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### Academic Employment

2017-present	Professor of Finance, Accounting and Finance, University of Alaska Anchorage, Anchorage, United States
2024- December	Indian Institute of Management, Tiruchirappalli, Tamil Nadu, India (Visiting Professor).
2017 & 2018 (June)	Tianjin University of Technology, 391 Binshuixi Road, Tianjin, 30038, P.R. China (Visiting Professor).
2014-2017	Associate Professor of Finance, Accounting and Finance, University of Alaska Anchorage, Anchorage, United States
2010-2018	Associate Professor of Finance/Economics, University of Northern British Columbia, Prince George, British Columbia, Canada
2002-2010	Assistant Professor of Finance/Economics, University of Northern British Columbia, Prince George, British Columbia, Canada
2001-2002	Assistant Professor, Economics and Business Program, Thomson Rivers University, Kamloops, British Columbia, Canada
1984-2001	Director, Department of Economics and Policy Research, Reserve Bank of India, Mumbai, India.
1981-1984	Lecturer in Economics, Department of Collegiate Education, Government of Kerala, India.

### Other Work Experience

2014-15	Securities Exchange Board of India- Development Research Project II- Effectiveness of SEBI's Complaint Redress System (SCORES) in India.
2013-14	Securities Exchange Board of India- Development Research Project I-Earnings Management in India (Securities and Exchange Board of India.
2013-14	Testing Content Delivery Concepts to Determine the Most Effective Models for increasing Online Users of the Anglers Atlas, MITAC Project.
2008-10	Microfinance and Social Capital: A Comparative Study of SHG Borrowers in

Andhra Pradesh and Kerala (with C.B Rajeev, Funded by ICSSR, New Delhi).

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| 2007-08   | Microfinance and Microenterprises – A Study of Kudumbashree Project in Kerala (with Louis Oliver Gervais – Submitted to University of Northern British Columbia).     |
| 2000-2001 | World Bank (IDA) Project on ‘Monitoring of Non-Debt Flows in India’.  |
| 2000-2000 | Asian Development Bank- Short-Term Consultant for the project- “ <i>Technical Training and Capacity Building in Support of ASEAN Economic Surveillance Process</i> ”. |
| 1998-99   | Member Secretary, Report on Reforms in Deposit Insurance in India (Reserve Bank of India, Mumbai).  |
| 1997-98   | Member, Committee to Frame Rules for Granting New Bank Licenses (Reserve Bank of India, Mumbai).  |

### **Education**

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| 1997 | Ph.D, University of Sydney, Australia                               |
| 1980 | M.Phil, University of Kerala, Kerala, India                         |
| 1979 | M.A. Economics (Gold Medalist), University of Kerala, Kerala, India |

### **Software Proficiency**

*Office/Statistics software:* MS Office including EXCEL, MINITAB etc.

*Econometric Software:* STATA, SAS, RATS, EVIEWS; Open Source: R, R-Studio, GRETL.

Data Visualization software: *Tableau*.

### **Academic Honors**

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| 2021 & 2022 | Best Researcher Award at College of Business and Public Policy at University of Alaska, Anchorage. |
| 1993-1997   | Federal Government Australia – University Post-Graduate Research Award                             |
| 1993-1997   | University of Sydney, Australia – University of Sydney Research Award.                             |
| 1979        | University of Kerala, India – Gold Medalist (First Rank) in M.A. Economics program.                |

## Teaching

### Undergraduate Level

2003- Present	Finance – Corporate Finance, Investments, Bond Market Analysis, Money and Banking.
2003- 2014.	Statistics- Introduction and Intermediate; Introduction to Econometrics.
2003-2014.	Environmental Economics, Intermediate Micro Economics, Intermediate Macro Economics, International Economic Relations, Trade and Environment.
2010-2014	Personal Finance, Financial Economics and Financial Econometrics.

