



# 2023 FALL NCU FINANCE MINI-WORKSHOP

DEC 8, 2023  
ROOM408  
10:00-16:35



**Chair**  
**Professor S. Ghon Rhee**

University of Hawaii



**Invited Speaker**  
**I-Hsuan Ethan Chiang**

University of North Carolina at Charlotte



**Invited Speaker**  
**Prof. Tarun D. Patel**

Southern Methodist University

## AGENDA

Invited speech 1  
10:00-11:40(Taiwan)  
20:00-21:40(Texas)  
(On-line)

**Topic : The Economic Effects of Political Polarization: Evidence from the Real Asset Market**

**Invited Speaker : Prof. Tarun D. Patel, Southern Methodist University**

### 11:40-13:30 Lunch Time

Invited speech 2  
13:30-14:30

**Topic: What Drives Traditional and Crypto Currency Prices? A Tale of Two Types of Currencies**

**Invited Speaker : Prof. I-Hsuan Ethan Chiang, University of North Carolina at Charlotte**

### 14:30-14:40 Tea & Coffee Time

Session 1  
14:40-15:15

**Research Title: Corporate Leverage and Leverage Speed of Adjustment: Does Environmental Policy Stringency Matter?**

**Presenter: Bui Tien Thinh, National Central University**

**Discussant: Prof. I-Hsuan Ethan Chiang, University of North Carolina at Charlotte**

Session 2  
15:15-15:50

**Research Title: Labor investment efficiency and cybersecurity risk**

**Presenter: Yang Zheng, National Central University**

**Discussant: Prof. Chih-Wei Wang, National Central University**

### 15:50-16:00 Break Time

Session 3  
16:00-16:35

**Research Title: Digitalization and Firms' Debt Maturity: Do Financial Constraints and Uncertainty Matter?**

**Presenter: Yusuf Indra Purnama, National Central University**

**Discussant: Prof. Wei-Hsien Li, National Central University**