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Education –

College of Arts and Sciences, the Ohio State University, Columbus, OH

August 2024 - Present

B.S. in Economics, GPA 3.94/4.0

School of Finance, Central University of Finance and Economics

(CUFE), Beijing, China

September 2022 - June 2023

Undergraduate coursework in Finance; transferred to OSU

Second High School Attached to Beijing Normal University (Honor class)

September 2019 - June 2022

GPA 3.96/4.0

Honors and Awards-

University:

Dean's List, College of Arts and Sciences (Spring 2025), June 2025

Phi Kappa Phi Honor Society Membership, March 2025

Dean's List, College of Arts and Sciences (Autumn 2024), January 2025

Second Prize, 13th China National Undergraduate "Innovation, Creativity and Entrepreneurship" Challenge, July 2023

Awarded First Prize in CUFE's 'Introducing traditional culture in English' Short Video Competition in April 2023.

Third Prize, The Second National English Vocabulary Competition, March 2023

College Second-Class Scholarship, January 2023

High School:

National-Level Awards:

Individual First Prize, National Finals of National Practical English Super League, July 2021

Team Runner-Up, National Finals of National Practical English Super League, July 2021

City-level Awards:

Individual grand prize in National Practical English Super League, Beijing Finals, March 2021

Second Prize in the 12th Beijing Science Suggestion Competition, December 2020

School-Level Awards:

"Shaoyu Lin Scholarship" (Significant contribution to the school in the field of English), December 2021

"Model Student of Outstanding Capacity", September 2021

"Dedicated and Knowledgeable Award" (Top 10 in class), September 2020

"Freshman Scholarship" (Top 20 freshmen), September 2019

Research Experience

Head a project on the historical and cultural significance of Chinese place names with the character "Hua". Conducted archival research, field investigations, and interviews, culminating in a 20,000-word research report.

Participated in the National Social Science Fund project titled "Optimizing 'Doing Business', Enterprise Innovation, and Economic Development." Authored an analysis of the World Bank's adjustments to its "Doing Business" indicators, focusing on the rationale, changes, and impacts of the modifications.

Publications

Research Article: "An Analysis of Pinduoduo (Timu)'s Cross-Border E-commerce

Operations and Challenges", published in Journal of National Circulation Economy,

Issue 23, 2023.

Essay: "On Luck", included in I shall be the light If there is no torch to come, published by China Modern Education Press, May 2022.

Skills-

Languages:

Fluent in English (TOEFL score: 103)

Technical Skills:

Data analysis using Microsoft Excel and MySQL

Familiar with statistical software such as JMP and R-studio

Proficient in creating financial and economic reports

Research and Writing:

Strong research abilities, demonstrated through published papers and national-level projects

Skilled in academic writing and data visualization

Communication and Teamwork:

Experienced in collaborative research projects

Soft Skills:

Excellent time management and problem-solving skills

Highly adaptable and self-disciplined