# YIFAN REN

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EDUCATION	
The Chinese University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong SAR	2023-Present
Ph.D. in Management Information Systems, CUHK Business School	
University of Houston, Houston, USA	2021-2022
Ph.D. in Management Information Systems, Bauer College of Business (Quit Due to Family Reason)	)
Fordham University, New York, USA	2019-2021
M.S. at Dept. of Information, Technology, and Operations, Gabelli School of Business	
Wuhan University, Wuhan, China	2015-2019
B.A. at Experimental Class of Humanities Sciences; Minor in Marketing	

## **CONFERENCE PAPER**

Yifan Ren, Qiyu Dai, "Text Beyond Text: How Short Videos' Sentiment Impact Stock Market."

• INFORMS Annual Meeting (INFORMS Annual Meeting 2024)

Xunyi Wang, Reza Mousavi, Yili Hong, **Yifan Ren**. "The Unintended Consequences of Stay-at-Home Policies on Work Outcomes: The Impacts of Lockdown Orders on Content Creation."

• Best Paper Nomination, Conference on Information Systems and Technology (CIST 2021)

Yifan Ren, Yilu Zhou, Heng Xu. "Fad, Fashion or Classic? Comprehend Fashion Life Cycle on Social Media."

• International Conference on Information Systems (ICIS 2020)

## WORK IN OTHER DISCIPLINES

**Yifan Ren**, Gary Weiss. 2020. "A Comparison of Important Features for Predicting Polish and Chinese Corporate Bankruptcies," in *Proceedings of the 16<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Data Science (ICDATA)*, Las Vegas, NV: American Council on Science and Education.

#### **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

# Teaching Assistant

•	DSME 6788 Cyber Security, The Chinese University of Hong Kong	Fall 2023
•	BUSI 2305: Business Statistics, University of Houston	Fall 2022, Spring 2022
•	BYGB 7977: Text Analytics, Fordham University	Spring 2021
•	BPHD 9031: Machine Learning & Text Mining (PhD-level), Fordham University	Spring 2020

## HONORS AND AWARDS

- 2023-2027: CUHK Postgraduate Studentship, The Chinese University of Hong Kong
- 2021-2022: UH Presidential Fellowship, University of Houston
- 2021- 2022: Bauer PhD Program Fellowship, University of Houston
- 2019-2020: Dean's Scholarship, Fordham University
- 2015: Scholarship for Outstanding Freshman in Basic Subjects, Wuhan University

# **COMMUNITY ACTIVITY**

## Ad-hoc Reviewer

- Journal(s): Electronic Commerce Research (ECR)
- Conference(s): International Conference on Information Systems (ICIS), Americas Conference on Information Systems (AMCIS), Decision Sciences Institute (DSI) Annual Conference, Hawaii International Conference on System Sciences (HICSS)

#### WORK EXPERIENCE

2019/4 – 2019/7 Product & Data Analyst, Bytedance Inc., Beijing, China

## SKILLS

Programming: Python (Advanced), SQL/HiveQL (Advanced), JAVA (Intermediate), Solidity (Entry) Language: Mandarin (Native), English (Advanced), Cantonese (Entry)

### PERSONAL

Married; One Child (Dezhao 德昭, 2024); Paradox Interactive Enthusiast (1000+ hours); Amateur Astrologer