### Graduate

2024	Sustainable Finance.
2005 -2014	Managerial Economics.
2014 Till date	Financial Decision Making.
2005-2018	Applied Econometrics, Financial Econometrics.
2010- 2014.	International Business; Research Methodology.
2014 till date	Fundamentals of Finance; Financial Decision Making (Advanced Corporate Finance).

### Research portfolio

- (2025) ‘Caste Board diversity and Innovation’, (with Han Donker and Sayantini Mukherjee)
- (2025) ESG Disclosure and Earnings Management in India (with Sudershan Kuntluru, Jaspreet Sra and Kevin Chacko).
- (2025) Digitalization and Demand for Cash in India, (with Sudershan Kuntluru).
- (2025) ‘Does CSR companies have a longer life span?’, (with Han Donker and Alpana Desai).
- (2025) ‘Analyst Cash Flow Forecast and Cost of Equity (with Han Donker and Mengyu Ma).
- (2025) ‘The Impact of IFRS Adoption on Foreign Direct Investment In India’, (with Han Donker).
- (2025) ‘Crypto-platforms, Blockchain and Decentralised Finance (DeFi)- Users Perspective’ (with Kamaljeet Sandhu).

### Research papers currently under peer review

- (2025). ‘Caste and Corporate Board Member’s Selection in India: In-Group Favoritism’, *World Development* (co-authored with Han Donker and John Nofsinger),
- (2025) ‘Asset-Liability Mismatches and Bank Performance in India - Fantasy or Real?’ (with Soumik Bhushan and Naresh G), *International Journal of Accounting and Information Management*.
- (2025) ‘Crowdfunding, Blockchain and FinTech in India- Investors Perspectives’, (with Basu, N., Kamaljeet Sandhu and Sudershan Kuntluru), *Finance Research Letters*.

(2025) 'Caste and Merger and Acquisition in India' (With Han Donker). *Journal of Contemporary Accounting and Economics*.

### **Peer-reviewed research papers published and forthcoming papers**

- 60.(2025) 'Corporate Director Skill Diversity and Environmental Disclosure', *International Journal of Corporate Governance* (with Anju P Tom and Sudershan Kuntluru)(Forthcoming).
- 59.(2025) 'Asset-Liability Maturity Mismatches and Bank Fragility in India', *International Journal of Accounting and Information Management*. (with Soumik Bhushan and Naresh G).(Forthcoming).
58. (2025) 'Caste diversity in corporate boards and social values' *Economic and Political Weekly*, 60(19), pp.20-23, (with Han Donker and Sayantini Mukherjee)
- 57.(2025) 'Fintech Innovation for Financial Inclusion: Can India Make it', (with Kamaljeet Sandhu and Sudershan Kuntluru), *International Journal of Accounting and Information Management*, 33(2) pp.268-286.
56. (2024)'Mandatory disclosure and bank earnings management in India'. *Emerging Markets Review*, 62,101187. (with Bhusan, S. & Naresh, G).
- 55.(2023) 'IFRS, ESG Scores in Indian Corporate Sector', (with Han Donker and Sudershan Kuntluru), *Journal of Emerging Market Finance*, 09726527231197328.
- 54.(2023) 'Bank Crisis Resolution in India', (With Soumik Basin and Naresh, G), *Journal of Financial Regulation and Compliance*. 31(5), 729-753.
- 53.(2023) 'India's CBDC for Digital Public Infrastructure', (with Kamaljeet Sandhu and Sudershan Kuntluru), *Economics Letters*, 231, October, 111302.
52. (2023) 'Mandatory Auditor Rotation and Audit Quality', *International Journal of Accounting and Information Management* (with Sudershan, K). DOI 10.1108/IJAIM-02-2023-0049
51. (2023) 'Relationship between size and liquidity of central government securities in India', *Indian Economic Review*,58,pp.71-90. (with Jai Chander and NRVVMK Rajendra Kumar).
- 50.(2022) 'The Vision of Utilitarianism and Land Reforms in Princely Travancore, India', *ISDA Journal* , 32(3), pp.205-231(with Gopalan, C).
49. (2022) 'Taxing Share Repurchases', *Economic Letters*,221, pp.110879 (with Han Donker and John Nofsinger).
- 48.(2021) 'Price risk of Central Government Securities in India- An Analysis of its Determinants', *Economic and Political Weekly*, 56 (49), pp.58-64. (with Jai Chander and NRVVMK Rajendra Kumar).

