**BU-Questrom School of Business** 

Zhang, Linlin Applicant ID 1401601453

Application Status Complete Master of Science in Business Analytics

## **BIOGRAPHIC INFORMATION**

# **PROFILE**

Title: First Name: Linlin Middle Name: Last Name: Zhang Suffix:

**FEMALE** Gender or Sex:

Materials Under Another Name: No Nickname:

Alternate First Name: Alternate Middle Name: Alternate Last Name:

U00785910 Alternate ID:

Permanent

N/A

China

Longfor Fantastic 316-1-701

Banbidian St, Tongzhou District Beijing, Beijing 101100

Alternate ID Type: BU

## **BIRTH INFORMATION**

Date of Birth: 08-12-1996 City: Beijing County: N/A State: Beijing China Country:

## **CONTACT INFORMATION**

Address Type: Current

Address: Longfor Fantastic 316-1-701

Banbidian St, Tongzhou District

Beijing, Beijing 101100

County: N/A Country: China

Valid Until Date:

**Preferred Phone Number** +8618612449550 Type: Mobile

Email: zlinlin2020@yeah.net Type: Home

# CITIZENSHIP STATUS AND RESIDENCY INFORMATION

### CITIZENSHIP STATUS

Citizenship Status: None Country of Citizenship: China Other Citizenship: Length of stay in US:

State of Residence: International

County of Residence: N/A Length of Residence:

Address Type:

Address:

County:

Country:

## RACE/ETHNICITY

Do you consider yourself to be of Hispanic/Latino origin?

Answer: No American Indian or Alaska Native

Asian Yes Chinese: Black or African American

Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander White

# OTHER INFORMATION

Not a member of the military Military Status:

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# **ACADEMIC HISTORY**

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Date	ETS Registration Code	Verbal	Quantitative	Analytical Writing
12-13-2020	8498489	150 45%	168 92%	2.5 6%
02-07-2021	8901057	151 50%	167 89%	2.5 6%

#### COLLEGES ATTENDED

# 409026 UNIVERSITY OF ALBERTA

 Start Date:
 08-2015
 Still Current:
 No

 End Date:
 08-2019
 Primary:
 No

State: –

Major	2nd Major/Minor	Status	Degree Verified	Degree Name	Degree Date
Mathematics	– / Business/Management	Degree Awarded	No	Bachelor of Science	06-2020

#### TRANSCRIPTS

College Name	Received	Required
UNIVERSITY OF ALBERTA	2021-01-29	Yes



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Date of Issue:

20-Jan-2021

Student Name: (Surname last) Linlin Zhang

ID Number:

1484024

Month and Day of Birth: August 12

Degrees

Confer Date:

June 12, 2020

Degree:

Bachelor of Science

Mathematics with Business Minor

In the Name of:

Linlin Zhang

September, 2015: Admitted to the Faculty of Science, Bachelor of Science General program.

Fall Term 2015

BSc General Bridging Program Mathematics

		OF ALCERTA & CHICARNIC CO.	Grade	Units	Units	Grade	Class	Class
Cour	se	Description	Remark	Taken	Passed	Points	Avg	Enrl
EAP	140	ENGLISH FOR ACADEMIC PURPOSES	CR.	3.0	3.0	0.00	XXX	15
EAP	145	ENGLISH FOR ACADEMIC PURPOSES	CR	3.0	3.0	0.00	XXX	12
			TOTALS	6.0	6.0	0.00		

Winter Term 2016

BSc General Mathematics

		Grade	Units	Units	Grade	Class	Class
Course	Description	Remark	Taken	Passed	Points	Avg	Enrl
BIOL 107	INTRODUCTION TO CELL BIOLOGY	D	3.0	3.0	3.00	2.6	326
MATH 114	ELEMENTARY CALCULUS I	B+	3.0	3.0	9_90	2.1	133
PSYCO 104	BASIC PSYCHOLOGICAL PROCESSES	C+	3.0	3.0	6.90	2.7	385
STAT 151	INTRO TO APPLIED STATISTICS I	F	3.0	0.0	0.00	1.7	178
		TOTALS	12.0	9.0	19.80		

