Short Bio for Jeffrey Kuo

Je-Uei “Jeffrey” Kuo is a candidate for Ph.D. in Economics at George Washington University. He received an M.A. degree in Economics from the Maxwell School of Citizenship and Public Affairs at Syracuse University and a B.S.+M.S. Honors Degree in International Business and Trade from the National Chengchi University in Taiwan. Before his studies in the U.S., he worked as a research assistant at the Institute of Economics, Academia Sinica.

Jeffrey's academic fields cover International Economics and Applied Econometrics. With his background, he is also interested in the U.S.-China relationship and Political Economy. He is specifically interested in economic integration theory and empirics, preferential trade agreements' economic and political impacts, and policy coordination between countries. In his dissertation, he uses the CGE model and the Global Trade Analysis Project (GTAP) database to simulate the counterfactual outcomes of joining the potential trade agreements and the DiD method to analyze the political impact of the preferential trade agreement and open-border policies between China and Taiwan. He published his paper that uses the nonparametric approach, propensity score matching, to analyze the effects of applying self-regulation carbon pricing among the MNEs in Business Strategy and Environment.