

# H. Sherry Zhang

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## Education

### Monash University

Melbourne, Australia

DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

Feb 2020 - Aug 2023

- Thesis: New tools for visualising and explaining multivariate spatio-temporal data, supervised by Dianne Cook, Patricia Menéndez, Nicolas Langrené (BNU-HKBU United International College, China), and Ursula Laa (BOKU, Austria)

### Monash University

Melbourne, Australia

BACHELOR OF COMMERCE (HONOURS), ECONOMETRICS & BUSINESS ANALYTICS

Feb 2016 - Dec 2019

- First Class Honours (H1)
- Thesis: Exploration of judicial facial expression in videos of legal proceedings, supervised by Dianne Cook and Russell Smyth

## Publications

1. Zhang, H. S., Cook, D., Laa, U., Langrené, N., & Menéndez, P. (2021). Visual Diagnostics for Constrained Optimisation with Application to Guided Tours. *The R Journal*, 13(2), 624--641. <https://doi.org/10.32614/RJ-2021-105>
2. Lee, S., Cook, D., Silva, N. da, Laa, U., Spyrisson, N., Wang, E., & Zhang, H. S. (2022). The state-of-the-art on tours for dynamic visualization of high-dimensional data. *WIREs Computational Statistics*, 14(4), e1573. <https://doi.org/10.1002/wics.1573>
3. Zhang, H. S., Cook, D., Laa, U., Langrené, N., & Menéndez, P. (2022). cubble: An R Package for Organizing and Wrangling Multivariate Spatio-temporal Data. In *Submitted to Journal of Statistical Software*. <https://github.com/huizezhang-sherry/paper-cubble>

## Talks

Sept 2023	<b>Research Tools Workshop:</b> <a href="https://sherryzhang-quarto2023.netlify.app/">https://sherryzhang-quarto2023.netlify.app/</a>	Monash University
May 2023	<b>Visiting talk:</b> <a href="https://sherryzhang-germany2023.netlify.app/">https://sherryzhang-germany2023.netlify.app/</a>	University of Münster, Germany
Apr 2023	<b>Visiting talk:</b> <a href="https://sherryzhang-ireland2023.netlify.app/">https://sherryzhang-ireland2023.netlify.app/</a>	Maynooth University, Ireland
Feb 2023	<b>The Australia Spatial Econometrics &amp; Statistics Workshop:</b> <a href="https://sherryzhang-monashspatial2023.netlify.app/">https://sherryzhang-monashspatial2023.netlify.app/</a>	Monash University
Nov 2022	<b>ECSS Miniconference:</b> <a href="https://sherryzhang-ecssmini2022.netlify.app/">https://sherryzhang-ecssmini2022.netlify.app/</a>	virtual
Nov 2022	<b>CANSSI Ontario Statistics Software Conference (invited):</b> <a href="https://sherryzhang-canssi2022.netlify.app/">https://sherryzhang-canssi2022.netlify.app/</a>	virtual
Jun 2022	<b>UseR! 2022:</b> <a href="https://sherryzhang-user2022.netlify.app/">https://sherryzhang-user2022.netlify.app/</a>	virtual
Jul 2021	<b>UseR! 2021:</b> <a href="https://sherryzhang-user2021.netlify.app/">https://sherryzhang-user2021.netlify.app/</a>	virtual

## Teaching

Sem 1 20 & 21	<b>ETC5512 Wild Caught Data</b> <a href="https://wcd.numbat.space/">https://wcd.numbat.space/</a> on wrangling open data into analysis ready shape through case study on US air traffic data, Australia census and election data, among others	Monash University
Sem 2 20 & 21	<b>ETC5521 Exploratory Data Analysis</b> <a href="https://eda.numbat.space/">https://eda.numbat.space/</a> project-based exploratory data analysis class	Monash University
Sem 1 20 Sem 2 19	<b>ETC1010/ETC5510 Introduction to Data Analysis</b> <a href="https://ida.numbat.space/">https://ida.numbat.space/</a> on introducing tidyverse tools for data wrangling & visualising, basics in web scraping, text analysis, and programming with R	Monash University

## Workshop

Apr 2023 **Switching between space and time: Spatio-temporal analysis with cubble**  
<https://sherryzhang-rladiesvienna2023.netlify.app/>

Dec 2022 **Wrangling spatio-temporal data with R** <https://sptm-tidy.numbat.space/>

Sept 2022 **Switching between space and time: Spatio-temporal analysis with cubble**  
<https://sherryzhang-rladiesmelb2022.netlify.app/>

*R Ladies Vienna*

*WOMBAT*

*R Ladies Melbourne*

## Software

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2022 - **cubble**: a multivariate data structure for organizing and wrangling spatio-temporal data  
<https://cran.r-project.org/web/packages/cubble/index.html>

2021 - **rjtools**: tools for authors to write, check, and submit articles to the R Journal  
<https://github.com/rjournal/rjtools>

2021 - **rj**: tools to help the (associate) editors with the reviewing process of the R journal  
<https://github.com/rjournal/rj>

2021 - **ferrn**: a package for visual diagnostics of projection pursuit guided tour optimisation  
<https://cran.r-project.org/web/packages/ferrn/index.html>

2020 - **tourr**: implementing a data structure for collecting guided tour optimisation data  
<https://cran.r-project.org/web/packages/tourr/index.html>

## Awards

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2023 Opportunity scholar *Posit::conf(2023)*

2022 People's Choice Award for the presentation in ECSS Miniconference *Statistical Society of Australia*

20 - 23 Postgraduate (PhD) Research Scholarship *CSIRO Data61*

20 - 23 Co-Funded Graduate Research Scholarship *Monash Business School*

2020 Dean's Honours List *Monash Business School*

2019 Summer Vacation Research Scholarship *Monash University*

## Affiliation

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1. Non-Uniform Monash Business Analytics Team (Monash NUMBATs)
2. Statistical Society of Australia (VIC branch)
3. Commonwealth Scientific and Industrial Research Organisation (CSIRO) Data61

## Service

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2022 Monash NUMBATs seminar organiser: <https://numbat.space/>