GPA: 19.80 grade points / 12.0 units taken = 1.7 May Continue Under Academic Warning

Fall Term 2016

BSc General Mathematics

			Grade	Units	Units	Grade	Class	Class	
Cours	е	Description	Remark	Taken	Passed	Points	Avg	Enrl	
ECON	101	INTRODUCTION TO MICROECONOMICS	A-	3.0	3.0=	11.10	2.9	283	
MATH	115	ELEMENTARY CALCULUS II	В	3.0	3.0	9.00	2.4	196	
MATH	125	LINEAR ALGEBRA I	A	3.0	3.0	12.00	2.8	129	
STAT	151	INTRO TO APPLIED STATISTICS I	B+	3.0	3.0	9.90	2,2	177	
			TOTALS	12.0	12.0	42.00	THE REAL PROPERTY.	A SHALL SHALL	FOR

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Linlin Zhang

ID Number:

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Date of Issue: 20-Jan-2021

Month and Day of Birth: August 12

Winter Term 2017 BSc General Mathematics

		Grade	Units	Units	Grade	Class	Class
Course	Description	Remark	Taken	Passed	Points	Avg	Enrl
ECON 102	INTRODUCTION TO MACROECONOMICS	B B	3.0	3.0	9.00	2.9	74
ENGL 102	INTRO TO CRITICAL ANALYSIS	B-	3.0	3.0	8.10	2.3	15
MATH 214	INTERMEDIATE CALCULUS I	A-	3.0	3.0	11.10	2.3	135
MATH 225	LINEAR ALGEBRA II	Washington	mee 3.0	0.0	0.00	1 9	79
WRS 101	EXPLORING WRITING	CH CH TO THE	3.0	3.0	6.90	2.2	16
		TOTALS	15.0	12.0	35.10		

GPA: 77.10 grade points / 24.0 units taken = 3.2 Cleared Academic Warning

Spring Term 2017

BSc General Mathematics

		Grade	Units	Units	Grade	Class	Class
Course	Description	Remark	Taken	Passed	Points	Avg	Enrl
MATH 215	INTERMEDIATE CALCULUS II	В	3.0	3.0	9.00	2.5	43
STAT 265	STATISTICS I	C	3.0	3.0	6.00	2.3	72
		TOTALS	6.0	5 0	15 00		

GPA: 15.00 grade points / 6.0 units taken = 2.5

September, 2017: Admitted to the Faculty of Science, Bachelor of Science - Business Minor program.

September 05, 2017; Granted credit in all courses successfully completed at this University, 2015-2017. (45.0) Total units 45.00

Fall Term 2017

BSc - Business Minor Mathematics

Course	Description	Grade Remark	Units Taken	Units Passed	Grade Points	Class	Class Enrl
ACCTG 311	INTRO TO ACCTG FOR FIN PERFORM	C	3.0	3 0	6.00	2.9	117
MATH 225	LINEAR ALGEBRA II	A	3.0	3.0	12.00	3.0	118
MATH 253	THEORY OF INTEREST	C+	3.0	3.0	6.90	3.0	122
MATH 314	ANALYSIS I	W	3.0	0.0	0.00	2.3	63
MATH 334	INTRO DIFFERENTIAL EQUATIONS	B	3.0	3.0	9.00	2.9	116
		TOTALS	15.0	12.0	33.90		

Winter Term 2018

BSc - Business Minor Mathematics

Course	Description	Grade Remark	Units Taken	Units Passed	Grade Points	Class Avg	Class Enrl
ECON 281	INTERMED MICROECON THEORY I	В	3.0	3.0	9.00	2.8	70
MATH 241	GEOMETRY	A-	3.0	3.0	11.10	3.1	76
SMO 301	BEHAVIOR IN ORGANIZATIONS	В	3.0	3.0	9.00	3.0	42
STAT 266	STATISTICS II	B-	3.0	3.0	8.10	2.5	91
	The Parties and Market of the Case of the	TOTALS	12.0	12.0	37.20		

GPA: 71.10 grade points / 24.0 units taken = 3.0

September 04, 2018: Granted credit in courses (units) Accounting 300-Level Option (3.00), MARK 301 (3.00) for work completed at Univ of International Business & Economics, China, 2018. Total units 6.00.

