CURRICULUM VITAE

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EDUCATION

2022-Now	PhD, Planning and Public Policy Rutgers The State University of New Jersey, New Brunswick, NJ
2018-2020	MSc, Urban Ecological Planning Norwegian University of Science and Technology, Trondheim, Norway
2019-2020	Exchange Certificate, Transport and Geoinformation Technology KTH Royal Institute of Technology, Stockholm, Sweden
2013-2014	MA, Social Service Management The Chinese University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong, China
2009-2013	BA, Social Work Zhejiang Gongshang University, Hangzhou, China

ACADEMIC POSITIONS

2024- Now	Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey, New Brunswick, NJ Teaching Assistant (Full-time)
2022- Now	Alan M. Voorhees Transportation Center, Rutgers, New Brunswick, NJ Research Assistant (Part-time)
2020	United Nations Human Settlements Programme (UN-Habitat), New York, NY Intern
2019	Nordregio (Nordic Centre for Spatial Development), Stockholm, Sweden Intern Research Fellow
2014	Risk Society and Policy Research Center, NTU, Taipei, Taiwan Research Intern

RESEARCH PROJECTS

2025	E-Bike Rebates and Increased Ridership: Lessons Learned and Policy Recommendations for New Jersey
	Research Assistant (Principal Investigator: Dr. Hannah Younes, Rutgers)
2023-2024	Healthcare Accessibility in New Jersey: Insights from Online Reviews Independent Study (Supervised by Dr. Michael Smart, Rutgers)
2022-2023	Improving Food Access, Addressing Needs of Sensitive Communities, and Improving Transit Facilities Research Assistant (Principal Investigator: Dr. Michael Smart, Rutgers)
2023	Powering Bikeshare in New York City: Does the Usage of E-Bikes Differ from Regular Bikes
	Independent Study (Supervised by Dr. Michael Smart & Dr. Robert Noland, Rutgers)
2020	Influences of Studying Abroad in Swedish Metropolises on Young Adults' Travel Behavior and Attitudes: A Qualitative Inquiry from the Life Course Perspective
	Master Thesis (Supervised by Dr. Peter Andreas Gotsch, NTNU)
2019	Sino-European Innovative Green and Smart Cities (SiEUGreen) Intern Research Fellow (Principal Investigator: Dr. Luciane Aguiar Borges, Nordregio)
2018	Joint Studio on Smart Sustainable City Region in Bhopal, India Participatory Planning Fieldwork (Supervised by Dr. Rolee Aranya, NTNU)
2014	Effects of Gender Equality on Fertility Rate: An Internationally Comparative Research
	Research Intern (Principal Investigator: Dr. Lih-Rong Wang, NTU)
2013-2014	How Does Stronger Downward Accountability Contribute to Effectiveness of Service Delivery
	Master Thesis (Supervised by Jacky Kin-Fu Pang, CUHK)

JOURNAL ARTICLES

- [1] [Peer Reviewed] Xie, Yingning, and Michael J. Smart. "Attractive Accessibility: Exploring Disparities in Attributes of Primary Care Physicians in New Jersey" *Health & Place* (2025): 103535.
- [2] [Peer Reviewed] Xie, Yingning, Michael J. Smart, and Robert B. Noland. "Powering Bikeshare in New York City: Does the Usage of E-Bikes Differ from Regular Bikes?" Transportation Planning and Technology (2024): 875-902.
- [3] Xie, Ningning. "Towards a Smarter City: Bringing the Marginalized into Focus through Participatory Action Planning." *Kart og Plan* 112, no. 3 (2019): 212–29.

BLOG ARTICLES

- [1] Xie, Yingning. "Pedaling Toward Access: How E-Bikes Could Bridge the Healthcare Gap." *New Jersey State Policy Lab*, July 28, 2025. https://policylab.rutgers.edu/publication/pedaling-toward-access-how-e-bikes-could-brid ge-the-healthcare-gap/.
- [2] Younes, Hannah, Leigh Ann Von Hagen, Jacob Thompson, and Yingning Xie. "The E-Bike Boom: What It Means for New Jersey's Streets and Transportation Future." New Jersey State Policy Lab, April 21, 2025. https://policylab.rutgers.edu/publication/the-e-bike-boom-what-it-means-for-new-jerseys-streets-and-transportation-future/.
- [3] Xie, Ningning. "Studying Abroad in Stockholm: Incentivising Young Adults Towards Greener Mobility." *LSE Middle East Centre Blog.* LSE Middle East Centre, January 9, 2022.https://blogs.lse.ac.uk/mec/2022/01/09/studying-abroad-in-stockholm-incentivising-young-adults-towards-greener-mobility/.

