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Education:

Ph.D., Economics, University of Pennsylvania, 2011

M.A., Economics, Peking University, 2006

B.A., First Major: Economics, Peking University, Excellent Graduate Student of Beijing, 2004

B.A., Second Major: Applied Mathematics, Peking University, 2005

Professional Experience:

August 2016-Present Associate Professor in Economics, Guanghua School of Management, Peking University

November 2016-December 2016 Visiting Scholar, UPF, Barcelona

July 2011-August 2016 Assistant Professor in Economics, Guanghua School of Management, Peking University

Honors, Scholarships, and Fellowships:

2017	Innovative Research Awards for Young Economists, China Information Economics Society
2017	Excellent Teaching Awards, Peking University
2017	First Prize of Outstanding Achievements in Humanities and Social Sciences Research, Peking University
2016	Beijing Bank Excellent Teacher Awards, Peking University
2016	Wujiapai Awards, China Information Economics Society
2016	Taishin Holdings Best Young Researcher
2015	Taishin Holdings Best Young Researcher
2013	National Natural Science Foundation of China
2012	Guanghua Leadership Institute's Phase III Research Program
2011	David Cass Memorial Prize in Economics, UPENN
2010-2011	Maloof Family Dissertation Fellowship in Economics, UPENN

2010 Gregory Chow Best Paper Awards, Chinese Economist Society
2010 Dean's Scholar, School of Arts and Sciences, UPENN
2009-2010 Sidney Weintraub Memorial Fellowship, UPENN

Publications:

“*Political Competition at a Multilayer Hierarchy: Evidence from China*” (joint with Xing Li, Chong Liu and Li-An Zhou), in *The Chinese Economy: a New Transition*, published by Palgrave Macmillan, 2012.

“*Partial centralization in three-division organizations*” (joint with Siguang Li), *Nankai Business Review International*, 5(2), 187-210, 2014.

“*Dynamic Pricing in the Presence of Individual Learning*”, *Journal of Economic Theory*, 155, 262-299, 2015.

“*Learning and Efficiency with Search Frictions*”, *Frontiers of Economics in China*, 10(3), 449-466, 2015.

“*Can Learning Cause Shorter Delays in Reaching Agreements?*” *Journal of Mathematical Economics*, 60, 49-62, 2015.

“*Common Value Experimentation*” (joint with Jan Eeckhout), *Journal of Economic Theory*, 160, 317-339, 2015.

“*Random Authority*” (joint with Siguang Li), *International Economic Review*, 58, 211-235, 2017.

“*Efficient Learning and Job Turnover in the Labor Market*” (joint with Fei Li), *International Economic Review*, 58, 727-750, 2017.

“*Can Prospect Theory Explain the Disposition Effect? A New Perspective on Reference Points*” (joint with Juanjuan Meng), accepted by *Management Science*.

“*A Theory of Organizational Dynamics: Internal Politics and Efficiency*” (joint with Hongbin Cai and Hong Feng), accepted by *AEJ: Micro*.

Working Papers:

“*Mutual Funds' Reputations and Star Ratings*” (joint with Chong Huang and Fei Li) R&R at *Journal of Finance*.

“*Managerial Turnover and Entrenchment*” (joint with Zenan Wu) R&R at *Journal of Economics & Management Strategy*.

“*Guilt and Relationship Building in the Repeated Interaction*” (joint with Wanchuan Lin and Juanjuan Meng)

“*Tournaments with Targets: Theory and Evidence from China*” (joint with Xing Li, Chong Liu and Li-An Zhou) R&R at *Economic Journal*.

Working in Progress:

“*Mismatch in the Presence of Assortative Learning*” (joint with Jan Eeckhout)

“*The Technological Origins of the Decline in Labor Market Dynamism*” (joint with Jan Eeckhout)

“*Robust Persuasion*” (joint with Ju Hu)

“*Implementing Change in Organizations*” (Joint with Jin Li, Niko Matouschek, Michael Powell)

“*Bidding for Property Rights*” (joint with Fei Li and Siguang Li)

Conference and Invited Presentations:

- 2017 Renmin University, Tsinghua University, AMES, HKUST, UIBE,
Hong Kong Baptist University
- 2016 University of Hongkong, NUS, UPF, Renmin University
- 2015 Academia Sinica, CORE UCLouvain, CUFU, SWUFE
- 2014 University of Hongkong, Fudan University, Renmin University
- 2013 Shanghai Jiaotong University, SHUFE, Chinese University of Hongkong,
China Meeting of the Econometrics Society,
Far East Meeting of the Econometrics Society
- 2012 Tsinghua University, Peking University, SHUFE, Renmin University,
Zhejiang University, SWUFE, Shandong University
- 2011 MEDS Kellogg, Toulouse School of Economics, University College
London, University of Michigan, University of Hongkong, HKUST,
Fudan University
- 2010 Micro Theory Seminar, Pompeu Fabra University (Spain)
Theory Seminar, UPENN
6th Annual Cowles Conference on General Equilibrium and its
Applications, YALE
NAWM of the Econometric Society, Atlanta
- 2009 Search and Matching Workshop, Federal Reserve Bank of Philadelphia

Referee Activity:

Econometrica, International Economic Review, Journal of Economic Theory, Management Science, Review of Economic Studies, AEJ: Micro, Review of Industrial Organization, JEEA, Rand Journal of Economics, RED, Economic Theory, Journal of Mathematical Economics, Journal of Comparative Economics, Journal of Law, Economics, and Organization