

# 2023 Outstanding Paper Awards

## Financial Institutions

### Wharton Research Data Services (WRDS)

*Safety Nets, Credit, and Investment: Evidence from a Guaranteed Income Program*

Pulak Ghosh, Indian Institute of Management Bangalore

Nishant Vats, University of Chicago



## Investments and Asset Pricing

### American Association of Individual Investors (AAII)

*The Social Signal*

J. Anthony Cookson, University of Colorado Boulder

Runjing Lu, University of Alberta

William Mullins, University of California, San Diego

Marina Niessner, University of Pennsylvania



## Paul Van Arsdell Award in Corporate Finance

### Dr. Geoffrey Hirt

*Do Rights Offerings Reduce Bargaining Complexity in Chapter 11?*

Gunjan Seth, London Business School

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