# THE UNIVERSITY OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

# **Curriculum Vitae for Faculty Members**

Date: April 18, 2019 Initials: RF

1. SURNAME: Freedman FIRST NAME: Ruth

MIDDLE NAME(S): Janine

2. DEPARTMENT/SCHOOL: Finance Division

3. FACULTY: Sauder School of Business

**4. PRESENT RANK**: Lecturer **SINCE**: July 1996

# 5. POST-SECONDARY EDUCATION

University or Institution	Degree	Subject Area	Dates
University of British Columbia	BCom	Finance	1982
University of British Columbia	MSc Bus Admin	Finance	1985
Stanford University	PhD	Finance	1991

# 6. **EMPLOYMENT RECORD**

### (a) Prior to coming to UBC

University, Company or Organization	Rank or Title	Dates
Stanford University	Research Assistant	1985-90
Canadian Institute of Management	Lecturer (Part-time)	1983-84
University of British Columbia	Research Assistant	1981-84

### (b) At UBC

Rank or Title	Dates	
Assistant Professor	July 1, 1990	
Lecturer	July 1, 1996 to present	

# 7. <u>LEAVES OF ABSENCE</u>

Maternity Leave October 2002 - December 2003

#### 8. **TEACHING**

## (a) Courses Taught at UBC

Course Name	Course Number	Number of Sections	Average Class Size	Academic Sessions
Introduction to Finance	COMM 298	2	125	2005W - 2018W
Corporate Finance	COMM 370	3	45	2006W - 2018W
Corporate Finance	COEC 370	1	55	2018W
Investment Policy	COMM 475	2	45	1990W – 2018W
Business Finance	COMM 297	2	60	1994W - 2004W
Corporate Finance	COMM 397	3	60	1996W – 2005W
Investments	COMM 374	3	45	1990W - 1995W and 2006W

#### (b) Continuing Education Activities

Regularly attend the Sauder Food for Thought teaching lunches and training sessions
Attended the CTLT workshops on large courses, learning technologies, and student engagement
Participated in the TAG teaching seminars and workshops and attended TAG Institute Week each year
Attended the Ivey Case Teaching Workshop at the University of Western Ontario
Member of the Financial Education Association
Past member of the Association of Women in Finance
Participant in the "Newspapers in Education Program" through the National Post
Attended all Bloomberg training sessions offered by the Lam Library

#### (c) Course Co-ordination Activities

Course Co-ordinator for Comm 298 (2005 – present)

Course Co-ordinator for Comm 370 (2006 – present)

Course Co-ordinator for Comm 297 (1996 – 2004)

Course Co-ordinator for Comm 397 (1997 – 2005)

#### 9. SCHOLARLY ACTIVITIES

#### (a) Areas of special interest

Market microstructure, trading mechanisms, economics of information, asset pricing, debt covenants

#### 10. SERVICE TO THE UNIVERSITY

(a) Memberships on committees, including offices held and dates

Sauder School Equity Committee Member (2008 – 2012) Peter Lee Finance Scholarships Selection Committee Member (2010)

(b) Other service, including dates

Undergraduate Program Coordinator for the Finance Division (2008 – 2018)

Course/Curriculum Equivalency Decisions (2008 – 2018)

Undergraduate Finance Student Advising (1990 – 2018)

Mentoring PhD. Students on Teaching (2008 – 2018)

COMM 286V (Introduction to Capital Markets) Applicant Screening (2013 – 2018)

Attendance at Student-related Activities: all Congregation ceremonies; awards nights; PMF seminars; and Entrance Scholars receptions (1990 – 2018)

# 11. AWARDS AND DISTINCTIONS

(a) Awards for Teaching (indicate name of award, awarding organizations, date)

University of British Columbia Killam Teaching Prize - 1998 Nominated for CUS Teaching Excellence Award – 1997, 1998, 2000, 2005, 2006, 2012, 2014

(b) Awards for Scholarship (indicate name of award, awarding organizations, date)

George W. and Lillian O. Dowrie Fellowship in Finance, Stanford University
Charles Bonner Fellowship Award, Stanford University
University of British Columbia Graduate Fellowship
H.R. MacMillan Scholarship in Commerce and Business Administration, University of British Columbia
Vancouver Stock Exchange Scholarship, University of British Columbia

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**Publications Record** 

SURNAME: Freedman FIRST NAME: Ruth Initials:
MIDDLE NAME(S): Janine Date: Nov 2018

REFEREED PUBLICATIONS

(a) Journals

1.

Boyle, Phelim P. and Ruth Freedman, "Population Waves: Social Security Implications," *Insurance: Mathematics and Economics* 4, 1985, pp.65-74.

Boardman, Anthony, Catherine Eckel, and Ruth Freedman, "The Price of Government Ownership: A Study of the Domtar Takeover, " *Journal of Public Economics* 31, 1986, pp.269-285.

Begley, Joy and Ruth Freedman, "The Changing Role of Accounting Number in Public Lending Agreements," *Accounting Horizons* 18, 2004, pp.81-96.

#### 2. WORK SUBMITTED (including publisher and date of submission)

Freedman, Ruth and Eric Terry, "Overnight Information and Opening Prices on the New York Stock Exchange." Revise and Resubmit received November 1993 from *The Journal of Finance*. Presented at the Western Finance Association Meetings in June 1992 and the Northern Finance Association Meetings in September 1992.

Freedman, Ruth, A Theory of the Impact of International Crosslisting." Submitted May 1994 to *The Review of Financial Studies*.