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Fall Term 2018

Linlin Zhang

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Date of Issue:

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BSc - Business Minor

Mathematics

			Grade	Units	Units	Grade	Class	Class
Cours	e commo	Description Description	Remark	Taken	Passed	Points	Avg	Enrl
CHEM	101	INTRO UNIV CHEM I	B-	3.0	3.0	8110	2.5	385
MATH	322	GRAPH THEORY	C	3.0	3.0	6.00	2.3	101
MATH	356	INTRO TO MATH FINANCE I	C	3.0	3.0	6.00	3.3	62
SMO	321	INTR STRAT MNGT ORG DESIGN	C+	100 B 10 B	3.0	6.90 m	3.3	74
STAT	378	APPLIED REGRESSION ANALYSIS	C-1811	3.0	3.0	5,10	2.6	65 19
			TOTALS	15.0	15.0	32.10		

Winter Term 2019

BSc - Business Minor

Mathematics

Cours	e	Description	Grade Remark	Units Taken	Units Passed	Grade Points	Class Avg	Class Enrl
CHEM	102	INTRO UNIV CHEM II	В	3.0	3.0	9.00	2.6	244
FIN	301	INTRODUCTION TO FINANCE	A-	3.0	3.0	11.10	3.0	466
MATH	311	THEORY OF FUNCTINS COMPLEX VAR	B+	3.0	3.0	9.90	3.2	82
MATH	357	INTRO TO MATH FINANCE II	A-	3.0	3.0	11.10	3.8	42
STAT	252	INTRO TO APPLIED STATISTICS II	B+	3.0	3.0	9.90	2.6	97
			TOTALS	15.0	15.0	51.00		

GPA: 33.10 grade points / 30.0 units taken = 2.8

Fall Term 2019

BSc - Business Minor Mathematics

Course	Description	Grade Remark	Units Taken	Units Passed	Grade Points	Class Avg	Class Enrl
ECON 38	INTERMEDIATE MICROECON THRY II	A	3.0	3.0	12,00	3.3	64
MATH 37	MATH PROGRAM/OPTIMIZATION I	В	3.0	3.0	9.00	2.8	58
MATH 432	INTER DIFF EQUATION	C+	3.0	3.0	6,90	2.7	7.7
MIS 31	MANAGEMENT INFORMATION SYSTEMS	C	3.0	3.0	6.00	2.8	76
STAT 37	MATHEMATICAL STATISTICS	C-	3.0	3.0	5.10	2.8	38
CAST - CHARLES		TOTALS	15.0	15.0	39.00		

GPA: 39.00 grade points / 15.0 units taken = 2 Page 3 End of Transcript

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# SUPPORTING INFORMATION

Document Requested	Uploaded	File Name	Uploaded Date
CV/Resume	Yes	CV/Resume	01-29-2021

# **Linlin Zhang**

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### **EDUCATION**

### **University of Alberta**

Sept.2015 - Dec.2019

Major: Bachelor of Science in Mathematics

**Relevant Courses:** Calculus, Linear Algebra, Applied Statistics, Intro to Math Finance, Introduction to Finance, Management Information Systems, Behaviour in Organizations

### **INTERNSHIP EXPERIENCE**

### **China Securities Co., Ltd |** Bond Underwriting Department Intern

July 2019 – Aug. 2019

- Gathered data and conducted a multi-dimension analysis, including the company's assets and liabilities, operating conditions, financial situation, and the risks faced by the company, etc
- Collected materials for bond issuers and assisted in completing due diligence reports and prospectuses
- Collected and sorted out the bonds issued by the company over the years
- Conducted credit investigation on the issuers and their subsidiaries
- Collated the manuscripts of issuers and their subsidiaries

## **Bank of Communications** | Corporate Banking Department Intern

July 2017 - Aug. 2017

- Conducted market research on the corporate customers, including their industry development trend and new policies issued by the government
- Collected the data and information of corporate customers and input them on the bank system
- Classified the corporate customers from various dimensions such as size, credit, and stored them into system
- Built and maintained good relationships with customers

