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EDUCATION

Texas A&M University, College Station, Texas.

Ph.D. Candidate, Economics (GPA: 4.0/4.0), 2013 – present.

Expected Completion Date: May 2018.

The University of Chicago, Chicago, Illinois.

Visiting Ph.D. Student, January 2017 – present.

Shenzhen University, Guangdong, China.

B.Eng., Electronic and Information Engineering, 2006.

SHORT-TERM POSITIONS

Scholar in Residence, Center for the Economics of Human Development, The University of Chicago, January 2017 – present.

RESEARCH AND TEACHING INTERESTS

Research microeconometrics, labor, empirical IO, and applied microeconomics.

Teaching microeconomics, econometrics, labor economics.

WORKING PAPERS

1. “Parent–child interactions: expectation and reality. A structural model and estimation”
2. “Incentives and uncertainties in A+B procurement contracts: a structural model and estimation” (with Wenzheng Gao and Yongzhi Sun)
3. “Income inequality, liquidity constraints, and China’s household saving rate” (with Li Gan and Yongzhi Sun)
4. “Does the college admission policy improve high school education in China’s poor counties?” (with Yongzhi Sun and Song Zhou)

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Recitation Instructor

Fall 2017	ECMT 463: Introduction to Econometrics (undergraduate, evaluation:tba).
Spring 2017	ECMT 461: Economic Data Analysis (undergraduate, evaluation:4.9/5.0).
Fall 2016	ECMT 461: Economic Data Analysis (undergraduate, evaluation:4.5/5.0).
Spring 2015	ECON 630: Microeconomic Theory II (PhD core, evaluation:4.7/5.0).

Teaching Assistant

2014 – 2015	ECON 675: Capstone (MS core).
2013 – 2014	ECON 311: Money and Banking (undergraduate).
2013 – 2014	ECON 202: Principles of Economics (undergraduate).

HONORS AND AWARDS

2013 – 2018	Graduate Assistantship, Department of Economics, Texas A&M University.
2017	PTC Summer Fellowship, The Becker Friedman Institute (BFI), UChicago. IAAE Travel Grant, International Association for Applied Econometrics (IAAE). Economics Department Travel Grant \times 2, Texas A&M University.
2016	Economics Department Travel Grant \times 3, Texas A&M University.

ACADEMIC ACTIVITIES

Summer Research Programs

2017	Price Theory Summer Camp <i>The Becker Friedman Institute (BFI) for Research in Economics</i> <i>The University of Chicago</i>
2016	4th Summer School on Socioeconomic Inequality (SSSI) Chicago <i>Human Capital and Economic Opportunity (HCEO) Global Working Group</i> <i>The University of Chicago</i>

Talks

2017	The University of Chicago, Chicago, IL 4th IAAE Annual Conference, Sapporo, Japan China Meeting of the Econometric Society, Wuhan, China CES China Annual Conference, Nanjing, China Asian Meeting of the Econometric Society, Hong Kong, China Texas A&M University, College Station, TX
2016	86th Annual Meeting of the Southern Economic Association, Washington D.C. Texas A&M University, College Station, TX

Conferences

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| 2017 | 27th Annual Meeting of the Midwest Econometrics Group, College Station, TX
4th IAAE Annual Conference, Sapporo, Japan
China Meeting of the Econometric Society, Wuhan, China
CES China Annual Conference, Nanjing, China
Asian Meeting of the Econometric Society, Hong Kong, China
Texas Camp Econometrics XXII, League City, TX
ASSA Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL |
| 2016 | 86th Annual Meeting of the Southern Economic Association, Washington D.C.
Asian Family in Transition Conference, Guangzhou, China
Texas Camp Econometrics XXI, Montgomery, TX |

COMPUTER SKILLS

R, Python, Stata, Matlab, L^AT_EX.