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EMPLOYMENT

Assistant Professor, School of Economics, Jinan University, 2023 - Present

EDUCATION

Ph.D.	Economics, University of Maryland at College Park, 2023
M.A.	Economics, Peking University, China, 2017
B.A.	Economics, Peking University, China, 2015
B.S.	Statistics, Peking University, China, 2015

FIELDS OF SPECIALIZATION

Primary: Labor Economics, Family Economics
Secondary: Personnel Economics, Development Economics, Political Economy of China

WORKING PAPERS

"More Than a Degree: China's College Expansion and the Marriage Market," with Sai Luo

"(Mis)use of Power in the Ivory Tower: Deans and Innovation in Chinese Universities," with Yuyu Chen and Xuan Wang

"Anti-Corruption and Political Trust: Evidence from China," with Weizheng Lai and Congling Xia

"Impact of COVID-19 on Online Share of Expenditure: Evidence from a Three-year Consumer Panel," with Xiang Hui, Catherine Tucker, Xiaoyu Wang, and Wenyu Zhou
   Winner of the Peak Award, Ant Financial Digital Finance Research Program (RMB 100,000), 2022

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Instructor, Economic Development of Underdeveloped Areas (undergraduate), University of Maryland, Winter 2021, Spring 2021, and Summer 2021
Instructor, Stata Mini-course (graduate), University of Maryland, Fall 2019, Fall 2020, and Fall 2021
Teaching Assistant, Intermediate Microeconomic Analysis (undergraduate), Fall 2018 and Spring 2022
Teaching Assistant, Empirical Microeconomics (graduate), University of Maryland, Fall 2019, Fall 2020, and Fall 2021
Teaching Assistant, Economic Development of Underdeveloped Areas (undergraduate), University of Maryland, Spring 2020
Teaching Assistant, Econometrics (undergraduate), University of Maryland, Spring 2019
Teaching Assistant, Microeconomics (core graduate), Peking University, Fall 2016

RESEARCH AND RELEVANT WORK EXPERIENCE

Research Assistant, Prof. Ethan Kaplan, University of Maryland, Summer 2019
Research Assistant, Prof. Jing Cai, University of Maryland, 2016
Research Assistant, Prof. Juanjuan Meng, Peking University, 2015-2016

Research Assistant, Prof. Wanchuan Lin, Peking University, 2013

GRANTS AND AWARDS
Doctoral Fellowship, Chiang Ching-kuo Foundation, 2022-2023;
Graduate Fellowship, University of Maryland, 2017-2018, Fall 2022

CONFERENCE AND SEMINAR PRESENTATIONS
2023: Chinese Economists Society North America Conference, Society of Labor Economics Annual Meeting, Asia Meeting of the Econometric Society, WEAI Annual Conference
2022: Southern Economics Association, Asia Meeting of the Econometric Society
2021: Missouri Valley Economic Association Annual Conference

LANGUAGES
Mandarin Chinese (native), English (fluent)

COMPUTATIONAL SKILLS
Stata, MATLAB, Python, Mathematica

Dissertation Committee
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