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## Education

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### Clark University

PhD in Economics

Worcester, MA

2021-2026 (Expected)

- Unproposed Dissertation: Quantitative Analysis on Spatial Distribution of Firms and International Trade
- Advisor: Dr. Junfu Zhang (Chair), Dr. Kensuke Suzuki, and Dr. David Cuberes

### Clark University

MA in Economics

Worcester, MA

2021-2023

- Master en route to PhD
- Advisor: Dr. Junfu Zhang

### Shanghai University

MA in Economics

Shanghai, China

2018-2021

- Dissertation: FDI and Survival of Host Country Enterprises: Evidence from Firm Registry Data
- Advisor: Dr. Qiangyuan Chen

### University of Toronto

International Visiting Graduate Student

Toronto, ON

2019-2020

- Joint Program with Shanghai University
- Advisor: Dr. Yao Luo

### Shanghai Ocean University

BA in Economics

Shanghai, China

2014-2018

- First-Ranked GPA in Major (International Trade) and Qualified Postgraduate Recommendation

## Publications

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### Published

International Twin Cities and Chinese Export Activities, *Economic Theory and Business Management*. 2022, (3), 137-155. with Qiangyuan Chen and Jingyu Yang, in Chinese

The Man-Bear Race: A New Explanation of Regional Competition for China's High-speed Rail Stations. *South China Journal of Economics*, 2021, 40(2): 66-83. with Qiangyuan Chen, Zhenhuai Shi, and Xiaoping Li, in Chinese

Promotion Effect of FDI on Enterprise Survival in Host Country—A Discussion on Industry Safety and Market Access of Foreign Investment. *China Industrial Economics*, 2021, (7), 137-155. with Qiangyuan Chen, Yu Chen, and Zhenhuai Shi, in Chinese

### Under Review

Estimating Round-Tripping FDI from Firm-Level Data in China, 2023, with Junfu Zhang and Qiangyuan Chen

### In Progress

Trade and Spatial Distribution of Firms: Quantitative Analysis of Chinese Manufacturing, with Kensuke Suzuki and Junfu Zhang

New Ventures with Venture Capital: A Blessing or A Curse of Innovation?, with Qiangyuan Chen

Environmental Pressure, Industrial Relocation, and Technological Progress: Evidence from Paper Industry in China, with Yameng Guo, Yang Ye, and Haoyun Zhao

## Projects

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2021-2024	Towards High-Quality Technological Innovation in Chinese Cities: Measurement, Mechanisms, and Effects, <b>National Natural Science Foundation of China-General Program (72073093)</b>	<i>Participant</i>
2019	Research on the Development Strategy of Jiaxing in the Context of the Rise of Integrated Development of the Yangtze River Delta as a National Strategy, <b>Jiaxing Municipal Government Consulting Project</b>	<i>Assistant</i>
2018	A Study on the Stimulating and Spillover Effects of the China International Import Expo on Pudong, <b>Shanghai Municipal Government Consulting Project (2018-Z-D02)</b>	<i>Participant</i>
2018	Research on City Innovation Gene Map Based on Text Analysis and Knowledge Portrait, <b>Shanghai Soft Science Key Project (18692110000)</b>	<i>Assistant</i>
2017	Practice of College Student Shared Service Comprehensive Platform, <b>Luo Zhaoyao Foundation Innovation Project</b>	<i>Owner</i>
2017	Investigation and Development of Network Culture Construction and Ideological and Political Education for College Students, <b>Luo Zhaoyao Foundation Innovation Project</b>	<i>Owner</i>
2016-2017	Analysis of the Current Situation of Chinese MOOC Operation, <b>Innovation and Entrepreneurship Training Program for College Students</b>	<i>Participant</i>

