

Curriculum Vitae of **Nalinaksha Bhattacharyya**

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Academic Qualifications

- Ph.D (University of British Columbia)
Thesis Title Essays On Dividend Policy.
- Ph.D (University of Calcutta)
Thesis Title A Theoretical Critique of Some Problems of Investment Appraisal.
- MBA (Indian Institute of Management, Bangalore)
- B.Sc. (Mathematics Honors, North Eastern Hill University, Shillong, India)

Academic Work Experience

2012 - Onwards	Professor, University of Alaska Anchorage.
2007 -2012	Associate Professor, University of Alaska Anchorage.
1999 - 2006	Assistant Professor, University of Manitoba, Canada
1989 - 1994	Assistant Professor, Indian Institute of Management, Calcutta, India.

Industrial Work Experience

1986 - 1989	Manager, Nagarjuna Group of Industries, Hyderabad, India.
1981- 1984	Officer, Mechanical Engineering, Indian Railways.
1977 -1981	Special Class Railway Apprentice. Special Class Apprentices are chosen from an open competition in India. They are then trained for officer positions in the mechanical department of Indian Railways. In my year six people were selected for the program.

Consulting Experience

Examination of Risks Faced by Manitoba Hydro in Power Exports

Professional Designation

- I qualified as a Certified General Accountant in 2008 and then received my designation as a Chartered Professional Accountant in 2015

Professional Education

- Chartered Financial Analysts (India) conducted by The Institute of Chartered Financial Analysts of India, Hyderabad, India.
- Associate Membership of Institution of Engineers (India) conducted by The Institution of Engineers (India).
- Council of Engineering Institutions Examination (London) conducted by The Council of Engineering Institutions (London).

Honors

- Top 10% of Authors on SSRN by Total New Downloads within the last 12 months.
- Best in Track Paper Award for Corporate Finance at the 2021 Academy of Finance Conference.
- Teaching Excellence Award Finalist at the 2021 & 2020 Academy of Finance Conference.
- Best in Track Paper Award for Mathematical Finance at the 2019 Academy of Finance Conference.
- Best in Track Paper Award for Education in Finance at the 2011 Academy of Finance Conference.
- Teaching Excellence Award Finalist at the 2011 Academy of Finance Conference.
- Harold T. Caven Professorship at the University of Alaska.
- Commonwealth Scholarship for pursuing Doctoral Studies.
- Gold Medal in Group C of Chartered Financial Analysts Examination, conducted by The Institute of Chartered Financial Analysts of India, Hyderabad, India.
- 5 Medals in Indian Institute of Management, Bangalore for Best overall performance, Best performance in Financial Management and Best Performance in Production Management.

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- Gold Medal in Part B of The Institution of Engineer (India)'s Associate Membership Examination.
- 1st Class 1st in B. Sc. (Mathematics Honours) North Eastern Hill University, Shillong, India.

Areas of Interest

Research: Dividend Policy, Agency Theory, Corporate Finance, Preference Representation, Survey, Executive Compensation.

Teaching: Business Finance, Personal Finance, Corporate Finance, Investments, Futures and Options, International Finance, Financial Institutions Management, Working Capital Management.

Courses Taught

At the University of Alaska Anchorage

Sl.No	Course Name	Course No.	Remarks
1	Personal Finance	BA 131	Lower Level Undergraduate Elective Course.
2	Corporate Finance	BA 325	Upper Level Undergraduate Required Course.
3	Investment Management	BA 380	Upper Level Undergraduate Required Course.
4	International Finance	BA 427	Upper Level Undergraduate Required Course.
5	Financial Derivatives	BA 452	Upper Level Undergraduate Required Course.
6	Financial Decision Making	BA 636	Graduate (MBA) level Required Course.