### **PROJECT EXPERIENCE**

## **Data Analysis with SPSS** | *Team Leader*

Jan. 2019 – Feb. 2019

- Used the linear regression tools in SPSS to explore the relationship between internet use and GDP
- Considered different models to choose the one that adequately approximates the mean of the response as a function of the explanatory variables
- Tested the model assumptions and applied diagnostic tools in SPSS

# OCBi Analysis in the movie "Intern" | Team Leader

Jan. 2018 – Feb. 2018

- Analyzed the impact of interpersonal citizenship behavior (OCBi) in an organization in the movie "Intern"
- Gathered and sorted out information about OCBi from online resources and textbooks to further understand the concept
- Composed a report based on the findings and delivered a video presentation

### **S**KILLS

Languages: English (Fluent) Chinese (Native)

Skills: SPSS, R, SQL, Microsoft Office

# **BU-Questrom School of Business**

# **CUSTOM QUESTIONS**

# NOTIFICATION ABOUT SWITCHING PROGRAMS

\* 1. Please carefully read the instructions that appear throughout the application. Once you have begun the application, changing a program will delete a program's content, including recommendations, and it will no longer appear in your application. If you have completed your application, please submit it under the currently selected program and contact our office to make the switch once you have submitted.

**Answer:** Check here to indicate you have read and understand the above paragraph.

### **ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS**

\* 1. Have you previously applied to a graduate program at Boston University Questrom School of Business?

Answer: No

\* 2. Will you be receiving tuition reimbursement from your employer?

Answer: No

## HOW DID YOU HEAR ABOUT US?

\* 1. How did you first learn about the Questrom School of Business?

Answer: Online Advertising

\* 2. Which external sources of information were most influential in your decision to apply to the Questrom School of Business? Please select all applicable answers.

Answer: YouTube

\* 3. Which internal sources of information were most influential in your decision to apply to the Questrom School of Business? Please select all applicable answers.

Answer: Questrom School of Business website

## STANDARD APPLICATION QUESTIONS REGARDING PRIOR ACADEMIC MISCONDUCT

\* 1. Have you ever been disciplined by any college or university for reasons pertaining to academic integrity?

Answer: No

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## **CUSTOM QUESTIONS CONTINUED**

### **CERTIFICATION AND AUTHORIZATION STATEMENT**

I certify that all the information and statements I have provided in this application are correct and complete. I certify that, as required, I have read all application instructions, and have responded truthfully regarding sources of information related to my college attendance and academic actions taken by a university or other institution. I further certify that all information submitted on my behalf, including letters of recommendation, is authentic. I have read and understand all notices contained in the application and the application instructions informing me of my obligation to provide true and complete answers to all

I understand that withholding pertinent information or giving false information on this application will be cause for denial of admission to Boston University and any of its school(s), withdrawal of any offer of admission, cancellation of registration, expulsion from the University or any of its school(s) after I have been admitted, or revocation of my degree. I understand that I have an ongoing obligation to inform the Admissions Office of any changed circumstances affecting information I have provided on the application within 30 days of my first notice of such events.

I have read and understand the Application Deadline Policy of the school(s) at Boston University to which I have applied. I give my permission to officials at all institutions that I have attended to release information requested by any school(s) at Boston University to which I have applied. I understand that my application and materials submitted with my application become the property of the school(s) at Boston University to which I have applied. I understand that the information furnished in conjunction with this application will be treated confidentially and will be disclosed only in accordance with the University's policy governing privacy of student education records.

I realize that the institution reserves the right to withdraw an offer of admission if I fail to maintain satisfactory scholastic standing for work in progress, final records fail to show completion of courses and/or degrees required for admission, or if there is a change in the circumstances affecting information I have provided on this application.

