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EDUCATION

- 2024 Ph.D in Sociology, McGill University
(expected)
- Graduate Option in *Gender and Women's Studies*
 - Committee: Eran Shor (*advisor*), Céline Le Bourdais and Sarah Brauner-Otto
- 2015 MSc in Sociology, University of Oxford
- 2014 B.A. in Interdisciplinary Program of Humanities and Social Sciences (*Honours*),
National Tsing Hua University

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Sex, Gender, and Sexuality; Marriage and Family; Social Stratification; Cultural Sociology, Mixed-Methods

PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

- Brauner-Otto, Sarah, **Chih-lan Winnie Yang** and Ka U Ng. (2023) "[Women's Employment Trajectories in a Low-income Setting: Stratification and Change in Nepal](#)", *Demographic Research*. 49(8):157-200.
- Cheng, Yen-hsin Alice and **Chih-lan Winnie Yang**. (2021) "[Continuity and Changes in Attitudes toward Marriage in Contemporary Taiwan](#)", *Journal of Population Research*. 38:139-167.

ARTICLES UNDER REVIEW

- Yang, Chih-lan Winnie**. "Marriage, Cohabitation and Institutional Contexts: Household Specialization among Same-Sex and Different-Sex Couples",
Revise & Resubmit to the *Journal of Marriage and Family*
- Denier, Nicole, **Chih-lan Winnie Yang**, Xavier St-Denis and Sean Waite. "Wage Trajectories of Individuals in Same-Sex and Different-Sex Couples: Evidence from Administrative Data",
Revise & Resubmit to *Research in Social Stratification and Mobility*
- Yang, Chih-lan Winnie**, Nicole Denier, Xavier St-Denis and Sean Waite. "[Studying Individuals in Same-Sex Couples Using Longitudinal Administrative Data from Canadian Tax Records: Opportunities and Challenges](#)"
Revise & Resubmit to *Demographic Research*

MANUSCRIPTS IN PROGRESS

- Yang, Chih-lan Winnie**. "Marriage, Assimilation, and Cultural Change Among Gender and Sexual Minorities in Post Marriage Equality Canada"
- Yang, Chih-lan Winnie**, Xavier St-Denis, Gaëlle Simard-Duplain and Nicole Denier. "Social Mobility, Assortative Mating and Gender Disparities Among Sexual Minorities"
- Yang, Chih-lan Winnie**. "LGBTQ+ Experiences of Marriage in the Context of Marriage Equality in Canada"
(International Collaboration of the "[Queer Marriage Project](#)" with Drs. D'Lane Compton and Gayle Kaufman)
- St-Denis, Xavier and **Chih-lan Winnie Yang**. "Intergenerational Transmission of Income in Young Adulthood: A Life Course Perspective on the Accumulation of Disadvantage over the Careers of Canadian Women and Men"

Ng, Ka U, **Chih-lan Winnie Yang** and Sarah Brauner-Otto. “Parental Migration Experience and Children’s Marriage Timing in Nepal”

St-Denis, Xavier, Gaëlle Simard-Duplain and **Chih-lan Winnie Yang**. “Documenting and Explaining Gender Variations in Social Mobility Patterns”

OTHER PUBLICATIONS

St-Denis, Xavier and **Chih-lan Winnie Yang**. (2022) “[Intergenerational Transmission of Socio-economic Status and Intragenerational Mobility over the Early Life Course of Canadian Women and Men](#)”. *Research on Education + Skills (RIES)*.

SELECT PRESENTATIONS

Yang, Chih-lan Winnie, “How Times Have Changed—Cultural Models of Marriage Among Gender and Sexual Minorities”, Annual Meeting of the *American Sociological Association* (Culture Section Roundtable), 2023

Yang, Chih-lan Winnie, Nicole Denier and Xavier St-Denis. “Insights on Studying Individuals in Same-Sex Couples Using the Longitudinal Administrative Databank”, Annual Conference of the *Canadian Sociological Association*, 2023

Denier, Nicole, **Chih-lan Winnie Yang**, Xavier St-Denis and Sean Waite. “Wage Trajectories of Individuals in Same-Sex and Different-Sex Couples: Evidence from Administrative Data”, Annual Meeting of the *Population Association of America*, 2023

Yang, Chih-lan Winnie, Xavier St-Denis, Gaëlle Simard-Duplain and Nicole Denier. “Social Mobility, Assortative Mating and Gender Disparities Among Sexual Minorities”, Annual Meeting of the *Population Association of America* (Poster Session), 2023

