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Employment

2016-present: Associate Professor of Economics, Henan University

EDUCATION

Texas A&M University

2011–2016

Ph.D. in Agricultural Economics, Chair: Marco A. Palma

Dissertation title: Essays on Fairness Preferences: An Experimental Approach

Shenzhen University

2005–2008

M.A. in Economics

Jilin University

2001–2005

B.S. in Management Information System

University College Dublin

2009–2010

Visiting Scholar

FIELDS OF STUDY

Behavioral and Experimental Economics, Development Economics
(social preferences, collective actions, violence, crime, aid, and so on)

TECHNICAL AND PERSONAL SKILLS

Softwares: LaTeX; Stata; ArcGIS; R; Python; oTree; zTree.

Languages: English, Chinese.

PUBLICATIONS 论文发表

1. 传统铁路道口改造、交通便利性与城区空间演化. (合作者: 孙天事). 《经济学 (季刊)》, 2022年.
2. 点亮非洲: 中国援助对非洲经济发展的贡献. (合作者: 张宇). 《经济学 (季刊)》, 2021年9月.
3. The Long-Run Effects of the Slave Trade on the Political Violence in Sub-Saharan Africa (with Yu Zhang and Shahriar Kibriya). 2021. *Journal of Comparative Economics* 49(3): 776-800.
4. The Siphon effects of transportation infrastructure on internal migration: evidence from China's HSR network (with Tianshi Sun). 2021. *Applied Economics Letters* 28(13): 1066-1070.
5. The Effects of Centralized Power and Institutional Legitimacy on Collective Action. (with Jose Gabriel Castillo, Ping Zhang, and Xianchen Zhu). 2021. *Social Choice and*

Welfare 56(2): 385-419.

6. Can Chinese Aid Win the Hearts and Minds of Africa's Local Population? (with Yu Zhang). 2020. *Economic Modelling* 90: 322-330.
7. Will Foreign Aid Foster Economic Development? Grid Panel Data Evidence from China's Aid to Africa. (with Yu Zhang and Yang Sun). 2020. *Emerging Markets Finance and Trade*: 56(14): 3383-3404.
8. Shadow of a Doubt: Moral Excuse in Charitable Giving (with Marco A. Palma). 2019. *Review of Behavioral Economics* 6(2): 133-146.
9. Conveniently Dependent or Naively Overconfident? An Experimental Study on the Reaction to External Help (with Marco A. Palma, and Yinjunjie Zhang). 2019. *PLOS ONE* 14(5): e0216617.
10. 信任的起源:一项基于公平认知与规则偏好的实验研究. (合作者: 闫佳章平陈勇). 《经济学(季刊)》, 2017年第4期。
11. The Negative Consequences of School Bullying on Academic Performance and Mitigation through Female Teacher Participation: Evidence from Ghana (with Shahriah Kibliya, and Yu Zhang). 2017. *Applied Economics* 49(25): 2480-2490.
12. Impacts of Playing after School on Academic Performance: A Propensity Score Matching Approach (with Yajuan Li, and Marco A. Palma). 2017. *Education Economics* 25(6):575-589.
13. Unintended Effects of the Alabama HB 56 Immigration Law on Crime: A Preliminary Analysis (with Marco A. Palma, and Yinjunjie Zhang). 2016. *Economics Letters* 147: 68-71.
14. Consequential Egalitarianism vs. Accountability Principle: An Experimental Investigation (with Marco A. Palma). 2016. *Applied Economics Letters* 23(8): 562-565.

WORKING PAPERS

1. Limited Penetration of Governance and Conflict in Sub-Saharan Africa (with Shahriar Kibriya and Yu Zhang).
2. Cultural diversity, social interaction, and organized violence: evidence from social unrest in Qing China.
3. Cultural diversity, social interaction, and urban crime: evidence from violent crime in China

Research Funds

- 国家自然科学基金: 中国对外援助和政府支持性投资对当地稳定与发展的影响及其作用机制: 基于地理信息系统和遥感数据的计量分析 (2018-2020)

Editorial Positions

- Editorial Board, *Asia-Pacific Journal of Regional Science*, 2021-

REFeree SERVICE

经济学(季刊). African Development Review. China Economic Review. Economic Modelling. Journal of Chinese Economic and Business Studies. Journal of International

Development.