

2024 Outstanding Paper Awards

Financial Institutions

Wharton Research Data Services (WRDS)

After the Storm: How Emergency Liquidity Helps Small Businesses Following Natural Disasters

Ben Collier, Temple University
Sabrina Howell, New York University
Lea Rendall, University of Maryland



Investments and Asset Pricing

American Association of Individual Investors (AAII)

Optimism Shifting

Stefano Cassela, Tilburg University
Chukwuma Dim, George Washington University
Tural Karlimi, Frankfurt School of Finance & Management



Paul Van Arsdell Award in Corporate Finance

Dr. Geoffrey Hirt

Polarizing Corporations: Does Talent Flow to "Good" Firms?

Emanuele Colonnelli, University of Chicago
Timothy McQuade, University of California, Berkeley
Gabriel Ramos, Imperial College London
Thomas Rauter, University of Chicago
Olivia Xiong, University of Chicago

Geoffrey A. Hirt, Ph.D.
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