Courses Taught At Other Universities/Institutions

Sl.No	Course Name	Remarks
1	Corporation Finance	Second Year Required Undergraduate Course
2	Corporate Finance -Theory and Practice	Third Year Elective Undergraduate Course
3	Financial Markets and Institutions	Third Year Elective Undergraduate Course
4	Options and Futures	Fourth Year Elective Undergraduate Course
5	Corporation Finance	First Year MBA Level Required Course
6	Financial Management	First Year MBA Level Required Course
7	Theory of Financial Management	Second Year MBA Level Elective Course
8	Security Analysis and Portfolio Management.	Second Year MBA Level Elective Course
9	Working Capital Management	Second Year MBA Level Elective Course

Other Information-Teaching

- I have used WebCT and Blackboard in teaching my classes.
- I have used Elluminate Live for delivering my lecture over the internet to my students.
- I have advised students.

Refereed Publications

18. Anderson, Warwick; Bhattacharyya, Nalinaksha; Morrill, Cameron and Roberts, Helen, 2020. "Dividend Payout and Executive Compensation: Theory and evidence from New Zealand". *Accounting and Finance*, Vol. 60, Number S1, pp. 1007-1022.
17. Bhattacharyya, N and You, Leyuan. 2017. "Equilibrium Relationship between Expected Return and Skewness". *The International Journal of Finance*, Volume 27, Number 1, pp. 5001-5014.
16. Bhattacharyya, Nalinaksha, and Farooqi, Nauman, 2015. "Six Responses on Research Questions in Finance-A Canadian Perspective." *Journal of Accounting and Finance*, Volume 15, Issue 7, pp. 34-40.
15. Bhattacharyya, Nalinaksha; Huhmann, Bruce A. and Samu, Sridhar, 2014. "Risk Perceptions of Mutual Funds - Evidence from an Experimental Approach", *Journal of the Finance Issues*, Volume 13, Issue 2, pp. 40-53.
14. Bhattacharyya, Nalinaksha; Elston, Julie Ann and Rondi, Laura, 2014. "Executive compensation and agency costs in a family controlled corporate governance structure: the case of Italy", *Int. J. Corporate Governance*, Volume 5, Number 3/4, pp 119-132.
13. Bhattacharyya, Nalinaksha, 2012, "Why do Managers Use IRR in Investment Analysis?," *The Journal of Finance Issues*, Volume 10, Issue 2, pp. 99-114.
12. Bhattacharyya, Nalinaksha, and Julie Ann Elston, 2011, "Dividends, Executive Compensation, And Agency Costs: Empirical Evidence From Germany," *Journal of Accounting & Finance*, Volume 11, Number 1, pp. 11-20.
11. Bancel, Frank, Nalinaksha Bhattacharyya, and Usha Mittoo, 2009, "Cross-Country Determinants of Payout Policy: European Firms". Book Chapter in *Dividends and Dividend Policy* edited by H. Kent Baker, John Wiley & Sons Inc. New Jersey.
10. Bhattacharyya, Nalinaksha, Amin Mawani, and Cameron Morrill, 2008, "Dividend Payout and Executive Compensation: Theory and Evidence." *Accounting and Finance*, Volume 48, pp. 521-541.
9. Bhattacharyya, Nalinaksha, Amin Mawani, and Cameron Morrill, 2008, "Dividend Payout and Executive Compensation: Theory and Canadian Evidence." *Managerial Finance*, Volume 34, Number 8, pp. 585-601.

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8. Bhattacharyya, Nalinaksha , and Thomas A. Garrett, 2008. “Why People Choose Negative Expected Return Assets-An Empirical Examination of a Utility Theoretic Explanation.” *Applied Economics*, Volume 40, Number 1, pp. 27-34.
7. Bhattacharyya, Nalinaksha, 2007. “Good Managers Invest More and Pay Less Dividends-A Model of Dividend Policy.” *Advances in Financial Economics*, Volume 12, pp. 91-117.
6. Bhattacharyya, Nalinaksha, 2007, “Dividend Policy-A Review.” *Managerial Finance*, Volume 33, Number 1, pp. 4-13.
5. Huhmann, Bruce, and Nalinaksha Bhattacharyya, 2005, “Does Mutual Fund Advertising Provide Necessary Investment Information?” *International Journal of Bank Marketing*, Volume 23, Number 4, pp. 296-316.
4. Bhattacharyya, Nalinaksha, 2004, “Student Evaluations and Moral Hazard.” *Journal of Academic Ethics*, Volume 2, Number 3, pp. 263-271.
3. Bagchi, Ansuman, Nalinaksha Bhattacharyya, and Nilotpal Chakravarti, 1996, “LP Relaxation of the Two Dimensional Knapsack Problem with Box and GUB Constraints.”, *European Journal of Operational Research*, Volume 89, pp. 609-617.
2. Bhattacharyya, Nalinaksha, 1992, “Some Theoretical Problems of Investment Appraisal - A Review.’ *Decision*, Volume 19, Number 1, pp.11-15.
1. Bhattacharyya, Nalinaksha, 1989, “Hindustan Special Tubes Limited : A Case on Turnaround Management.” *IIMB Management Review*, Volume 4, Number 2, pp.89-105.

