

# WANTENG MA

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## EDUCATION

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<b>University of Pennsylvania, the Wharton School</b> Ph.D. in Statistics	2024 - 2029
<b>The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology</b> M.Phil. in Mathematics	2021 - 2024
<b>Zhejiang University, Chu Kochen Honors College</b> B.S. in Statistics (with honors). Ranking: Top 2% (1/64) B.B.A. in Management Information Systems	2017 - 2021

## RESEARCH INTERESTS

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High-dimensional Inference, Multiple Testing, Online Decision Making

## PUBLICATIONS AND MANUSCRIPTS

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- [1]: Optimal Regularized Online Allocation by Adaptive Re-Solving. [\[pdf\]](#)  
Wanteng Ma, Ying Cao, Danny H.K. Tsang, and Dong Xia.  
*Operations Research*, 2024.
- [2]: Multiple Testing of Linear Forms for Noisy Matrix Completion. [\[pdf\]](#)  
Wanteng Ma, Lilun Du, Dong Xia, and Ming Yuan.  
Submitted.
- [3]: High-dimensional Linear Bandits with Knapsacks. [\[pdf\]](#)  
Wanteng Ma, Dong Xia, and Jiashuo Jiang.  
*The 41st International Conference on Machine Learning (ICML 2024)*

## AWARDS AND SCHOLARSHIPS

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<b>RedBird Award</b> , HKUST	2021
<b>Hong Kong PhD Fellowship</b> , Research Grants Council of HK <i>Top 300 among all the PhD students in Hong Kong</i>	2021
<b>Outstanding Graduate</b> , Zhejiang University	2021
<b>National Scholarship</b> , Ministry of Education of the P.R.C. <i>Top 1% among all the students in the Chu Kochen Honors College</i>	2019
<b>Scholarship for Excellence</b> , CKC College, Zhejiang University <i>Top 5% among all the students in the Chu Kochen Honors College</i>	2019
<b>First Prize in The Chinese Mathematics Competitions</b> , Zhejiang Mathematical Society	2019

## ACADEMIC SERVICE

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**Reviewer for the following journals:**

Journal of Machine Learning Research (**JMLR**), Journal of Econometrics (**JOE**), Journal of the American Statistical Association (**JASA**), Journal of Computational and Graphical Statistics (**JCGS**), Transactions on Pattern Analysis and Machine Intelligence (**TPAMI**).

**Conference/Seminar presentations:**

- **14th POMS-HK International Conference**

HKUST, Hong Kong SAR

*Jan 5-6, 2024*

- **International Seminar on Selective Inference**

Online Seminar

*April 11, 2024*

## **PROGRAMMING SKILLS**

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**Proficient at:** Matlab, R, Python, PyTorch

**Familiar with:** C, Java, SQL

## **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

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**TA in the Hong Kong University of Science and Technology:**

MATH 1013 - Calculus IB

*2023 Fall*

MATH 3424 - Regression Analysis

*2023 Spring*

MATH 4424 - Multivariate Analysis

*2022 Fall*

MATH 2411 - Applied Statistics

*2022, 2024 Spring*