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Employment

Primary Positions

2023-Now Assistant Professor of Economics, Department of Economics, University of Florida
2022-2023 Assistant Professor (non-tenure-track), Department of Economics, University of Toronto
2021-2022 Postdoctoral Researcher, Department of Economics, HEC Lausanne, University of Lausanne
2021-2022 Postdoctoral Researcher, Geneva Finance Research Institute, University of Geneva

Affiliated Positions

2021-2022 Research Fellow, Geneva School of Economics and Management, University of Geneva
2017-2018 Research Fellow, W. Allen Wallis Institute of Political Economy, University of Rochester

Visiting Positions

2022 Spring Short-term Visiting Scholar, Department of Economics, University of Rochester

Education

2015-2021 Ph.D. in Economics, University of Rochester
 – Committee: Narayana Kocherlakota and Yan Bai (Co-advisors), Mark Bills, Ronni Pavan
2014-2015 M.S. in Quantitative Economics, Yeshiva University
2010-2014 B.A. in Economics, Zhejiang University

Interests

Substantive: Macroeconomics, Macro-Finance, Monetary Economics, Urban Economics

Methodology: Computational Methods, Applied Econometrics

Publications

1. [Migration, Housing Constraints, and Inequality: A Quantitative Analysis of China](#)
with Zibin Huang | Links: [\[doi\]](#) [\[working paper\]](#) [\[slides\]](#) [\[online appendix\]](#)
Labour Economics, October 2022, Volume 78: 102200
2. [Debt Maturity Heterogeneity and Investment Responses to Monetary Policy](#)
with Minjie Deng | Links: [\[doi\]](#) [\[working paper\]](#) [\[slides\]](#) [\[codes\]](#) [\[online appendix\]](#)
European Economic Review, May 2022, Volume 144: 104095
3. [A Note on Nonconvex Adjustment Costs in Lumpy Investment Models: Mean versus Variance](#)
Sole Author | Links: [\[doi\]](#) [\[working paper\]](#) [\[codes\]](#)
Macroeconomic Dynamics, March 2022, Published Online, PP1-12

Working Papers

4. Lumpy Investment, Fluctuations in Volatility and Monetary Policy
Oct 2021 | Job Market Paper | Reject & Resubmit at **Review of Economic Studies**
5. Financing Innovation with Innovation
Jan 2023 | with Zhiyuan Chen, Minjie Deng
6. Short-term Finance, Long-term Effects: Theory and Evidence from Morocco
Jan 2023 | with Kenza Benhima, Omar Chafik, and Wenxia Tang
7. Place-based Land Policy and Spatial Misallocation: Theory and Evidence from China
Aug 2022 | with Libin Han, Zibin Huang, Ming Lu, and Li Zhang
8. Pollution Abatement Investment under Financial Frictions and Policy Uncertainty
Jan 2023 | with Po-Hsuan Hsu and Chi-Yang Tsou | Available Upon Request

Work-in-Progress

9. What Do Alibaba Data Tell Us about Quality Growth in China?
with Mark Bills and Zibin Huang
10. Sovereign Default Risk and Inequality
with Minjie Deng, Philipp Renner, and Simon Scheidegger
11. Conglomerate Market Power
with Xiaomei Sui

Presentations

Seminars and Conferences

2023: ASSA Meetings (New Orleans), Baptist-NTU-NYUSH-Sinica-SMU Joint Macro/Finance Seminar, Queen's University (QED)

2022: Hong Kong Baptist University, Peking University (Institute of New Structural Economics), Jinan University (Institute for Economic and Social Research), King's University College at Western University, Bank of Canada, University of Florida, University of Hong Kong, Binghamton University, University of Manchester, Royal Economic Society Annual Conference, Nanjing University (120th Anniversary Seminar Series, Compensated), Guosen Securities (Shenzhen, Industry Communications on Inflation), Econometric Society Africa Meeting (Ethiopia), Biennial Conference of China Development Studies (Shanghai Jiao Tong University), China International Conference in Macroeconomics (Shenzhen, Discussant), USC/Unil/Bank-Al-Maghrib Workshop on "Small Business, Development and Growth" (Rabat, Morocco), University of Hong Kong (Economics), University of Toronto (Macro Brownbag), University of Toronto (Finance Brownbag)