Non-Referred Publications

2. Bhattacharyya, Nalinaksha, 1993, “Life after Scam : Some Guidelines for Future Action”, *Chartered Financial Analyst*, Volume 8, Number 2 , pp.3-6.
1. Bhattacharyya, Nalinaksha, 1990, “Cost of Capital for a Finance Company” *Chartered Financial Analyst*, Volume 5, Number 1, pp.3-7.

Working Papers

2. Bauer, Larry and Nalinaksha Bhattacharyya, “Rethinking Lintner: An Alternative Dynamic Model of Dividends”.
1. Bhattacharyya, Nalinaksha and Morrill, Cameron, “Capital Structure: Theory and Evidence”.

Research in Progress

2. Bauer, Larry, Nalinaksha Bhattacharyya, and Cameron Morrill, “A Comprehensive Test of the Theories of Dividend Policy”.
1. Bhattacharyya, Nalinaksha and Elston, Julie, “Capital Structure in Germany”.

Book Review

1. Bhattacharyya, Nalinaksha. 1993 Book Review of “Stock Exchange Trading in India Agenda for Reform” by L. C. Gupta, *Decision*, Volume 20 Number 4.

Conference Proceedings

5. Bhattacharyya, Nalinaksha and Elston, Julie, 2010. “Dividends and Agency Issues –Empirical Evidence from Germany.” Conference Proceedings of the Academy of Finance Conference held in Chicago from March 24-26, 2010.
4. Bhattacharyya, Nalinaksha and Elston, Julie Ann, 2008, “Dividends and Agency Issues: Empirical evidence from Germany”. Conference Proceedings of Atlantic Schools of Business Conference held at St.John’s Newfoundland from October 17-October 19, 2008.
3. Bauer, Larry, and Nalinaksha Bhattacharyya, 2006, “A Simple Time Series Model of Dividends”. Conference Proceedings of ASAC 2006 held in Banff from June 3 - June 6, 2006.
2. Bhattacharyya, Nalinaksha, Amin Mawani, and Cameron Morrill, 2003, “Dividend Payout and Executive Compensation in US firms”, Tenth Annual Conference Proceedings of Multinational Finance Society conference held in Montreal from June 28- July 2, 2003.
1. Bhattacharyya, Nalinaksha, Amin Mawani, and Cameron Morrill, 2003, “Dividend Payout and Executive Compensation: Theory and Evidence”, Conference Proceedings of ASAC 2003 held in Halifax from June 14-June 17, 2003.

Conference Presentations

38. Bhattacharyya, Nalinaksha March 24 - 26, 2021, “Option Pricing With Volatility Smile”. Academy of Finance Conference, 2021, Chicago, Illinois, USA (Held virtually)
37. Bhattacharyya, Nalinaksha and Morrill, Cameron. March 24 - 26, 2021, “Determinants of American Capital Structure: An Empirically Validated Model”. Academy of Finance Conference, 2021, Chicago, Illinois, USA (Held virtually)
36. Bhattacharyya, Nalinaksha and You, Leyuan. March 27-29, 2019. “Expected Return and Skewness Relationship in Futures Markets”. Academy of Finance Conference, 2019, Chicago, Illinois, USA.
35. Anderson, Warwick; Bhattacharyya, Nalinaksha; Morrill, Cameron and Roberts, Helen. April 18-20, 2018. “Dividend Payout and Executive Compensation: Theory and evidence from New Zealand”. Academy of Finance Conference, 2018, Chicago, Illinois, USA.
34. Anderson, Warwick; Bhattacharyya, Nalinaksha; Morrill, Cameron and Roberts, Helen. February 8-9, 2018. “Dividend Payout and Executive Compensation: Theory and evidence from New Zealand”. 22nd New Zealand Finance Colloquium, Massey University, Palmerston North, New Zealand. (Presented by co-author Warwick Anderson).

