Ke Nie

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Education

2023 Ph.D. in Sociology (expected), University of California, San Diego

Dissertation: Digitizing Culture: Organizing and Governing Music Creativity in the Digital Era.

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

Fields: Sociology of Culture (with Distinction), Economic Sociology (with Distinction)

- 2014 M.A. in Journalism, Peking University
- 2012 B.A. in German Language and Literature, Peking University

B.A. in Economics, Peking University

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." Poetics: Journal of Empirical Research on Culture, the Media, and the Arts.

Working Papers

Nie, Ke. A study of the impact of economic incentives on cultural creativity. (R&R at *Chinese Sociological Review*)

Nie, Ke. A study of why musicians support music censorship. (Proposal accepted by *Chinese Journal of Sociology*)

Nie, Ke. A study of how cultural consumption as strategy of compensating for cultural capital. (Preparing for submission)

Work in Progress

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."

Zhang, Bolun, and Ke Nie. "Homeownership and Social Reproduction: New Evidences from PTA Data."

Nie, Ke, and Thomas Medvetz. "Debussy Affair' in China: Music and Politics before the Chinese Cultural Revolution."

Grants and Awards

2021 Diversity & Inclusion Grant, International Society for Music Information Retrieval

Gregory C. Chow Fellowship, Overseas Young Chinese Forum

Joseph Naiman Fellowship, UC San Diego

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, UC San 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

- Disperse and Preserve the Perverse: Computing How Hip-Hop Censorship Changed Music Genres in China.
 - American Sociological Association Annual Meeting. Virtual meeting.
 - Society for the Study of Social Problems Annual Meeting. Virtual meeting.
 - Academy of Management Annual Meeting. Virtual meeting.
 - Society for the Advancement of Socio-Economics Annual Meeting. Virtual meeting.
 - Society for the Advancement of Socio-Economics Early Career Workshop. Virtual meeting.
 - Cultural Studies Association Annual Meeting. Virtual meeting.

- 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 Sociology Research Apprenticeship Program, Mentor (for Yichen Wang and Alan Yung), UC San Diego

Science, Technology, and Society, Teaching Assistant, UC San Diego

Gender and Work, Teaching Assistant, UC San Diego

Law and Society, Teaching Assistant, UC San Diego

Classical Sociological Theory, Teaching Assistant, UC San Diego

2019-2020 Sociology Research Apprenticeship Program, Mentor (for Tianze Zhang), UC San Diego

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, UC San 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, UC San Diego

2012-2013 Introduction to Journalism, Teaching Assistant, Peking University

Professional Service

Ad hoc Reviewer for: Poetics, Chinese Sociological Review

2020-2021 Department of Sociology Graduate Program Committee, Student Representative, UC San Diego

2020- Sociology Quant CoLab (Computational & Quantitative Methodology Workshop Series), Co-

Founder & Chief Executive, UC San Diego

2019 Sociology Graduate Conference, Chair of Conference Committee, 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)

Programming and Softwares

Programming & Statistics: R, STATA, Python, LATEX

Music: Logic, Cubase

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