- 47.(2021) 'Earnings Management to Avoid Earnings Losses- Evidence from India', *International Journal of Corporate Governance*, 12(3-4), pp.283-303 (with Sudershan, K and Shette, R).
- 46.(2021) 'Audit Partner Rotation and Audit Quality: Evidence from India', *Cogent Economics & Finance* 9(1), p.1938379, (with Partha Mahapatra, Sudershan Kuntluru, Athira)
- 45.(2020) 'Share buybacks in India', *Research in International Business and Finance*, 54, December, p.101296 (with Han Donker, John Nofsinger and Sudershan Kuntluru).
- 44.(2020) 'Caste Primacy of Auditor Choice', *The International Journal of Accounting*, 55(4), December, 1-32.(with Han Donker, John Nofsinger and Rashmi Prasad)
- 43.(2019) 'The Role of Caste for Board Membership, CEO, and Interlocking', *Pacific-Basin Finance Journal*, 54, pp.29-41. (with Han Donker and John Nofsinger).
- 42.(2018) 'Accrual Management and Expected Stock Returns in India', *Journal of Accounting in Emerging Economies*, 8(4), pp.426-441. (with Jaspreet Sra).
- 41.(2018) 'Confucius Confusion: Analyst Forecast Dispersion and Business Cycles', *Review of Behavioral Finance*, 10(2), pp.130-145. (with Raymond Cox, Han Donker and John Nofsinger). Selected as the **Highly Commended Paper in 2018** by Emerald Publishing Group.
- 40.(2018) 'Are Socially Responsible Firms Less Likely to Restate Earnings?', *Global Finance Journal*, 38, 97-109 (with Iulia Chepurko, Han Donker and John Nofsinger). (2018) .
- 39.(2018) 'Corporate Goodness and Profit Warnings', *Review of Quantitative Finance & Accounting*, 51 (2), pp.553-573. (with Han Donker and John Nofsinger)
- 38.(2017) 'Do Voluntary Disclosures of Bad News Improve Liquidity?', *The North American Journal of Economics and Finance*; 40 (4), pp.16-29 (with Han Donker and Gokhan Karahan).
- 37.(2017) 'The Bad, the Boom and the Bust: Profit Warnings over the Business Cycle', *Journal of Economics and Business*, 89(1), pp.13-19 (with Raymond Cox, Han Donker and John Nofsinger)
- 36.(2016) 'Determinants of Earnings Management in India – 2002-2011', *Journal of Accounting and Finance*, 6(3), pp. 235-253 (with Jaspreet Sra).
- 35.(2016) 'The Ricochet Effect of Bad News', *The International Journal of Accounting* , 51(3), pp. 385-401 (with Raymond Cox and Han Donker).
- 34.(2016) 'IFRS and Accounting Quality: Regional and Disclosure Impacts', *International Journal of Accounting & Information Management*, 24, 3, pp.296-316 (with Han Donker, Mike Ivanoff and Gokhan Karahan). Selected as the **Highly Commended Paper in 2016** by Emerald Publishing Group.
- 33.(2016) 'Portfolio Rebalancing – Hope or Hype?', *Journal of Business Inquiry*, 14(2), pp.79-92 (with Minh Lam).
- 32.(2015) 'Relationship between Voluntary Disclosures and the Economic Cycle: Empirical Research Findings', *Journal of Financial Management and Analysis*, 28(1), pp.44-60. (with Raymond Cox and Han Donker).
- 31.(2015) 'Effectiveness of SEBI's Complaints Redress System (SCORES) in India', (with Sarat Malik and Sneha Nautiyal).

