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EDUCATION

<i>Ph.D</i> , School of Sociology The University of Arizona, Tucson, AZ	Aug. 2015 - Present
<i>Master of Law</i> , Department of Sociology Peking University, Beijing, China	Sept. 2011 - July 2014
<i>Bachelor of Law</i> , Department of Sociology Peking University, Beijing, China	Sept. 2007 - July 2011

RESERACH INTERESTS

ICTs and Social Movements, Social Networks, Organizations, Statistical Methods,
Computational Sociology, Social Stratification, Demography

WORKING PAPERS

- “Premarital Cohabitation and Marital Disruption: Testing the Cohabitation Effect in China.” JMF (R&R).
- “Persistent School Segregation amid Three Types of Change: A Grade-Period-Cohort Analysis.” Demography (Under Review/With Jeremy Fiel).
- “Media Tones in News Coverage of Social Movements in the United States.” In Progress.

PRESENTATIONS

May 2014. Population Association of America Annual Conference, Boston, MA.

- “Premarital Cohabitation and Marital Disruption: Using Propensity Score Matching to Analyze the Cohabitation Effect in Urban China.”

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

<i>Department of Sociology, Peking University.</i>	July – August 2013
Social Management and Innovation Project in Zhoushan.	(Project Assistant)
• Data Collection and Interviewing with Directors of the Zhoushan Local Government.	

Sun Yat-Sen University, Shanghai University and Peking University. April – June 2013
Urban Village Survey in Shenzhen. (Project Supervisor)
• Data Collection, Data Cleaning and Report Writing.

Kerry Group Kuok Foundation and Peking University. 2012
The Evaluation for KGKFs Antipoverty Project in Inner Mongolia. (Project Manager)
• Project Designing, Funding Management, Member Recruitment, Field Studies, Report Writing, and Conferences.

Civil Society Research Center, Peking University. 2011 – 2012
The Evaluation for the CRCF-Sponsored Public Bidding Projects for the Reconstruction of Wenchuan Earthquake-hit Area. (Project Assistant)
• Data Collection, Data Cleaning, Interviewing with over 10 NGO Leaders, and Report Writing.

SCHOLARSHIPS AND GRANTS

- 2015–2016 Sociology Tuition Scholarship (\$5,520), University of Arizona
- 2015–2016 SBS Graduate College Fellowship (\$10,000), University of Arizona
- 2012–2013 Graduate National Scholarship (RMB 20,000), Ministry of Education, PRC
- 2012–2013 Graduate First-class Fellowship, Peking University
- 2011–2012 Samsung Scholarship (RMB 10,000), Peking University

MEMBERSHIPS

- American Sociological Association, Student Member
- Population Association of America, Student Member
- American Association for the Advancement of Science, Student Member

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

School of Sociology, University of Arizona

- Sports and Society, Teaching Assistant, 2016–2017
- Political Sociology, Instructor, Winter 2016
- Social Issues in America, Teaching Assistant, Fall 2015

PROFESSIONAL SKILLS

Languages: English (fluent), Chinese (native), French (basic)

Programming Skills: Python, R, CSS, HTML

Software: QGIS, Stata, SPSS

REFERENCES

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