

# RUQING XU

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## EDUCATION

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<b>Cornell University</b> Ph.D. in Economics (with minor in Computer Science)	2021 - Present
<b>Yale University</b> Yale Visiting International Student	2019 - 2020
<b>The University of Hong Kong</b> B.A. in Comparative Literature and Economics First Class Honours, Dean's List all semesters	2017 - 2021

## RESEARCH FIELDS

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Microeconomics, Economics of Information, Economics and Computation

## WORKING PAPERS

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Decision-aid or Controller? Steering Human Decision Makers with Algorithms. [Ruqing Xu](#) and Sarah Dean. 2023.

Are High-stakes College Admission Instruments More or Less Informative? Evidence From Brazil's ENEM Exam. Germán Reyes\*, Evan Riehl\*, and [Ruqing Xu](#)\*. 2023.

Persuasion, Delegation, and Private Information. [Ruqing Xu](#). 2023.

\* denotes equal contribution.

## RESEARCH AND TEACHING EXPERIENCES

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Teaching Assistant, Prof. David Easley, Cornell University	Fall 2023
Research Assistant, Prof. Evan Riehl, Cornell University	2022 - 2023
Research Assistant, Prof. Barbara Biasi, Yale University	2020 - 2021

## SELECTED AWARDS

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<b>Sage Ph.D. Fellowship</b>	2021 - 2025
<b>Joseph Needham Merit Scholarship</b> Given to STEM PhD students with "strong empathy in humanity."	2021 - 2024
<b>Tam Wun Tsun HKU Horizons Student Enrichment Award</b>	2020
<b>Laidlaw Undergraduate Research and Leadership Scholarship</b>	2019 - 2020
<b>Sir Man Kam Lo/Jardine Scholarships</b>	2019, 2020
<b>Professor Robert Lord Memorial Prize</b>	2019

## RESEARCH PRESENTATION

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Fall 2023: Cornell Artificial Intelligence, Policy, and Practice (AIPP); Cornell Economics Work in Progress Seminar; Cornell Econometrics Reading Group.

Spring 2023: Cornell Artificial Intelligence, Policy, and Practice (AIPP); Cornell Economics Work in Progress Seminar.

## REFeree SERVICES

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*American Economics Review: Insights*

## SELECTED COURSEWORK

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Theory of Computing	Microeconomic Theory I-III
The Structure of Information Networks	Economics of Networks: Theory
Advanced Topics in Machine Learning:	Behavioral Economics I
Machine Learning in Feedback Systems	Economics and Politics

## TECHNICAL SKILLS

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**Statistical & Coding**      Stata, R, Python, L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X

## LANGUAGE PROFICIENCIES

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**Chinese**, Native; **English**, Fluent

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