## Presentations

*\*presented by co-author*

## Conferences

- July 2024, **\*Environmental Pressure, Industrial Relocation, and Technological Progress: Evidence from Paper Industry in China**, 2024 CES China Annual Conference, Zhejiang University (Upcoming)
- June 2024, **\*International Trade and Spatial Distribution of Firms: Quantitative Analysis of Chinese Manufacturing**, The 11th International Workshop on Regional, Urban, and Spatial Economics in China, Southeast University (Upcoming)
- April 2023, **Estimating Round-Tripping FDI from Firm-Level Data in China**, 2023 CES North American Conference, University of Oklahoma
- November 2022, **\*Government Subsidies and Biased Technological Progress: Evidence from the New Energy Vehicle Industry**, 2022 Annual Conference of the Chinese Association for Quantitative Economics (Dalian), Dongbei University of Finance and Economics
- November 2019, **\*Spillover Effects of FDI and Survival of Host Country Enterprises**, The 2nd China International Trade Forum, East China University of Science and Technology
- November 2019, **Urban Size and Enterprise Survival**, “Regional Science and Urban Economic Frontier” Academic Forum, Shanghai University of Finance and Economics
- June 2019, **New Ventures with Venture Capital: A Blessing or A Curse of Innovation?**, Shanghai Postgraduate Academic Forum, University of Shanghai for Science and Technology
- June 2019, **A Study on the Spillover Effects of FDI on the Survival of Host Country Enterprises**, “Frontier of International Trade Theory and Demonstration” Forum, Southwestern University of Finance and Economics/The 14th Five-Year Plan for Urban Development Forum, Renmin University of China
- May 2019, **Venture Capital and Corporate Innovation**, The 4th Innovation Forum, Shandong University of Finance and Economics/The 4th Innovation Forum, Shandong University of Finance and Economics/The 2nd National Development Youth Forum, Peking University

## Seminars

- April 2024, **Modeling International Trade Impact on Chinese Manufacturing Firm Distribution**, Graduate Student Seminar, Department of Economics, Clark University
- November 2023, **Trade Cost, Firm Location Redistribution, and Welfare**, Graduate Student Seminar, Department of Economics, Clark University
- November 2022, **Estimating Round-Tripping FDI from Firm-Level Data in China**, Graduate Student Seminar, Department of Economics, Clark University

## Professional Experience

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- 2021-2024 **Research Assistant**, supervised by Dr. Junfu Zhang, Dr. David Cuberes, and Dr. Jon Denton-Schneider (Clark University)
- 2018-2021 **Research Assistant**, supervised by Dr. Qiangyuan Chen (Shanghai University/Renmin University of China) and Dr. Yao Luo (University of Toronto)
- 2018-2022 **Participant**, Applied Economics Summer School (University of Chinese Academy of Sciences), Training Workshop of Applied Social Science Research Methods (Hong Kong University of Science and Technology), Camphor Economics Circle “Youth Sapling Plan” (University of Chinese Academy of Social Sciences), and Shanghai YES Applied Microeconometrics Graduate Summer School (Shanghai University of International Business and Economics)
- 2018 **Data Collection Interviewer**, China Family Panel Studies (CFPS), Peking University

## Awards, Fellowships, & Grants

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2023	Sheftel Travel Award, <b>Clark University</b>	\$ 600
2021	Chinese Government Scholarship, <b>China Scholarship Council</b>	\$ 91,200
2021	Outstanding Graduate, <b>Shanghai University</b>	
2020	Joint Program Grants for Graduate Students Studying Abroad, <b>Shanghai University</b>	¥ 10,000
2019	National Scholarship, <b>Ministry of Education of China</b>	¥ 20,000
2018-2021	Academic Scholarship, <b>Shanghai University</b>	¥ 36,000
2018-2021	Graduate Grant, <b>Shanghai University</b>	¥ 15,000
2017	Shanghai Municipal Scholarship, <b>Shanghai Municipal Education Commission</b>	¥ 8,000
2014-2018	Outstanding Student, <b>Shanghai Ocean University</b>	
2014-2018	Academic Scholarship, <b>Shanghai Ocean University</b>	¥ 9,600

## Language and Skills

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**Language:** Chinese (native), English (fluent)

**Computer:** Matlab, Stata, ArcGIS, Python (web crawling), R (basic)