# **Bing Xu**

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**ACEDEMIC EMPLOYMENT** 

Assistant Professor, Southwestern University of Finance and Economics

EDUCATION

Ph.D. in Economics, University of Georgia

- Advisor: Dr. Christopher M. Cornwell
- Fields: Applied Microeconomics, Policy Analysis

Bachelor of Economics, University of Georgia

## RESEARCH

#### **Publications:**

- Christopher Cornwell and Bing Xu. Effects of the BAPCPA on the Chapter Composition of Consumer Bankruptcies. *Economics Letter*, 124: 439-442. 2014
- Xiaoguang Chen, Hector M. Nuñez and Bing Xu. Explaining the Reductions in Brazilian Sugarcane Ethanol Production Costs: Importance of Technological Change. *GCB Bioenergy*, forthcoming, 2013.
- David C. Broadstock, Yan Shu, and Bing Xu. The Heterogeneous Impact of Macroeconomic Information on Firms' Earnings Forecast. *The British Accounting Review*, 45:311-325, 2013.

#### Working Papers:

- "Generalized Reinforcement Learning in Perfect-Information Games", with M. Pak, Invited to revise and resubmit at *International Journal of Game Theory*
- "The Effects of BAPCPA on Petitioner Characteristics: Evidence from PACER Data," with C. Cornwell
- "Population Dynamics under China's Two-Child Policy," with M. Pak
- "农村家庭收入对子女教育投资中性别差异的影响," with Q. Zhou
- "Why Income Matters for Participation in Leisure Time Physical Activities: Evidence from Weather Shocks." With J. Shi and Y. Li

#### Works in Progress:

- "Strategic timing of Personal Bankruptcy Filers," with S. Imai
- "Why do parents spending more on boys? Preference or Expected Return?"
- "Do 'elite' public high schools in China produce better students, or just better grades?" with J. Shi

## GRANTS

China Natural Science Funding, 2014, \$35,000 China Central Higher Education Funding, 2014, \$5,000 China Central Higher Education Funding, 2013, \$5,000 University Supported Funding, Southwestern University of Finance and Economics, 2011, \$1,500 China 211 University Funding, 2011, \$5,000

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September 2010 - Present

May 2005

**July 2010** 

Undergraduate Introduction to Econometrics Undergraduate Intermediate Microeconomics Undergraduate Principle of Economics Undergraduate Human Resource Management

## PRESENTATION

Federal Reserve Atlanta, U.S., July 2013 Chinese Econometrics Society Annual Meeting, Dujiangyan, China, June 2013 Computational Economics and Finance Annual Meeting, Prague, Czech Republic, June 2012 Zhejiang University, China, November 2011

## SERVICES

Co-organizer, 2012 SWUFE International Workshop on Microeconomics, June 2012