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33. Bauer, Larry; Bhattacharyya, Nalinaksha and Morrill, Cameron. March 22-24, 2017. "Market Reaction to Dividend Announcements: Signaling / Free Cash Flows vs. Screening". Academy of Finance Conference, 2017, Chicago, Illinois, USA.
32. Bhattacharyya, Nalinaksha and You, Leyuan. March 10-11, 2016. "Equilibrium Relationship between Expected Return and Skewness". Southwestern Finance Association Conference. (Presented by co-author Leyuan You)
31. Bhattacharyya Nalinaksha and Farooqi, Nauman. June 13-16, 2015, "Research Questions in Finance-Lessons for Accounting and Other Social Science". Presented at the Annual Conference of the Administrative Sciences Association of Canada at Halifax, Nova Scotia from .
30. Bhattacharyya, Nalinaksha and Morrill, Cameron. March 26 - 28, 2014, "Corporate Capital Structure: Theory and Evidence". Academy of Finance Conference, 2014, Chicago, Illinois, USA.
29. Bhattacharyya, Nalinaksha, Huhmann, Bruce and Samu, Sridhar. March 28-30, 2012, "Risk Perceptions Of Mutual Funds - Evidence From An Experimental Approach." Academy of Finance Conference, 2012, Chicago, Illinois, USA.
28. Bhattacharyya, Nalinaksha, Elston, Julie Ann and Rondi, Laura. October 19-22, 2011 "Agency Issues in a Family Controlled Corporate Governance Structure -The Case of Italy". Financial Management Association Annual Meeting 2011. Denver, Colorado, USA
27. Bhattacharyya, Nalinaksha. March 23-25, 2011. "Why Do Managers Use IRR in Investment Analysis". Academy of Finance Conference, 2011, Chicago.
26. Bhattacharyya, Nalinaksha and Elston, Julie. March 24-26, 2010. "Dividends and Agency Issues : Empirical Evidence from Germany." Academy of Finance Conference, 2010, Chicago, Illinois, USA.
25. Bhattacharyya, Nalinaksha and Elston, Julie Ann. June 24 -June 27, 2009, "Dividends and Agency Issues: Empirical evidence from Germany". European Financial Management Association Annual Meeting 2009, Milan, Italy. (Presented by co-author Julie Elston)
24. Bhattacharyya, Nalinaksha and Elston, Julie Ann, October 17-October 19, 2008. , "Dividends and Agency Issues: Empirical evidence from Germany". Atlantic Schools of Business Conference 2008, St.John's, Newfoundland, Canada.
23. Bauer, Larry and Nalinaksha Bhattacharyya. October 18 - October 20, 2007. "Rethinking Lintner: An Alternative Dynamic Model of Dividends" Financial Management Association Annual Meeting 2007. Orlando, Florida, USA .(Presented by co-author Larry Bauer)
22. Bauer, Larry and Nalinaksha Bhattacharyya. September 28 -September 30, 2007. "Rethinking Lintner: An Alternative Dynamic Model of Dividends" Northern Finance Association Conference 2007, Toronto, Ontario, Canada. (Presented by an Associate Alex Faseruk)

