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To: Weimer School Faculty

From: John Clapp

I see that there are about a dozen highly qualified nominees.

I want to put in a plug for Yildiray Yildirim, Syracuse business school and Director of their RE program. A few things make Yildiray stand out: 1.he is well connected with industry, having put together a successful Board for the RE Center; 2. He wants to participate with Weimer; 3. He has a great publication record in the RE Finance area; 4. He will be a good colleague – great to have a beer with.

I look forward to seeing everyone next week.

From: John Clapp [mailto:John.Clapp@business.uconn.edu]

Sent: Friday, March 29, 2013 9:58 PM

To: bernardini@hoyt.org

Subject: FW: Weimer School Faculty Site for 2014-15 Fellow Nominations

Hi Bobbi,

I nominate the two below for the positions indicated. I attach a cv for Peng Liu.

Please contact me if you need any more information.

Thanks, John

Dr. Yildiray Yildirim for Weimer Fellow candidate.

http://whitman.syr.edu/faculty-and-research/faculty/showInfo.aspx?id=66

PhD (statistics and finance), Cornell University

Research Topics

- Treasury Inflation Index
- Commercial real estate
- Residential real estate
- Mortgage
- CDS (credit default swap)
- Risk management
- REIT

Dr. Peng Liu for Postdoctoral Honoree

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Research Keywords

Asset Pricing, Real Estate Finance, Commodity Futures and Derivatives, REITs

Professional Biography

Dr. Peng Liu, assistant professor of real estate, joined Cornell's faculty in 2007 after obtaining a PhD in finance and real estate from the Haas Business School at University of California Berkeley. While obtaining his doctoral degree, Liu taught courses in stochastic calculus, credit risk and mortgage-backed securities. His primary research focuses on asset pricing and hedging in the real estate market, with specific interests in mortgage pricing, mortgage-backed securities and commodity futures research. Prior to his career in academics, Liu worked in various industries, including engineering, advertising, consulting and hedge funds.