- DRG Study II, Securities Exchange Board of India, Mumbai,  
India.DOI:[http://www.sebi.gov.in/cms/sebi\\_data/DRG\\_Study/DRG\\_II\\_Scores\\_15092015.pdf](http://www.sebi.gov.in/cms/sebi_data/DRG_Study/DRG_II_Scores_15092015.pdf).
- 30.(2014) ‘Social Networks and Emigration in Slovakia’, *Migration and Development*,4(2), pp.220-231(with Andrea Pavalickova).
  - 29.(2014) ‘ERP System Implementation Announcements: Does the Market Cheer or Jeer the Adopters and Vendors’, *International Journal of Accounting and Information Management*, 22(4),pp.339-356(with Han Donker and S. Patnaik).Selected as the **Highly Commended Paper in 2015** by Emerald Publishing Group.
  - 28.(2014) ‘Illegal Insider Trading and Corporate Governance’, *International Journal of Corporate Governance*,5(1/2),pp.1-21 (with Han Donker and Mike Ivanof).
  - 27.(2014) ‘Earnings Management in India’, Development Research Group Studies 2013-14, Securities and Exchange Board of India, Mumbai, pp.14-30 (with Sarat Malik and VimalVerma).
  - 26.(2013) ‘Materiality Disclosure and Litigation Risks – A Canadian Perspective’, *International Journal of Disclosure and Governance*, 11(3), pp.1-15 (with Han Donker and Raymond Cox).
  - 25.(2013) ‘Ethical Perceptions on Earnings Management’, *International Journal of Behavioral Accounting and Finance*, 3(3/4), pp.163-187(with Han Donker and Raymond Cox).
  - 24.(2013) ‘Velocity of Money in Post-Reform China-1978-2011’, *Transnational Corporations Review*, 5(1) ,pp.28-39 (with Boatai Wang).
  - 23.(2013) ‘Stock Market and Economic Growth in China’, *Economic Bulletin*, 33(1), pp. 95-103(with Boatai Wang).
  - 22.(2012) ‘Microfinance and Social Capital: A Study of Microfinance Institutions in Andhra Pradesh, India- 2009’, *International Journal of Social Enquiry*, 5(1-2), pp.67-84 (with C.B. Rajeev).
  - 21.(2012) ‘Corporate Boards in India – Blocked By Caste?’*Economic and Political Weekly*, 44, 31, pp.39-43 (with Han Donker and Ravi Saxena).
  - 20.(2011) ‘Urban Aboriginal Use of Fringe Financial Institutions: Evidence from Prince George, British Columbia’, *Journal of Socio Economics*, 40(1), 895-902 (with Paul Bowles, Keely Dempsey, Trevor Shaw).
  - 19.(2011) ‘Oil Prices and Accounting profits of Oil and Gas companies’, *International Review of Financial Analysis*, 20(5): 252-257(with Han Donker).
  - 18.(2009) ‘Cost Structure and Economies of Scale and Scope in Microfinance Industry in India – 2007-08’, *Indian Journal of Social Development*, 9(2): 117-129(with S.K. Rajgopal).
  - 17.(2009) ‘Convergence in Human Development Levels Across Regions: An Empirical Investigation-1975-2005’, *Indian Economic Journal* , 57, 2, pp.143-154. (with Lawrence Arbensee).
  - 16.(2008) ‘The Impact of Economic Globalization on Income Distribution: Empirical Evidence from China’, *Economics Bulletin*, 4, 35, pp.1-8 (with Boatai Wang and Xiaofei Tian).
  - 15.(2008) ‘Assessing Stability of Demand for Money in India – Old and New Monetary Aggregates: 1996-2005’, *Indian Journal of Economics*, 352, July, pp.1-17.

