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Education		
Ph.D., Economics	2020	
SUNY-University at Albany, Albany, NY		
MA, Economics	2013	
Temple University, Philadelphia, PA		
Bachelor of Management Science	2011	
South China University of Technology, Guangdong, China		

Fields

Main: Economic Forecasting,Interests: Applied Econometrics, Public Finance, Business Cycle

Employment

•Assistant Professor	Dec 2020-now
Liaoning University-Li Anmin Advanced Institute of Finance and Economics, China	
•Lecturer	2017-2020
SUNY-Albany	
•Project Manager	2013 - 2014
Yinmore Sugar, China	

Working Papers

• Forecasting State Tax Revenues and Their Uncertainties. with Kajal Lahiri

•Recession Forecasting: A Tale of Alternative Recession-Derivative Indicators. with Kajal Lahiri; R&R at Empirical Economics

Revisiting the Time-Varying Effects of Monetary Policy in China: Quantity versus Price. with Liang Fu
Explaining Inter-State Differences in SSDI Applications During the COVID-19 Pandemic. with Pinka Chatterji, Yiran Han, Kajal Lahiri, Jinman Pang, and Yimeng Yin

•Forecasting Recessions using Daily Yield Spreads: A PRC Analysis. with Kajal Lahiri; R&R at Journal of Business Cycle Research

Publications

•Boosting Tax Revenues with Mixed-Frequency Data in the aftermath of COVID-19: The Case of New York, International Journal of Forecasting. with Kajal Lahiri. 2022.

• Time Series Models, Handbook of Labor, Human Resources and Population Economics (Ed. K. Zimmermann). with Kajal Lahiri. Forthcoming

•ROC Approach to Forecasting Recessions using Daily Yield Spreads . Business Economics. with Kajal Lahiri. Forthcoming as the winner of Edmund A. Mennis Contributed Paper Award in 2022

Work in Progress

 $\bullet A$ Review about the Plans, Forecasts and Challenges of Governmental Revenues in China (in Chinese). with Yuan Fang

• The Dynamics and Forecasts of Governmental Revenues in China. with Yuan Fang

• Collective Heating, Pollution, and Inter-City Mobility. with Dandan Wang

• The Effects of Collective Heating on Air Quality in China: Gains and Loss. with Dandan Wang

Research Projects

Investigator of the following projects:

• Explaining Inter-State Differences in SSDI Applications During the COVID-19 Pandemic (funded by Social Security Administration, NBER Retirement and Disability Research Center, Grant RDR18000003)

Presentations

Presentations or Presentations by Coauthors:	
•2021 China Meeting of the Econometric Society	2021
•41st International Symposium on Forecasting	2021
•2021 Asian Meeting of the Econometric Society	2021
•Workshop on Economic Forecasting in Times of COVID-19	2020
•International Webinar on Post COVID Global Economy (University of North Bengal, India)	2020
•Presentation to New York State Senate (Albany, NY)	2019
•New York Camp Econometrics XIV (Clayton, NY)	2019
•International Association for Applied Econometrics (IAAE) Annual Conference (Montreal, Canada)	2018
•38th International Symposium on Forecasting (Boulder, CO)	2018

Referee Experience

• Journal of Quantitative Economics, Empirical Economics, Journal of Applied Econometrics

Awards

•Edmund A. Mennis Contributed Paper Award (NABE)2022•Helen Horowitz Award for Teaching (SUNY-Albany)2018

Teaching Experience

•Liaoning University:

Instructor for the following courses:

Introduction to econometrics and time series for master students (Fall 2021); Advanced Econometrics and Applications for master students (Spring 2022, Fall 2022)

•SUNY-Albany:

Instructor for the following undergraduate courses:

Industrial Organization (Spring 2018), Tools of Economics (Fall 2016, Fall 2018, Spring 2019), Principles of Economics I: Microeconomics (Fall 2017, Spring 2018), Principles of Economics II: Macroeconomics (Summer 2018, Fall 2019)

Teaching Assistant for the following courses:

Industrial Organization (Spring 2017), Game Theory (Spring 2016, Spring 2017), Macroeconomics 2 (Ph.

D. course, Spring 2015), Microeconomics 1 (Ph. D. course, Fall 2015), Microeconomics (Master Course, Fall 2015), Economic Statistics (Fall 2014, Spring 2015)

•Master students being advised: Ze Tao, Peilun Wen

Software

R, Matlab, Python (minor)

Personal Information

Language: Chinese (Native), English (Fluent) Citizenship: China