# Richard Lin

## **Investment Analysis**



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I am a recent graduate in Accounting and Economics with hands-on experience in quantitative research, investment analysis, and financial modeling through internships at securities firms, private equity (PE), and venture capital (VC) firms. I specialize in factor research, trading strategy development, and datadriven investment decision-making, leveraging Python, R, Stata, SQL, and Pine Script to build and test quantitative models.

I am passionate about applying financial technology to quantitative investing and portfolio optimization. I independently developed www.insurancedao.world, a decentralized insurance platform, and open-sourced an Al-driven RSS news analysis system (GitHub: https://github.com/Richard0047/-airss-analyzer), which performs multi-language sentiment analysis and real-time investment intelligence alerts, currently used by multiple VC firms for market intelligence and deal sourcing.

Additionally, I have designed and implemented index-based automated trading strategies using Pine Script, integrating real-time market data, factor models, and execution algorithms to optimize riskadjusted returns. My research interests include multi-factor portfolio construction, time-series forecasting, and market microstructure analysis.

With a strong foundation in quantitative analysis, financial modeling, and algorithmic trading, I am eager to contribute to data-driven investment strategies and enhance portfolio management through systematic research and technology-driven insights.



# Australia Visa Status

- Student Visa (Subclass 500), expires Sept 2025
- Completion letter received in Dec 2024, graduating on Mar 2025
- Currently applying for a 485 Temporary Graduate Visa

# **Education**

## 2024-12

### **Bachelor of Economics: Financial Economics And Accounting** University of Sydney - Australia, Sydney

• GPA: 3.8/4.0.

- Achieved Distinction or higher in all intermediate-level economics courses, e.g., awarded High Distinction in the time series analysis course ECMT3130: Forecasting for Economics and Business.
- Complete 102 credits for a Major in Financial Economics and a Minor in Accounting in 1.5 years.
- Be selected as a Student Mentor in 2024.

2024-08

2021-06

Summer School: Study Abroad Exchange Program

Bachelor of Science: Accounting & Finance (Discontinued) University of London - LSE Academic Direction

University of Cambridge - UK, Cambridge

 Completed one year of coursework before pausing studies due to COVID-19. Gained practical experience in investment research, venture capital, and **financial analysis** during the gap period.

Transferred to the University of Sydney in Feb 2023 to complete my degree.



### 1. Investment Research & Quantitative Analysis

- Financial Modeling & Valuation: DCF, Comparable Analysis, transaction
- Factor & Quantitative Research: Factor analysis, multi-factor models, eventdriven strategies, market microstructure
- Portfolio Optimization & Risk Management: Asset allocation, index-enhanced timing, risk assessment
- Trading Strategy Development: Technical indicators, market data analysis, MLbased execution models
- 2. Data Analytics & Quantitative Modeling
- Programming & Data Processing: Python, R, Stata, Pine Script, SQL, Excel
- Statistical & Time-Series Modeling: Forecasting, regression analysis, factor analytics
- Algorithmic Trading & Automation: WebSocket data streaming, TradingView bot development
- predictive modeling (GitHub: https://github.com/Richard0047/olet5602/blob/main/Final2508.html)

Research & Machine Learning Applications: Multi-omics data analysis for

- 3. FinTech & Product Innovation • Decentralized Insurance: Sole developer of www.insurancedao.world,
- researching blockchain-based insurance models & smart contracts
- Financial Technology Innovation: Built a blockchain & ZKP supply chain finance solution, awarded UNSW Founders Badge
- SaaS Systems: Contributed to the design of legal tech SaaS workflows at Tahota Law Firm, driving data-driven transaction optimization
- for real-time global deal list monitoring & Al-powered investment research (GitHub Link: https://github.com/Richard0047/-ai-rss-analyzer)

• Investment Data Analytics: Developed an Al-driven RSS news analysis system



### **Investment Research Assistant (Project-Based)** 2024-08 - 2025-01

# Qifu Capital (VC)

Assisted in financial modeling, valuation analysis, and budget forecasting for

- multiple healthcare technology investments Conducted risk assessments to support investment managers in evaluating
- capital allocation and market feasibility • Drafted **investment memos and financial reports**, facilitating cross-border
- collaboration with international investment banks Contributed to the investment strategy and market analysis for projects in
- partnership with the Abu Dhabi Investment Office (ADIO) Investment Associate (Full-Time, Early-Career)

# 2022-04 - 2023-03

# Shenzhen Qianhai Chuangtian Asset Management, Shenzhen

 Conducted financial modeling, valuation analysis, and investment research for renewable energy projects, supporting Guangdong Power Grid in solar energy

- Performed due diligence and financial analysis for private placements, including **Ewen Low Carbon (NQ871556)**
- Researched carbon neutrality & CCUS industry trends, leading to an invitation from Eurasian Academy of Sciences & China Cloud Computing Center to present insights on carbon-neutral investment strategies

• Analyzed distressed asset portfolios, evaluating the financial stability and

# 2021-10 - 2022-01

### Capital Markets & Financial Research Intern Tahota Law Firm (Top 50 in Asia)

• Assisted in **fundraising bids for private equity funds**, supporting the preparation

investment returns of projects

- of financial opinions for listed companies Conducted financial and regulatory research to support capital market

 Published the article "Innovation & Exploration: The Impact of the Beijing Stock Exchange on Legal Services,"recognized as one of the Top 10 Articles of

### driven transaction processes **Investment Research Intern**

SDIC Securities (Top 10 Securities Firm in China)

• Supported fundraising and marketing for structured financial products, assisting

Contributed to SaaS workflow design for a legal tech platform, integrating data-

- in the development and sales of snowball structured funds
- Built financial forecasting and valuation models for regional healthcare investments, providing strategic insights for capital allocation
- Conducted derivatives market research, co-authoring the report "The Era of
- Derivatives: Understanding CSI 500 Snowball Fund Structures through Market-**Neutral Hedging Strategies**"

successful RMB 20 million capital raisefor a CSI 500 index snowball fund

2021-06 - 2021-09

Contributed to deal structuring and investor presentations, supporting a

transaction