- 14.(2006) 'The Impact on Globalization on Income Inequality: Some Empirical Evidence from Canada and India', *ICFAI Journal of Applied Economics*, 5, 6, pp-716. (with Boatai Wang).
- 13.(2006) 'Unit Root Tests of Canadian Poverty Measures', *Economics Bulletin*, 9, 2, pp.1-7. (with Boatai Wang).
- 12.(1999) 'Credit Demand and Supply and the Indian Economy: 1970-92', *Journal of Quantitative Economics*, 15, 29-38
- 11.(1997) 'Para Banking in India – Issues', *Economic and Political Weekly*, 32, 2677-2686.
- 10.(1997) 'Banking Development in India- Performance and Issues', *Reserve Bank of India Occasional Papers - Special Issue*, 18, 303-50(with R.D. Bangar).
- 9.(1997) 'The Role of Banks in Economic Development of India', *Prajnan*, 25, 309-21 (With N.D. Jadhav).
- 8.(1997) 'Demand for Money in India: Some New Tests on an Old Topic', *Indian Journal of Applied Economics*, 6, 59-74 (with Tarlok Singh).
- 7.(1995) 'Production Functions in the Manufacturing Industries: 1974-90', *Reserve Bank of India Occasional Papers*, 16, 125-155 (with Tarlok Singh.)
- 6.(1995) 'Production Functions in Indian Industries: 1960-90', *Indian Journal of Applied Economics*, 4, 23-36(with Tarlok Singh).
- 5.(1993) 'Capacity Utilisation in Indian Industries', *Reserve Bank of India Occasional Papers*, 14, 1-20.
- 4.(1992) 'The Determinants of Money Multiplier in India: 1960-61 to 1989-90', *Prajnan*, 21, 287-307.
- 3.(1992) 'Determinants of Currency Demand in India: 1960-61 to 1989-90', *International Journal of Development Banking*, 10, 59-68.
- 2.(1986) 'India's External Debt: Problems, Policy Issues and Prospects', *The Indian Journal of Economics*, 66,361-80 (with Tarlok Singh).
- 1.(1984) 'Parallel Colleges in Kerala: Enrolment, Costs and Employment', *Economic and Political Weekly*, 19, 1840-47 (with P.R.Gopinathan Nair).

### **Editorially-Reviewed Research Papers**

62. 'Director skill diversity and corporate environmental disclosure, Paper accepted at World Finance Conference, Abu Dabhi, UAE, December 16-18,2024.
61. 'Greenwashing and Concentrated ownership', Paper submitted to India Finance Conference, Raipur, Chattisgarh, India at Indian Institute of Management, Raipur (December 19-21, 2024).

60. 'Board Skills and ESG Ratings in India', (co-authored with Sudershan Kuntluru and Anju P Tom). Paper submitted to the 5<sup>th</sup> SEBI-NISM Research Conference at Mumbai, India between March 2-3,2024.
- 59.'Caste and Corporate Board Member's Selection in India: In-Group Favoritism', (co-authored with Han Donker and John Nofsinger), Paper presented at the 2<sup>nd</sup> Global Research Conference on "Caste, Business and Society" at University of Bath (The School of Management), Bath United Kingdom between June 19-21,2024.
- 58,'Financial Fragility and Asset-Liability Mismatches in India', Paper accepted at the forthcoming 42<sup>nd</sup> Annual Conference of Indian Association for Research in National Income and Wealth, organized by National Institute of Bank Management, Pune, India on March 8-9,2024.
57. 'ESG Disclosure, Performance and Earnings Quality in India', (Co-authored with Soumik Bushan and Naresh G). Paper submitted to the 4<sup>th</sup> International Capital Markets Conference at National Institute of Securities Management between December 14-15, 2023.
56. 'ESG Disclosure and Earnings Quality in India' (co-authored with Sudershan Kuntluru, Anju P. Tom), Paper submitted to the 14<sup>th</sup> Emerging Markets Conference at S.P. Jain Institute, Mumbai at India during December 12-15, 2023.
55. 'Corporate Board Skill Set and ESG Disclosures in India' (co-authored with Sudershan Kuntluru and Anju P Tom). Paper submitted to the 20th Macroeconomics and Finance Conference to be held at Indira Gandhi Institute of Development Research (IGIDR), Mumbai, India during December 14-16, 2023.
54. (2023) 'Board Skill Set and ESG Disclosures in India' (co-authored with Sudershan Kuntluru). Paper presented at the The India Finance Conference 2023 ( for its 12th edition to be held at the N. L. Dalmia Institute of Management Studies and Research, Mumbai, India from 21 – 23 December 2023
53. (2023) 'Caste affiliation and M&A transactions in India' (co-authored with Han Donker), Paper presented at the 1<sup>st</sup> Conference on Caste, Business and Society at Kings College, University of Cambridge, Between June 15-16, 2023.
- 52.(2023) 'IFRS and ESG Disclosure in the Indian Corporate Sector', (co-authored with Han Donker and Sudershan Kuntluru) Paper presented at 23<sup>rd</sup> National Business and Economics Society Conference at Puerto Rico, United States between March 8-11,2023.
- 51.(2022) 'Mandatory Auditor Rotation and Audit Quality' (co-authored with Sudershan Kuntluru) at 11<sup>th</sup> India Finance Conference at Indian Institute of Management, Calcutta, India between December 19-22, 2022.
- 50.(2022) 'Accounting standards and ESG Disclosures in the Indian Corporate Sector'(Co-authored with Han Donker and Sudershan Kuntluru), Paper presented at the 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual International Capital



