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Research Interests – Financial Economics, Corporate Finance, Asset Pricing

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EDUCATION

THE HONG KONG POLYTECHNIC UNIVERSITY

MS Finance

Sept, 2024 – May, 2025

Dissertation – “*Dynamic Order Execution Mechanisms*” [under Te Feng Chen, 2025]

Achievements – Full Tuition Fee waiver by the *Department of Accounting and Finance, Hong Kong Polytechnic University*

Coursework – Security Analysis and Portfolio Management, Investments, Corporate Finance, Quantitative Methods, Derivatives

MANIPAL INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY

June, 2019 – July, 2023

Manipal, India

BTech- Mechatronics Engineering

Dissertation - “*Green Financing: An Algorithmic Approach to an Innovative Product*” [under Krishna Prasad, Manipal Institute of Technology, 2023]

Coursework - Major – *Robotics* , Minor – *Finance*; Engineering Mathematics [16 credits], Robotics, Linear Control, Digital System Design, Computer Architecture and Design

EXPERIENCE

TA PAI MANAGEMENT INSTITUTE

MAHE, Manipal

Manipal, India

Dec, 2022 – July, 2024

Research Assistant

Supervisor	Timeline
Madhu Veeraraghavan	Nov, 2023 – July, 2024
Krishna Prasad	Apr, 2023 – Oct, 2023
Durga Prasad	Dec, 2022 – Mar, 2023

PUBLICATIONS

1. “*Momentum, Liquidity and Stock Returns: Indian Evidence*”, in Pacific Basin Finance Journal, <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.pacfin.2023.102193> [Research Assistance for authors Madhu Veeraraghavan, Abhishek Rohit and Kavitha Ranganathan , ABDC A, 2023]
2. “*Green Bonds- Sustainable Investments Dilemma*” in IVEY Case Publishing [with Durga Prasad and Krishna Prasad, 2025]

WORK IN PROGRESS

1. *“Dynamic Insider Trading and Return Predictability”* [2025]
2. *“Precautionary Deleveraging under Funding Constraints”* [2025]
3. *“Asymmetric Information and Strategic Behavior – The Role of Informed Traders and Funding Liquidity in Destabilizing Margins”* [2025]
4. *“Individualistic Cultures’ Pro Environmental Preferences in Green Financing”* [with Krishna Prasad and Durga Prasad, 2023]

PROGRAMMING AND DATA

Data - WRDS, CRSP, NYSE TAQ, LSEG Eikon, Bloomberg, SPSS and STATA, Tableau, Power BI

Programming - Python, R