2024 Doctoral Symposium

Chair: Kenneth Ahern, University of Southern California

**How Can Monitoring Benefit Investors? Evidence from 85 Billion Cell Phone Signals**
Jack Xiaoyong Fu, University of Pennsylvania
*Discussant: Rus Abuzov, University of Virginia*

**Commitment in Debt Financing: The Role of Creditor Dispersion**
Yongseok Kim, Indiana University
*Discussant: Gunjan Seth, University of Southern California*

**The Impact of Public Pension Funds as LPS on VC Investments**
Jinyoung Kim, Boston College
*Discussant: Sean Myers, University of Pennsylvania*

**Liquidity Shocks and Private Equity Investment**
Yingxiang Li, University of British Columbia
*Discussant: Constantine Yannelis, University of Chicago*

**The Social Welfare of Stock Market Mispricing**
Shikun (Barry) Ke, Yale University
*Discussant: Alex Chinco, Baruch College*

**Pulling the Plug: Retail Traders and Social Media**
Justin Mohr, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
*Discussant: Marina Niessner, Indiana University*
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