**Answer:** Your certification of this statement serves the same purpose as a legal signature, and is binding.

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# **DESIGNATIONS**

## MASTER OF SCIENCE IN BUSINESS ANALYTICS

Organization: **BU-Questrom School of Business** Program/Department: Master of Science in Business Analytics

Degree:

Summer 2 2021 Semester:

Campus: **Charles River Campus**  Completed Date:

Delivery:

Submitted Date:

02-26-2021

Campus

02-02-2021

Verified Date:

**Application Status:** Complete

**Academic Update Status:** 

Last Updated: 02-26-2021

## SUPPLEMENTAL QUESTIONS

### PROGRAMMING EXPERIENCE

1 Have you taken coursework that used any of the following programming languages? Please select all that apply.

Answer: R

### **PYTHON**

1 Familiarity with Python:

Answer:

2 If you took relevant classes, please indicate the course numbers and names as they appear on your transcript, as well as the year and semester taken. If you have other/additional experience, provide the type of experience (e.g. work, non-degree classes or training)

Answer:

R

1 Familiarity with R:

Answer: Beginning

2 If you took relevant classes, please indicate the course numbers and names as they appear on your transcript, as well as the year and semester taken. If you have other/additional experience, provide the type of experience (e.g. work, non-degree

classes or training)

Answer: Coursera, Statistics with R by Duke University

## **OTHER**

1 Name of Language:

Answer:

2 Familiarity with Language:

Answer:

If you took relevant classes, please indicate the course numbers and names as they appear on your transcript, as well as the year and semester taken. If you have other/additional experience, provide the type of experience (e.g. work, non-degree classes or training)

Answer:

### STATISTICS EXPERIENCE

3

1 Please list relevant coursework you have taken covering key statistical concepts (such as probability, statistical distributions, hypothesis testing and statistical inference, (multivariate) regression analysis. Include the course numbers and names as they appear on your transcript, as well as year and semester taken.

Answer: STAT 372 Math Stat 2019F;

STAT 252 Intro to Applied Statistics II 2019W;

STAT 266 Stat II 2018W

### INTERNSHIP EXPERIENCE

1 Years

Answer: 0

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* 3	Months Answer: 0		
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REFERENCES			
Karen Gellatly			Type: Specialized Masters
Occupation: Professional Title: Organization: Email: Telephone: Request Date: Response Due Date: Status: Date Completed:	Professor Professor and Department Chair University of Alberta Gellatly@ualberta.ca 7804925823 01-22-2021 02-01-2021 Completed 01-24-2021	Waiver of Evaluation: Permission to Contact: School Permission to Contact:	Yes Yes Yes
Yuanyuan Wang			Type: Specialized Masters
Occupation: Professional Title: Organization: Email: Telephone: Request Date: Response Due Date: Status:	wangyuanyuan@bankcomm.com 02-22-2021 03-08-2021 Completed	Waiver of Evaluation: Permission to Contact: School Permission to Contact:	Yes Yes Yes

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Yes

Yes

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Test Score Report

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DOCUMENTS							
Document Requested	Uploaded	File Name	Uploaded Date				
Essay	Yes	Essay	01-26-2021				

Test Score Report

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Describe your decision to pursue the MS in Business Analytics degree, highlighting the following:

# a) Why are you choosing to pursue a degree in Business Analytics?

Influenced by my father, who is an entrepreneur, I have seen numerous business cases and witnessed the investment decisions of various projects in his company. Since then, I have been very interested in the business industry and have realized the importance of risk control. I am therefore curious about applying mathematics and statistics in the financial field and hope that in the next step, I can help enterprises make decisions more manageable rather than harder.

Hands-on practice in university has fueled my enthusiasm for pursuing a master's degree in the analytical field, as this is closely related to my previous academic experience and future career ambition of being a business analyst. The highly competitive financial market has made the requirements of a strong academic background and outstanding quantitative skills the essential conditions to become a successful analyst, especially within large-scale consulting firms like the MBB. Therefore, the study of business analytics really matches my personal interest and career goal. I cannot wait to start my new learning journey.

# b) Why do you believe that the Boston University Questrom School of Business is a good fit for your studies and how did you come to this conclusion?"

Four years of undergraduate study have laid me a solid foundation in mathematics, programming, and business, which helped me exercise my logical thinking ability and sensitivity to figures. What is more, programming courses on Coursera brought me systematical knowledge of SPSS, R, SQL, and the forefront methods of building databases and processing the data. In the next phase, I'd like to focus on the application to solve real problems and combine theories with practice.

