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# **EDUCATION**

The Wharton School (UPenn), Visiting Scholar	2025	
University of Lugano (USI), Ph.D. candidate in Economics Thesis - "Essays on Risks and Asset Allocation" Supervisor – Prof. Lorenz Kueng	2026	
Study Center Gerzensee, Swiss Program for Beginning Doctoral Students in Economics	2022	
Barcelona Graduate School of Economics, M.Sc. Economics and Finance	2021	
Hong Kong University of Science and Technology, M.Sc. Economics	2020	
Graduate School of Chinese Academy of Social Sciences, M.Res. Finance	2019	
Wuhan University, B.Econ. Financial Engineering	2014	
PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE		
University of Pennsylvania (UPenn) The Wharton School (Finance Department) Host – Prof. Sylvain Catherine Visiting Scholar	2025.01 – 2025.06	
Università della Svizzera italiana (USI)		
Institute of Economics (IdEP)  Doctoral Assistant	2021 – 2026	
Institute of Economics (IdEP)	2021 – 2026 2020 – 2021	
Institute of Economics (IdEP) Doctoral Assistant  United Nations ESCAP (UNESCAP) Macroeconomic Policy and Financing for Development Division (MPFD)		
Institute of Economics (IdEP) Doctoral Assistant  United Nations ESCAP (UNESCAP) Macroeconomic Policy and Financing for Development Division (MPFD) Economic Affairs  The Chinese Banker (Academic Journal of Banking)	2020 – 2021	

# **RESEARCH INTERESTS**

Risk and Uncertainty Household Finance Incomplete Markets
Heterogeneity and Inequality Behavioral Macroeconomics Empirical Asset Pricing

# **WORKING PAPERS**

Asymmetric Labor Income Uncertainty: Implications for Risk-Taking in Financial Markets

Presented at: USI IdEP Brown Bag (USI, 2023, 2024), 2nd Workshop on Applied Macroeconomics and Monetary
Policy (University of St. Gallen, 2024), Frankfurt Summer School 2024 (The Deutsche Bundesbank, 2024),
Macro Finance Research Program (MFR) 2024 Summer Session for Young Scholars (University of Chicago,
2024), Gerzensee Alumni Conference (Study Center Gerzensee, 2024), Royal Economic Society (RES) PhD
Conference 2024 (University of Portsmouth, 2024)

Navigating Through Fear and Greed: The Experience-Driven Disposition Effect, with **Rong Liu Presented at**: USI IdEP Brown Bag (**USI**, 2024)

Savings, Inequality, and Austerity: Unpacking the Consumption Divide in Japan 慶應義塾大学パネルデータ設計・解析センター(PDRC)プロジェクト ID: 6721

Panel Data Research Center (PDRC) at Keio University Project ID: 6721

Presented at: USI IdEP Brown Bag (USI, 2022)

#### **WORK IN PROGRESS**

Behind the Housing Market Boom: Sticky Listing Price and its Bargaining Power Presented at: USI IdEP Brown Bag (USI, 2024)

#### **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

Bachelor

2022 - 2024 Household Economics and Finance

Master

2022 - 2024 Essentials of Corporate Finance

# **SEMINARS & TRAININGS (Host, Location)**

2024 USI IdEP Brown Bag (USI), Empirical Asset Pricing (Mikhail Chernov, EPFL), Survey Data in Economics and Finance (Michael Weber, Study Center Gerzensee), An Introduction to Macroeconomics with Household Heterogeneity (Dirk Krueger, Study Center Gerzensee), 2024 Workshop on Demand System Asset Pricing (Ralph Koijen, Xavier Gabaix & Motohiro Yogo, Online)

2023 USI IdEP Brown Bag (USI), Ex Ante and Ex Post Policy Evaluation Approaches (Petra Todd, Study Center Gerzensee), Computation of Heterogeneous Agent Models (Dean Corbae, Study Center Gerzensee), Princeton Initiative: Macro, Money and Finance (Markus Brunnermeier, Online)

2022 USI IdEP Brown Bag (USI), An Introduction to Macro-Finance (Atif Mian, Study Center Gerzensee), Finance and Product Markets (Laurent Frésard & Gordon Phillips, USI)

2021 UNESCAP MPFD Project Presentation (Online)

# WORKSHOPS & CONFERENCES (Paper presented, Location, Date) (\* for poster session)

2024 Royal Economic Society (RES) PhD Conference 2024 (Asymmetric Labor Income Uncertainty, University of Portsmouth, Dec 3)\*

2024 Gerzensee Alumni Conference (Asymmetric Labor Income Uncertainty, Study Center Gerzensee, Nov 25-26)

Macro Finance Research Program (MFR) 2024 Summer Session for Young Scholars (Asymmetric Labor Income Uncertainty, The Becker Friedman Institute (BFI) at The University of Chicago, Aug 5-8)\*

2024 Frankfurt Summer School 2024 (Asymmetric Labor Income Uncertainty, The Leibniz Institute for Financial Research SAFE, Jul 21-26)

2024 2nd Workshop on Applied Macroeconomics and Monetary Policy (Asymmetric Labor Income Uncertainty, University of St. Gallen, Mar 18)

2023 CEPR European Conference on Household Finance 2023 (Collegio Carlo Alberto, Oct 4-6)

#### **LANGUAGES & IT SKILLS**

Languages: Chinese [Mandarin & Cantonese] (Native), English – Japanese (Fluent), Spanish (Working), Italian –

German (Basic)

IT skills: Python – R – Julia (Fluent), Fortran – C++ (Working), LaTeX, Office, Adobe Lightroom, Adobe Photoshop

#### **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

- Chartered Financial Analyst (CFA) Candidate
- Financial Risk Management (FRM) Candidate
- Passionate guitar and piano player with more than 10 years of practice
- Freelance Photographer

### **HONORS & AWARDS**

•	USI doctoral mobility grant (20,000 CHF)	2024
•	10th Fine Art Photography Awards	2024
•	Full Tuition Waiver Scholarship	2020

#### **REFERENCES**

#### Prof. Lorenz Kueng

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