# Titing Cui

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#### **EMPLOYMENT**

University of Tulsa

Tulsa, USA 2024–Current

Collins College of Business

- Assistant Professor of Operations Management

#### EDUCATION

University of Pittsburgh

Pittsburgh, USA

Ph.D. in Business Analytics and Operations

2019–2024

KTH Royal Institute of Technology

Stockholm, Sweden

M.S. in Applied and Computational Mathematics

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Zhejiang University
B.S. in Mathematics and Applied Mathematics

Hangzhou, China 2013–2017

2017-2019

#### RESEARCH INTERESTS

Methodologies: Optimization, mathematical analysis, game theory, integer programming. Applications: Revenue management, pricing, sustainable operations, transportation, fairness.

# **PUBLICATIONS**

- 1. Wenjie Xu\*, Titing Cui\*, and Minghua Chen. Optimizing Two-Truck Platooning with Deadlines. (\*co-primary authors)
  - Accepted in IEEE Transactions on Intelligent Transportation Systems, 2022.

#### WORKING PAPERS

- 1. Titing Cui, Michael L. Hamilton. Optimal Feature-Based Market Segmentation and Pricing.
  - Accepted in The 18th Conference on Web and Internet Economics (WINE), 2022.
  - Third Place, INFORMS Service Science Best Cluster Paper Award, 2022.
  - Major Revision in **Operations Research**.

June 2023

- 2. Titing Cui, Michael L. Hamilton. Pricing Online Dating Subscriptions.
  - Finalist, 2024 POMS College of Service Operations Management (CSOM) Best Student Paper.
  - Submitted 2025
- 3. Titing Cui, Esther Gal-Or, Mike Gordon, Michael L. Hamilton, Jennifer Shang. The Effects of Competition on Corporate Sustainability.
  - Accepted in The 3rd ACM Conference on Equity and Access in Algorithms, Mechanisms, and Optimization (EAAMO), 2023.
  - Submitted 2025

- 4. Titing Cui, Su Jia, Thomas Lavastida. From Stream to Pool: Pricing Under Diminishing Marginal Utility.
  - Submitted 2025
- 5. Titing Cui, Michael L. Hamilton. Fresh Rating Systems: Structure, Incentives, and Fees .
  - Finalist, 2025 POMS College of Service Operations Management (CSOM) Best Student Paper.
  - Submitted 2025

## Work in Progress

1. Titing Cui, Michael L. Hamilton, Qiqi Hao. Pricing for Two-sided Dating Platforms. In progress.

## OTHER PUBLICATIONS

- 1. Yaowei Long\*, Zidong Wu\*, Hongyi Liu\*, Titing Cui, Wenjie Xu, Minghua Chen. Demo Abstract: Online Path and Speed Planning Platform for Energy-Efficient Timely Truck Transportation. (\* indicates equal contribution)
  - Accepted in The 6th ACM International Conference on Systems for Energy-Efficient Buildings, Cities, and Transportation (BuildSys 2019).

# PRESENTATIONS

| 1. "Optimal Feature-Based Market Segmentation and Pricing"          |           |
|---|-----------|
| • The $18^{th}$ Conference on Web and Internet Economics, Troy, NY. | Dec 2022  |
| • INFORMS Annual Conference 2022, Indianapolis, In.                 | Oct 2022  |
| • INFORMS Annual Conference 2021, Anaheim, CA.                      | Oct 2021  |
| • RMP Section Conference 2021, Remote Conference.                   | July 2021 |
| • CORS Annual Conference 2021, Remote Conference.                   | June 2021 |
| 2. "Pricing Strategies for Online Dating Platforms"                 |           |
| • INFORMS Annual Conference 2023, Phoenix, AZ.                      | Oct 2023  |
| • Cornell 2023 Young Researchers Workshop                           | Oct 2023  |
| • POMS Annual Conference 2023, Orlando, FL.                         | May 2023  |
| • INFORMS Annual Conference 2022, Indianapolis, In.                 | Oct 2022  |
| • University of Toronto, Rotman Young Scholar Seminar.              | July 2022 |
| • RMP Section Conference 2022, Remote Conference.                   | July 2022 |
| • MSOM Annual Conference 2022, Munich.                              | June 2022 |
| • CORS Annual Conference 2022, Vancouver.                           | June 2022 |
| 3. "The Effects of Competition on Corporate Sustainability"         |           |
| • MSOM Annual Conference 2023, Montreal, CA.                        | June 2023 |
| • POMS Annual Conference 2023, Orlando, FL.                         | May 2023  |
| 4. "Rating Systems Design: Structure, Incentives, and Fees"         |           |
| • INFORMS Annual Conference 2023, Phoenix, AZ.                      | Oct 2023  |

# TEACHING

|   | BQOM 2578 - Data Mining   | Fall 2022, 2023                |
|---|---|--------------------------------|
| • | Teaching Assistant at University of Pittsburgh                                |                                |
|   | BQOM 2535 - Healthcare Operations and Supply Chain Management                 | Summer 2021, Spring 2022, 2023 |
|   | BQOM 2401 - Statistical Analysis: Uncertainty, Prediction and Quality Control | Fall 2021                      |
|   | BQOM 2534 - Strategic Procurement and Sourcing Management                     | $Spring \ 2021$                |

# SCHOLARSHIPS AND AWARDS

• Instructor at University of Pittsburgh

| • Finalist, 2025 POMS CSOM Best Student Paper                   | 2025        |
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| • Finalist, 2025 POMS CSOM Best Student Paper                   | 2024        |
| • Third Place, INFORMS Service Science Best Cluster Paper Award | 2022        |
| • Sheth PhD Fellowship for Outstanding Students                 | 2022        |
| • Rockwell Foundation Fellowship                                | 2019 - 2024 |
| • KTH Scholarship   | 2017 - 2019 |

# PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

• Organization committee
2022
YinzOR Student Conferences, Carnegie Mellon University.

• Ad hoc reviewer

 $Operations \ Research, \ Management \ Science, \ Networks, \ INFORMS \ Journal \ on \ Computing, \ Conference \ on \ Web \ and \ Internet \ Economics \ (WINE).$ 

#### SKILLS AND OTHERS

Programming Language: Python, R, Mathematica, Stata, Matlab, C, SQL, Cplex, Gurobi, Language: Mandarin (native), English (fluent).

## REFERENCES

References are available upon request