# Zekai Lu

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## **EDUCATION**

LL.B. Sociology, Guangzhou University (Undergraduate & Grade 3)

## **APPOINTMENTS**

2019 – Guangzhou university Research Assistant, Department of Sociology

2021 – Guangzhou university
Research Assistant, Center for Brain and Cognitive Sciences, School of Education

## **RESEARCH AREAS**

Sociology: Medical sociology; Computational sociology; Media Sociology and Gender sociology.

Psychology: Behavioral Psychology, Criminal Psychology and Social Psychology

**Methodology**: Traditional metrology(including Mixed linear models, Structural equation modelling, LCA/LPA and so on); Big data processing; Social network analysis; Machine learning(including Deep learning, and Natural Language Processing); Causal inference (Rubin Counterfactual Framework and Pearl's DAG); Meta-analysis

**Programming Language**: Python(skilled), R(skilled), Stata(skilled), MATLAB, Netlogo, and Mplus(skilled).

## **PUBLICATIONS**

Journal Articles<sup>1</sup>

In English

**Zekai Lu**, Liu, N.; Xie, Y.; Xu, J. Time Series Analysis and Forecasting of China's Energy Production during Covid-19: Statistical Models vs Machine Learning Models. *Sustainable* 

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- Energy Technologies and Assessments 2022, https://doi.org/10.21203/rs.3.rs-1074872/v3. (SCIJCRQ1 IF=5.353) (Accept)
- Liu, Nian, Zekai Lu, and Ying Xie. 2022. 'Tracking Study on the Relapse and Aftercare Effect of Drug Patients Released From a Compulsory Isolated Detoxification Center'. Frontiers in Psychiatry 12 (January): 699074. https://doi.org/10/gn458v. (SSCI JCRQ1 IF=4.157)
- Rong, hu, Ziyao Zeng, **Zekai Lu\***, Ying Xie. 2022. 'Changing Perception of Macro-Distributive Justice in China: Comparative Analysis Based on CGSS2005 and CGSS2015'. *China: an international journal.* https://doi.org/10.21203/rs.3.rs-990615/v1 *(SSCI JCRQ3 IF=0.675)* (Accept)
- 2021 Xu, Junhui, **Zekai Lu**, and Ying Xie. 2021. 'Loan Default Prediction of Chinese P2P Market: A Machine Learning Methodology'. *Scientific Reports* 11 (September): 18759. https://doi.org/10/gmwnfz. *(SCI JCRQ1 IF= 4.380)*
- Liu, Nian, **Zekai Lu**, and Ying Xie. 2021. 'Factors Affecting the Public Acceptance of Extramarital Sex in China'. *International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health* 18 (11): 5767. https://doi.org/10.3390/ijerph18115767. *(SSCI JCRQ1 IF=3.390)*

#### In Chinese

- 2022 Liu, Nian; **Lu, Zekai**\*, and Ying Xie. 2021. 'Implement various mediation models with R software package processr.' *China Health Statistics (CSCD)* (Accept)
- 2021 **Lu, Zekai**, and Xie, Ying. 2021. 'A study of public opinion texts on the "Sino-US diplomatic storm" in microblogs: a word vector sentiment analysis based on R language'. *Media Watch*, no. 02: 54-61. https://doi.org/10.19480/j.cnki.cmgc.2021.02.007. *(CSSCI)*
- Lu, Zekai, Yaya Wang, and Ying Xie. n.d. 'Shui Shi Fu Pin Dui Xiang Ji Yu Sui Ji Sen Lin de Fu Pin Shi Bie Ban Fa'. *China Market*. 2021, 22-23+36. https://doi.org/10.13939/j.cnki.zgsc.2021.25.022

## **Conference Proceedings**

- Lu, Zekai, Yaya Wang, and Ying Xie. n.d. 'Shui Shi Fu Pin Dui Xiang Ji Yu Sui Ji Sen Lin de Fu Pin Shi Bie Ban Fa'. In 'East and Western Poverty Alleviation and Comprehensive Well off' Academic Round Table and the 2nd 'Guangzhou · Weinan Summit Forum'.

  Guangzhou, China
- 2020 **Lu, Zekai**, and Ying Xie. 2020. 'wei bo zhong de "zhong mei wai jiao feng bo" yu qing wen ben yan jiu ji yu R yu yan de ci xiang liang qing gan fen xi'. In *Chinese Sociology Annual Conference (Internet Sociology)*. Shanghai, China.
- Lu Zekai, Wang Yayu, Xie Ying, 2020. 'What we can learn about urban governance in the epidemic: a textual analysis of the Guangzhou Health Commission documents during Covid-19'. Presented at the First Chinese Political Science Undergraduate Symposium, South China Normal University, Guangzhou.

# **GRANTS AND AWARDS**

# **Awards and Honors**

2021	First prize for thesis in First Chinese Political Science Undergraduate Symposium
2021	First-class scholarship of Guangzhou University
2021	Outstanding student at Guangzhou University
2021	Excellent academic scale of Guangzhou University
2021	The second prize of the College Challenge Cup of Guangzhou University
2020	Third-class scholarship of Guangzhou University

# **Grants and Fellowships**

- 2020–21 Provincial scientific research projects for college students (¥7000)
- 2020–21 College Challenge Cup of Guangzhou University (¥2500)