Yang, Chih-lan Winnie. “Couple-Level Sociodemographic Predictors of Marriage Among Same-Sex and Different-Sex Couples—Comparing English and French Canada”, Annual Meeting of the *Canadian Population Society*, 2022

Yang, Chih-lan Winnie. “Changing Couple-Level Socioeconomic Predictors of Marriage Among Same-Sex and Different-Sex Couples in Canada between 2006 and 2016”, Annual Meeting of the *Population Association of America*, 2022

Yang, Chih-lan Winnie. “Marriage Equality or Socioeconomic Inequality? Couple-Level Socioeconomic Predictors of Same-Sex Marriage in Canada between 2006 and 2016”, Annual Meeting of the *Canadian Population Society*, 2021

EMPLOYMENT

2022-2023 Research Assistant
SSHRC Insight Grant and University of Alberta. “Sexual Orientation and the Canadian Labour Market: New Data and New Insights”, with Dr. Nicole Denier

2016-2017 Research Assistant
Institute of Sociology, Academia Sinica, Taiwan, with Dr. Yen-hsin Alice Cheng

FELLOWSHIPS AND GRANTS

2021-2022 Co-investigator
Canadian Research Data Centre Network and *Women and Gender Equality Canada* (\$69,980). “Unpacking the Gendered Dimensions of Social Mobility in Canada, Using an Intersectional Approach”, with Dr. Xavier St-Denis and Dr. Gaëlle Simard-Duplain

2020-2021 Research Fellowship
The Research Initiative on Education and Skills and the Institut national de la recherche scientifique. “The Intergenerational Transmission of Income in Young Adulthood: A Life Course Perspective on the Accumulation of Disadvantage”, with Dr. Xavier St-Denis

2020-2021 Quantitative Analysis Graduate Research Training Fellowship

Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada, “Women’s Work and Child Wellbeing Across the Life-course: Evidence from Nepal”, with Dr. Sarah Brauner-Otto

AWARDS AND HONOURS

2023	Oswald Hall Dissertation Fellowship in Sociology (\$2,817)
2023	Prof. Erin Strumpf Graduate Award (\$500)
2022	Dr. Céline Le Bourdais Distinguished James McGill Professor Graduate Research Fund (\$5,000)
2021 & 2022	Charles Bronfman and Alex Paterson Top-Up Awards (\$10,000), <i>McGill Institute for the Study of Canada</i>
2021	Graduate Student Paper Award, <i>Canadian Population Society</i> (\$500)
2020	<i>Quebec Inter-University Centre for Social Statistics</i> Entrance Scholarship (\$2,000)
2020	<i>Canadian Research Data Centre Network</i> Emerging Scholars Grant (\$1,000)
2020	Margaret Gillett Graduate Research Award (\$500), <i>Institute for Gender, Sexuality and Feminist Studies</i> , McGill University
2017-2021	Government Scholarship for Overseas Study (\$168,000 USD), Ministry of Education, Taiwan (ROC)

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Guest Lectures

2023	“Sex, Gender and Same-Sex Couples in Tax Data”, Bootcamp on Administrative Data Analysis, <i>Quebec Inter-University Centre for Social Statistics</i> and the Institut national de la recherche scientifique
2023	“Family”, Sociological Perspectives, McGill University

Teaching Assistantships at McGill University

2020	Sociological Perspectives
2020	Social Stratification
2018 & 2019	Family and Modern Society

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

2023	<i>Canadian Sociological Association</i> , Session Co-organizer “Research on LGBTQ2S+ Communities using Survey and Administrative Data”
2023	Ad Hoc Reviewer, <i>Demographic Research</i>
2022-	Student Representative, <i>Quebec Inter-University Centre for Social Statistics</i> Management Committee
2022	Student Representative, Hiring Committee, McGill Graduate Sociology Student Association
2019-2021	Student Representative, Academic Committee, McGill Graduate Sociology Student Association

TRAINING

2021	Causal Inference with Observational Data: Dealing with Unobserved Variables and Reverse Causality, Research and Expertise Centre for Survey Methodology Winter Methods School
2021	Introduction to R Workshop, <i>Quebec Inter-University Centre for Social Statistics</i>
2020	Longitudinal Analysis, Including Categorical Outcomes, ICPSR Summer Program
2020	Multilevel and Mixed Models Using Stata, ICPSR Summer Program
2017	Summer Institute on Sexuality, Culture and Society, University of Amsterdam

AFFILIATIONS AND MEMBERSHIPS

- American Sociological Association
- Population Association of America
- Canadian Sociological Association
- Canadian Population Society
- Centre on Population Dynamics, McGill University
- Centre for the Study of Democratic Citizenship, McGill University