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21. Bauer, Larry and Nalinaksha Bhattacharyya. March 28 - March 30, 2007. "Rethinking Lintner: An Alternative Dynamic Model of Dividends". Academy of Finance Annual Meeting 2007. Chicago, Illinois, USA. (Presented by co-author Larry Bauer.)
20. Bauer, Larry and Nalinaksha Bhattacharyya. March 22 - March 24, 2007. "Rethinking Lintner: An Alternative Dynamic Model of Dividends". Midwest Finance Association Program 2007. Minneapolis, Minnesota, USA. (Presented by co-author Larry Bauer.)
19. Bhattacharyya, Nalinaksha; Mawani, Amin and Morrill, Cameron. October 11 - 14, 2006. "Dividend Payout and Executive Compensation: Theory and evidence". Financial Management Association Annual Meeting 2006. Salt Lake City, Utah, USA .
18. Bauer Larry and Bhattacharyya Nalinaksha June 3 - June 6, 2006 " A Simple Time Series Model of Dividends". Administrative Sciences Association of Canada (ASAC) Annual Conference 2006. Banff, Alberta, Canada.
17. Bhattacharyya, Nalinaksha; Mawani, Amin and Morrill, Cameron. Dec 23, 2005. "Dividend Payout and Executive Compensation: Theory and evidence" International Conference on Business & Finance, ICFAI Business School, Hyderabad, India. (Presented by co-author Amin Mawani)
16. Bancel, Frank; Bhattacharyya, Nalinaksha; Mittoo, Usha. October 12- October 15, 2005. "Cross-Country Determinants of Pay-Out Policies: A Survey of European Firms". Financial Management Association Annual Meeting 2005. Chicago, Illinois, USA. (Presented by co-author Usha Mittoo).
15. Bancel, Frank; Bhattacharyya, Nalinaksha; Mittoo, Usha. September 30-October 2, 2005. "Cross-Country Determinants of Pay-Out Policies: A Survey of European Firms." Northern Finance Association Conference 2005. Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada.
14. Bancel, Frank; Bhattacharyya, Nalinaksha; Mittoo, Usha. June 29-July 2, 2005. "Cross-Country Determinants of Pay-Out Policies: A Survey of European Firms". European Financial Management Association Annual Conference 2005. Milan, Italy. (Presented by co-author Frank Bancel).
13. Bhattacharyya, Nalinaksha. September 17-19, 2004. "Why Do Managers Prefer IRR?". Northern Finance Association Conference 2004. St John's, Newfoundland, Canada.
12. Bhattacharyya, Nalinaksha and Huhmann, Bruce. September 17-19, 2004. "An Exploratory Investigation of the Provision of information to Investors Through Mutual Fund Advertising". Northern Finance Association Conference 2004. St John's, Newfoundland, Canada.
11. Bhattacharyya, Nalinaksha; Mawani, Amin and Morrill, Cameron. May 27 - 29, 2004. "Dividend Payout and Executive Compensation: Theory and evidence". Canadian Academic Accounting Association Annual Meeting 2004. Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada. (Presented by co-author Cameron Morrill)

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10. Bhattacharyya, Nalinaksha. June 5 - 8, 2004. "Why do Managers Prefer IRR?" Administrative Sciences Association of Canada (ASAC) Annual Conference 2004. Quebec City, Quebec, Canada.
9. Bhattacharyya, Nalinaksha. June 5 - 8, 2004. "Student Evaluations and Moral Hazard". Administrative Sciences Association of Canada (ASAC) Annual Conference 2004. Quebec City, Quebec, Canada.
8. Huhmann, Bruce and Bhattacharyya, Nalinaksha. June 5 - 8, 2004. "How Accurate are Financial Theories in Predicting the Marketing of Financial Services? A Content Analysis of Mutual Funds Advertising". Administrative Sciences Association of Canada (ASAC) Annual Conference 2004. Quebec City, Quebec, Canada.
7. Bhattacharyya, Nalinaksha; Mawani, Amin and Morrill, Cameron. September 19-21, 2003. "Dividend Payout and Executive Compensation: Theory and evidence". Northern Finance Association Conference 2003. Quebec City, Quebec, Canada.
6. Bhattacharyya, Nalinaksha; Mawani, Amin and Morrill, Cameron. June 28 - July 2, 2003. "Dividend Payout and Executive Compensation in U.S. Firms". Tenth Annual Conference Multinational Finance Society. Montreal, Quebec, Canada.
5. Bhattacharyya, Nalinaksha; Morrill, Cameron and Mawani, Amin. June 14 - 17, 2003. "Dividend Payout and Executive Compensation: Theory and evidence". Administrative Sciences Association of Canada (ASAC) Annual Conference 2003. Halifax, Nova Scotia, Canada.
4. Bhattacharyya, Nalinaksha. September 27-29, 2002. "From Mean Variance Space to Mean Skewness Space – Implications for Simultaneous Risk Seeking and Risk Averting Behavior". Northern Finance Association Conference 2002. Banff, Alberta, Canada.
3. Bhattacharyya, Nalinaksha. May 25 -28, 2002. "From Mean Variance Space to Mean Skewness Space – Implications for Simultaneous Risk Seeking and Risk Averting Behavior". Administrative Sciences Association of Canada (ASAC) Annual Conference 2002. Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada.
2. Bhattacharyya, Nalinaksha. May 26 -29, 2001. "Good Managers Work More and Pay Less Dividends: The Screening Model of Dividend Policy". Administrative Sciences Association of Canada (ASAC) Annual Conference 2001. London, Ontario, Canada.
1. Bhattacharyya, Nalinaksha. September 24 -26, 1999. "Good Managers Work More and Pay Less Dividends: The Screening Model of Dividend Policy". Northern Finance Association Conference 1999. Calgary, Alberta, Canada.

