# Ke Nie

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# Education

| $2023~(\mathrm{exp.})$ | Ph.D. in Sociology, University of California, San Diego   |
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|                        | Dissertation: Diversity and creativity in cultural production in the digital era: A mixed-methods study of the music markets.   |
|                        | Committee: Juan Pablo Pardo-Guerra (chair), Amy Binder (co-chair), Thomas Medvetz, Kwai Ng, Margaret Roberts (UCSD Political Science), Timothy Dowd (Emory Sociology) |
| 2021                   | M.A. in Sociology, University of California, San Diego  |
| 2014                   | M.A. in Journalism, Peking University   |
| 2012                   | B.A. in German Literature, Peking University  |
|                        | B.A. in Economics, <i>Peking University</i>   |

### Research Interests

Sociology of Culture, Economic Sociology, Political Sociology, Creative Industry, Information and Communications Technology, Organizations, Computational Social Science

## **Publications**

Nie, Ke. "Disperse and Preserve the Perverse: Computing How Hip-Hop Censorship Changed Music Genres in China." (Accepted and forthcoming in *Poetics: Journal of Empirical Research on Culture, the Media, and the Arts*)

## **Working Papers**

- 3. Nie, Ke. "Bowing to Five Pecks of Rice? The Impact of Economic Incentives on Cultural Creativity." (Proposal accepted and manuscript submitted to *Chinese Sociological Review*)
- 2. Nie, Ke. "Embracing Censorship: Why Musicians Welcome Music Regulation." (Proposal accepted by *Chinese Journal of Sociology*)
- 1. Nie, Ke. "Cultural Consumption as Compensatory Strategy of Cultural Capital: Evidence from Chinese General Social Survey." (Preparing for submission)

# Work in Progress

- 3. Nie, Ke. "Does the Internet Foster Cultural Diversity and Creativity? A Mixed-method Comparative Study of the Music Markets in the US, Japan, and China."
- 2. Zhang, Bolun, and Ke Nie. "Homeownership and Social Reproduction: New Evidences from PTA Data."
- 1. Nie, Ke, and Thomas Medvetz. "'Debussy Affair' in China: Music and Politics before the Chinese Cultural Revolution."

### Grants and Awards

| 2021      | Joseph Naiman Fellowship, UC San Diego  |
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|           | Friends of the International Center Fellowship, UC San Diego  |
|           | Early Career Workshop Award, Society for the Advancement of Socio-Economics                               |
|           | Transnational Initiatives Fund, Society for the Study of Social Problems                                  |
| 2020      | Institute for Practical Ethics Data Analytics PhD Fellowship, $\mathit{UC}\ \mathit{San}\ \mathit{Diego}$ |
|           | International Institute Graduate Research and Travel Awards, UC San Diego                                 |
|           | School of Global Policy & Strategy Ichimore Student Research Award, UC San Diego                          |
|           | Sixth College Outstanding TA of the Year Award, UC San Diego  |
| 2019      | Sociology Department Summer Grant, UC San Diego   |
|           | Graduate Student Association Travel Grant, UC San Diego   |
| 2018      | Library Travel Grant, Stanford University   |
| 2017      | Sociology Department Fellowship, UC San Diego   |
| 2013      | Guanghua Scholarship, Peking University   |
| 2012-2014 | School of Journalism and Communication Scholarship, Peking University                                     |

### **Invited Talks and Conference Presentations**

2021 Disperse and Preserve the Perverse: Computing How Hip-Hop Censorship Changed Music Genres in China.

- American Sociological Association Annual Meeting. Virtual meeting (upcoming).
- Society for the Study of Social Problems Annual Meeting. Virtual meeting (upcoming).
- Academy of Management Annual Meeting. Virtual meeting (upcoming).
- Society for the Advancement of Socio-Economics Annual Meeting. *Virtual meeting (upcoming)*.
- Society for the Advancement of Socio-Economics Early Career Workshop. *Virtual meeting (upcoming)*.
- Cultural Studies Association Annual Meeting. Virtual meeting (upcoming).
- International Association for the Study of Popular Music US Branch Annual Meeting. Virtual meeting.

- UCSD Institute for Practical Ethics. *Invited talk*.
- Quantitative China Studies Seminar, New York University. *Invited talk*.
- Pacific Sociological Association Annual Meeting. Virtual meeting.
- UCSD School of Global Policy & Strategy 21st Century China Center. Invited talk.

2020 Regulating Culture: A Computational Study of the Hip-Hop Censorship in China.

- American Sociological Association Annual Meeting. Virtual meeting.
- UCSD Sociology Paper Workshop. Virtual meeting.
- Pacific Sociological Association Annual Meeting (cancelled due to COVID-19).
- 2019 Cultural Consumption as Compensatory Strategy of Cultural Capital: Evidence from China.
  - American Sociological Association Annual Meeting. New York, New York, USA.
  - Pacific Sociological Association Annual Meeting. Oakland, California, USA.
- 2018 Debussy Affair in China: Music and Politics before the Cultural Revolution.
  - The 12th Biennial Crossroads in Cultural Studies Conference of Association for Cultural Studies. Shanghai University, Shanghai, China.

## Teaching and Research Assistant

| 2020-2021 | Gender and Work, Teaching Assistant, UC San Diego   |
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|           | Law and Society, Teaching Assistant, UC San Diego   |
|           | Classical Sociological Theory, Teaching Assistant, UC San Diego   |
| 2019-2020 | Chinese Law and Society (directed by Prof. Kwai Ng), Research Assistant, UC San Diego   |
|           | Science, Technology, and Society, Teaching Assistant, UC San Diego  |
|           | Sixth College Writing Program: Culture, Art, and Technology, Teaching Assistant, $\mathit{UC}$ San $\mathit{Diego}$             |
|           | *19-20 Outstanding TA of the Year Award, Sixth College, UC San Diego*   |
| 2018-2019 | Social Inequality and Social Policy, Teaching Assistant, UC San Diego   |
|           | Economy and Society, Teaching Assistant, UC San Diego   |
|           | Fiscal Democracy Project (directed by Prof. Isaac W. Martin), Research Assistant, $\mathit{UC}$ $\mathit{San}$ $\mathit{Diego}$ |
| 2012-2013 | Introduction to Journalism, Teaching Assistant, Peking University   |
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### **Professional Service**

| 2020- | Department of Sociology Graduate Program Committee, Student Representative, $\mathit{UC\ San\ Diego}$                            |
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| 2020- | Sociology Quant CoLab (Computational & Quantitative Methodology Workshop Series), Co-Founder & Chief Executive, $UC\ San\ Diego$ |

# **Academic Affiliation**

American Sociological Association, Pacific Sociological Association, Association for Asian Studies, Cultural Studies Association, Society for the Study of Social Problems, Society for the Advancement of Socio-Economics, Academy of Management, International Association of Popular Music Studies

# Languages

Mandarin (native), English (professional), German (fluent), Japanese (intermediate)

## Softwares

Programming & Statistics: R, STATA, Python

Music: Logic, Cubase

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