Yunlong Song

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EDUCATION

Ph.D. in Economics, Singapore Management University 2020-2025 (Expected) M.S. in Economics , Singapore Management University 2019-2020 B.Mgt. in Accounting, Ningbo University 2015-2019

RESEARCH FIELDS

Primary: Urban and Regional Economics, Spatial Economics, International Trade

Secondary: Chinese Economy

WORKING PAPERS

Physical and Human Capital Accumulation in a Spatial Economy (JMP), with Lin Ma and Yang Tang

- Develop a dynamic spatial model with workers' skill acquisition and spatial accumulation
- Show that capital accumulation amplifies welfare gains and intensifies inequality across skill types, while skill acquisition attenuates impacts on skill premiums
- Highlight the critical role of capital-skill interactions in shaping aggregate and spatial impacts

The Spatial General Equilibrium Impacts of FDI, with Lin Ma

- o Develop a dynamic spatial model with FDI productivity spillover
- o Estimate prefectural-level FDI barriers in China; identify FDI spillover elasticity and investment elasticity
- o Find strong positive welfare impacts of inward FDI on Chinese cities

ACADEMIC EXPERIENCES

Research Assistant, for Liugang Sheng, The Chinese University of Hong Kong

2023-2024

Teaching Assistant, Singapore Management University

2021-2024

International Trade: Theory and Policy (Master, Autumn 2024); Principles of Economics 1 (Master, Spring 2024); Labor Economics (UG, Autumn 2022, Spring 2023); International Trade (PhD, Autumn 2022); Urban Economics and Policy (UG, Autumn 2021)

Instructor, Singapore Management University

2021-2023

MSE Math Camp (Master), Autumn 2021, Autumn 2022, Autumn 2023

TALKS AND CONFERENCES

- o 2024 Asia Pacific Trade Seminars, Bangkok, June 2024
- $\circ\,$ NTU Brownbag Workshop, Singapore, March 2023
- o SMU International Trade Study Group, 2022-2024

HONORS AND SCHOLARSHIPS

- o Presidential Doctoral Fellowship, Singapore Management University, 2023-2024
- PhD Scholarship, Singapore Management University, 2020-2024
- Best First Year Award, PhD in Economics, Singapore Management University, 2021
- o SOE Excellence in Econometrics Award, Singapore Management University, 2020

SKILLS

Programming: MATLAB, Stata, Latex, R

Language: English, Chinese