Invited Presentations

15. Bauer, Larry and Nalinaksha Bhattacharyya, July 25, 2017. "Rethinking Lintner: An Alternative Dynamic Model of Dividends". Invited seminar at the Indian Institute of Management, Calcutta, India.

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14. Bhattacharyya, Nalinaksha and Morrill, Cameron. September 11, 2015. "Equilibrium Relationship between Expected Return and Skewness". Chartered Professional Accountants of Manitoba-University of Manitoba Accounting Conference, 2015, Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada.
13. Bauer, Larry, Bhattacharyya, Nalinaksha and Morrill, Cameron. September 12, 2015. "Why companies declare dividends -an empirical examination". Chartered Professional Accountants of Manitoba-University of Manitoba Accounting Conference, 2015, Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada. (Presented by co-author Cameron Morrill)
12. Bhattacharyya, Nalinaksha and Morrill, Cameron. May 2, 2014. "Corporate Capital Structure: Theory and Evidence". Certified General Accounting-University of Manitoba Accounting Conference, 2014, Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada.
11. Bhattacharyya, Nalinaksha. July 21, 2008. "Finance- An Overview". Invited presentation at Calcutta Business School.
10. Bhattacharyya, Nalinaksha; Mawani, Amin and Morrill, Cameron. June 7, 2007. "Dividend Payout and Executive Compensation: Theory and evidence". Invited Presentation at the University of Ottawa Distinguished Speaker Series, Ottawa, Ontario.(Presented by co-author Amin Mawani).
9. Bauer, Larry and Nalinaksha Bhattacharyya, February 19 2006."Rethinking Lintner: An Alternative Dynamic Model of Dividends". Invited seminar at University of Ontario Institute of Technology, Ontario, USA.
8. Bauer, Larry and Nalinaksha Bhattacharyya, February 13 2007."Rethinking Lintner: An Alternative Dynamic Model of Dividends". Invited seminar at University of Alaska Anchorage, Alaska, USA.
7. Bauer, Larry and Nalinaksha Bhattacharyya, December 14 2006. "Rethinking Lintner: An Alternative Dynamic Model of Dividends". Invited seminar at Winston-Salem State University, Winston-Salem, North Carolina, USA.
6. Bhattacharyya, Nalinaksha. March 24 2006. "Good Managers Work More and Pay Less Dividends: The Screening Model of Dividend Policy" and Bhattacharyya, Nalinaksha; Mawani, Amin and Morrill, Cameron."Dividend Payout and Executive Compensation: Theory and evidence". Invited seminar at Trent University. Peterborough, Ontario, Canada.
5. Bhattacharyya, Nalinaksha. February 18 2005. "Good Managers Work More and Pay Less Dividends: The Screening Model of Dividend Policy" and Bhattacharyya, Nalinaksha; Mawani, Amin and Morrill, Cameron."Dividend Payout and Executive Compensation: Theory and evidence". Invited seminar on Dividends and Executive Compensation at Wilfred Laurier University. Waterloo, Ontario, Canada.
4. Bhattacharyya, Nalinaksha; Mawani, Amin and Morrill, Cameron. September 9, 2004. "Dividend Payout and Executive Compensation: Theory and evidence" Invited Presentation at the University of New South Wales School of Banking and Finance, Sydney, Australia. (Presented by co-author Amin Mawani).

