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ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT

Assistant Professor, School of Economics, Peking University, 2019–present

Lecturer, Department of Economics, National University of Singapore, 2017–2019

ACADEMIC AFFILIATION

Institute for Global Health and Development, Peking University, 2019–present

EDITORIAL SERVICE

Associate Editor, *Journal of Asian Economics*, 2025–present

EDUCATION

Ph.D, Economics, National University of Singapore, 2012–2017

B.S., Applied Mathematics, National University of Singapore, 2008–2012

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Health Economics; Development Economics; Environmental Economics.

PUBLICATIONS

1. [Cover more for less: Targeted drug coverage, chronic disease management, and medical spending](#) (with Julie Shi and Wanyu Yang), 2025, 103399, *Journal of Development Economics*.
2. [The quiet revolution: The send-down movement and female empowerment in rural China](#), (with Wenyi Lu and Chong Liu), 2025 (172): 103379, *Journal of Development Economics*.
3. [We've got you covered! The effect of public health insurance on rural entrepreneurship](#), (with Zhenggang Wang and Zenan Wu), July 2024, *Journal of Public Economics*.
4. [Health benefits from improved air quality: Evidence from the pollution regulations in China's "2+26" cities](#) (with Tingting Xie and Yong Wang), 2024 (87):1175–1221, *Environmental and Resource Economics*.
5. [Love, health and robots: Automation, Migration, and Family Responses in Rural China](#) (with Yaojing Wang and Ruini Zhu), 2024, (85): 102145, *China Economic Review*.

6. [Early childhood SARS experience leads to long-lasting impacts on adulthood mental health in China](#), (with Litian Chen, Chao Yang, and Tingting Xie), 2023, 13: 22572, *Scientific Reports*.
7. [Air pollution kills competition: Evidence from ESports](#) (with Jiawei Mo and Zenan Wu), 2023, (122): 102886, *Journal of Environmental Economics and Management*.
8. [Go with the wind: Spatial impacts of environmental regulations on economic activities in China](#) (with Tingting Xie), 2023 (164): 103139, *Journal of Development Economics*.
9. [Information, awareness, and mental health: Evidence from pollution disclosure in China](#) (with Tingting Xie and Hui Zhang), 2023, (120): 102827, *Journal of Environmental Economics and Management*.
10. [The Short- and long-run effects of medical malpractice lawsuits on medical spending and hospital operations in China](#) (with Gordon Liu, Junjian Yi, and Shaoyang Zhao), 51, no. 4 (2023): 1142-1161, *Journal of Comparative Economics*.
11. [The Consequences of health shocks on households: Evidence from China](#) (with Zhenjie Jin and Yajie Wang), *China Economic Review*, (2023): 101969.
12. [Cost-effectiveness of medical migration for chronic kidney disease: A national study in China](#) (with Yumeng Ao, Chao Yang, et al.), *BMC Health Service Research*, (2022) 22:912.
13. [Differential responses to market competition by private and public hospitals in China: a longitudinal analysis](#) (with Junjian Yi, and Shaoyang Zhao), *The Lancet*, 2019 (394): S37.
14. [The glorified mothers of sons: Evidence from sex composition and parental time allocation in rural China](#), (with Yi Fan, Junjian Yi, and Junsen Zhang), *Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization*, 2018 (145), 249-260.
15. [The dynamic effect of rural-to-urban migration on inequality in source villages: System GMM estimates from rural China](#), (with Wei Ha, Junjian Yi, and Junsen Zhang), *China Economic Review*, 2016, Volume 37, pp 27-39.

PUBLICATIONS IN CHINESE

1. [知识产权保护、人力资本与企业创新](#), (with 方晓晖 & 耿伟栋), *产业经济评论*, 2023 (05): 126-141.
2. [环境管制、税收贡献与企业能源效率—以“万家企业”政策为例](#), (with 王卓 & 周思扬), *经济科学*, 2024 (02): 115-140.

WORKING PAPERS

1. [The Effect of information and Streamlined Appointment on Patient Sorting and Hospital Efficiency](#) (with Changcheng Song, Nan Yang and Junjian Yi), 1st **R&R** at *Journal of Industrial Economics*.
2. [Risk Attention and Insurance Demand](#) (with Jiawei Mo, Ruo Jia, Chang Zhang), under review.
3. [FDI, Supply Chain Linkages, and Industrial Emissions](#) (with Jiawei Mo and Zhe Zhang), under review.
4. [A Farmer's Odyssey: Environmental Adversity, Productivity, and Adaptive Strategies](#) (with Qunfeng Wu and Yakun Chen), under review.

5. Be Your Own Doctor: Learning by Doing in Health Decisions (with Yajie Wang, Kamhon Kan, and Junjian Yi), under review.
6. Rainfall and Strategic Emissions (with Runhao Zhao), under review.
7. Aging in Haze (with Runhao Zhao, Chong Liu, and Junjian Yi), under review.
8. Regulating with Limited Attention (with Kai Peng, Xuezhu Shi, and Fan Zhang), under review.

Societal Impact/ 决策咨询报告

1. 当前影响企业快速注销的突出问题、发达国家经验做法及对我启示, (with 刘冲, 王耀璟, 刘晨冉 & 彭雯静), 教育部办公厅.

TEACHING (RECENT)

Academic Year 2019/2020 to 2023/2024

Development Economics, Peking University, Semester 1

Advanced Econometrics II, Peking University, Semester 2

CONFERENCES (RECENT)

2024 China Meeting of the Econometric Society, June 2023, Hangzhou, China

2023 Asian Meeting of the Econometric Society, July 2023, Singapore

15th iHEA World Congress on Health Economics, July 2023, Cape Town, South Africa

2023 Chinese Economists Society Annual Conference, June 2023, Wuhan, China

AASLE 2022 Conference, December 2022, Tokyo, Japan

2022 Asian Meeting of the Econometric Society, June 2022, Shenzhen, China

AASLE 2021 Conference, December 2021, Beijing, China

14th iHEA World Congress on Health Economics, July 2021, Online

The Lancet-CAMS Health Summit, October 2019, Sichuan, China

13th iHEA World Congress on Health Economics, July 2019, Basel, Switzerland

REFEREE ACTIVITIES

Economic Journal, Journal of Political Economy Microeconomics, Management Science, Journal of Development Economics, Journal of Environmental Economics and Management, Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization, Journal of the Economics of Ageing, Environment and Development Economics, China Economic Review, Health Economics.

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