

# Xiaohao Huang

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## EDUCATION

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<b>Jinan University</b>	<i>2023–2026 (Expected), Guangzhou, China</i>
Ph.D. in Economics, Institute for Economic and Social Research	
<b>The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology</b>	<i>2021–2022, Hong Kong SAR</i>
M.S. in Economics, Business School	
<b>Guangdong University of Foreign Studies</b>	<i>2017–2021, Guangzhou, China</i>
B.S. in International Economics and Trade, School of Economics and Trade	
<b>University of Wisconsin–Madison</b>	<i>2020, Madison, WI, USA</i>
Exchange Student, School of Social Science	

## RESEARCH

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### Research Field

Applied Microeconomics, Development Economics, Chinese Economy

### Research Interest

E-Commerce Adoption, Population Aging, Education, Markups, Crime

### Working Paper

“Early-Life Adversity and E-Commerce Adoption in Old Age: Evidence from China’s Great Famine,” with Lixin Tang. R&R at *China Economic Review*, January 2026.

### Work in Progress

“Education and E-Commerce Adoption: Evidence from China’s Compulsory Schooling Law.”

“Housing Prices and Crime: Evidence from China.”

“E-Commerce and Markups.”

## HONORS AND AWARDS

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Ph.D. Scholarship, Jinan University	<i>2023-2026</i>
Conference Paper Award, Annual Conference of China Association of International Trade	<i>2021</i>
Outstanding Undergraduate Graduation Thesis, Guangdong University of Foreign Studies	<i>2021</i>
Undergraduate Scholarship, Guangdong University of Foreign Studies	<i>2020</i>
Special Grants for Overseas Exchange Program, Guangdong University of Foreign Studies	<i>2020</i>

## TEACHING

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TA for International Trade (Undergraduate) by Prof. Lixin Tang	<i>2024</i>
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## SKILLS

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Programming: Stata, R, Python, LaTeX

Language: Chinese, English