

XUANYU ZHOU

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College of Civil Engineering and Architecture, Zhejiang University

Education

Zhejiang University

Bachelor of Engineering in Urban and Rural Planning (5-year program)

09/2021–06/2026 (Expected)

University of California, Berkeley

Exchange Program in College of Environmental Design

01/2025–07/2025 (Expected)

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Research Assistant | Monitoring-Mapping-Modeling (3M) lab, UC Berkeley

Supervisor: Prof. Lu Liang | 03/2025–present

Developing urban Sky View Factor (SVF) datasets across the United States using airborne LiDAR data, with validation through comparative analysis of street view imagery. Responsible for processing street view data and conducting preliminary analysis. Collaborating with PhD student Yuye Zhou; project ongoing.

Research Assistant | Qizhenwenxue Research Program, ZJU

Supervisor: Prof. Shuang Ma | 04/2023–Present

Authored key sections (Introduction, Literature Review, Data & Methods) for a study on **post-pandemic urban revival** using mobile phone signaling data (Nagoya case).

Contributed to analysis of **built environment impacts on mental health** via Weibo data (Beijing case), focusing on Results & Discussion.

Investigated **synergies between shared bicycles and built environment** in Shenzhen, co-authoring Data & Methods and Results sections.

Group Lead | Rural Revitalization Social Investigation, ZJU

Supervisor: Prof. Yuehua Zhang | 09/2023–11/2023

Spearheaded a 10-member team **conducting field surveys on rural revitalization and common prosperity** in Jiashan, Zhejiang; synthesized key findings into a group report.

RESEARCH & ACADEMIC CONTRIBUTIONS

Peer-Reviewed Articles

Ma, S., **Zhou, X.**, Cai, W., et al. (2023). Evaluating the social-economic recovery impacts of built environment for post-pandemic. *Transaction in urban data, science, and technology*. DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1177/27541231251314132>

Ma, S., Li, W., **Zhou, X.**, Ma, T., He, Y., and Li, S. (Manuscript under review). Future life expectancy extension under bike ride, air pollution exposure, and traffic accidents through modifying the built environment and climate: An integrated modelling study. *Nature Communications*.

Zhou, X., & Chen, M. (Manuscript under review). Greening the Gap: Examining Urban Greenery Equity in Shrinking Cities. *Urban Forestry & Urban Greening*.

Conference Presentations

Zhou, X., & Chen, M. (2024). Greening the Gap: Examining Urban Greenery Equity in Shrinking Cities. 2024 ACSP Annual Conference (Oral Presentation).

Competitions

2024 WUPENiCity Competition: Led research on Park and Ride (P+R) Development Strategies for Urban Railway Stations, overseeing data collection, processing, mapping, and drafting the final report.

HONORS & AWARDS

Zhejiang Provincial Government Scholarship, Zhejiang Province (2024)

Academic Excellence Award, Zhejiang University (2022, 2023, 2024)

Second-Prize Scholarship, Zhejiang University (2023, 2024)

Third-Prize Scholarship, Zhejiang University (2022)

Jincheng Academic Scholarship, Zhejiang University (2023)

Distinguished Investigator, Innovation Center of Yangtze River Delta (2023)

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Programming Languages: Skilled in Python and R for data analysis and modeling.

Geographic Information Systems (GIS): Experienced in spatial data analysis and visualization using GIS tools.

3D Modeling Software: Skilled in Rhino and SketchUp for modeling.

Deep Learning: Entry-level experience in deep learning and AI applications.

Research Tools: Proficient in literature review, and academic writing.