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Academic Positions

Assistant Professor
AMERICAN UNIVERSITY
Department of Government, School of Public Affairs 2009-
Courses: Dynamics of Political Change, Chinese Politics, Political Institutions in Comparative
Perspective, Political Analysis, Advanced Quantitative Methods

Graduate Fellow
AMERICAN ACADEMY OF POLITICAL AND SOCIAL SCIENCE 2008-2009

Graduate Instructor
DUKE UNIVERSITY
Department of Political Science 2006
Course: Quantitative Political Analysis

Teaching Assistant
DUKE UNIVERSITY
Department of Political Science 2004-2007
Courses: Introduction to International Relations, Chinese Politics, Intermediate Statistical Methods,
Methods Sequence for Graduate Students

Education

Ph.D., Political Science
DUKE UNIVERSITY 2009
Dissertation: Varieties of Governance: Rural-Urban Migration and Transformed Governance in
Rural China
Committee: Tianjian Shi (Chair), John Aldrich, Karen Remmer, Guillermo Trejo

A.M., Political Science
DUKE UNIVERSITY 2006
Fields: Comparative Politics and Methodology
Coursework in: Comparative Politics, Methodology, International Relations

A.M., International Relations
TSINGHUA UNIVERSITY, IIS 2002
Fields: International Security, Asian Politics, Diplomatic History

B.E., Environmental Engineering
TSINGHUA UNIVERSITY 1999

Certified SAS Programmer
SAS INSTITUTE 2008

Summer Program in Quantitative Methods
UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN, ICPSR 2005

Coursework in: Hierarchical Linear Modeling, Structural Equation Modeling

Summer Program in Survey Technique
UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN, ISR

2004

Coursework in: Sampling, Questionnaire Design, Survey Technique

Research and Teaching Interests

RESEARCH

Political Economy of Institutions and Institutional Change, Political Opinion and Behavior in Non- and New-Democracies, Evolution and Change in Political Culture, Chinese Politics, Statistical Modeling in Political Analysis

TEACHING

Political Economy of Institutions and Institutional Change, Political Participation, Public Opinion, East Asian Politics, Chinese Politics, Research Design, Advanced Quantitative Methods

Refereed Publications

BOOKS

Anglo-American Special Relationship and British Policy toward China (1949–1954), (Xi'an: Xi'an Jiaotong University Press), 2003, with Mouhong Xue (Chinese)

ARTICLES

“One Rising China, Multiple Interpretations: China’s 60th Anniversary Celebration through the Lens of the World’s Printed Media,” *Journal of Contemporary China*, Forthcoming, with Jiangnan Zhu

“When Grapevine News Meets Mass Media: Different Information Sources and Perceptions of Government Corruption in Mainland China,” *Comparative Political Studies*, Forthcoming, with Jiangnan Zhu and Tianjian Shi

“Varieties of Electoral Institutions in China’s Grassroots Democracy: Cross-Sectional and Longitudinal Evidence from Rural China,” *China Quarterly*, Vol. 210, 2012, pp. 482-493

“Bifurcated Images of the U.S. in Urban China and the Impact of Media Exposure,” *Political Communication*, Vol. 28, No. 3, 2011, pp. 357-376, with Tianjian Shi and John Aldrich

“Similarities with Differences: Cultural Values of the Chinese and Americans,” *Journal of Shanghai Jiaotong University (Philosophy and Social Sciences)*, Vol. 19, No. 6, 2011, pp. 49-55, with Ruixia Han, Yongrong Cao, Jian Xu, Kang Liu, and John Aldrich (Chinese)

“The Shadow of Confucianism,” *Journal of Democracy*, Vol. 21, No. 4, 2010, pp. 123-130, with Tianjian Shi

“Political Experience: A Missing Variable in the Study of Political Transformation,” *Comparative Politics*, Vol. 42, No. 1, 2009, pp. 103-120, with Tianjian Shi

“China’s Environmental Diplomacy and Domestic Environmental Protection,” *China Population Resources and Environment*, Vol. 13, No. 5, 2003, pp. 11-15 (Chinese)

“New Economy and the Income Inequality in the United States,” *World Economics and Politics*, No. 2, 2001, pp. 41-45 (Chinese)

BOOK CHAPTERS

“Continuity and Change in the Foundations of Political Trust in Mainland China, 1993-2002,” in *Studies on Social Stability: Between Urban and Rural China*, ed. Tangbiao Xiao, (Shanghai: Xuelin Press), 2011, pp. 3-19, with Tianjian Shi (Chinese)

