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EDUCATION

Ph.D. in Management (Economic Analysis and Policy Area) 2018 - 2023 (expected)
Rotman School of Management, University of Toronto, Toronto, Canada
Committee: Nathaniel Baum-Snow (main advisor), April Franco, William Strange
Distinction in the Microeconomics Comprehensive Exam at the Department of Economics

M.Sc. in Economics and Finance 2016 - 2018
Centro de Estudios Monetarios y Financieros (CEMFI), Madrid, Spain

M.A. in Economics 2013 - 2016
Central University of Finance and Economics, Beijing, China

B.A. in Economics 2008 - 2012
Hubei University, Wuhan, China

B.A. in Chu Cai Class of Liberal Arts 2008 - 2012
Hubei University, Wuhan, China

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Urban, Trade, Entrepreneurship, Innovation, and Development

WORKING PAPERS

“Interregional Accessibility and Firm Creation in the Fragmented Economy”, *Job Market Paper*

“Familiar Strangers: Lineage Connection and Diaspora Direct Investment in China”, with Fanghao Chen (Jinan University) and Xiaobo Zhang (Peking University & IFPRI)

“Endogenous Learning and the Skill-Biased Dynamic Agglomeration over Life Cycle”

PUBLICATIONS

“以侨为桥—侨资企业与中国的外向型发展”, 陈方豪, 熊瑞驰, 2022, 1(1):4, 中国经济学

SELECTED WORK-IN-PROGRESS

“Local Connection, Domestic Sourcing, and FDI Performance”, with Fanghao Chen (Jinan University)

HONORS, SCHOLARSHIPS, AND GRANTS

School of Graduate Studies Conference Grant 2022

School of Graduate Studies Conference Grant	2021
Ph.D. Student Fellow at the Rotman Centre for Real Estate and Urban Economics	2021
Rotman China Initiative Grant	2020-2021
Rotman School of Management Dean's Fellowship	2018-2020
University of Toronto Fellowship - Management	2018-2023
CEMFI Master Full Scholarship	2016-2018

SEMINARS & CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

2022 (Including scheduled ones with *): Jinan University, Student-Led Workshop on Entrepreneurial Finance and Innovation (WEFI), NEUDC, North American UEA Meeting, Trade Seminar at the University of Toronto, Asian Meeting of the Econometric Society (AMES) in China , ICCDS

2021: European Winter Meeting of the Econometric Society (EWMES)

2020: Trade Brownbag at the University of Toronto

OTHER ACTIVITIES

NBER Entrepreneurship Research Boot Camp	2020
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TA EXPERIENCE

Managerial Economics (MBA), for Professor Byung Soo Lee	2021
Topics in Innovation II (Master of Global Affairs), for Professor Stephan Hebllich	2021
Introduction to Microeconomics (Undergraduate), for Professor Jack Parkinson	2021
Technology, Strategy, and Policy (Master of Management of Innovation), for Professor Stephan Hebllich	2020
Topics in Innovation II (Master of Global Affairs), for Professor Stephan Hebllich	2020
Quantitative Methods in Economics I (Undergraduate), for Professor Victor Yu	2020
Introduction to Microeconomics (Undergraduate), for Professor Jack Parkinson	2020
Managerial Economics (MBA), for Professor William Strange	2019

RA EXPERIENCE

RA for Professor Daniel Trefler (University of Toronto)	2019
RA for Professor Loren Brandt (University of Toronto)	2019
RA for Professor Monica Martinez-Bravo (CEMFI)	2017

REFEREE

Journal of Urban Economics

GRADUATE COURSES

The Economics of Innovation	2021
Special Topics in the Economics of Technology and Innovation	2020
Industrial Organization II	2020
International Trade II	2020
Networks in Trade and Macroeconomics II	2020
Advanced Topics in Urban and Real Estate Economics II	2019
Labor Economics I	2020
International Trade Theory II	2019
Econometrics I, II	2018,2019
Macroeconomic Theory I, II	2018, 2019
Microeconomic Theory I, II	2018, 2019

LANGUAGES

Chinese (Native), English (Fluent)

REFERENCES

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