Important Dates & Deadlines

**November 4th**
Last day to drop (D) Mini B course

**November 7th**
Spring registration opens

**November 11th**
Last day to withdraw (W) Mini B course

**November 27-December 1**
Thanksgiving Break

**November 28**
Olin Thanksgiving Feast-RSVP

**December 18**
Last day of Fall semester

**December 19**
Last day to file Intent to graduate for May 2020
Sally Yijun Chen, 5th year PhD student in Marketing, has a recent paper acceptance. Article will be forthcoming in Manufacturing & Service Operations Management.


Congratulations to alumnus Dejun "Tony" Kong. Tony was included in the 2019 list of Poets&Quants 40 under 40: Best Business School Professors. He was selected from more than 2,600 nominations of 200 highly qualified professors. Nominations included the following praise, "Dr. Kong is a very productive
researcher and a highly rated teacher. He is fun when teaching students and cares deeply about each student's learning and well-being. He makes a significant impact on students and the academic community. His work has appeared in numerous top journals of management and psychology. He also published a co-edited book in 2016. Last year (2018) he obtained early tenure at the University of Houston and is among the youngest tenured faculty at the Bauer College of Business." Now with over 550 citations to his name, he has been published in over 10 well-known journals including Academy of Management Journal, Journal of Applied Psychology, and Journal of Business Ethics. Not surprisingly, Tony was promoted to Associate Editor of the *Journal of Organizational Behavior*.

In spring 2019, Tony received the Ascendant Scholar Award from the Western Academy of Management. This award has been given to many giants in the field, such as Jay Barney, Talya Bauer, Kathleen Eisenhardt, Tom Lee, Alan Meyer, Jone Pearce, Gretchen Spreitzer, and Roy Suddaby. His 2016 book "Leading through Conflict: Into the Fray" was published in 2016. In spring 2019, he was elected as an incoming representative at large of the International Association for Conflict Management.

Tony earned his PhD in 2012 concentrating in Organizational Behavior. He is currently Associate Professor and PhD Coordinator at Bauer College of Business, University of Houston.

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**Announcements**

**Zhenling Jiang accepts position at Wharton**

![Zhenling Jiang](image)
Alumnus Zhenling Jiang (2019) accepted an Assistant Professor position at The Wharton School of the University of Pennsylvania.

Upcoming Seminars & Events

**Finance Brown Bag Series**

*Every Thursday, 12:30 - 1:30 pm in SH 241*

**CRES Applied Economics Seminar-Erkut Ozbay**

*November 7, 4:00-5:30pm in SH 241*

**Dissertation Proposal Defense-Hyesung Yoo (Marketing)**

*November 8, 12:15-1:45pm in BH 130*

**CRES Applied Economics Seminar-Pietro Ortoleva**

*November 21, 4:00-5:30pm in SH 241*

**Accounting Seminar-Urooj Khan, Columbia**

*November 22, 1:45-3:00pm in SH 241*

**CRES Applied Economics Seminar: Maria Polyakova**

*December 5, 4:00-5:30pm in SH 241*

**Accounting Seminar-Nathan Marshall, University of Colorado-Boulder**

*December 13, 1:45-3pm in SH 241*