# Runze Jiang

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#### **EDUCATION**

Renmin University of China

M.A., Rural Development

Beijing Jiaotong University

B.A., Economics

GPA: 3.88/4.0

Sep. 2022 - Jun. 2025 (expected)

GPA: 3.8/4.0

Sep.2018 - Jun.2022

# PUBLICATIONS

[1] JJ Jiao (Advisor), QL Zhang, YY Wu, Runze Jiang, JE Wang. (2021). Change and Influencing Factors of China's Cross-regional Investment Network Structure. Progress in Geography.

[2] Chao Wang (Advisor), Runze Jiang et al. (2020). Optimization Strategies for the Beijing Subway Fare System. China Transportation Review.

# WORKING PAPERS

[3] QL Zhang, Runze Jiang, JJ Jiao (Advisor). Agglomeration and Dispersion Effects of High-speed Rail: A New Perspective of Intercity Labour Migration from China.

[4] Runze Jiang, Jiujie Ma (Advisor). Can Tangible Incentives Promote Norm Violations? Evidence from China's National Point System for Governance.

[5] Runze Jiang. A Taste: A No-frills Data Processing Manual for Social Science Research.

# RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Digital Point System, Informal Institutions and Grassroots Governance<sup>{[4]}</sup>

Advisor: Jiujie Ma

Jun.2023 - Present

• Conducted fieldwork at 58 village sites, collecting qualitative data on reshaping social norms by the digital point system

- Utilized Python and JS to scrape Wecounty data; focused on material reward, public behavior and Party branch (code)
- Identified that tangible incentives insignificantly promoted norm violations with the variable of party capacity controlled

Special Bonds and Rural Development<sup>{[5]}</sup>

Advisor: Yuan Gao

Research Assistant

Principal Investigator

- Jan. 2024 Mar. 2024
- Scraped 99,241 special bond records from **ZXZQ**; embedded the crawler into an iterative logic to reduce redundancy
- Employed TF-IDF and LDA model for classification; conducted statistical analysis using modules such as Pandas(code)
- Authored a data processing manual covering computer basics, web scraping, data cleaning and natural language processing

Evolution and Determinants of Urban Spatial Network in China<sup>{[1],[3]}</sup> Co-investigator

Advisor: JingJuan Jiao Jul.2020 - Present

- Utilized corporate inter-city investments to map urban spatial networks; investigated the evolution and determinants
- Processed CMDS data to map population flow; employed DID to assess the impact of high-speed rail on migration
- Scraped 606,947 healthcare comment records from the **Haodf**; examined the distribution of hospitals and reviewers (code)

# PROJECT EXPERIENCE

Structural Monetary Policy, ACFSMC and Agricultural Finance

Advisor: Jiujie Ma Jun.2023 - Aug.2023

Co-investigator

- Conducted field research at five subsidiaries of the All China Federation of Supply and Marketing Cooperatives (ACFSMC)
- Analyzed advantages of ACFSMC in facilitating financial support for agricultural, especially the information integration

Optimization Strategies for the Beijing Subway Fare System<sup>{[2]}</sup>

Advisor: Chao Wang

Principal Investigator

Apr.2019 - Apr.2020

• Estimated the financial status of Beijing Subway and fare-income ratios of nine cities to assess fare adjustment potential

# SKILLS AND TESTS

Languages: proficient in Python(portfolio); familiar with JavaScript, Html(personal homepage) and IATEX **Tools**: proficient in Stata; proficient in ArcGIS (portfolio)

Standardized Tests: Nationwide Master's Program Unified Admissions Examination 425/500 with math 128/150 (Calculus, Linear Algebra, Probability & Statistics), ranking 5/267