Markets Conference at National Institute of Securities Markets at Mumbai, India during December 15-16, 2022.

- 49.(2022) 'Digital Finance for Use of Cryptocurrencies and Stable Coins', Paper submitted to the 17<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of Asia Pacific Management Accounting Association at Bangkok (Dhuraky Pundit University), Thailand between November 8-11,2022 (with Kamaljeet Sandhu).
- 48.(2022) 'Factors influencing earnings quality in Emerging Economies', Paper presented at the 22<sup>nd</sup> National Business and Economics Society Conference, March 2-5, 2022 at Maui, Hawaii, U.S.(with Sudershan Kuntluru and Jaspreet Sra).
- 47.(2021) 'Do Ownership Groups Influence Audit Qualifications? Empirical Study from India', Paper presented at the Virtual World Finance Conference at University of Agder, Norway, August 3-6,2021 (with Sudershan Kuntluru and Jaspreet Sra).
- 46.(2021) 'Impact of Promoter Ownership on Modified Audit Opinion' Paper presented at the Virtual Administrative Sciences Association Conference on June 11-12, 2021 (with Sudershan Kuntluru and Jaspreet Sra).
- 45.(2021) 'Does Promoter Ownership Impact Audit Outcomes? Evidence from India', Paper presented at the Virtual International Applied Business Conference on Evolution of Small and Medium Enterprises in the 21<sup>st</sup> century and Beyond at University of Guelph Humber, Toronto, Canada on May 6-7, 2021.(with Sudershan Kuntluru and Jaspreet Sra).
- 44.(2021) 'Does Promoter Ownership Impact Audit Outcomes: Evidence from India', Paper presented at the conference of the Cross Country Perspectives in Finance hosted by Journal of International Financial Markets, Institutions and Money (JIFMIM) from June-24-26,2021 (Virtual Conference) (with Sudershan Kuntluru and Jaspreet Sra).
- 43.(2020) 'Factors influencing audit outcomes- An Indian case', Paper presented to the 14<sup>th</sup> Annual Indian Subcontinent Decision Sciences Institute Conference at Indian Institute of Management Raipur, Chattisgraph, India(with Sudershan Kuntluru and Jaspreet Sra)..
- 42.(2020) 'Ownership and Audit Opinion: Evidence from India', Paper presented at the Jaipuria Institute of Management Conference- Envisioning Business 2020, hosted by JIMC Indore, India on July 17-18, 2020 (with Sudershan Kuntluru and Jaspreet Sra).
- 41.(2020) 'Client Factors in Going Concern Auditor's Report in India', Paper presented (virtual) at the 48<sup>th</sup> Administrative Sciences Association of Canada at Memorial University, St: John's, New Foundland and Labrador, Canada on June 13-14, 2020 (Virtual) (with Sudershan Kuntluru and Jaspreet Sra).
- 40.(2020) 'Revisiting the Kerala Model of Development- The Alcohol Policy Conundrum', Paper presented at the Two Day International Conference on Sustainable Development and Education at Central University of Kerala, Kasargod, Kerala- March 5-6, 2020 (with Rajesh Many).
- 39.(2020) 'Study of Factors Influencing Auditor's Going Concern Audit Reports: A Regulatory Perspective', Paper presented at the conference titled "Changing Landscape of Securities Market" hosted by National Institute of Securities Market between January 22-24, 2020 at Patalganga, Maharashtra, India (with Sudershan Kuntluru and Athira).