Your well-known Questrom School of Business is a perfect fit for enhancing my hard and soft skills. The professors are renowned for their research productivity, which employs cutting-edge analytical and empirical methods. The MS in Business Analytics

program will equip students with the leading-edge analytical frameworks and quantitative skills that all essential for me to excel in the emerging era of big data and data-driven decision making. From the common core courses such as *Advanced Machine Learning, Business Analytics Toolbox*, I can manipulate data, develop statistical and machine learning models, visualize and present output to improve business outcomes. What is more, The MSBA team and Feld Center for Industry Alliances will facilitate me to reach potential employers, which will result in internship or job opportunities. All in all, this program will help me acquire the industry skills I desire to achieve both my academic and career goals.

# c) What are your immediate post-graduation career plans, and how do they fit into your longer-term professional goals?

All of my previous and current experience, both academically and professionally, has been building my analytical skill and consulting techniques and preparing me for realizing my career aspiration. Upon graduation, I plan to work as a business analyst in a global consulting firm such as Boston and McKinsey in which I can build business analysis models, conduct research, evaluation, and prediction on the development of the company based on the collected data, so as to provide valuable ideas and suggestions for the company's project planning and investment.

In the long run, with accumulated experience, I would like to establish a business consulting company to provide help and services for small and medium-sized enterprises in need of business data analysis, to lay a good foundation for their future development, and promote a social economy.

Therefore, it is necessary for me to further shape myself as an innovative technical expert with more systematic enhancement through a more advanced degree. With the business management consulting competencies, I developed at Boston University, such as data-driven decision-making, leadership skills, and collaboration capability, I am confident I will seek a better solution to the challenge I meet in the consulting industry.

### **LINLIN ZHANG**

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Email: 18610492317@163.com Phone: 86-13717587388 Date of Birth: August 12, 1996

Social Security Number (Last Four Digits):

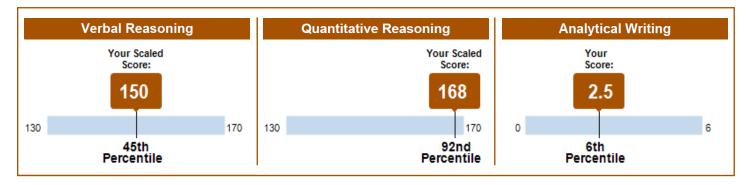
Gender: Female

Intended Graduate Major: Other Fields - Not Listed (5199)

### Most Recent Test Date: December 13, 2020

Registration Number: 8498489 Print Date: January 29, 2021

## Your Scores for the General Test Taken on December 13, 2020



# **Your Test Score History**

### **General Test Scores**

	Verbal R	easoning	Quantitative	Quantitative Reasoning		l Writing
Test Date	Scaled Score	Percentile	Scaled Score	Percentile	Score	Percentile
December 13, 2020	150	45	168	92	2.5	6
July 5, 2019	144	22	161	75	2.5	6

## **Subject Test Scores**

You do not have reportable test scores at this time.

## Your Score Recipient(s)

# **Undergraduate Institution**

Report Date	Institution (Code)	Department (Code)	Test Title	Test Date
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### **Designated Score Recipient(s)**

Report Date	Score Recipient (Code)	Department (Code)	Test Title	Test Date
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### **LINLIN ZHANG**

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## About Your GRE® Score Report

### **Score Reporting Policies**

Date of Birth: August 12, 1996

With the ScoreSelect® option, you can decide which test scores to send to the institutions you designate. There are three options to choose from:

- Most Recent option Send your scores from your most recent test administration
- All option Send your scores from all administrations in the last five years
- Any option Send your scores from one OR as many test administrations in the last five years (this option is not available on test
  day when you select up to four FREE score reports)

Scores for a test administration must be reported in their entirety. Institutions will receive score reports that show only the scores that you selected to send to them. There will be no special indication if you have taken additional GRE tests. See the *GRE®* Information Bulletin for details. The policies and procedures explained in the Bulletin for the current testing year supersede previous policies and procedures in previous bulletins.

Scores will be sent to designated score recipients approximately 10-15 days after a computer-delivered test and 5 weeks after a paper-delivered test. If your scores are not available for any reason, you will see "Not Available" in Your Test Score History.

