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RESEARCH INTERESTS

Morality, behavioral ethics, judgment and decision-making, meta-science, open science

EDUCATION

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| Master of Philosophy (M.Phil.) in Social Psychology University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong SAR, China Advisor: Gilad Feldman, Ph.D. | 2019 – 2021 (expected) |
| Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) in Philosophy and Psychology (1 st Class Honours) University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong SAR, China | 2015 – 2018 |
| Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) in Philosophy (Study Abroad Exchange Program) King's College London, U.K. | 2016 |
| Bachelor of Engineering (B.Eng.) (transferred after Year 1) University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong SAR, China | 2014 – 2015 |

PUBLICATIONS

(*: equal contribution; underlined: supervised students)

Work in Preparation

- (1) **Xiao, Q.**, Au, Y. L., Chung, W. T., Li, L. C., Tan, S. N., & Feldman, G. (work in preparation). Licensing via credentials. Replications of Monin and Miller (2001) with extensions investigating the domain-specificity of moral credentials. (to be submitted as a Registered Report)
- (2) Elsherif, M. *, Pomareda, C. *, **Xiao, Q. ***, Chu, H. Y., Tang, M. C., Wong, T. H., Wu, Y., & Feldman, G. (work in preparation). Linking anthropomorphism to loneliness and free will belief: Replication and extension of Epley et al. (2008). (to be submitted as a Registered Report)
- (3) **Xiao, Q. ***, Pettibone, J. *, & Feldman, G. (work in preparation). Using decoys to explore context effects on romantic partner selection: Dominance valuing and compromise aversion.
- (4) Ziano, I. *, **Xiao, Q. ***, Yeung, S. K. *, Wong, C. Y. J., Cheung, M. Y. S., Lo, J., Yan, M., Narendra, G. I., Kwan, L. W. K., Chow, C. S. R., Chak, Y. M., & Feldman, G. (under review). Numbing or sensitization? Replications and extensions of Fetherstonhaugh et al.'s (1977) "Insensitivity to the value of human life". *Journal of Experimental Social Psychology*. [[Preprint](#)]
- (5) **Xiao, Q.**, & Feldman, G. (work in preparation). Moral typecasting: Replication and extension of Gray and Wegner (2009). (to be submitted as a Registered Report)

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- (6) **Xiao, Q.**, Zeng, S., & Feldman, G. (2021). Revisiting the decoy effect: Replication and extension of Ariely and Wallsten (1995) and Connolly, Reb, and Kausel (2013). *Comprehensive Results in Social Psychology*. [[Publisher](#)] [[Preprint](#)] [[OSF](#)] (Registered Report)

- (7) **Xiao, Q.**, Lam, C. S., Piara, M., & Feldman, G. (in press). Revisiting the status quo bias: Replication of Samuelson and Zeckhauser (1988). *Meta-Psychology*. [Publisher] [[Preprint](#)] [[OSF](#)] (pre-registered)

Multi-lab Collaborations

- (8) Dorison, C., ... **Xiao, Q.**, ... (accepted, in-principle). PSACR: The Psychological Science Accelerator's COVID-19 Rapid-Response Project. *Nature Human Behavior*.
- (9) Hall, B. F., Wagge, J. R., Pfuhl, G., Stieger, S., Vergauwe, E., Ijzerman, H., ... **Xiao, Q.**, ... Lowry, M. B. (accepted, in-principle) Registered Replication Report: Turri, Buckwalter, & Blouw (2015). *Advances in Methods and Practices in Psychological Science*. [[Preprint](#)] [[OSF](#)] (Accelerated CREP project)

OPEN RESOURCES

- (1) Collaborative Guide on Effect Sizes, Confidence Intervals, and Power Analyses [[Google Doc](#)]

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

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| Research Intern Social Behaviour and Ethics (SoBE) Lab, Exeter / Oxford (PI: Nadira Faber, Ph.D.) Topic: Cross-cultural speciesism | 2021 – Present |
| Independent Thesis Student Brain & Behavior Lab, HKU (PI: Dorita H. F. Chang, Ph.D.) Topic: Reference frames for coherent motion perception | 2017 – 2018 |
| Research Intern Consciousness & Metacognition Lab, HKU (PI: Hakwan Lau, D.Phil.) Topic: Metacognitive sensitivity for peripheral visual perception | 2017 – 2018 |
| Research Intern Attention Brain & Cognition Lab, HKU (PI: Janet H. Hsiao, Ph.D.) Topic: Association between face recognition performance, eye-movement, and autism | 2016 – 2017 |

FUNDING & AWARDS

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| Erik Kvan Postgraduate Scholarship (HK\$9,000) | 2020 – 2021 |
| Dean's Honours List | 2017 – 2018 |
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| Evergreen Scholarship for Student Enrichment | 2016 |

PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

Ad hoc reviewer

Journal of Pacific Rim Psychology
Scientific Reports
Social Psychological and Personality Science

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

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| Society for Judgment and Decision Making | Member |
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TEACHING

University of Hong Kong

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| PSYC2020 Fundamentals of Social Psychology (teaching assistant) | Spring 2020 – 2021 |
| PSYC3052 Advanced Social Psychology (teaching assistant) [OSF] | Fall 2020 – 2021 |

PSYC2071 Judgment and Decision Making (teaching assistant) [[OSF](#)]

Fall 2020 – 2021

SKILLS

Data analysis: R / Python / SPSS / meta-analysis / Bayesian statistics / data visualization

Experimentation: MATLAB / Qualtrics / MTurk / PsychoPy / E-Prime

Languages: English (full professional proficiency) / Mandarin (native) / Cantonese (limited working proficiency) / German (elementary proficiency) / Japanese (elementary proficiency)

Under training: jsPsych / big data analytics / structural equation modeling

REFERENCES

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Ignazio Ziano, Ph.D. (ignazio.ziano@grenoble-em.com)

Assistant Professor, Department of Psychology, Grenoble Ecole de Management