### **Curriculum Vitae**

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### Education

#### 2016 - 2020 **National University of Singapore**

Bachelor of Arts with Honors (Highest Distinction) in English Language Part of the University Scholars Program, an interdisciplinary Honors college Cumulative Average Point (CAP): 4.59

# Working Experience

#### Nov 2016 -**Multiple Publications, Freelance Writer**

Present

Write features, news articles, press releases, and blog posts across a range of beats, including culture, tech, and current affairs. Manage the entire journalistic process, including pitching article ideas, sourcing for profiles, fieldwork, and taking photos. Clients include Atlas Obscura, RADII China, PR Newswire Asia, and others. Full portfolio at <a href="https://yinlintan.github.io/writing/">https://yinlintan.github.io/writing/</a>.

#### Oct 2020 -**TODAY, Journalism Trainee**

Feb 2021

Reported on local news at one of Singapore's top news publications, TODAY. Covered a variety of beats, including transport, culture, and health. Published straightforward news articles and in-depth features. Full list of bylines at

http://www.todayonline.com/authors/tan-yin-lin.

#### Aug 2020 -KrASIA, Journalism Intern

Oct 2020

Reported on tech and startup ecosystems in Southeast Asia and China. Tracked the latest news and trends in Asia-Pacific's tech scene. Wrote time-sensitive news pieces and longform, non-news features. Edited contributor pieces for word economy, grammatical accuracy, and flow. Full list of bylines at http://www.kr-asia.com/author/yinlin.

#### May 2020 -**RICE Media, Editorial Intern**

Sep 2020

Reported and wrote features, op-eds, and commentaries with a focus on culture, current affairs, and breaking news. Covered Singapore's 2020 General Elections. Time-sensitive articles on race in Singapore and opposition parties received more than 2000 likes and 800 shares on Facebook each. Full list of bylines at

http://www.ricemedia.co/author/tan-yin-lin.

#### Honors and Awards

2020 President's Honor Roll, University Scholars Program

Stories of a Pandemic Awards, Best Story (<u>Winner</u>) Stories of a Pandemic Awards, Best Story (<u>Merit</u>) Stories of a Pandemic Awards, Best Story (<u>Merit</u>)

2019 Fourth Place, XDS Data Storytelling Competition

2018 Senior Honor Roll, University Scholars Program

2017 Special Book Prize (Top Student), Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences

Honor Roll, University Scholars Program

### Miscellaneous

Skills Copywriting Content writing

Editing Translation (English-Mandarin)

Transcription HTML/CSS

Photography

<u>Software</u> Photoshop Premiere Pro

Illustrator Audition

Audacity Microsoft Suite

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<u>Languages</u> Native: English, Mandarin Chinese

Basic: Korean, Japanese, French

Receptive: Hokkien, Teochew

# **Research Summary**

### Areas of Interest

Multilingualism, code-switching, interactional sociolinguistics, language and identity, sociophonetics

### Research Positions

### Mar 2021 - Linguistics and Multilingual Studies, Research Assistant

Present Nanyang Technological University

Full-time traineeship position at the School of Humanities with the Linguistics and Multilingual Studies program. Work with the sociolinguistics research group and

assist A/P Francesco Cavallaro, A/P Ivan Panovic, and Dr Luke Lu.

# Jun 2020 Department of Computer Science, Research Assistant

National University of Singapore

Part-time position with the Objective Assessment of Sung Lyrics for Applications to Language Learning project, supervised by A/P Wang Ye. Assisted with data

annotation of song lyrics.

# May 2018 - Department of English Language and Literature, Research Assistant

May 2020 National University of Singapore

Part-time positions with the Singapore Multilingual Corpus and Voices of Children Singapore projects, supervised by A/P Rebecca Starr. Assisted with data collection, transcription, and data annotation.

### Feb 2018 - Department of Psychology, Research Assistant

Nov 2018 National University of Singapore

Part-time position with the Auditory English Lexicon Project, supervised by A/P Winston Goh and A/P Melvin Yap. Assisted with audio recording, file processing, and data collection.

# Research Projects

# 2019 Rhythm in Singapore English, Mandarin, and English-Mandarin code-switching

Honors Thesis

Investigated phonological patterns of code-switching in Singapore and how these patterns vary according to social variables, such as gender and social class. Rhythmic patterns of English-Mandarin code-switches in read speech for five types of passages were analyzed: standard Singapore English, Mandarin, Singlish, standard English-Mandarin, and Singlish Mandarin.

# 2018 English-Mandarin code-switching in Singapore

Independent Study Module

Investigated English-Mandarin code-switching practices of Chinese Singaporean university students in a casual game setting using quantitative and qualitative analyses, and identified challenges that come with analyzing code-switching in a Singaporean context.