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

- [1] Xie, Yingning, Michael J. Smart. "Spatial Accessibility of Quality Primary Care Physicians: A Case Study of Atlantic County, New Jersey" Poster presentation at the 104th Transportation Research Board (TRB) Annual Meeting. Washington D.C., January 2025.
- [2] Smart, Michael J., Ricardo Vera, and Yingning Xie. "Approaches to Addressing Homelessness on Transit: Interviews with US Operators" Poster presentation at the 104th Transportation Research Board (TRB) Annual Meeting. Washington D.C., January 2025.
- [3] Xie, Yingning, Michael J. Smart. "Healthcare Accessibility in New Jersey: Exploring Disparities in Provider Attributes and Attractiveness" Paper presented at the 64th Annual Conference of the Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning. Seattle. WA, November 2024.
- [4] Xie, Yingning, Michael J. Smart, and Robert B. Noland. "Powering Bikeshare in New York City: Does the Usage of E-Bikes Differ from Regular Bikes?" Poster presentation at the 103rd Transportation Research Board (TRB) Annual Meeting. Washington D.C., January 2024.
- [5] Xie, Yingning, Michael J. Smart, and Robert B. Noland. "Powering Bikeshare in New York City: Does the Usage of E-Bikes Differ from Regular Bikes?" Paper presented at the 63rd Annual Conference of the Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning. Chicago, IL, October 2023.
- [6] Xie, Ningning. "Studying Abroad in Stockholm: Incentivising Young Adults Towards Greener Mobility." Presented at the LSE Middle East Centre Online Roundtable: (Re)thinking Streets in Low Urban Densities. September 2021.

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TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Edward J. Bloustein School of Planning and Public Policy, Rutgers University

2024 - Now 34:833:543 Economics and Public Policy (Teaching Assistant) 34:501:512 Health Care Economics (Teaching Assistant)

ACADEMIC SERVICE

2024 - 2025 Journal Reviewer, Transport Policy (ISSN: 0967-070X)

Journal Reviewer, Transportation Research Part D: Transport and Environment

Reviewer, the 104th Transportation Research Board (TRB) Annual Meeting

GRANTS & AWARDS

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2025	Howard Leventhal Scholarship, \$4,000 Rutgers Institute for Health (IFH)
2025	Donald A. Krueckeberg Memorial Scholarship, \$2,000 per year Bloustein School of Planning and Public Policy
2025	Rutgers Climate and Energy Institute Student Support Fund, \$1,500 Rutgers Climate and Energy Institute
2024-2025	SGS Conference and Research Travel Award, \$1,000 per year Rutgers School of Graduate Studies
2022-2024	Conference Travel Fund Bloustein School of Planning and Public Policy
2024	Best Graduate Poster, the 3 rd Annual Bloustein Research Day Bloustein School of Planning and Public Policy
2023	Angelides Pilot Grant, \$3,000 (Principal Investigator: Dr. Michael Smart) Bloustein School of Planning and Public Policy
2022-2024	Rutgers Bloustein Excellence Fellowship Rutgers The State University of New Jersey
2020	Scholarship for Internship at International Organizations, \$7,200 China Scholarship Council
2019	Erasmus+ Scholarship for Study Exchange Programme, €2,300 The European Commission
2018	Scholarship for Urban Ecological Planning Fieldwork, NOK 40,000 Norwegian Centre for International Cooperation in Education (SIU)

NON-ACADEMIC POSITION

2015-2018 Thinktown Education, Hangzhou, China

English Instructor

SKILLS

Languages English (Proficient), Chinese (Mandarin, Hokkien) (Native Speaker)

Data Analysis ArcGIS Pro, RStudio, Python, STATA, SPSS, NVivo