

# RUSHI WANG

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## OBJECTIVE STATEMENT

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PhD applicant for Fall 2026 in Business (Information Systems) or Information Science. Research interests include **AI for Science** (accounting, finance, and management), **AI Safety**, and **Context Engineering**, with a focus on trustworthy LLMs and policy-aware agents that remain robust under mixed and noisy contexts. UIUC **MAS** graduate with domain expertise in auditing, accounting, and finance, reinforced by multiple internships and Course Assistant, and supported by peer-reviewed publications. I aim to conduct rigorous, high-impact research at the intersection of AI, organizational decision-making, and information systems.

## EDUCATION

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**University of Illinois Urbana Champaign**

*May 2024 - May 2025*

Master of Science in Accounting

Overall GPA: 3.75/4.0

**Kean University**

*September 2020- May 2024*

Bachelor of Science, Accounting.

*Instructor: Prof. Steven-Thornburg*

Overall GPA: 3.75/4.0

## PUBLICATIONS AND HIGHLIGHTED RESEARCH

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### Publications

*[1] Context Engineering for Trustworthiness: Rescorla Wagner Steering Under Mixed and Inappropriate Contexts*

Accepted by EMNLP 2025 Main

**Rushi Wang\***, Jiateng Liu\*, Cheng Qian, Yifan Shen, Yanzhou Pan, Zhaozhao Xu, Ahmed Abbasi, Heng Ji, Denghui Zhang

*[2] AuditBench: A Benchmark for Large Language Models in Financial Statement Auditing*

Accepted by AAAI 2024 Workshop

**Rushi Wang\***, Jiateng Liu, Weijie Zhao, Shenglan Li, Denghui Zhang

### Highlighted Research

*Analyzing Pay Gap Effects in Fintech and Banking Industries*      *Instructor: Xue Chunxiao*

Explored executive pay gap effects on Chinese fintech, focusing on risk and growth correlations

Applied advanced risk management methodologies to ensure rigorous analysis

Used STATA to reveal a positive link between executive pay disparities and fintech development

*A research paper of Pingduoduo Strategy Analysis*

*Instructor: Xia Yifei*

Researched Pinduoduo's background

Used Free Cash Flow and Multiples methods to estimate stock price

Provided investment suggestions and forecast analysis

## ASSISTANTSHIP AND INTERNSHIP EXPERIENCE

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**Course Assistant at UIUC**

*Gies College of Business — MBA 548 (Global Strategy)*

Graded assignments and met weekly with instructor

Supported students through Q&A sessions

**Champaign, IL**

*March 2025 – May 2025*

*Gies College of Business — ACCY 500 (Financial Accounting)*

*January 2025 – March 2025*

Graded coursework and met weekly with professor

Answered student questions and provided learning support

**Financial Intern at Huafu Securities Co., Ltd**

*January 2024 - March 2024*

Collection and analysis of financial data

Used accounting software to research financial markets and industries

Helped compile analysis results into financial reports

**Audit Intern at BDO Shu Lun Pan LLP**

*May 2023 - August 2023*

Analyzed Company's financials for IPO readiness using eCPA

Corrected asset ledgers and contracts, advising based on supplier accounts

Researched market trends and competitors to aid the IPO

**Accounting Intern at Ningbo Lvlinb Import Co., Ltd**

*December 2021 - January 2022*

Processed invoices and account registrations; prepared financial statements

Supported inventory and budgeting; handled billing

## TECHNICAL SKILLS

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**Accounting Software Skills**

Proficient in Microsoft Office Suite (Excel, PowerPoint, Word)

Familiar with statistical and data analysis software (STATA, R)

Knowledgeable in database management systems (PostgreSQL)

**Communication Skills**

Convey complex financial insights; present audit findings & recommendations

Collaborate across teams; skilled in negotiation and persuasion

**Other Skills**

Knowledgeable about state-of-the-art AI systems (ChatGPT Series)

Experienced with multiple collaborative online platforms (Overleaf, Google Docs, Microsoft Teams)

Skilled in AI-assisted coding tools (Cursor)

Working knowledge of Python for data processing and scripting (Python)

## CAMPUS AND EXTRACURRICULAR INVOLVEMENT

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**Wenzhou Youth Volunteer Association**

*January 2021 - August 2022*

Managed donations and cash flow for volunteer activities

*Finance Department Assistant*

Ensured compliance with regulations and legal standards

**Ningbo Science Exploration Center**

*January 2023 - March 2023*

Taught children about marine knowledge and the Maritime Silk Road

*Science Presenter*

Led activities to foster cultural understanding and identity

## HONORS AND AWARDS

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Dean's List Scholarship, Kean University

*December 2021, December 2022, December 2023*

## PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS

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Certificate of Accounting Professional

*Ministry of Finance of the People's Republic of China*