## Research Process



- Enabling rural development with easier access to financial support
- Creating a special credit scoring model that fits into the financial context of rural China
- Improving the efficiency and accuracy of loan decision making



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## Literature Review

- Relationship lending and credit scoring
- Method of building credit scoring model
- Selection of indicators: 21 indicators within 4 groups: family background, willingness to repay, ability to repay, relationship with the rural financial institution

## Filed Research

- Case study of a rural financial cooperative in Hebei, China
- In-depth interview with 9 rural credit loan officers
- Delphi method: invite officers to fill out a survey concerning the relative importance of credit indicators