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About

Anastassia Fedyk is an Assistant Professor of finance at the Haas School of Business. Her research focuses on behavioral biases in individual and group decision-making, particularly concerning information and belief formation. She studies how information from a variety of sources, including financial news and individual employment records, influences asset prices. Fedyk holds a PhD in Business Economics from Harvard University and a BA in Mathematics with honors from Princeton University. Prior to pursuing her academic career, she was a researcher and portfolio manager at Goldman Sachs Asset Management.

Areas of Expertise

Behavioral Economics, Empirical Asset Pricing, Experimental Economics, Labor and Finance

Positions Held

At Haas since 2018

2018 - present, Assistant Professor, Haas Finance Group

Education

Harvard University
PhD Business Economics

Princeton University
BA Mathematics

Honors & Awards

Hillcrest Behavioral Finance Award, Finalist
Paper: When Can the Market Identify Stale News? 2019

Northern Finance Association, Best Paper on Market Microstructure
Paper: Disagreement after News: Gradual Information Diffusion or Differences of Opinion? 2019

Carlsberg Foundation Special Prize for Young Scholar at the NCBEE, Winner

Paper: Asymmetric Naivete: Beliefs about Self-Control 2018

Northern Finance Association, Best Paper on Long-Term Investments

Paper: Trading on Talent: Human Capital and Firm Performance 2018

FMA Napa Conference, Best Paper Award

Paper: Front Page News: The Effect of News Positioning on Financial Markets 2018

Jack Treynor Prize from the Institute for Quantitative Research in Finance

Paper: Trading on Talent: Human Capital and Firm Performance 2017

European Finance Association, Best Ph.D. Paper Award

Paper: Front Page News: The Effect of News Positioning on Financial Markets 2017

PanAgora Asset Management Dr. Richard A. Crowell Memorial Prize, 2nd place

Paper: Trading on Talent: Human Capital and Firm Performance 2017

**WFA Cubist Systematic Strategies PhD Candidate Award for Outstanding Research
2017**

Hillcrest Behavioral Finance Award, Finalist

Paper: Front Page News: The Effect of News Positioning on Financial Markets 2016

World Finance Conference, Top 3 Best Paper Award

Paper: News Consumption: From Information to Returns 2016

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