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## Education

Ph.D Economics, **University of Zurich**, Sep.2021-  
B.A. Economics, **Peking University**, Sep.2017-July.2021  
Semester Exchange, **University of Berkeley, California**, Jan.2020-May.2020.

## Research Interests

Behavioral Economics; Experimental Economics; Labor Economics

## Work In Progress

### **"The Comparative Blindspot: Recognition Gap Between Absolute and Comparative Advantages"**

Comparative advantage is often considered to be challenging for non-economists. This paper studies if and how individuals identify and act on comparative advantage in cooperative settings and explores its implications for team collaboration and trade attitudes.

### **"Learning with Misspecified Causal Models: Experimental Tests"** with Sandro Ambuehl and Heidi Christina Thysen

Experimentally studies decision-making under imperfect understanding of causal structures, testing the personal equilibrium predictions in Spiegler (2016).

### **"Job Search Discouragement Due to Emotional Inattention"** with Lukas Bolte and Russell Golman

Individuals tend to pay more attention to dimensions associated with higher valence. This paper examines how emotional inattention affects job search behavior in a controlled experiment.

## Working Papers

### **"A Comment on "People are More Moral in Uncertain Environments""** with Jiajing Feng, *submitted*

Replicates the findings of Chen and Zhong (2025) and demonstrates, using a slightly modified design, that their results hinge on a superficial link between uncertainty and moral decisions embedded in the original experimental setup.

### **"Dynamic Inconsistency in Risk Preferences"**

Provides experimental evidence that risk preferences are dynamically inconsistent: individuals are more risk-averse when making decisions involving immediate risk resolution compared to those resolved in the future.

## Publications

**From “Hospital Runs” to “Health Care for All”: The Impact of the Public Health Policy Change, China**  
*Journal of Economics (in Chinese)*, with Dandan Zhang and Chuliang Luo

## Teaching Experience

Behavioral Finance, 2023 and 2024

*Teaching Assistant to Professor Sandro Ambuehl, University of Zurich*

Behavioral Economics, 2020

*Teaching Assistant to Professor Juanjuan Meng, Peking University*

## Language and Computer Skills

### Computer Skills:

Python, R, MATLAB, Stata, L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X

### Languages:

Mandarin (native), English (fluent), German (beginner)