Work under Review

“Acquiring Political Information in Contemporary China: Various Media Channels and Their Respective Correlates”

“Information Milieu, Cognitive Anatomy, and Distinct Information Foundations of Political Trust”

“Revisiting Media Effects in Authoritarian Societies: Public Opinion and Different Strategies of Media Control in Urban China,” with John Aldrich and Tianjian Shi

“The Battle of Ideas and Discourses before Democratic Transition: Different Conceptions of Democracy in Authoritarian China,” with Tianjian Shi

“How Institutions Matter: Elections and Media in Democratic and Authoritarian Regimes”

Research in Progress

Varieties of Governance: Institutional Change, Local Governance, and Rural-Urban Migration in Rural China (book manuscript under preparation, five chapters completed)

“Language Stereotypes in Contemporary Taiwan,” with Yu-tzung Chang

“Detecting Political Fear in Political Surveys from Authoritarian Societies”

“Spatial Distribution of Political Participation in Contemporary China”

Fellowships and Awards

International Faculty Travel Award
AMERICAN UNIVERSITY 2010-2011

NCID Exemplary Diversity Scholar
NATIONAL CENTER FOR INSTITUTIONAL DIVERSITY 2009-2010
UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

Award for Outstanding Self-Financed Students Abroad
CHINA SCHOLARSHIP COUNCIL 2009

Graduate School Summer Research Fellowship
DUKE UNIVERSITY 2008

Department of Political Science Fellowship
DUKE UNIVERSITY 2003-2007

Graduate School International Research Travel Award
DUKE UNIVERSITY 2006

Summer Research Fellowship

ASIAN PACIFIC STUDIES INSTITUTE
DUKE UNIVERSITY

2004, 2006

Institute of International Studies Fellowship
TSINGHUA UNIVERSITY

1999-2002

Conference Presentations

“Democratic Conceptions and Regime Support among Chinese Citizens,” the 2012 International Conference on New Perspectives in East Asian Studies, National Taiwan University, Taipei, June 2012

“Context Matters: Democratic Conceptions in East Asian Societies,” An International Conference on How the Public Views Democracy and Its Competitors in East Asia: Taiwan in Comparative Perspective, Stanford University, Stanford, May 2012

“Revisiting Media Effects in Authoritarian Societies: Public Opinion and Different Strategies of Media Control in Urban China,” New Faces in Chinese Politics Conference, Duke University, Durham, April 2012

“The Effect of US Perceptions of Government on Opinions of China: Are Country and Government Distinct?” MPSA Annual Meeting, Chicago, April 2012

“Regional Differences in China: Political Attitudes and Participation,” MPSA Annual Meeting, Chicago, April 2012

“Institutional Modernization and Local Governance in Rural China,” the 40th Taiwan-US Conference on Contemporary China, Washington, DC, December 2011

“What To Do and Not To Do with Anchoring Vignettes in Cross-Cultural Data Analysis,” APSA Annual Meeting, Seattle, September 2011

“Attitudinal Root of ‘Locus of Responsibility’: Evidence from Mainland China,” APSA Annual Meeting, Seattle, September 2011

“China’s Image around the Word,” An International Conference on China-Africa Relations and Public Diplomacy, Stellenbosch, South Africa, August 2011

“China Threat vs. China Model: World Response to China’s 60th Anniversary Celebration,” AAS-ICAS Joint Conference, Hawaii, April 2011

“Varieties of Governance: Outward Migration and Transformed Governance in Rural Communities”, APSA Annual Meeting, Washington, September 2010

“When Grapevine News Meets Mass Media: Different Information Sources of the Perceptions of Government Corruption in Mainland China”, MPSA Annual Meeting, Chicago, April 2010

“Informational Properties and a Cognitive Anatomy of Political Trust,” MPSA Annual Meeting, Chicago, April 2010

“Information, Media Exposure, and the Anatomy of Political Trust in Urban China,” AAS Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, March 2010

“Talking Past Each Other? Different Understandings of Democracy and Their Consequences,” the 21st World Congress of Political Science, Santiago, Chile, July 2009

“Anti-Americanism? Bifurcated Images of the US in Urban China and Media Exposure,” Chinese Media and Politics Workshop, Boston, April 2009

“Rural-Urban Migration, Institutional Change, and Local Public Goods Provision,” MPSA Annual Meeting, Chicago, April 2009

“Polycentric Authorities in Rural China,” APSA Annual Meeting, Boston, August 2008

“Society as A Third Party When Central and Local Disagree: Varieties of Electoral Institutions in China’s Grassroots Democracy,” MPSA Annual Meeting, Chicago, April 2008

