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Education

- Ph.D in Economics, University of California, Riverside, USA, June 2015 (expected)
- B.S. in Economics, University of International Business and Economics, China, July 2010

Dissertation

- Title: "River Basin Economics and Management: International Trade, Allocation and Quality"
- Committee: Prof. Keith C. Knapp (Chair), Prof. Richard Arnott, Prof. David A. Malueg

Research Fields

• Environmental and Natural Resources Economics, Applied Microeconomics, International Trade

Working Papers

- Economic and Political Equilibrium for a Renewable Natural Resource with International Trade (Job Market Paper, submitted)
- University-Industry R&D Collaboration Networks

Work in Progress

- The Impact of Trade Policy on the Water Allocation of International Rivers
- A Regional Economic-Hydrologic Water Quality Model: the Case of Lower San Joaquin Valley

Honors and Awards

- Dissertation Year Program Fellowship, University of California, Riverside, 2014
- Dean's Distinguished Fellowship, University of California, Riverside, 2010-2015
- Conference Travel Grants, Department of Economics, University of California, Riverside, 2014
- Conference Travel Grants, Graduate Student Association, University of California, Riverside, 2014
- Outstanding Graduate of University of International Business and Economics, China, 2010
- First Prize Comprehensive Scholarship, Outstanding Student of the University, University of International Business and Economics, China, 2006-2008
- Mathematical Contest in Modeling, Honorable Mention, team leader, USA, 2009
- University Mathematical Contest in Modeling, Second Prize(team), China, 2008
- National English Contest for College Students, First Prize, China, 2007
- Xinhe Cup Risk Management & Insurance Research Project, Third Prize(team), China, 2007

Conference and Seminar Presentations

- Theory Colloquium, University of California, Riverside, November 26, 2014
- Poster displayed at 2014 AAEA Annual Meeting, Minneapolis, USA, July 27-29
- 2014 Chinese Economists Society China Annual Conference in Guangzhou, China, June 14-15, 2014
- 2014 Eastern Economic Association Annual Conference, Boston, USA, March 6-9, 2014

Professional Membership

• Chinese Economists Society, Eastern Economic Association

Research Experience

• Research Assistant for Prof. John Gong, University of International Business and Economics, China, 2010

Teaching Interests

- Undergraduate: Principle of Economics, Environmental Economics, Natural Resource Economics, Introduction to Microeconomics, Intermediate Microeconomics, Managerial Economics, International Trade, Statistics for Economics, Introduction to Macroeconomics, Intermediate Macroeconomics
- Graduate: Environmental and Natural Resource Economics, Advanced Microeconomics

Teaching Experience

• Instructor

Managerial Economics, University of California, Riverside, 2014 Summer

• Teaching Assistant

Intermediate Microeconomic Theory I, University of California, Riverside, 2011 Fall
Intermediate Microeconomic Theory II, University of California, Riverside, 2014 Spring, 2014 Winter
Intermediate Microeconomics, University of California, Riverside, 2012 Fall, 2012 Winter
Managerial Economics, University of California, Riverside, 2013 Fall
Intermediate Macroeconomics, University of California, Riverside, 2013 Spring
Introduction to Macroeconomics, University of California, Riverside, 2012 Spring
Statistics for Economics, University of California, Riverside, 2013 Winter
Forecasting for Economics and Business, University of California, Riverside, 2013 Summer

• Tutor

Chinese Tutor, the Beijing Center for Chinese Studies, China, 2008-2009

Computer Skills

Mathematica, GAMS, MATLAB, EViews, Stata, LaTeX, ArcGIS

Language

• English (fluent), Mandarin (native)

References

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