Special Issue

Venture Capital and Private Equity

Message from the Guest Editors

Venture capital and private equity (VC/PE) are important financial intermediaries bridging risk capital and entrepreneurial firms. The growth of VC/PE is changing the dynamics of capitalism and reshaping national competitiveness. The present Special Issue aims at collecting a number of new contributions, both at the theoretical level and at the practical level. The topics could widely cover financial contracting; governance structures in private equity firm and its invested entrepreneurial firms; angel investments; corporate venture capital; milestone vs. rounds; harvesting investments through IPOs or through mergers and acquisitions; evaluation and investment decisions; due diligence procedures; distressed asset investments; risk and portfolio management; legal and institutional perspective (e.g., blue sky laws, Tax Cuts and Jobs Act of 2017, anti-fraud provisions); and VC/PE's role in innovation ecosystem. We hope that this collection of papers will enrich this cross-discipline literature and encourage discourse in different fields.

Guest Editors

Dr. Sunny Li Sun

Department of Marketing Entrepreneurship and Innovation, Manning School of Business, Pulichino Tong Business Center – 220A, Lowell, MA, USA

Dr. Yi Yang

Department of Marketing Entrepreneurship and Innovation, Manning School of Business, Pulichino Tong Business Center – 220D, USA

Deadline for manuscript submissions

closed (30 April 2020)



Journal of Risk and Financial Management

an Open Access Journal by MDPI

CiteScore 5.0



mdpi.com/si/15328

Journal of Risk and Financial Management Editorial Office MDPI, Grosspeteranlage 5 4052 Basel, Switzerland Tel: +41 61 683 77 34 jrfm@mdpi.com

mdpi.com/journal/ jrfm





Journal of Risk and Financial Management

an Open Access Journal by MDPI

CiteScore 5.0



About the Journal

Message from the Editor-in-Chief

Researchers are most welcome to contribute original research articles or comprehensive review papers for consideration and publication in *Journal of Risk and Financial Management (JRFM)*, an on-line, open access journal. *JRFM* adheres to rigorous peer-review as well as editorial processes, and publishes high quality manuscripts that address theoretical, practical and empirical issues in analysing real life financial data. The goal of *JRFM* is to enable rapid dissemination of high impact research to the scientific community.

Editor-in-Chief

Prof. Dr. Thanasis Stengos

Department of Economics and Finance, University of Guelph, Guelph, ON NIG 2W1. Canada

Author Benefits

Open Access:

free for readers, with article processing charges (APC) paid by authors or their institutions.

High Visibility:

indexed within Scopus, EconBiz, EconLit, RePEc, and other databases.

Journal Rank:

CiteScore - Q1 (Business, Management and Accounting (miscellaneous))

