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EDUCATION

The Pennsylvania State University, State College, Pennsylvania

Ph.D. in Sociology

Aug 2024 - 2029 (expected)

The London School of Economics and Political Science (LSE), London, United Kingdom

Master of Science in the Department of Sociology

Sept 2022 - Sept 2023

- Major: Sociology
- **Dissertation:** “‘Good’ Work for Chinese Middle-Aged Men: Working Conditions and Employee’s Well-being”
- Supervisor: Dr Ursula Henz
- Core courses: Family and Inequality, Global Mobilities, Quantitative Social Methods

The Chinese University of Hong Kong (CUHK), Hong Kong SAR

Bachelor of Social Science in the Department of Sociology

Aug 2018 - Jul 2022

- Major: Sociology, with concentration: Social Research
- Minors: Anthropology, Economics
- **Thesis:** “The Role of Leisure in the Psychological Adaptation of New Marriage Migrant Women from Mainland China to Hong Kong”
- Supervisor: Dr Yuying Tong
- Core courses: Social Demography, Social Statistics, Quantitative Data Analysis, Ethnomethodology and Conversational Analysis
- Awards:
 - Dean’s List (2021-2022)*
 - Yasumoto International Exchange Scholarship (2020-2021)*
 - Admission Scholarship (2018-2022)*
 - Honors at Entrance (2018-2019)*

Peking University, Beijing, China

2020-2021 Exchange Program-Second Semester

Mar 2021 - Jul 2021

Outstanding Final Paper in the course Gender Studies

2020 Summer School Program

Jun 2020 - Jul 2020

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Work and Employment, Migration and Mobility, Family, Social Demography, Computational Social Science

CONFERENCES AND PRESENTATIONS

LSE’s Interdisciplinary Student Research Conference 2023, LSE, United Kingdom

June 14, 2023

Presented “Liberation or privilege? Digital nomads in China” at the sub-forum *Living in a Digital Age: Data, Transparency and Justice*

Chinese Sociological Association’s Annual Conference 2022, China

Aug 26 - 27, 2022

Presented “The Role of Leisure in the Psychological Adaptation of New Marriage Migrant Women from Mainland

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China to Hong Kong” at the regular session *International Sociology of Migration*

RESEARCH EXPERIENCES

Research On “Household Labor Migration and Aspirations for Children's Education”, PSU, PA

Research Assistant

Oct 2024 - present

- Cleaning and exploring the dataset Family Migration and Early Life Outcomes Project

Research on “Measuring Liberal Arts Education: Interdisciplinarity, Gender Representation in Knowledge, and Outcomes After College”, CUHK, Hong Kong SAR

Research Assistant

Mar 2022 - Oct 2022

- Compiled a detailed dataset from course arrangements documents, ensuring comprehensive coverage and accuracy
- Performed in-depth data analysis to understand relationships among education outcomes and a range of relevant variables using R and Stata
- Conducted exploratory literature review regarding the interaction of education, gender, and race

Research Group focusing on “Disaster Culture” and Construction of Resilient Society from the Perspective of Public Health Security, Southern University of Science and Technology, Center for Social Sciences and Institute for Advanced Research in Social Sciences, China

Research Assistant

Jul 2021 - Oct 2021

- Designed an interview guide and conducted in-depth interviews with health professionals, community workers, and volunteers actively involved in early-stage COVID-19 frontline response efforts
- Participated in 20-hour training workshops encompassing topics including discussion of disaster and risk society, and research methodologies
- One of my interview transcripts was selected to be presented as an outstanding sample on “Field Discussion Salon”

Chinese General Social Survey 2021, National Survey Research Center, Renmin University of China, China

Research Assistant

Jul 2021 - Aug 2021

- Conducted in-depth field observations in five villages within Yichuan County, an underprivileged region in China
- Conducted interviews with 21 families for over 40 hours, exploring themes involving personal background, mate choice & fertility intention, COVID-19 impacts, health perspectives, and community surroundings

CUUC Research Team, Department of Land Economy, University of Cambridge, United Kingdom

Research Assistant, Workshop co-organizer, Director of Communications (online)

Aug 2020 - Jun 2021

- Reviewed and distilled core Chinese migration and mobility literature in reports
- Organized and facilitated monthly seminars about research techniques and literature discussions
- Established regular communications with scholars, ensuring academic and field training support

SERVICE AND TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Society of Sociology, Online (China)

Jun 2020 - Present

Volunteer Series planner, Editor, Joint Reading Seminar Organizer

- Planned and curated thematic series including “Leisure Studies”, “High-skilled Migration”, and “Men and Fatherhood” and translated relevant articles into Chinese, attracting over 30,000 views
- Sorted and published weekly sociological articles for a year, each attracting thousands of views

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Project Nous, Shandong, China

Jul 2022

Independent course designer, tutor, and facilitator

- Conceptualized and spearheaded a 30-hour, two-week course *Inside and Outside Boundaries: Reality, Construction, and Action* for high school and undergraduate students.
- Engaged students in a comprehensive exploration of the dynamics and constructs of "borders and boundaries" spanning from individual-body dimensions to broader community and macro perspectives

SHHO College, CUHK, Hong Kong SAR

Sept 2019 - Dec 2019, Sept 2020 - Dec 2020

Teaching Assistant in General Education Course

- Led and arranged student academic discussions every week and went camping for two days
- Contributed to designing class form and content, and connecting professors and students

TECHNICAL STRENGTHS AND SKILLS

Languages

Mandarin Chinese (native), English (proficient), Cantonese Chinese (intermediate)

Software & Analytical Tools

R, STATA, SPSS, NetLogo