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Clinical Assistant Professor of Finance
School of Business Administration

Professional Interests

Research: Corporate Diversification and Cross-border Mergers and Acquisitions.

Teaching: Corporate Finance and Investments

Academic Background

Ph.D. University of Georgia, Athens, GA, Finance, 2006

M.A. University of Chile, Santiago, Chile, Finance, 2002

B.A. University of Chile, Santiago, Chile, Business Administration, 2000

Dissertation

Two Essays on Corporate Financial Policy: Diversification and Cross-border Mergers and Acquisitions

Work Experience

Academic Experience

Clinical Assistant Professor of Finance, School of Business (August, 2006 - Present).

Teaching Assistant, University of Georgia (2002 - 2006). Ph. D. Student - Corporate Finance (undergraduate level, 3 semesters, 100 students aver. eval 4.9 out of 5) Full teaching responsibility as instructor of record. Small Business Finance (undergraduate level, 3 semesters, 200 students, aver. eval. 4.6 out of 5) Full teaching responsibility as instructor of record Principles of Finance - Teaching Asst. to Dr. Chris Pope.

Teaching Assistant for the Executive Program, Alberto Hurtado University (2000 - 2002). Corporate Finance. Responsibilities included teaching sessions and review sessions prior to exams.

M.A., University of Chile (2000 - 2002). Investments (undergraduate level, 1 semester, 50 students, aver. eval. 4.5 out of 5) Full teaching responsibility as instructor of record. Teaching Asst. for MBA Program, Master in Finance Program, Executive Programs and Undergraduate Program (Corporate Finance, International Finance, Derivative Securities, Investment Evaluations, Marketing Research). Responsibilities included teaching sessions, case discussions, review sessions prior to exams and grading.

Teaching Assistant for the M.B.A. Program, Adolfo Ibanez University (2000 - 2002). Corporate Finance. Responsibilities included teaching sessions and review sessions prior to exams.

Paid Service

2006: University of Mississippi, School of Business, Clinical Ass't. Prof. of Finance - Business Finance I and Financial Statement Analysis

Teaching

Courses Taught

Business Finance I

Corporate Finance

Financial Analysis (specialized masters)

Investments

Principles of Finance

Security Analysis and Portfolio Management

Small Business Finance

Research/Intellectual Contributions:

Refereed Articles

Brockman, P., Liebenberg, I., & Schutte, M. (in press, 2009). Comovement, Information Production, and the Business Cycle. *Journal of Financial Economics*.

Liebenberg, A. P., Liebenberg, I. A., & Ruhland, J. S. (2008). Market Pricing of Political Risk: Evidence from the Property-Liability Insurance

Papers Under Review

- Burns, N. & Liebenberg, I. A. (2009). "The impact of U.S. takeovers in foreign markets," initial submission to Journal of Banking And Finance.
- Egginton, J., Liebenberg, A. P. , & Liebenberg, I. A. (2009). "What effect did AIG's bailout, and the preceding events, have on its competitors?," revised and resubmitted to Risk Management and Insurance Review.

Working Papers

- Dumm, R. E., Liebenberg, A. P. , Liebenberg, I. A. , & Ruhland, J. S. (2008). "The market impact of Florida's catastrophe insurance reforms" targeted for Journal of Insurance Issues.
- Liebenberg, A. P. & Liebenberg, I. A. (2008). "Industry impact of private acquisitions" targeted for Journal Of Finance.
- Chernykh, L. A., Liebenberg, I. A. , & Macias, A. J. (2008). "Determinants of Value-Creation for Emerging Market Firms: Organic Growth vs. Cross-border M&A" targeted for Journal of Financial Economics.
- Liebenberg, I. A. (2007). "The Value Effects of Industrial and International Diversification: New evidence from post-SFAS 131 data." targeted for Journal of Corporate Finance.

Presentation of Refereed Papers

International

- Brockman, P., Liebenberg, I., & Schutte, M. (2009). Comovement, Information Production, and the Business Cycle. Presented at Financial Management Association European Conference, Turin, Italy.
- Burns, N. & Liebenberg, I. (2009). Developed Market Acquisitions of Foreign Targets: Do they Impact Emerging and Developed Markets Differently? Presented at Financial Management Association European Conference, Turin, Italy.

Regional

- Dumm, R. E., Liebenberg, A. P. , Liebenberg, I. A. , & Ruhland, J. S. (2008, November). The market impact of Florida's catastrophe insurance reforms. Presented at Southern Risk and Insurance Association, Bay St. Louis, Mississippi.
- Liebenberg, A. P., Liebenberg, I. A. , & Ruhland, J. S. (2007, November). Market Pricing of Political Risk: Evidence from the U.S. Property-Liability Insurance Industry. Presented at Southern Risk and Insurance Association, San Antonio, Texas.

Service:

Service to the University

College assignments:

Member:

- 2007-2008 through 2008-2009: MBA Committee
- 2007-2008: Finance Clinical Search Committee
- 2007-2008: Finance Faculty Search Committee I
- 2007-2008: Management Faculty Search Committee I

Service to the Profession

Reviewer: Ad Hoc Reviewer for a Journal

- 2006-2007: Journal of Corporate Finance (National).

Other