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Curriculum Vitae

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Research Interest: Behavioral Econ
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Education Background

- Sept 2021 - **Peking University, Bachelor of Economics, Dual Degree of Psychology**
Jul 2025
- **GPA: 3.841/4.000 (Top 15%)**, click to view my [PKU Transcript](#)
 - **Graduate-Level Courses:** Advanced Microeconomics (96), Advanced Econometrics (97), Development Economics (95)
 - **Core Courses:** Advanced Math (98), Intermediate Microeconomics (99), Intermediate Econometrics (96), Behavioral Economics (95), Game Theory (95)
 - **TA Experience:** Behavioral Economics (Fall 2023, Professor: Juanjuan Meng)
- Jan 2024 - **University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Exchange Student**
May 2024
- **GPA: 4.123/4.000**, click to view my [UM Transcript](#)
 - **Courses:** Intro Real Analysis (Graduate-Level, A), Matching & Market Design (A+), Indus Organ & Perf (A), Govt Revenues (A)

Research Experiences

- 2022-2023 **First Coauthor, Special Prize in 31st Challenger Cup of Peking University**, [Effects of Ranked-Based Scoring in College Entrance Examination on Involution of Highschool Students](#), Guided by [Xi Weng](#)
- I gained access to CFPS data and conducted data cleaning and then data analysis in the preliminary stage.
 - I analyzed the data collected from our questionnaire targeted at highschool students, which paved the way for main conclusion of the paper.
 - Also, I conducted data analysis on what we gleaned from the experiment and fortified the paper's conclusion.
 - Finally, I took responsibility for writing the sections of CFPS data, questionnaire and experiment in the paper.
- 2023-2024 **First Coauthor, Third Prize in 32nd Challenger Cup of Peking University**, [Performance or Effort? The Effect of Inter-Team Competition on Intra-Team Peer Evaluation](#), Guided by [Juanjuan Meng](#)
- I participated in the experimental design and all the subsequent refined ones throughout our works.
 - Sections of preliminary experiment and complementary experiments in the paper were finished by me.

- 2023-2024 **Research Assistant**, *Changes and Interventions: Property Fee Payment Behaviors*, DBA Program Guided by [Juanjuan Meng](#)
- I conducted data analysis to the time series data from a community in Xi'an tracking more than 10 years and 3000 households.
 - I was relegated to register the RCT of a nudge experiment in Xi'an. The nudge is taking effect currently.
- 2023-2024 **First Coauthor (with [Esteban Peralta](#) and [Fernando Tohmé](#))**, *Why Ordinally Inefficiency of RSD?*

Skill Matrix

	Level	Skill	Years	Comment
Programming:	■■■■■	R	3	<i>I handle most of the empirical works using R exclusively and efficiently.</i>
	■■■■■	LaTeX& Markdown	3	<i>LaTeX and Markdown are my first languages in academics.</i>
	■■■■■	Python	4	<i>Python serves various purposes of me.</i>
	■■■■■	Stata	3	<i>For me, Stata is the perfect complement for R.</i>
	■■■■■	Matlab	2	<i>I grab some basic syntax in Matlab for simulation and plotting.</i>
Language:	■■■■■	Chinese	21	<i>Mother tongue. 21 is my age.</i>
	■■■■■	English	12	<i>English scores 4 because of Chinesees getting 5. TEOFL 105: Reading 29, Listening 26, Speaking 25, Writing 27</i>

Awards

- Jun 2024 Third Prize of 32nd Challenger Cup of Peking University (with 2 Other Teammates), Peking University Communist Youth League & Peking University Challenger Cup Project Office
- Sept 2023 Merit Student, Peking University
- Sept 2023 Shanxi Xinghuacun Fenjiu Distillery Co.,Ltd. Scholarship
- Jun 2023 Special Prize of 31st Challenger Cup of Peking University (with 5 Other Teammates), Peking University Communist Youth League & Peking University Challenger Cup Project Office
- Sept 2022 Merit Student, Peking University
- Sept 2022 Third Class Scholarship, Peking University
- Sept 2021 Third Class Freshman Scholarship, Peking University