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> The University of Chicago Booth School of Business Chicago, IL 2023 - 2024 Postdoctoral Principal Researcher

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EDUCATION The University of Chicago Booth School of Business

Chicago, IL 2018 - 2023 Ph.D. in Operations Management (Minor in Applied Probability)

Thesis: Many Server Queueing Models with Applications to Service Operations Management Committee: Amy R. Ward (chair), John R. Birge, Raga Gopalakrishnan, Ozan Candogan

The University of Chicago Booth School of Business Chicago, IL M.B.A. 2020 - 2023

Tsinghua University Beijing, China

2014 - 2018 B.S. in Industrial Engineering B.A. in Economics 2015 - 2018

Research Simons Institute for the Theory of Computing, UC Berkeley Berkeley, CA EXPERIENCE Visiting graduate student in the program Data-Driven Decision Processes Fall 2022

> Industrial Engineering and Operations Research, UC Berkeley Berkeley, CA

> Summer 2017 Undergraduate researcher

Host: Zuo-Jun (Max) Shen

PUBLICATIONS

- [1] Yueyang Zhong, Ragavendran Gopalakrishnan, Amy R. Ward. 2023. Behavior-Aware Queueing: The Finite-Buffer Setting with Strategic Servers. Operations Research.
 - Finalist, 2022 INFORMS IBM Best Student Paper Award
- [2] Yueyang Zhong, John R. Birge, Amy R. Ward. 2022. Learning the Scheduling Policy in Time-Varying Multiclass Many Server Queues. Submitted. Major Revision at Operations Research.
- [3] Yueyang Zhong, Zhixi Wan, Zuo-Jun Max Shen. 2020. Queueing Versus Surge Pricing Mechanism: Efficiency, Equity, and Consumer Welfare. Reject and Resubmit at Management Science.
 - Finalist, 2021 INFORMS Conference on Service Science Best Student Paper Award
- [4] Yueyang Zhong, Amy R. Ward, Amber L. Puha. 2022. Asymptotically Optimal Idling in the GI/GI/N+GI Queue. Operations Research Letters.
- [5] Yueyang Zhong, YeeMan Bergstrom, Amy R. Ward. 2020. Data-Driven Market-Making via Model-Free Learning. In Proceedings of the Twenty-Ninth International Joint Conference on Artificial Intelligence (IJCAI-20): Special Track on AI in FinTech.

Preprints

- [1] Yueyang Zhong, Ragavendran Gopalakrishnan, Amy R. Ward. 2023. Some Properties of the Erlang-B and Erlang-C Formulae.
- [2] Ragavendran Gopalakrishnan, Yueyang Zhong. 2023. Some Asymptotic Properties of the Erlang-C Formula in Many-Server Limiting Regimes. Submitted. Major Revision at Operations Research Letters.

Work in Progress

- [a] Yueyang Zhong, Ragavendran Gopalakrishnan, Amy R. Ward. Behavior-Aware Queues with Strategic Arrivals and Strategic Servers.
- [b] Yueyang Zhong, Ragavendran Gopalakrishnan, Amy R. Ward. An Experimental Investigation of Strategic Server Behavior in Queueing Contexts. Pre-registered but temporarily paused.

- [c] Yueyang Zhong. Online Advertising Strategy for Long-Term Good via Robust IV-Q-learning with Noisy Instruments. Working paper is available upon request.
- [d] Naireet Ghosh, Nicos Savva, Yueyang Zhong. Optimizing the Practice of Continuity of Care

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Honors and Awards	• Finalist, IBM Best Student Paper Award, INFORMS	2022
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	• Graduate Council Research & Personal Development Fund	2022-2023
	• The Joseph A. and Susan E. Pichler Fellowship	2022-2023
	• The Wesley Pickard Endowed Fellowship	2019-2020
	• Ph.D. Fellowship, Booth School of Business	2018-2023
	• Distinguished Undergraduate Thesis Award, Tsinghua University	2018
	• Outstanding Undergraduate Award, Tsinghua University	2018
	• First Prize, Chinese Physics Olympiad	2014
Invited Seminars	[1] Center for Data Science, Zhejiang University, China	12/2023
	[2] Rotman Young Scholar Seminar Series, Operations Management Department	02/2023
	[3] Young Researchers Workshop, Cornell University (Poster), Ithaca	10/2022
	[4] MOILS Seminar, Stern School of Business, NYU, Virtual	02/2022
	[5] Stochastic Systems Seminar, Mathematical Sciences, UCSD, Virtual	04/2021
Industrial Talks	[1] Lyft Rideshare Seminar	03/2023
Conference Talks	[1] INFORMS Applied Probability Society Conference, Nancy, France.	06/2023
	[2] INFORMS MSOM Conference, Montreal, CA.	06/2023
	[3] Kellogg-Booth OM Conference	05/2023
	[4] Marketplace Innovation Workshop, Virtual.	05/2023
	[5] POMS Annual Conference, Orlando, FL.	05/2023
	[6] INFORMS Annual Meeting, Indianapolis, IN.	10/2022
	[7] International Conference of the Chinese Scholars Association for Management Sciencering (CSAMSE), Virtual	ience and En- 07/2022
	[8] CORS/INFORMS International Conference, Vancouver, Canada	06/2022
	[9] POMS Annual Conference, Virtual	04/2022
	[10] INFORMS Annual Meeting, Anaheim, CA	10/2021
	[11] INFORMS MSOM Conference, Virtual	06/2021
	[12] POMS Annual Conference, Virtual	05/2021
	[13] IJCAI-PRICAI, Virtual	01/2021
	[14] INFORMS Conference on Service Science, Virtual	12/2020
	[15] INFORMS Annual Meeting, Virtual	11/2020
	[16] Mechanism Design for Social Good (MD4SG), Virtual	08/2020

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11/2018

[17] INFORMS Annual Meeting, Seattle, WA [18] INFORMS Annual Meeting, Phoenix, AZ TEACHING The University of Chicago Booth School of Business

EXPERIENCE Teaching Assistant (MBA Program)

Applied Regression Analysis (MBA core, 180+ students) Fall 2020, Fall 2021

Operations Management: Business Process Fundamentals (MBA core, 180+ students) Winter 2020

Managing Service Operations (MBA elective, 80+ students)

Winter 2022

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EXPERIENCE CLEARCOGS Chicago, IL

Part-time Consulting Feb 2023–May 2023

Pinterest Labs
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Research Intern, Ads Marketplace team June 2021–Sept 2021

Blue Fire Capital, LLC Chicago, IL

Research Intern, Data Science Group

July 2019-Sept 2019

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Research Intern, Research Center of Innovation and Operations

Jan 2018–July 2018

ACADEMIC Ad hoc Reviewer: Operations Research, Manufacturing & Service Operations Management, Math-Service of Operations Research, Queueing Systems, INFORMS Journal on Computing, Operations

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FORMS Conference on Service Science.

Organizer: Session chair for INFORMS Annual Meeting 2021-2023, CORS 2022.

SKILLS AND Language: Chinese (native), English (fluent)

OTHERS Data/Statistical Tools: R, SQL
Optimization Tools: CPLEX, GUROBI, AMPL

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Hobbies: Piano, Yoga, Line-drawing, Calligraphy, Traveling, Photography