

# Sisheng Chris Zhang

## *Areas of Interest*

*Normative and Analytic Contemporary Political Theory, Ethics*

## *Fields of Interests*

*Philosophy of Work, Self-Employment, Distributive Justice, Philosophy of Higher Education*

## *Academic Curriculum Vitae*

*Filosofia del Dret, Universitat Pompeu Fabra*

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## Education

### **Ph.D Political Philosophy: “Justice and Self-Employment”**

Supervisors: Dr Iñigo González Ricoy and Dr Jahel Queralta Lange  
Dret/Law, Universitat Pompeu Fabra, 2020-2024, funded<sup>1</sup>

### **MA Political and Legal Theory**, University of Warwick and

### **MA Political Philosophy**, Universitat Pompeu Fabra, 2016-2018

“Sufficiency: Distributive or Contributive?”

Supervisors: Dr Edward Page and Prof Andrew Williams

### **BA (Hons) Philosophy, Politics and Economics**, University of Essex, 2013-2016

## Employment

1. Research Assistant on “Demography, Ethics and Public Policy” at the Universitat Pompeu Fabra for Prof Serena Olsaretti, *current*
2. Research Assistant on “The Ethics of Santa Claus”, at the University of Warwick for Prof Matthew Clayton (Warwick) and Dr Tom Parr (Essex), 2016-2017

## Work in Progress

1. “Work as an Instrument - Less Obvious than it Seems”
2. "What is Distinctive about Contemporary Self-Employment?"
3. “If You're an Egalitarian, How Come You Like Lotteries?”
4. Translation of an academic book and various academic articles into Chinese;

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<sup>1</sup> “Justice at Work: A Normative Analysis of Nonstandard Forms of Employment” by the Spanish Ministry of Science and Innovation, PGC2018-095917-A-I00: <https://www.upf.edu/web/justwork>

## **Presentations**

1. “If You're an Egalitarian, How Come You Like Lotteries?”  
The 15th Conference of the International Society for Utilitarian Studies<sup>2</sup>
2. Commentator for Robert Huseby (Oslo), “Sufficiency and the Threshold Question”  
Sufficiency: Never Enough, Universitat Pompeu Fabra<sup>3</sup>
3. “Speech and National Self-Determination”  
University of Warwick MA Dissertation Conference<sup>4</sup>
4. “Should there be a right to Euthanasia? A case against Velleman”  
University of Essex Annual Government Student Conference<sup>5</sup>

## **Administration and Organisation**

1. Conference: Justice at Work, Universitat Pompeu Fabra
2. Reading Group: Contemporary Political Theory

## **For General Audience**

Seminar at 706 Guangzhou on Sufficiency and Distributive Justice in 2020<sup>6</sup>

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<sup>2</sup> Karlsruhe Institute of Technology

<sup>3</sup> Universitat Pompeu Fabra

<sup>4</sup> University of Warwick

<sup>5</sup> University of Essex

<sup>6</sup> In Chinese, poster-shared with other seminars:  
[https://mp.weixin.qq.com/s/5xxvQSQIhDXUpSA72\\_xzdA](https://mp.weixin.qq.com/s/5xxvQSQIhDXUpSA72_xzdA)

*—Referee information available at [www.sishengzhang.com](http://www.sishengzhang.com)—*

*Saturday, 27 February 2021*