- 38.(2020) 'Does it pay to be different: Corporate social responsibility and Earnings Management in India', Paper presented at the Annual Symposium of Journal of Contemporary Accounting & Economics, January 3-5, 2020 at Colombo, Sri Lanka (with Sudershan Kuntluru).
- 37.(2019) 'Auditor Independence and Audit Quality: Empirical Evidence from Audit Partner Rotation in India', Paper presented at the 1<sup>st</sup> Annual Capital Market Conference at National Institute of Securities Market 2019 on November 14 & 15, 2019 at Raigad, Maharashtra, India (with Sudershan Kuntluru and Athira, A).
- 36.(2019) 'Do Promoters Benefit from Share Buybacks in India', Paper presented at Research Seminar at Indian Institute of Management, Kozhikode, Kerala, India on August 2, 2019.
- 35.(2019) 'Does Good CSR Company Indulge in Earnings Management' (with Ashok Thampy and Sudershan Kuntluru ), Paper presented at the 9<sup>th</sup> India Finance Conference at Indian Institute of Management, Ahmadabad, India December 18-21, 2019.
- 34.(2019) 'Mandatory CSR and Firm Performance in India' (with Sudershan Kuntluru). Paper accepted at the World Finance Banking Symposium, at University of New Delhi, December 19-21, 2019.
- 33.(2019) 'Caste Primacy of Auditor Choice', (with Han Donker, John Nofsinger and Rashmi Prasad). Paper presented at the 42<sup>nd</sup> Annual European Accounting Association Congress at Paphos, Cyprus, May 29 to 31, 2019.
- 32.(2019) 'Indian Financial Markets- Structure and Performance', Paper presented at the 2<sup>nd</sup> International conference on Capital Markets and Finance, St:Teresa's College, Ernakulam, Kerala, India.
- 31.(2018) 'Corporate CSR/Citizenship and Earnings Management in India', (with Ashok Thampy) Paper accepted for presentation for the 8<sup>th</sup> India Finance Conference at Indian Institute of Management, Calcutta, India, December 20-22, 2018.
- 30.(2018) 'Share buybacks in India- Price and Liquidity Impacts', (with Sudershan Kuntluru). Paper accepted for presentation for the 8<sup>th</sup> India Finance Conference at Indian Institute of Management, Calcutta, India, December 20-22, 2018.
- 29.(2018) 'Caste Primacy of Auditor Choice', *The International Journal of Accounting*, (with Han Donker, John Nofsinger and Rashmi Prasad). Paper presented for the Illinois International Accounting Symposium to be held in Seoul, South Korea on June 6-8, 2018.
- 28.(2018) 'Market Reaction to Share buybacks in India', Paper presented at the 3<sup>rd</sup> International Conference on Financial Markets and Corporate Finance at Indian Institute of Technology (IIT), Kanpur, India (July 12-14,2018).
- 27.(2018) 'Forecasting Business Cycles by Security Analysts', Paper presented at the 46th Annual Meeting of the Administrative Science Association of Canada at Toronto, Canada (May 27-30, 2018) – Finance Division-(with Raymond Cox and Han Donker).
- 26.(2018) 'Earnings Quality in India- Did it Improve?', Paper presented at the 46th Annual Meeting of the Administrative Science Association of Canada at Toronto, Canada (May 27-30, 2018) – Accounting Division-(with Ravindra Bangar and Jaspreet Sra).