GRE test scores are reportable according to the following policies:

- For tests taken prior to July 1, 2016, scores are reportable for five (5) years following the testing year in which you tested (July 1 –
  June 30). For example, scores for a test taken on May 15, 2015, are reportable through June 30, 2020. GRE scores earned prior to
  August 2011 are no longer reportable.
- For tests taken on or after July 1, 2016, scores are reportable for five (5) years following your test date. For example, scores for a test taken on July 3, 2016, are reportable through July 2, 2021.

Note: Score recipients will only receive scores from test administrations that you have selected to send to them.

### Percentile Rank (% Below)

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### **LINLIN ZHANG**

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Email: 18610492317@163.com Phone: 86-13717587388 Date of Birth: August 12, 1996

Social Security Number (Last Four Digits):

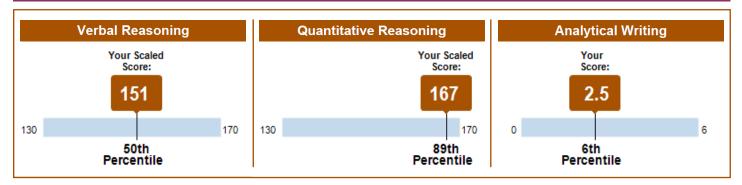
Gender: Female

Intended Graduate Major: Undecided (0000)

### Most Recent Test Date: February 7, 2021

Registration Number: 8901057 Print Date: February 25, 2021

## Your Scores for the General Test Taken on February 7, 2021



# **Your Test Score History**

### **General Test Scores**

	Verbal R	easoning	Quantitative	Reasoning	Analytica	l Writing
Test Date	Scaled Score	Percentile	Scaled Score	Percentile	Score	Percentile
February 7, 2021	151	50	167	89	2.5	6
December 13, 2020	150	45	168	92	2.5	6
July 5, 2019	144	22	161	75	2.5	6

## **Subject Test Scores**

You do not have reportable test scores at this time.

# Your Score Recipient(s)

### **Undergraduate Institution**

Report Date Institution (Code) Department (Code) Test Title Test Date	Report Date	Institution (Code)	Department (Code)	Test Title	Test Date
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### About Your GRE® Score Report

### **Score Reporting Policies**

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With the ScoreSelect® option, you can decide which test scores to send to the institutions you designate. There are three options to choose from:

- Most Recent option Send your scores from your most recent test administration
- All option Send your scores from all administrations in the last five years
- Any option Send your scores from one OR as many test administrations in the last five years (this option is not available on test
  day when you select up to four FREE score reports)

Scores for a test administration must be reported in their entirety. Institutions will receive score reports that show only the scores that you selected to send to them. There will be no special indication if you have taken additional GRE tests. See the *GRE®* Information Bulletin for details. The policies and procedures explained in the Bulletin for the current testing year supersede previous policies and procedures in previous bulletins.

Scores will be sent to designated score recipients approximately 10-15 days after a computer-delivered test and 5 weeks after a paper-delivered test. If your scores are not available for any reason, you will see "Not Available" in Your Test Score History.

GRE test scores are reportable according to the following policies:

- For tests taken prior to July 1, 2016, scores are reportable for five (5) years following the testing year in which you tested (July 1 –
  June 30). For example, scores for a test taken on May 15, 2015, are reportable through June 30, 2020. GRE scores earned prior to
  August 2011 are no longer reportable.
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**BU-Questrom School of Business** 

Zhang, Linlin Applicant ID 1401601453

Application Status Complete Master of Science in Business Analytics

# **EVALUATIONS**

EVALUATOR I	NFORMATION						
Karen Gellatly	,						
Title: Occupation: Organization: Email:	Professor and Department ( Professor University of Alberta Gellatly@ualberta.ca	Chair	Daytime Phone: Date Completed: Status:	7804925823 01/24/2021 Completed			
I waive my right of access to this evaluation:		YES					
How long have you known the applicant?		Less than 1 year					
How well do you know the applicant?		Minimally					
In what capacity do you know the applicant?		Instructor/Professor					
REFERENCE I	RATINGS						
				oor Below 1) Average (2)	Average (3)	Good (4)	Excellent (5)
Quantitative Ability						~	
Knowledge of Advanced Math Concepts						~	
Communication	Communication Skills				•		
Ability to work through a challenge			•				
Willingness to work hard						~	
Problem Solving Ability						~	
Sense of Humor			•				
Ability to work well with others						~	
Maturity			•				
Integrity			•				
Self-confidence			✓				

