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POSITION

Assistant Professor, School of Economics, Singapore Management University, 2023.7 - present

EDUCATION

Ph.D., Economics, Cornell University, 2017.8 - 2023.5

Master, Economics, National University of Singapore, 2014.8-2017.6

A.B., Economics, Peking University, 2009.8-2014.7

RESEARCH FIELDS

Labor Economics, Development Economics

PUBLICATION

Hu, Z., & Li, T. (2019). Too Hot to Handle: the Effects of High Temperatures during Pregnancy on Adult Welfare Outcomes. *Journal of Environmental Economics and Management*, 94, 236-253.

WORKING PAPERS

How Competition Shapes Peer Effects: Evidence from a University in China (with Siyu Chen, under review)

Nutrition, Labor Supply, and Productivity: Evidence from Ramadan in Indonesia (with Zhiwen Wang)

The Minimal Impacts of the One-Child Policy on Aggregate Fertility Decline in China (with Gordon Liu and Samantha Vortherms)

SELECETED WORKS IN PROGRESS

How Land Security Reform Changes the Impact of Agricultural Machinery Subsidy Policy: Evidence from China (with Elaine Liu and Peng Wang)

GDP or Life? Promotion Incentives of City Mayors and Workplace Accidents (with Hao Yang)

AWARDS AND GRANTS

Ernest Liu '64, Ta-Chung and Ya-Chao Liu Memorial Fellowship, Department of Economics, Cornell University, 2022-2023

Humane Studies Fellowship, Insitute for Humane Studies, George Mason University, 2022

Hsien Wu and Daisy Yen Wu Scholarship, Graduate School, Cornell University, 2022

Sadov Graduate Student Fellowship, College of Arts and Sciences, Cornell University, 2021

Excellence in Research Fellowship, Department of Economics, Cornell University, 2021

Tapan Mitra Economics Prize for 3rd-year paper, Department of Economics, Cornell University, 2020

Red Wilson Excellence in Economics Medal, Department of Economics, Cornell University, 2019

Small Grants in Labor Economics, Department of Economics, Cornell University, 2019

Gregory Chow Best Paper Award, Chinese Economists Society, 2018

PRESENTATION

2023: Singapore Management University; National University of Singapore (Economics); National University of Singapore (LKYSPP); INSEAD; University of College London (CReAM); Hong Kong University of Science and Technology;

2022: PacDev*; IRES Religion Graduate Student Workshop*; CU/SU education conference; Shanghai University of Finance and Economics; Zhejiang University; Nanjing University

2021: AEA annual meeting; AAFP; SOLE annual meeting

2020: CES North American; IESR peer effects workshop*; NEUDC

2019: Cornell Health Economics Seminar; WEA International; ASHEcon; WEA; NEUDC; AASLE; Beijing Normal University

2015: NBER-CCER

* indicates presentation by a co-author

TEACHING EXPERIENCES

2023 Fall: Microeconomics I (intermediate)