- 25.(2017) 'Kerala State Road Transport Corporation- Financial Conundrums', Paper presented at the 59<sup>th</sup> Indian Society of Labour Economics (ISLE) Conference at Trivandrum on December 16-18,2017(with Ravi Raman and James Vadakkan).
- 24.(2017) 'Earnings Quality and Earnings Management', Paper presented at the 11<sup>th</sup> Indian Subcontinent Decision Sciences Conference at Indian Institute of Management, Trichi, Tamil Nadu, India on December 28-30, 2017(with Jaspreet Sra).
- 23.(2017) 'Did Earnings Quality Improve in India', Paper presented for presentation at the 7<sup>th</sup> India Finance Conference (IFC 2017) at Indian Institute of Management, Bangalore, India on December-20-22, 2017 (with Jaspreet Sra).
- 22.(2017) 'Are Socially responsible firms Less Likely to Restate Earnings', Paper accepted for presentation at the inaugural conference on "CSR, the Economy and Financial Markets" on November 9-10,2017 in Tokyo, Japan (with Iuliia Cherpakov, Han Donker and John Nofsinger).
- 21.(2017) 'Does Religion mitigate Earnings Management in India', Paper presented at 45th Annual Meeting of the Administrative Science Association of Canada at Edmonton, Canada (May 30-June 1, 2017) (with Jaspreet Sra).
- 20.(2017) 'Indian Capital Market- Issues and Prospects', Paper presented at the Indian Capital Markets & Finance Conference at St: Teresa's College, Kochi, Kerala, India on January 6, 2017.
- 19.(2017) 'Earnings Manipulation and Financial Reporting in India', Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Administrative Science Association of Canada at Edmonton, Canada (May 30-June 1) (with Mario Roncador).
- 18.(2016) 'Earnings Manipulation and Earnings Management: Twin Sisters', Paper presented the at the 6<sup>th</sup> India Finance Conference at Indian Institute of Management, Ahmedabad, India (Dec 19-21, 2016).
- 17.(2016) 'The Information Content of Financial Analysts' Forecast of Earnings', Paper presented at Annual Meeting of the Administrative Science Association of Canada at Edmonton, Canada (June 3-6,2016) (with Han Donker and Raymond Cox).
- 16.(2016) 'Discretionary Accruals and Efficiency of Stock Market in India- 2003-2011', Paper presented at Annual Meeting of the Administrative Science Association of Canada at Edmonton, Canada (June 3-6,2016) (with Jaspreet Sra).
- 15.(2015) 'Corporate Size and Informativeness of Accounting Earnings in India- 2002-2011', Paper accepted for presentation of 52<sup>nd</sup> Indian Econometric Society Conference at Indian Institute of Management, Kozhikode, Kerala, India (January 4-7, 2016).
- 14.(2015) 'Voluntary Disclosure and Market Liquidity', Annual Meeting of the Administrative Science Association of Canada in Halifax, Nova Scotia, Canada, June 13-16, 2015 (with Han Donker, Raymond Cox and Gokhan Karahan).
- 13.(2014) '*Profit Warning and Liquidity*', Paper presented at the 4<sup>th</sup> India Finance Conference at Indian Institute of Management, Bangalore, India - December 17-20, 2014 (with Han Donker).

- 12.(2014) *Asymmetric Impact of Bad News During Business Cycles*, Paper presented at the 48<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of the Canadian Economics Association, May 28 to June 1, 2014(with Han Donker and Raymond Cox).
- 11.(2012) *Business Cycles and Profit Warnings*, Paper presented at 46<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference on the Canadian Economics Association, June 7-10, 2012.
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- Member, MBA Curriculum Committee, School of Business, UNBC – 2008-2013.
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