“Commitment to Democracy vs. Detachment from Dictatorship,” International Conference on Why Asians Support Democracy? And Why Not?, Taipei, China, August 2007

“Political Learning in China’s Grassroots Democracy,” International Graduate Seminar on China, The Chinese University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong, China, January 2007

“Horizontal Mobility and Voting Behavior in Chinese Village Elections,” International Conference on Village Self-Governance in China: Past, Present, and Future, Beijing, China, April 2006

“Mobilization or Learning: An Omitted Variable in Studies on Voting Behavior in Chinese Village Elections,” International Conference on Village Politics and Clan and Lineage in China, Nanchang, Jiangxi Province, China, July 2005

Research Grants

Languages as Meaningful Cues of Political Mobilization in Taiwan, 48,000 USD
National Science Council, Taiwan, NSC 99-2410-H-002-119-MY2, 2011-2012
Co-Principal Investigator, with Prof. Yu-tzung Chang at National Taiwan University

Invited Talks

“Public Opinion Research in Transition China,” Institute of Advanced Studies in Humanities and Social Sciences, Shanghai Jiaotong University, Shanghai, China, December 2011

“Democracy in Mainland China,” Assembly for Democracy in Asia, Taiwan Foundation for Democracy, Taipei, Taiwan, August 2011

“Survey Methodology: Past, Present, and Future,” Center for Asian Culture and Public Governance, Southwest Jiaotong University, Chengdu, China, June 2011

“Information and Public Opinion in Mainland China,” Center for Asian Culture and Public Governance, Southwest Jiaotong University, Chengdu, China, December 2010

“Varieties of Governance in Rural China,” the 146th Washington Asia Forum, Center for Asian Studies, American University, November 2009

Research and Languages

RESEARCH

Co-Principal Investigator, with Prof. Kang Liu and John Aldrich at Duke University
American Presidential Election and China's Image, 2012-2013

Co-Principal Investigator, with Prof. Kang Liu at Duke University
China's Image in Latin America and Africa, in cooperation with LAPOP and the AfroBarometer,
2011-2012

Co-Principal Investigator, with Prof. John Aldrich at Duke University
An Experimental Study on China's National Image in the US, 2011-2012

Co-Principal Investigator, with Prof. Yunhan Chu at Academia Sinica
Asian Barometer III Survey in Mainland China, 2011-2012

Co-Principal Investigator, with Prof. Yu-tzung Chang at National Taiwan University
Languages as Meaningful Cues of Political Mobilization in Taiwan, 2010-2012

Co-Principal Investigator, with Prof. Kang Liu at Duke University
China's Image in Asia, in cooperation with the Asian Barometer Surveys, 2010-2011

Co-Principal Investigator, with Prof. Tianjian Shi and Kang Liu at Duke University
Images of China among American Citizens, a national representative sampling telephone survey
covering 810 subjects in the US, 2010

Principal Investigator

Experiment research on political implications of languages in Taiwan, covering 400 subjects in five
cities of Taiwan, 2009-2010

Project Assistant and Fieldwork Supervisor

Asian Barometer II Survey in Mainland China, Prof. Tianjian Shi, 2007-2008

Principal Investigator

Standardized survey on local governance and institutional change in rural China, covering 870
respondents in 25 villages in 9 provinces of China, 2007

Project Assistant

Survey on Media Exposure and Political Attitudes in Two Chinese Cities, Prof. John Aldrich and
Tianjian Shi, 2006

Project Assistant

Survey on Rural Governance in China, Prof. Tianjian Shi, 2005

Project Assistant

Asian Barometer I Survey in Mainland China, Prof. Tianjian Shi, 2003

LANGUAGES

Chinese: native speaker

English: fluency in reading, writing, and speaking

Professional Affiliations, Memberships, and Service

Member

- American Political Science Association
- Midwest Political Science Association

Professional Service

- Reviewer for *American Journal of Political Science*, *Journal of Politics*, *World Politics*, *Comparative Politics*, *Political Research Quarterly*, *Political Psychology*, *Political Behavior*, *China Journal*, *World Development*, *Social Science Journal*
- Panel Discussant, 2010, 2011 MPSA Meeting
- Panel Chair, 2010 MPSA Meeting

University Service

- Ph.D. Admissions Committee, AU, 2012
- University Faculty Senate, AU, 2010-2011, 2012
- Ph.D. Dissertation Fellowship Committee, AU, 2011, 2012
- Korea Chair Search Committee at SIS, AU, 2010
- University Conduct Hearing Council, AU, 2009-2010

References

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