

PEILIN YANG

Curriculum Vitae

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EDUCATION

Nankai University

China

Admitted on basis of performance on national college admissions exam (top 0.7%)

B.A. in Economics

2017-2021

- GPA: 3.83/4.00;

PUBLICATIONS AND ACADEMIC RESEARCHES

2020 [\[link\]](#) Social Planner, Industrial Structure and Uncertainty for COVID-19

Peilin Yang, Xiaowei Chen

SIAM Journal on Control and Optimization (*Accepted and Revising*)

2020 [\[link\]](#) Shock Response of Fully Funded System: HANK Framework

Peilin Yang

Working Paper (Revising)

2020 [\[link\]](#) Numerical solution and parameter estimation for uncertain SIR model with application to COVID-19 pandemic

Xiaowei Chen, Jing Li, Chen Xiao and Peilin Yang

Fuzzy Optimization and Decision Making (*Accepted and Revising*)

2019 [\[link\]](#) China's Policy Instruments: Tax Reduction, Retirement Prolonging and Welfare Changes

Peilin Yang

Working Paper (Revising)

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Harvard University (Department of Economics)

Research Assistant to Professor **David Yang** (Main mentor)

Mar. 2020 - Presented

- Bureaucracy and Innovation
Daron Acemoglu, David Yang
Data collecting, scraping and processing
- Data-intensive Innovation and the State: Evidence from AI Firms in China
Martin Beraja, David Y. Yang, Noam Yuchtman
Data collecting, scraping and processing

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign (UIUC)

Jan. 2020 - Presented

Senior Research Assistant to Professor **Runhuan Feng**

- Developing dynamic programming algorithm for insurance pricing
- Reinforcement Learning Model for Predicting
- I am responsible for managing over 10 people in a team

Energy Policy Institute at the University of Chicago (EPIC) -China

Research Assistant

Jan. 2020 - Feb. 2020

Research on the effects of climate (precipitation, temperature) and region on fertility and mortality in Japan

- Using fixed effect model to study the influence of climate factors on demographic in Japan in recent ten years (including individual fixed effect and time fixed effect)

- I am responsible for data processing and building a simple measurement model for analysis (including geographic data and time series data)

University of Pennsylvania (Department of Economics)

Work with Ph.d. Kan Xu

Oct. 2019 - Dec. 2020

- Using ArcGIS to build a fixed effect and RDD model

Asian Development Bank

With Professor *Xiufang Li*

July. 2019 – Oct. 2019

ADB TA PRC# 3148: China Pension Reform Project

- Using large-scale OLG model to predict the effect of China's pension system reform
- I am responsible for the design and solution of dynamic programming numerical algorithm

Nankai University (Department of risk management and insurance)

Research Assistant to Associate Professor *Xiaowei Chen* (Secretary General of China Operations Research Association - uncertain systems branch)

March. 2019 – May. 2019

Research on risk modeling and optimization of supply chain under uncertainty system framework (National Natural Science Foundation of China i.e. NSFC)

- Using fuzzy mathematics and uncertainty theory to study the problem of asset liability matching
- I am responsible for learning stochastic optimal control method and programming large-scale numerical algorithm

Nankai University (Department of risk management and insurance)

Research Assistant to Professor *Xiufang Li* (Director of China Association of Actuaries) May. 2018– July. 2018

Research on economic capital prediction and optimal allocation of insurance companies (National Natural Science Foundation of China i.e. NSFC)

- Stochastic process modeling for asset allocation of insurance companies
- I am responsible for the design of stochastic simulation algorithm(solving PDEs)

WorldQuant (Quantitative Private Fund)

Independent researcher, Research Department

Feb. 2019 – Aug. 2019

- Using various methods to mine alpha factors to obtain excess return
- During my work, I have mined eleven alpha factors that have passed the fitting test and obtained certain benefits
- The main method is to use fundamental analysis, behavioral financial analysis and derivatives trading analysis to judge the stock market, so as to find the information that can reflect the stock price

CONFERENCE AND SEMINARS ORGANIZATION

Operations Research Society of China (*Tsinghua University*)

Aug. 2020

- Report topic: *Numerical solution to higher dimensional differential equations*

Operations Research Society of China (*Tsinghua University*)

Sep. 2019

- Report topic: *Uncertainty CRRA Model and Risk Aversion*

Summer Seminars of Computation and Economics (*Shanghai University of Finance and Economics*) Jul. 2019

- Take courses of *Peter Glynn*, *Yinyu Ye* (*Stanford University*), *Weijie Su* (*Wharton Business School*), *Zeyu Zheng* (*UC Berkeley*)

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Nankai University (Department of risk management and insurance)

Teaching Assistant to *Xiaowei Chen*

Jul. 2019-Nov. 2020

Advanced Macroeconomics I

- Responsible for explaining economic growth, general equilibrium and numerical algorithms in macroeconomics

SELECTED AWARDS AND HONORS

Chinese Mathematical Modeling Competition Award

August. 2018

- Get the Best Thesis Award (top 0.5%)
- A model about quantitative the attractive force of a city
- The main methods are PCA and neural networks, and I'm responsible for modeling and programming

China Undergraduate Mathematical Contest in Modeling

October. 2018

- Win secondary prize for State class (top 5%)
- A model about the heat transfer in different media
- The main problem is about PDE numerical algorithm (finite difference), and I'm responsible for modeling and programming

American College Students Mathematical modeling competition

January. 2018

- Win secondary prize (top 15%)
- A model about environmental costs
- The main problem is about ODE dynamic system, and I'm responsible for modeling and programming

Chinese College Students Mathematics Competition

September. 2018

- Win third prize (top 10%)

COMPUTER AND LANGUAGE SKILLS

- Programming language & Software
Highly Proficient: Python (Data Processing, Plot, ArcGIS, Numerical Computation, Web Scraper)
MATLAB, Stata, LaTeX, R (ArcGIS, GeoDa), Julia, SQL
Familiar: ArcGIS, C++, GAUSS, HTML