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**Education**

PhD Rural Sociology and Demography Pennsylvania State University 2017

**Areas of interest**

Migration, Environmental Demography, and Geo-spatial Analysis

**Academic experience**

Research Assistant, The Pennsylvania State University, August 2017 - present

Part-time Teacher, Beijing City University, February 2015 - July 2015

**Course Taught:** Methods of Social Survey

**Manuscripts in development**

1. Zhou, Shuai. "Birth Order, Stopping Behavior, and Sex Composition of Living Births in a Son-preference Context: An Event History Approach."
2. Zhou, Shuai and Matthew Brooks. "Disparities in Transition to High school in the United States: A County-level Spatial Analysis."

**Presentation**

1. Zhou, Shuai and Guangqing Chi. 2020. "Land Rental in Rural China: The Impacts of Demographics, Household Economy, Land Endowment, and Social Welfare, 2012-2016." 2019 Annual Meeting of the Rural Sociological Society, April 22-25, 2020, Washington, DC.
2. Zhou, Shuai and Guangqing Chi. 2019. "Land Rental in Rural China: The Impacts of Demographics, Household Economy, Land Endowment, and Social Welfare, 2012-2016." 2019 Annual Meeting of the Rural Sociological Society, August 07-10, 2019, Richmond, VA.

3. Zhou, Shuai, Guangqing Chi, Brian Thiede, Zhen Lei, and Huanguang Qiu. 2019. "Subsidized Relocation and the Willingness to Move: Evidence from the Targeted Poverty Alleviation Project in China." 2019 Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, April 10-13, 2019, Austin, TX.
4. Zhou, Shuai, Guangqing Chi, Brian Thiede, Zhen Lei, and Huanguang Qiu. 2018. "Subsidized Relocation and the Willingness to Move: The First Look at the Targeted Poverty Alleviation Project in China." 81st Annual Meeting of the Rural Sociological Society, July 26-29, 2018, Portland, OR.
5. Zhou, Shuai. 2017. "Family Economy, Land Endowment, Social Security and Land Rent Behavior of Village Farmers: An Empirical Research Based on Logistic Model." 5th Annual Rural Studies Graduate Student Conference, October 27-28, 2017, University Park, PA.

**Publications**

1. Zhou, Shuai and Guangqing Chi. 2019. "Land Rental in Rural China: The Impacts of Demographics, Household Economy, Land Endowment, and Social Welfare, 2012-2016." *Journal of Rural Studies* [Submitted]

**Book review**

1. Zhou, S. (2018), *International Migration of China: Status, Policy and Social Responses to the Globalization of Migration*, by Lu Miao and Huiyao Wang, Singapore: Springer, 2017. 135 pp. \$139.99 (paper). ISBN: 978-981-10-6073-1. *Rural Sociology*, 83(3): 700-702.

**Professional service**

1. Moderator on the session of Alternative Food Systems and Sustainable Agriculture, 7th Annual Rural Studies Student Conference, November 7-8, 2019, University Park, PA

**Professional training**

1. Data Reproducibility Boot Camp, June 3-7, 2019, University Park, PA.

## **Professional membership**

Population Association of America, 2019-present

Rural Sociological Society, 2018-present

Rural Sociology Graduate Association, 2017-present

## **Statistical/Programming language**

Stata: advanced

Python: intermediate