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 - Present   **Multiple Publications, Freelance Writer**
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 https://yinlintan.github.io/writing/.

Oct 2020 - Feb 2021   **TODAY, Journalism Trainee**
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 - Oct 2020   **KrASIA, Journalism Intern**
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 - Sep 2020   **RICE Media, Editorial Intern**
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 ([Winner](#))
         Stories of a Pandemic Awards, Best Story ([Merit](#))
         Stories of a Pandemic Awards, Best Story ([Merit](#))

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

<u>Skills</u>	Copywriting	Content writing
	Editing	Translation (English-Mandarin)
	Transcription	HTML/CSS
	Photography	R
<u>Software</u>	Photoshop	Premiere Pro
	Illustrator	Audition
	Audacity	Microsoft Suite
	ELAN	PRAAT
<u>Languages</u>	Native:	English, Mandarin Chinese
	Basic:	Korean, Japanese, French
	Receptive:	Hokkien, Teochew

Research Summary

Areas of Interest

Multilingualism, code-switching, language and identity, migrant communities, 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 - May 2020	**Department of English Language and Literature, Research Assistant** *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 - Nov 2018	**Department of Psychology, Research Assistant** *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.