

# Feng Zixiao

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Hong Kong

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## Education

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| • <b>Hong Kong Baptist University</b><br><i>Master of Science in Applied Economics; GPA:3.80/4.00; Distinction; Merit Award 2021-22</i> | <b>2021-2022</b> |
| • <b>Simon Fraser University, Canada</b><br>Certificate in Translation and Interpretation CN-EN   | <b>2018-2019</b> |
| • <b>Wilfrid Laurier University, Canada.</b><br><i>Honours Bachelor of Arts in Economics</i>  | <b>2014-2018</b> |

## Teaching Experience

Currently a Research Assistant at the Department of Economics, Hong Kong Baptist University.

- Teaching tutorial, R programming for graduate student
- Teaching Assistant, Microeconomics for graduate student
- Teaching Assistant, Statistics and Data Science for graduate student

## Research Projects

I independently completed a thesis paper related to fertility rate in the master's program.

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| <b>Graduate Thesis:</b> | • <i>Policy Analysis: Can financial incentive boosts fertility rate, evidence from Hong Kong</i>                                     |
| <b>Replication:</b>     | • Replicated Angrist and Evans (1998), "Children and Their Parents' Labor Supply: Evidence from Exogenous Variation in Family Size". |
| <b>Undergraduate:</b>   | • <i>Tobacco taxes and smoking rate in Canada during the period of Federal Tobacco Control Strategy (FTCS), 2002-2012</i>            |

## Programming Languages:

I am familiar with statistical programming with both **python** and **R**, and Macroeconomic modelling with **Julia**.

## Statistic Courses Taken

*(I am interested in all kinds of data-analytic topics)*

Economic Mathematics

Econometrics

Advanced Econometrics

Big Data Analysis

Time Series Analysis and Forecast

## Area of Interest:

Time series Analysis, Econometrics, Development Economics

## Examinations

IELTS: 7.0 (out of 9.0)

TOEFL (ibt): 96 (out of 120)

GRE: To Be Updated

## Working Experiences

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| <i>Research Assistant, Hong Kong Baptist University, Hong Kong</i> | <b>2022-</b>     |
| <i>Risk Management Assistant, Ant Financial, Shanghai, China</i>   | <b>2020-2021</b> |
| <i>Customer Advisor, Trip.com, Shanghai, China</i>                 | <b>2019-2020</b> |

## Extracurriculars

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| <i>Volunteer, Jenny Kyaw's constituency office, Vancouver, Canada</i>           | <b>2019</b>      |
| <i>Patrol Team Member, Chinese Community Policing Center, Vancouver, Canada</i> | <b>2019</b>      |
| <i>International Peer Mentor, Wilfrid Laurier University, Waterloo, Canada</i>  | <b>2016-2017</b> |