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## ACADEMIC POSITION

### **Simon Fraser University**

Assistant Professor, Department of Economics  
(Parental leave: September 2023 – April 2024)

**Vancouver, Canada**

July 2019 - Present

## EDUCATION

### **University of California, Los Angeles**

*Ph.D., Economics, Department of Economics*

*M.A., Economics, Department of Economics*

**Los Angeles, USA**

June 2019

April 2015

### **Peking University**

*M.A., Economics, National School of Development*

*B.A., Economics, National School of Development*

*B.S., Management, Department of Information Management*

**Beijing, China**

July 2013

July 2010

July 2010

## RESEARCH AND TEACHING INTERESTS

**Research:** Econometrics, Applied Econometrics

**Teaching:** Econometrics, Microeconomics, Statistics

## WORKING PAPERS

“Identification and Estimation in Many-to-One Two-Sided Matching without Transfers”, with YingHua He and Shruti Sinha [[arXiv](#)]  
(*Forthcoming at Econometrica*)

“Social Interactions with Endogenous Group Formation”, with Shuyang Sheng [[arXiv](#)]  
(*Under Review*)

## PUBLICATIONS

“Three Generations of Changing Gender Patterns of Schooling in China”, with Kathleen McGarry, *Journal of the Asian Pacific Economy* (2018), 1-22.

“Depressive symptoms and SES among the mid-aged and elderly in China: Evidence from the China Health and Retirement Longitudinal Study national baseline”, with Xiaoyan Lei, John Strauss, Peng Zhang, and Yaohui Zhao, *Social Science & Medicine* 120 (2014): 224-232.

“Gender differences in cognition in China and reasons for change over time: Evidence from CHARLS”, with Xiaoyan Lei, James P. Smith, and Yaohui Zhao, *The Journal of the Economics of Ageing* 4 (2014): 46-55.

“Health outcomes and socio-economic status among the mid-aged and elderly in China: Evidence from the CHARLS national baseline data”, with Xiaoyan Lei, John Strauss, Yaohui Zhao, Gonghuan Yang, Perry Hu, Yisong Hu, Xiangjun Yin, *The Journal of the Economics of Ageing*, 3, 29-43.

### **INVITED SEMINARS**

2023	Texas A&M ( <i>scheduled</i> )
2022	Jinan University ( <i>Virtual</i> ), Peking University ( <i>Virtual</i> ), University of Toronto ( <i>Virtual</i> )
2020	North Carolina State University
2019	Auburn University, Johns Hopkins University, National University of Singapore, Rice University, Simon Fraser University, University of California Riverside, University of Florida, University of New South Wales, University of Western Ontario
2018	UCLA

### **CONFERENCES**

2023	ASSA 2023 Annual Meeting, Optimal Transport Workshop (at University of Washington), Interactions Workshop (at Northwestern University)
2022	Canadian Econometric Study Group Meetings
2021	Annual Meeting of the Canadian Economics Association ( <i>Virtual</i> )
2020	12th World Congress of the Econometric Society ( <i>Virtual</i> )
2019	Canadian Econometric Study Group Meetings, Seattle-Vancouver Econometrics Conference
2018	Annual Meeting of Midwest Econometrics Group, California Econometrics Conference

### **GRANTS AND AWARDS**

SSHRC Insight Development Grant, 2021  
SFU New Faculty Start-Up Grant, 2019  
UCLA Dissertation Year Fellowship, 2018  
UCLA Travel Grant, 2018  
Marcia and Herbert Howard Graduate Fellowship (Best Paper in Econometrics Group), 2017  
Pass with honors in Econometrics Field, 2015  
UCLA Graduate University Fellowship, 2013-2017  
Peking University Graduate Fellowship, 2010-2013  
Best Teaching Assistant Award, 2012  
Outstanding Graduate of Beijing, 2010  
Undergraduate Research Fund, 2010  
Leo KoGuan Scholarship, 2009  
Peking University Challenge Cup Research Competition, Second Prize, 2008, 2009  
Tencent Scholarship, 2008  
Yang Fuqing & Wang Yangyuan Scholarship, 2007

### **TEACHING EXPERIENCES**

***Instructor***

Selected Topics in Economics: Applied Market Design (SFU)	2020, 2021, 2022, 2023
Statistical Analysis of Economic Data (SFU)	2020, 2021
Econometrics I (PhD Course) (SFU)	2019, 2020, 2021
Statistics for Economists (UCLA)	2016

***Teaching Assistant***

Time Series Econometrics (PhD Course)	2016
Microeconomic Theory I	2016
Statistics for Economists	2015, 2018
Microeconomic Theory II	2014, 2015
Intermediate Microeconomics	2011, 2012

**ACADEMIC SERVICE**

*Referee:* Econometric Reviews, Journal of Business & Economic Statistics, Journal of Econometrics,  
Journal of Political Economy