

## Francis Ding

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### **EDUCATION**

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**Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University, Blacksburg, VA** May 2025 (Expected)  
Doctor of Philosophy in Business Administration  
(Accounting & Information Systems)

**University of Pittsburgh, Joseph M. Katz Graduate School of Business, Pittsburgh, PA** May 2021  
Master of Science in Accounting and Business Analytics

### **PROFESSIONAL INTERESTS**

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Research Interests: Financial Accounting; Debt Contracting; Corporate Governance; Disclosure  
Teaching Interests: Financial Accounting; Accounting Systems; Managerial Accounting; Cost Accounting

### **CONFERENCE PARTICIPATION**

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A = Attendee | R = Reviewer | D = Discussant

Hawaii Accounting Research Conference, Honolulu, HI   R	2024
AAA Annual Meeting, Denver, CO   R	2023
Virginia Tech Accounting Research Conference, Virginia Tech, VA   A	2023
AAA FARS Midyear Meeting & Doctoral Consortium, Phoenix, AZ   A	2023
Virginia Tech Accounting Research Conference, Virginia Tech, VA   A	2022
Virginia Accounting Research Conference, University of Richmond, VA   A	2022

### **REFeree EXPERIENCE**

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Asian Review of Accounting  
Hawaii Accounting Research Conference (HARC), 2024  
AAA Annual Meeting, 2023

### **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

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**Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University, Blacksburg, VA**

ACIS 2116 Managerial Accounting (Rating: 5.5/6.0)	Fall 2022
ACIS 2116 Managerial Accounting (Rating: 5.3/6.0)	Fall 2021

**GRANTS, AWARDS, AND HONORS**

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Thomas M. Wells and Kathy Dargo AIS Fellowship	2021-2023
Pamplin College of Business Summer Research Grant	2023
Pamplin College of Business Summer Research Grant	2022
Joseph M. Katz Graduate School Commencement Speaker	2021
Joseph M. Katz Graduate School of Business Fellowship	2019-2021
Henry E. Haller Jr. Global EBL Travel Grant	2021
Joseph M. Katz Graduate School of Business Accounting Department Fellowship	2021
Joseph M. Katz Graduate School of Business Accounting Department Fellowship	2020

**COMMUNITY SERVICE**

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American Accounting Association: Member  
Katz Chinese Alumni Association: Founder, Member