2021: ASSA Meetings (Chicago), University of Geneva (GFRI/Finance Brownbag), University of Rochester, Urban Economics Association Europe Meeting (Copenhagen), Paris School of Economics (T3M Seminar Series), Econometric Society NA Summer Meeting (UQAM), Barcelona GSE Summer Forum, Chinese Economist Society North America Conference, Econometric Society Asian Meeting (Malaysia), Econometric Society China Meeting (Shanghai), CCER Summer Institute, European Economic Association Congress (Copenhagen), Econometric Society European Summer Meetings (Copenhagen), China Economics Summer Institute (CUHK), University of Lausanne (HEC Lausanne/Economics Brownbag), Asian and Australasian Society of Labour Economics, Econometric Society European Winter Meeting (Barcelona)

2020: Junior Migration Webinar, Chinese Economist Society North America Conference (Boston), Econometric Society World Congress (Milan), European Economic Association Congress (Rotterdam), Young Economist Symposium (Upenn), PhD Economics Virtual Seminar, Urban Economics Association Annual Meeting (Berkeley), Boston College, Seminars in Economic Geography, University of Rochester, Econometric Society European Winter Meeting (Nottingham), International Conference on The Chinese Economy (Beijing)

2019: EGSC (Wash U), Wallis Institute (U Rochester)

Invited Discussions

1. "Endogenous Economic Structure, Climate Change, and the Optimal Abatement Path" by H. Liao and H. Ye
Jan 2023 | The 2023 ASSA Annual Meetings (New Orleans)
2. "Collateral Quality and House Prices" by Jing Zhou
Jun 2022 | The 4th China International Conference in Macroeconomics (Shenzhen)
3. "The Real Estate Consequences of Repatriations" by Gustavo Cortes and Vinicios Sant'Anna
Apr 2021 | The 10th European Meeting of the Urban Economics Association (Copenhagen)
4. "College Location and Migration" by Shu Cai, Xiaozhou Ding, and Rui Du
Jan 2021 | The 2021 ASSA Annual Meetings (Chicago)
5. "Entrepreneurship, Financial Frictions, and the Market for Firms" by Rafael Guntin and Federico Kochen
Aug 2020 | The 2020 Young Economist Symposium (UPenn)

Honor, Fellowship, Award, and Grant

2020-2021	Dean's Post-Field Research Dissertation Fellowship, University of Rochester
2019	River Campus Library Dataset Grant, University of Rochester
2019-2020	Alibaba Huoshui Scholar, Alibaba Group
2017-2018	W. Allen Wallis Institute Fellowship, University of Rochester
2017	PEPR Grant, W. Allen Wallis Institute, University of Rochester
2016-2017	Summer Research Grant, University of Rochester
2015-2020	Graduate Fellowship and Tuition Scholarship, University of Rochester
2014-2015	Graduate Fellowship, Yeshiva University

Teaching Experience

Department of Economics, University of Florida

Macroeconomic Analysis (master) — 2023 Spring

Department of Economics, University of Toronto

Financial Economics I - Investment (undergraduate) — 2022 Fall

Department of Economics, University of Rochester

Principles of Economics (undergraduate) — 2019 Summer

Professional Services

Referee for Academic Journals: Review of Economic Dynamics, European Economic Review, China Economic Review, Economics Letters, Journal of Macroeconomics, Economic Modeling

Students Advising

Wenxia Tang (Ph.D. Candidate in Economics, HEC Lausanne); committee member; in residence

Miscellaneous

Languages: Chinese (native), English (fluent)

Computer Skills: Julia, Python, Stata, R, MATLAB, TensorFlow, Linux, \LaTeX