

# Ling Yao

## CURRICULUM VITAE

PhD Candidate

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Department of Applied Economics

University of Minnesota

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St. Paul, MN 55108

## EMPLOYMENT

**St. Olaf College**

Visiting Assistant Professor

Northfield, MN, USA

Feb-May 2024

## EDUCATION

**University of Minnesota, Twin Cities**

*PhD, Applied Economics* (Advisor: Marc F. Bellemare)

St. Paul, MN, USA

2018 - Present

**China Agricultural University**

Graduate study in *Agricultural Economics* (Advisor: Laping Wu)

Beijing, China

2015 - 2018

**China Agricultural University**

*BA in Economics*; minor in *English*

Beijing, China

2011 - 2015

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

**Department of Applied Economics, University of Minnesota**

Research Assistant for Dr. Marc F. Bellemare

Summer 2022 & 2023

**China Agricultural University**

Research Assistant for Dr. Laping Wu

2015 – 2017

**Agricultural Trade Promotion Center, Ministry of Agriculture, China**

Intern

March – May 2015

## MANUSCRIPTS UNDER REVIEW

“Subjective Life Expectancy and Public Pension Participation: Evidence from the Urban and Rural Residents Pension in China”, submitted

## WORKING PAPERS

“Agricultural Mechanization and Structural Transformation in China”, JMP

“Agricultural Insurance and Share Tenancy”, with Marc F. Bellemare, Jesse Tack, and Wendong Zhang

“Heterogeneous Supply Response: Does High Price Expectation Attenuate the Inverse Farm Size-Productivity Relationship in China?”, with Qihui Chen, Laping Wu, and Dong Huang

## CONFERENCE/WORKSHOP PRESENTATIONS

2023

AAEA Annual Meeting, Washington D.C.

Development Economics Workshop, University of Georgia  
SCC -76 2023 Annual Meeting, Kansas City, MO

2022

Trade and Development Seminar, University of Minnesota

2018

AAEA Annual Meeting, Washington D.C.

2017

The 9th CAER-IFPRI Annual Conference, Beijing

## TEACHING

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Instructor

**Department of Applied Economics, University of Minnesota**

Graduate Student Math Review

Summer 2020

Teaching Assistant

**Department of Applied Economics, University of Minnesota**

APEC 8003 Applied Microeconomic Analysis of Game Theory and Information      Spring 2023

APEC 8213-14 Econometric Analysis III-IV      Spring 2022

APEC 3002 Managerial Economics      Spring 2020 & 2021, Fall 2021

APEC 8211-12 Econometric Analysis I-II (Guest-lectured on DID methods)      Fall 2019 & 2020

**College of Food, Agricultural and Natural Resource Sciences, University of Minnesota**

APEC 1101 Principles of Microeconomics      Fall 2022

**College of Economics and Management, China Agricultural University**

Intermediate Macroeconomics      Fall 2016

Guest lecture

**Auburn University**

AgEc 8090 Food and Agricultural Policy      Fall 2022

**Department of Applied Economics, University of Minnesota**

APEC 8211-12 Econometric Analysis I-II      Fall 2019

## HONORS AND AWARDS

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**Department of Applied Economics, University of Minnesota**

Outstanding Achievement in 8000 Level Teaching Assistance Award      2023, 2022 & 2021

Cochrane Fellowship      Spring 2022

Peterson Fellowship      Spring 2022

Hsieh Fellowship      Fall 2018

**China Agricultural University**

Scholarship for Academic Excellence      2016

Fellowship for Outstanding Student      2014

Scholarship for Academic Excellence      2014

Annual "Three-merit" Student Award      2014

Award for Academic Advancement	2014
Yuxin Scholarship	2013
Scholarship for Academic Excellence	2012

## LANGUAGES

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Chinese (native), English (fluent), Spanish (B1)

## PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

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**Referee** for *American Journal of Agricultural Economics* (7), *Food Policy* (2), *China Agricultural Economic Review* (2)

**Co-organizer** of the Econometrics Frontier Group (a student and faculty literature reading group), 2021-2022