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ACADEMIC POSITIONS

Xi'an Jiaotong-Liverpool University	Suzhou, China
Assistant Professor	09/2023-present
IQS School of Management Ramon Llull University	Barcelona, Spain
Research & Teaching Assistant	09/2020-09/2023

EDUCATION

IQS School of Management Ramon Llull University	Barcelona, Spain	
• Ph.D. in Economics and Territorial Competitiveness (Cum Laude)	09/2020-07/2023	
University of Konstanz	Konstanz, Germany	
• M.Sc. in Economics	10/2016-03/2019	
Shanghai Lixin University of Accounting & Finance	Shanghai, China	
B.Sc. in Insurance	09/2012-06/2016	

VISITING AND PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Editorial Board Member, Humanities & Social Sciences Communications	06/2024-present
Peking University, China	05/2023-08/2023
Heidelberg University, Germany	10/2022-12/2022
University of Essex, UK	09/2018-01/2019

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Postgraduate Course:

- 1. Lecturer for HR Digital Transformation and Implementation Strategy, XJTLU
- 2. Lecturer for Organizational Culture and Cross-Cultural Management, XJTLU

Undergraduate Course:

- 1. Lecturer for Trends in Economics and Finance, XJTLU
- 2. TA for Econometrics and Forecasting, IQS-URL, 2022
- 3. TA for Applied Mathematics, IQS-URL, 2022

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PUBLICATIONS

- k Single Author / \P First Author / * Corresponding Author
 - 1. Wang-Lu, H. ¶,*, Comim, F., & Valerio Mendoza, O. M. (2024). Valuing Children: Parents' Perceptions, Spending Priorities and Children's Capabilities. Journal of Development Studies [ABDC A, JCR Q2], 60(6), 932–955.
 - 2. Wang-Lu, H. ¶.*, & Valerio Mendoza, O. M. (2023). Job Prospects and Labour Mobility in China. Journal of International Trade & Economic Development [ABDC B, JCR Q2], 32(7), 991-1034.

WORKING PAPERS

- 1. Wang-Lu, H.^k, To Engage or Not to Engage? Social Activities and Survival Perceptions in Older Adults, **Revise & Resubmit**, *Kyklos* [ABDC A, JCR Q2]
- 2. Wang, D., & Wang-Lu, H.*, Child Schooling, Child Labor, and Land Expropriation: Evidence from China, Revise & Resubmit, Journal of Economic Behavior & Organization [ABDC A*, JCR Q2]
- 3. Wang-Lu, H.¶.*, Borsi, M. T., & Valerio Mendoza, O. M., Looking Back and Forward: COVID-19 Risks and Local Travel Dynamics
- 4. Wang-Lu, H.¶, Valerio Mendoza, O. M., Chen, S.*, Geldsetzer, P., & Adam, M., Regional Mobility and COVID-19 Vaccine Hesitancy: Evidence from China, **Under Review**

PARTICIPATION IN RESEARCH PROJECTS

1. PoPMeD-SuSDeV 2023-2024

Horizon Europe | Grant ID: 101086139 (co-PI: Prof. Simiao Chen & Octasiano M. Valerio Mendoza)

2. CHINEQUALIUSTICE 2020–2022

Marie Skodowska-Curie Actions | Grant ID: 838534 (PI: Prof. Octasiano M. Valerio Mendoza)

3. Identifying Opportunities in the Future Chinese Consumer Market 2020–2022 Spanish Ministry of Science, Innovation and Universities | Grant ID: EIN2019-102931 (PI: Prof. Octasiano M. Valerio Mendoza)

CONFERENCES AND SEMINARS

Presentations at Conferences & Workshops

2024: 16th International Symposium on Human Capital and Labor Markets

2023: 1st Annual Conference of Financial Analytics Research Society; The CES 2023 Annual Conference

2022: 14th International Symposium on Human Capital and Labor Markets; 1st International Workshop on the Chinese Development Model; 15th RGS Doctoral Conference in Economics

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2021: 46th Symposium of the Spanish Economic Association (SAEe); 13th Chinese Economic Association & 32nd CEA UK Annual Conference; Inequality Conference, International Centre for Economic Analysis; 9th International Conference on Applied Research in Economics and Finance; The Chinese Economists Society (CES) 2021 Annual Conference

Presentations at Seminars

Brown Bag Seminar, HeXie-XJTLU; Research Seminar [*3], IQS-URL; [invited speaker] Research Seminar, AQR-IREA-University of Barcelona; Journal Club Seminar, Deusto Business School

REFEREE FOR PEER-REVIEWED JOURNALS

1. Journal of Economic Behavior & Organization; 2. Journal of International Trade & Economic Development; 3. Economic Change and Restructuring; 4. Humanities & Social Sciences Communications; 5. Urban Affairs Review; 6. Journal of Chinese Economic and Business Studies

OTHER PARTICIPATION

Summer School: Axel Leijonhufvud - Advanced School 2022

Organizing Committee: 1st International Workshop on the Chinese Development Model

Writings: "Should you prolong your predoc life?". In: INOMICS.

HONOURS AND AWARDS

Research Mobility Grant (4,200€), Societat Económica Barcelonesa d'Amics del País	2022
Fellowship for Ph.D. students presenting at SAEe, Fundación Ramón Areces	2021
3-Year Doctoral Fellowship (tuition waiver & salary), IQS-URL	2020
Erasmus+ Grant, University of Konstanz	2018

SKILLS AND OTHERS

Programming & Software: Stata, LTEX, SQL, R, Python (basic)

Languages: Chinese (native), English (fluent)

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