# XINGCHEN SHA

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#### **EDUCATION**

**B.A.** in Computer Science Graduating May 2025 (expected)

Columbia University, New York, United States

GPA: 4.06

**B.S.** in Computer Science Graduating May 2025 (expected)

City University of Hong Kong, Kowloon Tong, Hong Kong

GPA: 4.01

#### **EXPERIENCE**

## Columbia University: Research Assistant

October 2023 – Present

- Collaborator in the NSF CSIRO-funded project Fair Sequential Collective Decision Making
- Researched group-fairness in multi-period facility location problems
- · Advisor: Haris Aziz, Hau Chan, Toby Walsh, Lirong Xia

# City University of Hong Kong: Research Assistant

June 2022 - April 2023

- · Researched facility location games with capacity constraints
- Researched multi-stage facilty location games in dynamic settings
- Researched truthful mechanism design with optional preferences
- Advisor: Hau Chan, Vincent Chau, Ken Fong, Minming Li, Pinyan Lu, Jialin Zhang

#### **ACTIVITY**

Columbia University: Presenter & Teaching Assistant September 2024 – Present

Decentralized Finance and Game Theory Seminar

City University of Hong Kong: Spotlight Presenter June 2023

STEM Carnival cum Student Project Exhibition 2023

City University of Hong Kong: Organizer May 2023 – September 2023

Hong Kong Secondary School Coding Challenge 2023 (HKSC2023)

City University of Hong Kong: Presenter September 2022 – September 2023

CityU Theory Seminar

City University of Hong Kong: Organizer May 2022 – September 2022

Hong Kong Secondary School Coding Challenge 2022 (HKSC2022)

**SERVICES** 

City University of Hong Kong: College of Engineering Student Chapter Panel November 2022 - Present

City University of Hong Kong: Freshman Mentor September 2022 - December 2022

# **SELECTED HONORS & AWARDS**

**Upsilon Pi Epsilon** September 2024

Dean's List at Columbia University September 2023 – May 2024 **VTech Group of Companies Scholarship** June 2023

Dean's List at City University of Hong Kong September 2020 - May 2023

April 2023

The College of Engineering Dean's Scholarship **HKSAR Government Scholarship** February 2023

CityU Scholarship February 2022

## **UNDER REVIEW (\* ALPHABETICAL ORDER )**

#### Strategyproof Mechanism for Two Heterogeneous Facilities with Constant Approximation Ratio \*

Minming Li, Pinyan Lu, Xingchen Sha, Yuhao Yao, Jialin Zhang, Submitted to Games and Economic Behavior

# Group Fairness in Multi-period Mobile Facility Location Problems \*

Haris Aziz, Hau Chan, Xingchen Sha, Toby Walsh, Lirong Xia, Submitted to IJCAI 2025

Mechanism Design for Facility Location Problems with Capacity Constraints in Bounded Location Space Xingchen Sha, Hau Chan, Vincent Chau, Ken Fong, Minming Li, Wai Lun Lo, Submitted to UAI 2025

## **PUBLICATIONS (\* ALPHABETICAL ORDER)**

# Facility Location Games with Optional Preferences: A Revisit

Xingchen Sha, Shuyu Bao, Hau Chan, Vincent Chau, Ken Fong, Minming Li, AAAI 2025

Randomized Strategyproof Mechanisms for Multi-stage Facility Location Problem with Capacity Constraints Ken Fong, Xingchen Sha, Hau Chan, Vincent Chau, Wai Lun Lo, IJTCS-FAW 2024

### **Group Fairness in Multi-period Mobile Facility Location Problems \***

Haris Aziz, Hau Chan, **Xingchen Sha**, Toby Walsh, Lirong Xia, AAMAS 2025 (Extended Abstract), ADT 2024 (Abstract)

#### **SKILLS**

## **Programming Languages:**

C/C++, Python, Java, SQL, Bash, HTML

## **Professional Applications:**

Latex, Matlab, PyTorch, TensorFlow, Git