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3. Bhattacharyya, Nalinaksha; Mawani, Amin and Morrill, Cameron. November 21, 2003. "Dividend Payout and Executive Compensation: Theory and evidence". Invited Presentation at the Wilfred Laurier University. Waterloo, Ontario. (Presented by co-author Amin Mawani).
2. Bhattacharyya, Nalinaksha; Mawani, Amin and Morrill, Cameron. November 15 - 16, 2002. "Dividend Payout and Executive Compensation". Certified General Accountants/university of Manitoba Accounting and Finance Research Conference 2002. Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada.
1. Bhattacharyya, Nalinaksha; Mawani, Amin and Morrill, Cameron. April, 2002. "Dividend Payout and Executive Compensation: Theory and evidence" Invited Presentation at the University of Cincinnati, Cincinnati, Ohio, USA. (Presented by co-author Amin Mawani).

Conference Services

25. Discussant-Academy of Finance Conference, Chicago, 2021.
24. Session Chair-Academy of Finance Conference, Chicago, 2019.
23. Discussant-Academy of Finance Conference, Chicago, 2019.
22. Reviewed two papers for the CAAA conference for the year 2017.
21. Reviewed a paper for the CAAA conference for the year 2016.
20. Reviewed papers for the Accounting Division of the Administrative Sciences Association of Canada (ASAC) Conference, 2015, held at Halifax from June 13 to June 16, 2015.
19. Reviewed papers for the Finance Division of the Administrative Sciences Association of Canada (ASAC) Conference, 2011, held at Montreal from July 2nd to July 5th, 2011.
18. Session Chair-Academy of Finance Conference, Chicago, 2011.
17. Discussant-Academy of Finance Conference, Chicago, 2011.
16. Reviewed papers for the Best Paper in Track Award at the Academy of Finance Conference, 2010 held at Chicago from March 24 to March 26, 2010.
15. Participated in a Panel Discussion on How to Get Published at the Academy of Finance Conference, 2010 held at Chicago from March 24 to March 26, 2010.
14. Discussant-Academy of Finance Conference, Chicago, 2010.
13. Session Chair, Atlantic Schools of Business Conference, St. John's, Newfoundland, Canada, October 2008.
12. Division Chair-Finance Division Administrative Sciences Association of Canada (ASAC) Annual Meeting, Banff, June 2006.

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11. Discussant-Northern Finance Association Meeting - Vancouver, September
10. Academic Reviewer and Program Chair-Finance Division Administrative Sciences Association of Canada (ASAC) Annual Meeting, Toronto, May 2005.
9. Discussant-Northern Finance Association Meeting , St John,s, September 2004
8. Discussant-Northern Finance Association Meeting , Quebec City, September 2003
7. Organized CGA Accounting and Finance Research conference as a cochairperson (jointly with Prof. Cameron Morrill) from November 15 and 16,2002.
6. Discussant-Northern Finance Association Meeting , Banff, September 2002.
5. Session Chair and Discussant-Administrative Sciences Association of Canada (ASAC) Annual Meeting , Halifax, June 2003 .
4. Discussant-Northern Finance Association Meeting , Calgary 2000.
3. Discussant-Administrative Sciences Association of Canada (ASAC) Annual Meeting , Winnipeg, May 2002.
2. Session Chair and Discussant-Financial Management Association Meeting - Toronto-2001.
1. Discussant-Administrative Sciences Association of Canada (ASAC) Annual Meeting 2001.

