HENGYI YANG

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EDUCATION

Ph.D. candidate at Faculty of Science and Engineering, Maastricht University, since 2023
> Researcher at Reignite Multilateralism via Technology (REMIT), supervised by Prof. Roberta Haar
> Fields: Geopolitics and Technology Governance

Research Master in International Studies, Institut Barcelona d'Estudis Internacionals, 2023
> Jointly awarded by the Autonomous University of Barcelona and Pompeu Fabra University
> Dissertation: *Mapping China's Approach to Global AI Governance: Network Analysis of Large-scale Event Data* (supervised by Dr. Alfredo Hernandez Sanchez)

Bachelor of Laws in Diplomacy, Guangdong University of Foreign Studies, 2020

PUBLICATIONS

Journal Articles

Hengyi Yang and Ignacio Arana Araya. (2022). The Latinized Dragon: China and Latin America in the XXI Century. *Latin American Research Review*, 57(4), 972-982. doi: 10.1017/lar.2022.71.

Media Articles

Hengyi Yang. (June 2020). Under the Guise of Combatting Covid-19, Is China Seeking More Political Influence in Latin America? *Panoramas*. [Link]

Zhaoyu Guan and **Hengyi Yang**. (May 2020). Will China's Sincerity Lead to the Smooth Progress of the China-US Trade Agreement? *Opinion China*. [Link]

Dingding Chen & **Hengyi Yang**. (March 2019). China's 2019 "Two Sessions" and the Statement of Artificial Intelligence Ambition. *The Diplomat*. [Link]

GRANTS & AWARDS

Grant for Research Master in International Studies, Institut Barcelona d'Estudis Internacionals, € 5500 (2021-2023).

EXPERIENCES

Academic Projects

Research Assistant, **ETHNICGOODS: Ethnic Diversity and Public Goods Provision** (ERC project), coordinated by Prof. Matthias vom Hau (Institut Barcelona d'Estudis Internacionals), 2022.2-2023.2.

Research Assistant, **Political Economy of Latin America and its Relations to the US and China**, hosted by Prof. Ignacio Arana Araya (Carnegie Mellon University), 2020.3-2022.3.

Research Assistant, **China's Investments in Africa and Impacts on Local Political Ideologies**, hosted by Prof. David Yang (Harvard University), 2021.9-2022.1.

Workshops

Political and Economic Impacts of BRI on the Countries Along, organized by Prof. Johannes

Urpelainen (Johns Hopkins University), 2019.3.

International Political Economy and BRI, organized by Dr. Tristan Brown (University of Cambridge), 2019.2.

Think Tanks

Co-Founder & Executive Director, Saint Pierre Center for International Security (SPCIS), leading the Critical Security Lab and Tech4China initiatives, since 2020.9.

Research Intern, Inter-American Dialogue, working with the Director of Asia & Latin America Program Margaret Myers, 2021.6-2021.9.

Intern Research Fellow, Chongyang Institute for Financial Studies (Renmin University of China), working with Associate Research Fellow Zhaoyu Guan, 2020.5-2020.10.

Research Fellow, Guangdong International Economic Association, leading the series of reports about evaluating the security of China's oversea investments, 2019.7-2021.6.

Assistant Research Fellow, Intellisia Institute, leading the research groups of Latin American Political Studies and Artificial Intelligence Policy Studies, 2018.9-2020.9.

Research Interviewer, China Family Panel Studies (Peking University), leading the field interview team in Baoshan District, Shanghai, 2018.7-2018.12.

PRESENTATIONS

Debating IR Theories on China's US Policy, China Chapter at IBEI Alumni, November 24, 2021.

ACADEMIC TRAINING

RECSM Winter School, 2023: Social Network Analysis.

Essex Summer School, 2022: Web Scraping and Data Management for Social Scientists; Advanced Machine Learning for Social Scientists; Mathematics for Social Scientists.

RECSM Summer School, 2022: Big Data: Computational Analysis of Text; Machine Learning for Social Scientists; Causal Inference.

RECSM Winter School, 2022: Structural Equation Modelling.

IBEI Methodological Workshops, 2021: Network Analysis with UCINET; Experimental Methods.

Massachusetts Institute of Technology, 2021: Computational Thinking Using Python; Micro-Master in Statistics and Data Science.

Imperial College London, 2021: Mathematics for Machine Learning.

LANGUAGES & COMPUTER SKILLS

Languages: Chinese (native), English, Spanish

Computer skills: R, Python, SQL, SPSS, GitHub, UCINET, Markdown