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EDUCATION

Duke University <i>M.A. in Political Science</i>	Durham, NC 2025.8 - 2027.5 (<i>expected</i>)
Peking University <i>B.A. in Political Science & Economics</i>	Beijing, China 2021.9 - 2025.6

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Substantive Topics: Party-state, State-society Interaction, Political Selection, Digital Authoritarianism, Policy Evaluation.
Methodologies: Causal Learning.
Geographic Regions: China.
Method Application: Quantitative, Computational, Survey.

WORK IN PROGRESS

1. Beauty as a signal: evidence from China's entry-level political selection, with Wenhui Yang.

SKILLS

Software: Python (proficient), R (proficient), Stata (proficient), ArcGIS (beginner).
Typesetting: L^AT_EX (intermediate).
Language: English (fluent), Mandarin (fluent), Teochew (native).

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Research Assistant	2024.8 - 2025.6
• Supervisors: Weijia Li (Monash) & Shaoda Wang (UChicago)	
• Work: text data scratching & mining	
Research Assistant	2023.3, 2024.12
• Supervisors: Wenhui Yang (PKU) & Zhe Zhang (PKU)	
• Work: served as interviewer in two separate filed surveys	
Undergraduate Research Training Program	2023.7 - 2024.10
• Advisor: Yu Zeng (PKU)	
• Research topic: policy responsiveness in China's health care reform	

CERTIFICATE PROGRAMS

China Studies in Beijing Program	2025.4 - 2025.6
• Offered by Stanford Center at Peking University	
• Technology and Governance in China	
Data and Policy Summer Scholar Program	2023.7 - 2023.9
• Offered by Harris School of Public Policy, UChicago	
• Data Analysis, Programming in R, and Capstone Research Project	