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#### **EDUCATION**

## National University of Singapore, Singapore

2020 - Present

Ph.D. Candidate in Operations Research and Analytics

Advisors: Joel Goh, Sıdıka Tunç Candoğan

#### University of Science and Technology of China, China

2016 - 2019

M.S. in Management Science and Engineering

## Jiangnan University, China

2012 - 2016

B.S. in Industrial Engineering

#### RESEARCH INTERESTS

Topics: Medical Decision-Making; Healthcare Operations; Healthcare Delivery

Methodologies: Econometric Analysis; Field experiment; Data Analytics

#### Published Work

- 1. Guang Cheng, Jingui Xie, Zhichao Zheng, Haidong Luo, Oon-Cheong Ooi. Extubation Decisions with Predictive Information for Mechanically Ventilated Patients in the ICU. *Management Science*.
- Stephanie Ko, Guang Cheng, Tze Yeong Teng, Joel Goh. Home-First or Hospital-First? A
  Propensity Score-Weighted Retrospective Cohort Study. Journal of the American Medical
  Directors Association, 2024, 25(9):105154.
- 3. Guang Cheng, Sarah Yini Gao, Yancheng Yuan, Chenxiao Zhang, Zhichao Zheng. On the Test Accuracy and Effective Control of the COVID-19 Pandemic: A Case Study in Singapore. *IN-FORMS Journal on Applied Analytics*, 2022, 52(6):524-538.
- 4. Jingui Xie, Guang Cheng, Zhichao Zheng, Haidong Luo, Oon-Cheong Ooi. To Extubate or Not to Extubate: Risk Factors for Extubation Failure and Deterioration with Further Mechanical Ventilation. *Journal of Cardiac Surgery*, 2019, 34(10): 1004–1011.

#### Working Papers

- 5. Guang Cheng, Sıdıka Tunç Candoğan, Joel Goh, Bilal Gokpinar. The Role of Contextual Information in Customer Reviews: A Field Experiment on a Mental Health Platform. Major Revision at *Management Science*.
- 6. Guang Cheng, Joshua M. Hagood, Ryan L. Melvin, Adam F. Kohutnicki, Mitchell H. Tsai, Joel Goh. The Impact of Introducing Release Times for Operating Rooms on Surgery Waiting Times.

## CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

The Role of Contextual	Information	in Cust	tomer	Reviews:	A	Field	Experiment	on a	Mental	Health
Plat form										

• POMS Annual Conference, Atlanta, Georgia, USA (scheduled)					
• Workshop on Empirical Operations Management, Hong Kong, China					
• The 15th POMS-HK International Conference, Hong Kong, China					
• INFORMS Annual Meeting, Seattle, Washington, USA					
• The 16th International Annual Conference of CSAMSE, Xiamen, China					
The Impact of Introducing Release Policy for Operating Rooms on Surgery Waiting Times					
• INFORMS Annual Meeting, Phoenix, Arizona, USA					
• POMS Annual Conference, Orlando, Florida, USA					
• The 13th POMS-HK International Conference, Hong Kong, China					
• INFORMS Annual Meeting, Indianapolis, Indiana, USA					
• POMS Annual Conference, Orlando, Florida, USA (Online)	Apr 2022				
Extubation Decisions with Predictive Information for Mechanically Ventilated Patients in ICU					
• POMS Annual Conference, Orlando, Florida, USA (Online)					
• The 13th International Annual Conference of CSAMSE, Shanghai, China (Online)					

Jan 2019

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

• Visiting Scholar, Virginia Tech, Blacksburg, Virginia, USA, Aug 2023 – Dec 2023

• The 10th POMS-HK International Conference, Hong Kong, China

• Research Assistant, Singapore Management University, Singapore, Jul 2019 – Jun 2020

## Professional Activities and Services

### Conference Session Chair

• POMS-HK International Conference	Jan 2025
• POMS Annual Conference	May 2023
• Analytics for X Conference	Sept 2022
POMS Annual Conference	Apr 2022

#### Organizing Committee

• Analytics for X Conference Sept 2021

#### **Professional Memberships**

- Institute for Operations Research and Management Sciences (INFORMS)
- INFORMS Health Applications Society (HAS)

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

#### Instructor

• DAO1704 Decision Analytics using Spreadsheets (Undergraduate Core) Spring 2023

#### **Guest Lecturer**

• PHM5014 Causal Inference in Precision Medicine (Masters) Fall 2024

#### Teaching Assistant

• IE4214 Revenue Management and Pricing Analytics (Undergraduate Core) Spring 2022

• DBA5103 Operations Research and Analytics (Masters Core) Fall 2022

## HONORS AND AWARDS

• NUS Research Scholarship, National University of Singapore, Singapore 2020–2024

• JData Data Mining Competition Top 10, JD.com, inc., China 2017

• National Scholarship, Ministry of Education of People's Republic of China, China 2015

## SKILLS

Programming & Packages: Python, R, MATLAB, SQL, Gurobi

Languages: English (Fluent), Mandarin (Native)