Professional Services

Editorial and Review Activities

19. Member, Editorial Board, *Accounting Perspectives*.
18. Reviewer for *International Journal of Corporate Governance*.
17. Reviewer for *Finance Research Letters*.
16. Reviewer for *Asia Pacific Journal of Management*
15. Reviewer for *The Financial Review*.
14. Reviewer for *Journal of Finance Issues*.
13. Reviewer for *Accounting and Finance*.
12. Reviewer for *Portuguese Economic Journal*.
11. Reviewer for *Accounting Perspectives*.
10. Reviewer for *The Geneva Papers on Risk and Insurance - Issues and Practice*.

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9. Reviewer for *Managerial Finance*.
8. Guest Editor of *Managerial Finance* for a special issue on Payout Policy.
7. Reviewer for *The Journal of Political Economy*.
6. Reviewer for *The Journal of Emerging Market Finance*.
5. Reviewer for *The International Journal of Tourism Research*.
4. Reviewer for *Canadian Journal of Administrative Sciences*.
3. Reviewer for *Decision*.
2. Reviewed text book *Finance in a Canadian Setting* by Lustzig, Cleary and Schwab.
1. Reviewed text book *Corporate Finance* by Ross, Westerfield, Jaffe and Roberts.

University and Departmental Services

14. President of Faculty Senate.
13. First Vice President of Faculty Senate.
12. Chair, Ad-hoc Committee of Faculty Senate to draft a response to the Fisher Committee report.
11. Member of E-Board of Faculty Senate
10. Member of Library Advisory Committee.
9. Member, University Senate, University of Alaska Anchorage
8. Member, Academic Computing, Distance Learning and Instructional Technology Committee.
7. Member, Ad hoc Committee on Academic Master Plan of UAA Senate.
6. Member, Assessment Committee.
5. Member, Finance Curriculum Committee
4. Member, Finance Ph.D Admissions Committee
3. Member, Finance Faculty Search Committee.
2. Member, Faculty Steering Committee.
1. Member, Faculty Continuous Improvement Committee.

External Services

2. Member, Investment Advisory Commission, Municipality of Anchorage.
1. Research Evaluation for Tenure at the request of the University of Windsor.

Selected Written Student Comments

- Professor Bhattacharyya is exactly what you would expect from an academic. He is a very knowledgeable professor that facilitates a positive learning environment. He would provide in depth information and help you to find the answers to any questions you were looking for.
- You tried very hard to help us see how the information in class applied to real life. You suggested movies and books that would educate us on the world we live in and the benefits and flaws. You pointed out numerous times that we should expand our knowledge on finance, do our own research, and make our own conclusions, not simply accept others conclusions.
- Overall, a good teacher. He teaches the subjects fairly well and can be humorous at times. I also highly appreciate him teaching the class to evaluate everything of importance in a rational manner.
- At the beginning of the semester I was not very excited about taking this class, as I heard a lot of "heartbreaking" stories about the difficulty of the material as well as the instructor:)) Therefore, I was happy to find out that the teacher is just great and the topics discussed in the class are interesting and related to real life situations. I find it very helpful that we have two short sessions every week instead of one long class period as it used to be. Yet, my favorite part of the course is that even in such complicated field as corporate finance, there is always room for a good joke. I really enjoy the course. Thank you!
- Dr.B did a wonderful job teaching this class. He incorporated many educational websites that helped to relate the course curriculum with day to day research and self education once the class is over. He is a kind person that holds his students to high standards and seems genuinely concerned about their wellbeing.
- Excellent course and instructor. Finally, after 4 years in the faculty I have had a professor who was truly a great professor, who showed caring for the students, and who took time to consider the interests of the students-overall the BEST prof. I have had at U of M or previous institutions.
- Honestly one of the best professors I have ever had. The course was very hard and a lot of work, but Prof.B made the course interesting. He was not only a brilliantly smart professor, he was great at explaining things so we could understand. He made me love finance.
- This is my second degree (I've had a lot of profs) and professor Bhattacharyya is one of the best I've ever had.

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- Professor Bhattacharyya is a great teacher! He is fair, easy to understand and wellorganized. Even though I disliked the course due to content, I always attended because he made it worthwhile.
- Well done. For a course that was potentially as dry and boring as this one could have been, a great job was done with constant use of digressions to keep us all interested. Thanks.