

# MENGYING XIE



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## EDUCATION

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Tsinghua University, School of Public Policy and Management, Beijing, China	09/2022–06/2026 (Expected)
– PhD Candidate in Public Policy (Supervisor: Prof. Ling Chen)	
London School of Economics and Political Science (LSE), London, United Kingdom	09/2019 – 06/2021
– MSc, Global Political Economy of China and Europe (with Distinction)	
Fudan University, Shanghai, China	09/2019 – 06/2021
– MA, Public Policy	
Nankai University, China	
– B.A., International Politics	09/2015 – 06/2019

## VISTING AFFILIATIONS

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University of Oxford, Oxford, United Kingdom	01/2025 – 06/2025
– Visiting PhD Student in the Department of Politics and International Relations	
The University of California at Berkeley, United States	07/2017 – 08/2017
– Exchange Student with Full scholarship	

## RESEARCH INTERESTS

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Global governance (transnational climate governance, private regulation); international development (foreign aid, Belt and Road Initiative); sustainable development (gender equality, green infrastructure, energy transition)

## RESEARCH

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### Books

Ling Chen, Yue Yang, and Mengying Xie, *Interactions between Carbon Market Mechanisms and Global Linkages: Theory, Practice, and Future* (《碳市场机制互动与全球链接：理论、实践与未来》) (Under Contract with The Shanghai People's Press)

### Peer-reviewed Articles

Mengying Xie, “Network effects of international environmental agreements on domestic climate governance,” [in Chinese] *World Economics and Politics* (世界经济与政治), No.4, 2025, Forthcoming.

Ling Chen and Mengying Xie, “How do hard regimes absorb, overlap, and squeeze out soft regimes? Insights from global carbon markets,” *Global Public Policy and Governance*, Vol. 3, No. 1, 2023, pp. 60-85.

Yao Wen, Mengying Xie, and Chong Chen, “Explaining the wave of foreign participation in Chinese Belt and Road Initiative: Evidence from spatial analyses,” [in Chinese] *World Economics and Politics* (世界经济与政治), No. 2, 2021, pp. 134-154.

### Under Revision/Review

Mengying Xie and Ling Chen, “Private governance in climate mitigation: A global comparison of corporate participate in voluntary carbon markets.” (Revise and Resubmit at *Journal of Comparative Policy Analysis*)

Mengying Xie and Yijia Jing, “Rewarding women’s political empowerment? The effects of gender equality on foreign aid allocation” (Revise and Resubmit at *Public Administration and Development*)

Mengying Xie and Ling Chen, “A new window of opportunity? Explaining the influence of China’s involvement in energy transitions across developing countries” (Under Review)

## Working Papers

Mengying Xie and Yixian Sun, “Global ties, local leverages: Transnational public-private initiatives and domestic corporate lobbying”

## Policy Reports

“GIZ Policy Challenge in Asia: China’s infrastructure development efforts in Asia” (LSE policy incubator project)

## TEACHING ASSISTANT

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Industrial Development and Governance Policy, Professor Ling Chen, Tsinghua University

Fall 2023

## CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

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Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association (APSA), USA, September 2024

Political Economy of Climate and the Environment (PECE) Conference, USA, September 2024

International Conference on China Policy Studies (ICCPs), China, June 2024

Annual Meeting of the American Society for Public Administration (ASPA), USA, March 2024

Annual Convention of the International Studies Association (ISA), USA, March 2024

International Conference on Industrial Policy, Thailand, August 2023

China Energy Modeling Forum (CEMF), China, April 2023

## HONORS & AWARDS (SELECTED)

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Scholarship to Study at the University of Oxford, Tsinghua University 2025

Gold Award for Outstanding Practice Team in Cambodia, Tsinghua University 2023

The Scholarship of Postgraduates, Tsinghua University 2023

Outstanding MA Thesis Award, Institute for Global Public Policy of Fudan University 2021

Best Overall Performance Award, London School of Economics and Political Science 2020

Fudan University Rongchang Scholarship for Global Governance 2020

Scholarship to Study at LSE, China Scholarship Council 2019-2020

Outstanding Graduate of Class 2019, Nankai University 2019

Outstanding Participant in Global Youth Leadership Academy, UN ITCILO 2019

Full Scholarship to Visit the University of California at Berkeley 2017

National Scholarship, Ministry of Education of China 2017-2018

The First-Class Scholarship of Undergraduates, Nankai University 2015-2017

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCES & INTERNSHIPS

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Member of the Global Alliance of Universities on Climate (GAUC) Youth Delegation at COP 29, Baku, Azerbaijan 11/2024

Intern at China Road and Bridge Corporation, Phnom Penh, Cambodia 06/2023 – 08/2023

Researcher at the Center for Industrial Development and Environmental Governance, Tsinghua University 09/2022 – present

Researcher at Beijing Institute of Talent Development Strategy, Beijing, China 07/2021 – 10/2021

Intern at GIZ (The Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit GmbH), Beijing, China	02/2021 – 05/2021
Intern at the Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank Headquarters, Beijing, China	05/2019 – 07/2019
Trainee at the United Nations International Training Center of the ILO (ITCILO), Italy and Switzerland	01/2019 – 02/2019
Intern at the EU Project Innovation Center, Chengdu, China	01/2018 – 02/2018

## SERVICE AND PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIP

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Anonymous Reviewer for: *Environmental Politics*  
American Political Science Association  
International Studies Association

## LANGUAGES & COMPUTER SKILLS

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**Languages:** Chinese (native), English (fluent)  
**Computer:** R, Stata, L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X, Microsoft Office (PowerPoint, Excel, Word, etc.)

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