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Academic Positions

- 2011- Assistant Professor, Nanyang Technological University (NTU), Singapore
- 2010-11 Visiting Scholar, CIREQ, Concordia University, Montreal, Canada

Education

- Ph.D. in Economics, University of Pittsburgh, 2011
- M.A. in Economics, Fudan University, 2005
- B.A. in Economics, Fudan University, 2000

Research Interests

Public Economics, Empirical Industrial Organization, Financial Economics, Chinese Economy, Regional and Urban Economics, Behavioral and Experimental Economics, Applied Econometrics

Publications

- “The Effectiveness of Private Benefits in Fundraising of Local Charities”, with Holger Sieg, *International Economic Review*, Volume 53 (2), 349–374, 2012.
- “The Importance of Managerial Capacity in Fundraising: Evidence from Land Conservation Charities”, with Holger Sieg, *International Journal of Industrial Organization*, Volume 30 (6), 724-734, 2012.
- “Nonlocal Mortgage Lending and Secondary Market Involvement”, with Yilan Xu, *Journal of Real Estate Literature*, Volume 20 (2), 305-322, 2012.

Working Papers

- “Bubbles and Experience: An Experiment with a Steady Inflow of New Traders”, with Huan Xie, *under review*.
- “Land Market Distortion and Incomplete Urbanization: Evidence from China’s Prefecture-level Cities”, with Jianyong Fan and Jiawei Mo, *under review*.
- “Estimating a Dynamic Game of Fundraising Competition among Local Charities”.
- “A Field Experiment on Leadership, Peer Effects, and Pro-social Behavior”.

Work in Progress

- “Traders’ Belief and Price Bubbles in the Laboratory Asset Market”, with Huan Xie.
- “Who Carries the Gun: Endogenous Authority and Enforcement”, with Wooyoung Lim.
- “Land Supply, Local Public Finance, and Urban Development”.
- “The Motives of Corporate Giving: An Empirical Study on China’s Private Enterprises”.
- “Firm Dynamics, Location Choice, and the Structural Change of Industry”.

Publications in Chinese

- “Anti-corruption, Market Constitution and Economic Growth”, with Gang Sun and Ming Lu, *China Economic Quarterly*, 2005(5): 1-22.
- “Estimating Capital Stock of Chinese Provinces: 1952-2000”, with Guiying Wu and Jun Zhang, *Economic Research Journal*, 2004(10): 35-44. Citation: English 307; Chinese 900.
- “China's Regional Disparity: Measures and Causes” (with Guiying Wu), *World Economic Forum*, 2004 (4): 63-84.
- “A Survey on New Economic Geography and Its Implications on China’s Regional Development Disparity”, *World Economic Forum*, 2004(3): 60-81.

Academic Awards

- Andrew Mellon Pre-doctoral Fellowship, University of Pittsburgh, 2009~2010
- Dissertation Fellowship, Center for Industry Studies, University of Pittsburgh, 2008~09
- *Jerome C. Wells Award* for outstanding teaching in undergraduate economics, 2008
- Chou Pre-doctoral Fellowship, University of Pittsburgh, 2005~2007
- Jiang Xue Mo Award for Master Thesis, Fudan University, 2005
- Fudan Graduate Scholarship 1st Class, Fudan University, 2004~2005
- Paper reward 2nd prize at the Conference of New Institutional Economics, Beijing
- Best paper award of the 1st “JinHuaBei” Graduate Economic Conference, 04/2004

Research Grants

- Principal Investigator, HSS Incentive Scheme, “Urban Sustainability”, S\$5,000, 2012-13.
- Principal Investigator, “The Role of Experience, Belief and Information in the Formation of Asset Bubble”, S\$35,000, SUG, 2012-2014.
- Co-Investigator, “Reevaluating China’s Economic Development: a New Perspective of Urbanization”, National Social Science Foundation, Major, CNY 800,000, 2011-2013.
- Principal Investigator, “Workshop in Behavioral and Decision Science”, Center for Liberal Arts and Social Sciences (CLASS), NTU, S\$26,560, 2012 March.
- Principal Investigator, “Income Inequality, Migration, and Changes in Industrial Structure”, Jiang Xue Mo Research Grant, Fudan University, CNY 8,000, 2004-2005.

Teaching Experience

- *Introductory Econometrics*, Nanyang Technological University, 2013, Jan-May
- *Applied Econometrics (Graduate)*, Nanyang Technological University, 2012, May-July
- *Chinese Economy*, Nanyang Technological University, 2012-2013, three semesters
- *Public Finance*, Nanyang Technological University, 2011, October-December
- *Macroeconomics and Development (Graduate)*, Fudan University, 2005, Summer
- *Intermediate Macroeconomics*, University of Pittsburgh, 2008 January-April
- *Introductory Microeconomics*, University of Pittsburgh, 2007 September-December

Seminars and Conferences

2013 APESA 2013 Annual Meeting, Tokyo; Shanghai University of Finance and Economics (Scheduled); Concordia University (Scheduled)

2012 University of Thailand Chamber of Commerce, Bangkok; Interdisciplinary Workshop in Behavioral and Decision Science, Nanyang Technological University; Nanyang Business School; SKBI Asset Bubbles Conference at Singapore Management University; Shandong University; REIM International Conference on Applied Microeconomics (Chengdu); APEA annual meeting, 2012; National University of Singapore; 2012 International Conference on Spatial and Social Transformation in Urban China (Hong Kong); 2012 ESA Regional Meeting (Tucson)

2010-11 Carnegie Mellon University; CIREQ, Concordia University; Fudan University; Lingnan University; Nanyang Technological University; Renmin University of China; Shanghai Jiao Tong University; University of Pittsburgh; Uppsala University; Zhejiang University; NTU-Brownbag in Economics; MEA 2011; ESA Asia-Pacific Meeting 2011; Georgia State University; CES 2010

Professional Services

Graduate Study Committee, Division of Economics, NTU, 2011-13

Admission Committee, Master in Applied Economics, NTU, 2011-2013

Coordinator, Brownbag Seminar in Economics, NTU, 2011- 2013

Coordinator, Interdisciplinary Workshop in Behavioral and Decision Science, 2012 March

Supervisor of Undergraduate Final Year Projects and URECA, NTU, 2012-2013

Refereeing

China Economic Quarterly, Economic Inquiry, International Economic Review, Journal of Comparative Economics, Singapore Economic Review, World Economic Forum

Languages and Skills

Chinese (Native); English (Fluent); French (Preliminary)

Parallel Computing (MPI); Fortran; C++; Matlab; Gauss; Stata; Latex

References

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