# RECOMMENDATION CONCERNING ADMISSION

I recommend this applicant

Potential for career success

Organizational Skills
Analytical Skills



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January 24th 2021

# RE: Linlin Zhang

The purpose of this letter is to support Linlin Zhang's application to pursue graduate-level study at Boston University Questrom School of Business - Master of Science in Business Analytics. In June of 2018, Linlin graduated from the University of Alberta with a Bachelor of Science in General Mathematics and with a Minor in Business. During her final term (Winter 2018) Linlin was a student in my class, Behavior in Organizations (SMO 301). For context, SMO 301, along with ACCTG 311, FIN 301, and MIS 311, and SMO 321 were taken within the Alberta School of Business.

In SMO 301 Linlin received a grade of B (in the upper half of the class, ranked 19 of 42). She performed well on the exams, and on a major group project. A big part of the class involved the application of course concepts using business cases and exercises with other students. I'm very aware that soft-skill courses like SMO 301 can be challenging for students who come from highly technical and numbers-based disciplines. It would have been easy for Linlin to have shied away from the highly-interactional pedagogy but she didn't. In fact, her attendance record was perfect. I do recall having stimulating conversations during office hours. Linlin demonstrated, at least to me, a keen passion to pursue a career in business.

In closing, I believe Linlin has a clear sense of her career goals and the passion and commitment to pursue those endeavors. I have no doubt that Linlin is ready for this next challenge, and will perform well. Please contact me if you would like to discuss this candidate in greater detail.

Sincerely,

Ian R. Gellatly, Ph.D. Professor and Chair

Department of Strategy, Entrepreneurship and Management

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**BU-Questrom School of Business** 

I highly recommend this applicant

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# **EVALUATIONS CONTINUED**

EVALUATOR INFORMATION						
Yuanyuan Wang						
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Title: –	-					
Occupation: —		Date Completed:	02/26/2021			
Organization: —		Status:	Completed			
Email: wangyuanyuan@bankcomm	.com					
I waive my right of access to this evaluation:	YES					
How long have you known the applicant?	3-5 years					
How well do you know the applicant?	Very Well					
In what capacity do you know the applicant?	Internship/Job Shadowing					
REFERENCE RATINGS						
		Not Po Observed (:	or Below 1) Average (2)	Average (3)	Good (4)	Excellent (5)
Quantitative Ability					~	
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Willingness to work hard					~	
Problem Solving Ability						•
Sense of Humor					~	
Ability to work well with others						~
Integrity						~
Maturity					•	
Self-confidence						~
Potential for career success						~
Organizational Skills					•	
Analytical Skills						~
RECOMMENDATION CONCERNING AL	DMISSION					



# To whom it may concern:

I feel pleased to take this opportunity to recommend the applicant Linlin Zhang for your esteemed university. As the President of Tongzhou subbranch of the Bank of Communications, I have been witnessing the applicant potential converting into growth during her internship at our bank. I am convinced she is a well-qualified candidate for your esteemed program.

The applicant worked in the Corporate Banking Department, in charge of collecting and analyzing data, preparing reports, and conducting credit investigations. She has shown outstandingly interpersonal and analytical skills, which always make her an active and contributing member of the team. Even with a heavy workload, she would still squeeze her leisure time to work with the team promptly.

In terms of personality, the applicant is a team player with excellent communication skills. She showed a higher level of logical thinking, creativity, and carefulness than her peers. Except for close communication with her colleagues, she successfully maintained our relationships with the clients, and even contributed her creative ideas to the credit card advertisement production. What is more, her ability to flexibly solve problems with limited resources played an important role in her success.

The applicant Linlin Zhang has been an eager student and a productive team member in my section, so she has proven herself to be capable of processing real-world concepts and has the full support of mine for her application for a master's degree. Please feel free to contact me with any further questions.

All the best,

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