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EDUCATION

- Ph.D. Accounting, Rutgers University, 2009.
M.S. Financial Economics, Istanbul Bilgi University, 2004.
B.A. Economics, Koc University, 2002.

PUBLICATIONS

Journal Articles

1. “Enterprise Risk Management Program Quality: Determinants, Value Relevance, and the Financial Crisis” co-authored with Ryan J. Baxter, Jean C. Bedard and Rani Hoitash, *Contemporary Accounting Research*, forthcoming.
2. “R&D Intensity and the Value of Analysts’ Recommendations” co-authored with Dan Palmon, *Contemporary Accounting Research*, Vol. 29 Issue 2 (2012), 621-654.
3. “Analysts’ Recommendation Revisions and Subsequent Earnings Surprises: Pre- and Post-Regulation FD” co-authored with Dan Palmon, *Journal of Accounting, Auditing and Finance*, Vol. 26 Issue 3 (2011), 475-501.
4. “The Accounting Standards Setting Process in the U.S.: Examination of the SEC–FASB Relationship” co-authored with Dan Palmon and Marietta Peytcheva *Group Decision and Negotiation*, Vol. 20 Issue 2 (2011), 165-183.
5. “Performance of Analyst Recommendations in the Istanbul Stock Exchange” co-authored with Oral Erdogan and Dan Palmon, *International Review of Applied Financial Issues and Economics*, Vol. 3 Issue 3 (2011), 504-512.
6. “Fundamental Analysis with Artificial Neural Network” co-authored with Birol Yildiz, *International Journal of Business and Finance Research*, Vol. 4 Issue 1 (2010), 149-158.
7. “Crises, Contagion and Cross-Listings” co-authored with Nandini Chandar and Dilip K. Patro *Journal of Banking and Finance*, Vol. 33 Issue 9 (2009), 1709–1729.

8. “The Value of Columnists’ Stock Recommendations” co-authored with Dan Palmon and Ephraim F. Sudit *Review of Quantitative Finance and Accounting*, Vol. 33 Issue 3 (2009), 209-232.
9. “Changing Business Environment and the Value Relevance of Accounting” co-authored with Virginia Cortijo and Dan Palmon, *Advances in Quantitative Analysis of Finance and Accounting*, Vol. 7 (2009), 49-70.
10. “The Accrual Anomaly and Company Size” co-authored with Dan Palmon and Ephraim F. Sudit *Financial Analysts Journal*, Vol. 64 Issue 5 (2008), 47-60.
11. “The News of No News in Stock Markets” co-authored with Oral Erdogan *Quantitative Finance*, Vol. 9 Issue 8 (2009), 897-909.
12. “Contagion Effect of Sarbanes-Oxley Act: Evidence from Spain” co-authored with Virginia Cortijo *International Journal of Disclosure and Governance*, Vol. 5 Issue 2 (2008) 140-152.

Chapters in Books

13. “Financial Accounting” co-authored with Virginia Cortijo *The Handbook of Technology Management*, John Wiley & Sons, Inc., 2010.

WORK IN PROGRESS

1. Spectacular Airlines, Inc.: Evaluating the Financial and Business Implications of the Transition to IFRS co-authored with Mahendra R. Gujarathi and William J. Read.
2. Non-Audit Fees, Tenure, and Going-Concern Reports: Implications for Independence and Auditor Rotation. co-authored with William J. Read.
3. Does News Play an Important Role in the Correction Process of the Accruals Anomaly? co-authored with PyungKyung Kang and Dan Palmon.
4. Does the firm-specific relation between unexpected earnings and returns help predict future returns? co-authored with Dan Palmon and Dong Hyun Son.

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

1. American Accounting Association 2009 Northeast Regional Meeting in Cambridge, Massachusetts. Presented the paper entitled “R&D Intensity and the Value of Analysts’ Recommendations” co-authored with Dan Palmon.
2. American Accounting Association 2008 Annual Meeting in Anaheim, California. Presented the paper entitled “R&D Intensity and the Value of Analysts’ Recommendations” co-authored with Dan Palmon.

3. American Accounting Association 2008 Annual Meeting in Anaheim, California. Presented the paper entitled “The News of No News in Stock Markets” co-authored with Oral Erdogan.
4. Group Decision and Negotiation Meeting (INFORMS) in Coimbra, Portugal. Presented the paper entitled “Contagion Effect of Sarbanes-Oxley Act: Evidence from Spain” co-authored with Virginia Cortijo.
5. 15th Annual Conference On Pacific Basin Finance, Economics, Accounting and Management (2007) in Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam. Presented the paper entitled “Crises, Contagion and Cross-Listings” co-authored with Nandini Chandar and Dilip K. Patro. Also presented at the 2007 FMA Annual Meeting and 20th Annual Australasian Finance and Banking Conference by co-authors.
6. Emerging Markets: Finance and Economics Conference (2006) in Istanbul, Turkey. Presented the paper entitled “Performance of Analysts in the Istanbul Stock Exchange” co-authored with Oral Erdogan and Dan Palmon.
7. 14th Annual Conference On Pacific Basin Finance, Economics, Accounting and Management (2006) in Taipei, Taiwan. Presented the paper entitled “Value of Columnists’ Stock Recommendations” co-authored with Dan Palmon and Ephraim F. Sudit.
8. 14th Annual Conference On Pacific Basin Finance, Economics, Accounting and Management (2006) in Taipei, Taiwan. Presented the paper entitled “Changing Business Environment and the Value Relevance of Accounting Information” co-authored with Virginia Cortijo and Dan Palmon.
9. Digital Accounting Research Conference (2005) in Huelva, Spain. Presented the paper entitled “Changing Business Environment and the Value Relevance of Accounting Information” co-authored with Virginia Cortijo and Dan Palmon.
10. International Conference in Economics VII (2003) in Ankara, Turkey. Presented the paper entitled “The News of No News in Stock Markets” co-authored with Oral Erdogan.

COURSES TAUGHT

Intermediate Accounting I (Fall 2009, Spring and Fall 2010, Fall 2011)

Introduction to Financial Accounting (Spring 2007).

Advanced Accounting Research (Fall 2007).

OTHER PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES AND SERVICES

Ad Hoc Referee:

- *Financial Analysts Journal.*

- *Journal of Banking and Finance.*
- *Review of Quantitative Finance and Accounting* journal.
- *Journal of Financial Services Research*
- *Group Decision and Negotiation* journal.

AWARDS AND HONORS

- 2009 CIMIC Research Award for Ph.D. in Management Student
- American Accounting Association Deloitte J. Michael Cook Doctoral Consortium Fellow, Lake Tahoe, CA, 2007.

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATION

Member, American Accounting Association.