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| Education | <p>Washington University in St. Louis, St. Louis, Missouri Ph.D., Political Science, expected in 2025 Subfields: Comparative Politics (Major), Political Methodology (Minor)</p> <p>Waseda University, Tokyo, Japan B.A., Economics, 2020</p> <p>The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology, Hong Kong SAR, China B.Sc. (First-Class Honors), Global China Studies, 2020</p> |
| Research Interests | <p>Comparative Politics: Public Opinion, Chinese Politics, Authoritarianism, Social Media and Misinformation International Relations: Public Opinion in Territorial Disputes, Borders Political Methodology: Text Analysis, Computational Models</p> |
| Working Papers | <p>Deng, Rex W.. “How Negative Propaganda against Foreign Rivals Cultivates Regime Support: Evidence from China.”</p> <p>Carter, David B. and Rex W. Deng. “How Does State Presence Affect Trust in Hard-to-Reach Places.”</p> <p>Deng, Rex W., Cecilia Y. Sui, and Margit Tavits. “An Imitation Game: How Authoritarian Regimes Secure Public Support in Chinese Social Media.”</p> |
| Work in Progress | <p>Deng, Rex W. “Repeated Refutations, Correlated Sources, and Corrections of Political Misperceptions. ”</p> <p>Deng, Rex W. “Media Rhetoric, Political Ideologies, and Public Opinion on Terrorism.”</p> <p>Barcelo, Joan, Rex W. Deng, and Tony Zirui Yang. “Fear, Anger, and Protest Participation: Evidence from Hong Kong.”</p> <p>Deng, Rex W. and David Carter. “Territorial Disputes and Political Attitudes.”</p> |
| Grants | <p>2022. APSA Foreign Policy Section Travel Grant (\$500)</p> |

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| Honors & Awards | <p>2020. LSQ Research Award, Washington University in St. Louis (\$5,000)</p> <p>2019. School of Political Science and Economics Award, Waseda University (≈ \$1,000)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – For the first Waseda Data Science Competition – Theme: The seat allocation of Japan’s Upper House Election in July 2019 – With Wenhao (Brian) Jiang, Yuji Mizushima, and Siyuan Shang <p>2018. Asian Future Leadership Scholarship, Bai Xian Asia Institute (≈ \$28,680)</p> <p>2016-2018. Dean’s List, The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology</p> <p>2015. Ho & Ho Foundation Scholarship, The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology (≈ \$76,000)</p> |
| Presentations | <p>Conferences</p> <p>APSA: 2022 (Travel grant recipient; Accepted)</p> <p>Workshops</p> <p>The Politics of State Authority and Insecurity Workshop, Rutgers University, 2022.</p> |
| RA Experience | <p>Washington University in St. Louis, Department of Political Science</p> <p>Research assistant (Michael Olson), Summer 2022</p> <p>Research assistant (Lucia Motolinia), Spring 2022</p> <p>Research assistant (Carly Wayne and Taylor Carlson), Fall 2021 - Summer 2022</p> <p>Columbia University, Department of Political Science</p> <p>Research assistant (Junyan Jiang), Fall 2020</p> <p>Waseda University, School of Political Science and Economics</p> <p>Research assistant (Michiko Ueda), Fall 2019</p> <p>The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology</p> <p>Undergraduate researcher (Albert Park), Spring 2018</p> <p>Case developer, (James. K. Wong), Spring 2018</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Case title: <i>China: A Global Leader in Mobile Payment</i>. Full access here. |
| TA Experience | <p>Washington University in St. Louis, Department of Political Science</p> <p><i>Undergraduate Level</i></p> <p>Introduction to International Relations (David Carter), Fall 2022</p> <p>Quantitative Political Methodology (Ted Enamerado), Spring 2022</p> <p>Data Science for Politics (Jacob Montgomery), Fall 2021</p> |
| Additional Training | <p>Washington University in St. Louis, St. Louis, Missouri</p> <p>Python camp (Benjamin Noble), Summer 2021</p> <p>Math camp (Jacob Montgomery), Summer 2020</p> <p>East China University of Political Science and Law, Shanghai, China</p> <p>Training Camp of Political Methodology and Chinese Political Institution, Summer 2020</p> |

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| Service | Manager, WashU Political Data Science Lab, Fall 2022 - present |
| Technical Skills | R, Python, ArcGIS, MATLAB, Qualtrics, Tableau, W TeX |
| Languages | Mandarin Chinese (native), Cantonese (native) English (fluent), Japanese (intermediate) |