences of rising healthcare costs (with Jash Jain and Richard Thakor)

### Teaching

Introduction to financial reporting, Spring 2017-2023

- Recent teaching rating: 5.7/6

Dynamic games (PhD), Spring 2020, 2022

- Teaching rating: 6/6

## Presentations

2022-2023: Journal of Accounting and Economics Conference\*, Seoul National University, KAIST, Rice, European Finance Association Annual Meeting\*, Korea Development Institute, Dartmouth, AEA Annual Meeting\*, University of British Columbia, HARC, AES Winter Retreat, Minnesota-Chicago Theory Conference, Econometric Society Summer Meeting\*.

2021-2022: NBER Summer Institute\*, Federal Reserve Stress Testing Research Conference\*, Columbia, HARC, HKUST Symposium\*, SMU Symposium\*, University of Alberta, UC Riverside, Dartmouth, ABFER Annual Meeting.

2020-2021: Journal of Accounting Research Conference, UCLA, Washington University in St. Louis, Accounting and Economics Society, DAR & DART Accounting Theory Seminar, Financial Intermediation Research Society Conference\*.

2019-2020: Carnegie Mellon Accounting Theory Conference, Tilburg Winter Camp, Shanghai Jiao Tong University, Midwest Finance Association Annual Meeting\*, Utah Winter Accounting Conference.

2018-2019: Chicago-Minnesota Theory Conference, Northwestern, Econometric Society Annual Meeting\*, NTU Finance Conference\*.

2017-2018: Utah Winter Accounting Conference, Minnesota, International Game Theory Conference\*.

2016-2017: Cambridge Corporate Finance Theory Symposium\*, Carnegie Mellon.

2015-2016: Baruch, Chicago, Columbia, Dartmouth, Duke, Minnesota, Northwestern, Rice, Stanford, Yale.

(\* denotes conference presentation by coauthor)

## School and professional service

Editorial Board member, The Accounting Review, June 2023-present

PhD advising and first placement: Minjae Kim (primary advisor, University of Alberta), Jash Jain (committee member, in progress), Ethan Yao (committee member, in progress), Juerui Feng (committee member, in progress)

Co-organizer, Chicago-Minnesota Theory Conference, 2017-present

Minnesota Accounting Seminar Organizer, 2019-2020

PhD admissions committee, January 2021-present