

Work Progress (15 - 29 June 2020)

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Task delegated

1. Literature review (on-going)
2. Search for research grants opportunities (started)
3. Web-development (not started)

Literature review

Find literature in journal or governmental documents recent 5 years with respect main 3 topics in the GBA context. Write a summary for each relevant literature, record their data source, see `./sys_lit_re/s_litre.pdf`

1. Migration, return to education
 1. Human capital: 5 found
 2. Migration: 9 found
 3. Return to Education: 7 found
2. Migrated children/student health and wellbeing: found: 8 found
3. Schools/governments support and policies reform

Total of 29 journal literature found.

In addition, I wrote a memo for the Labour interaction and mobility between GBA and HK Macau, mainly using the Census and Statistics Department, HKGov, see `./lit/memo.pdf`

Research grants opportunities

The following is the on going GBA project in HK universities, funded by PICO, see here:

- Prof WU Xun, HKUST, 12 months, HKD 631,966.00
 - Trans-regional Air Pollution Control in the Guangdong-Hong Kong-Macau Greater Bay Area: The Interplay between Science and Policy, Political Development and Governance, Environmental Protection
- Prof SHEN Jianfa, CUHK, 12 months, HKD 552,424.00

- HK’s Logistics Industry Development: Development Strategies in the New Spatial Context of the Guangdong-Hong Kong-Macao Greater Bay Area, Economic Development
- Dr JIANG Jin, LUHK, 24 months, HKD 500,000.00
 - The Greater Bay Area and Career Opportunity for Hong Kong Youth: Integrating Big Data Analysis and Survey Experiments, Youth Development
- Dr Tom MCDONALD, HKU, 18 months, HKD 699,962.00
 - Facilitating Everyday Cross-border Monetary Transactions and the Potential of Digitization in the Greater Bay Area, Economic Development

The following is the potential funding opportunities I found:

1. Strategic Public Policy Research (SPPR 2020-21), Policy Innovation and Co-ordination office Deadline 31 July 2020
2. Areas of Excellence Scheme 2020/21, UGC Deadline 10 Jan 2020 (Over)
3. ORKTS I do not have access yet.

I asked Erika (HKIER EO) for funding opportunities. While I doubt if there is any relevance of their funding opportunities, the following is the results:

1. Quality Education Fund (QEF)
2. DHChen Foundation

Task self initiate

I wrote a web crawler to speed up the search of literature in the first week, see folder `./gsch_crawler/`.

Difficulties

- Unclear objectives
 - Despite Prof Ou dedicating explanation, I can’t grasp the big picture and understand what is the research initiative which slows down the work progress.
 - **What is the main question of the research project?**
- Little relevant literature in GBA context with respect to the assigned topics, there is plenty in country level, however.
 - GBA context literature publishes in `en.cnki.com.cn` such as A Study On Synergic Development Of Guangdong-Hong Kong-Macau Greater Bay Area which is rather rare source of reference.
- Web Development I have the following questions:
 1. What is the objective?
 2. Where is the material?
 3. Who are the members?
 4. What is the name of the centre?