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### **Professional Summary**

Ph.D. Candidate in Economics (Public Finance & Taxation) with expertise in macroeconomic policy, fiscal analysis, and applied microeconometrics. Experienced as a Lecturer (taught 500+ undergraduates, advised award-winning student teams) and in audit/credit roles (supported 432+ SME IPO audits, assessed 30+ daily loan apps). Proficient in Stata/Python/R for data-driven research (e.g., VAT reform's labor market impact, hukou training policies) and published 3 peer-reviewed papers on taxation. Skilled in policy dialogue (presented at 4+ international/national conferences) and aligned with inclusive growth & fiscal sustainability goals.

# Professional Experience

# Guangzhou College of Commerce

Full-time Lecturer, Department of Accounting

Guangzhou, China July 2019 – October 2025

- Instructed 3 core courses to 500+ undergraduates;
- Advised 5 student teams to win national tax competition awards.

# BDO Sun Lun Public Accountants LLP (Yangcheng Branch)

Audit Intern, Audit Department 12

Guangzhou, China January 2018 – December 2018

- Supported IPO audits for 432 subsidiaries; analyzed 5000+ receivables, verified 200+ large transactions;
- Data integration & Ensured more compliance with fiscal policies and accounting standards.

#### Guangfa Bank, Guangzhou Branch

Intern, Credit Management Department

Guangzhou, China January 2016 – December 2016

- Reviewed 30+ daily SME loan apps; assessed credit risk via financials, assets & national policies;
- Check approval for 224 sub-branches & Aided quarterly "SME Loan Default Risks" report.

#### Education

Ph.D. candidate in Economics, Jinan University Guangzhou, China.	Sept. 2021 - Present
Visiting Ph.D. student, University of Mannheim Mannheim, Germany.	Nov. 2023 - Nov. 2024
M.S. in Taxation, Jinan University Guangzhou, China.	Sept. 2017 - June 2019
B.S. in Management, Guangdong University of Finance Guangzhou, China.	Sept. 2013 - June 2017

## **Publications**

2019 Growth of Tax Revenue in Macao since the Return of 1999, Sub National Fiscal Research. (In Chinese), with Manman Hu [PDF] [Summary(English)]

2021 Hong Kong's Tax Assessment System and its Reference to the Mainland, Finance and Accounting for International Commerce.(In Chinese) [PDF] [Summary(English)]

2025 International Exploration, Controversies and Implications of Digital Services Tax (DST), *Tax Journal* (In Chinese) [PDF] [Summary(English)]

## Skills

Programming: Proficient in Stata, Python, R, Latex, SQL

Language: English (fluent); Mandarin (native); Cantonese(native); German (beginner); French (basic).

#### Selected Research

Training for Hukou: Evidence from China (with Shimeng Liu and Wenquan Liang) [PDF] Based on the China Labor-Force Dynamics Survey(CLDS), we find that the participation rate in training has significantly increased after the 2014 hukou reform. The higher the hukou requirements, the larger the participation rate of migrants, with training funds more likely to be self-financed. This phenomenon is attributed to getting bonus points related to the hukou system through training. Besides, migrants with less than a bachelor's degree or less than 40 years old are more likely to train. Training for hukou can improve individual income. However, the income increment for migrants is 62.08% less than the natives, coupled with a low skill match. Despite these skill mismatches and less favorable spillover effects, training facilitates the social integration of migrants into their cities of residence.

Tax Incentives and Labor Market Power: Evidence from China's Value-added Tax Reform [PDF] Using China's manufacturing firm-level data from 1998 to 2007, I measure labor market distortion as the ratio between a firm'smarginal revenue product of labor (MRPL) and wages. Most manufacturing firms operate in a monopsonistic environment, with an average markdown of 2.30, meaning workers earn only 43.47% of their marginal income. Using a difference-in-differences (DID) approach, this paper finds that the 2004 VAT reform increased labor market distortions, particularly in high-productivity, capital- intensive, and older firms, where workers received a smaller share of MRPL.

#### Presentations

2024	The CDSE seminar, University of Mannheim, Mannheim, Germany.
2023	The $7^{th}$ China Labor Economists Forum, Zhejiang University ${\it Hangzhou}, {\it China}.$
2023	The $5^{th}$ Conference of Development Economics, Sun Yat-Sen University Zhuhai, China.
2022	The $4^{th}$ Conference China's Development Theory, Renmin University of China, $Online$

#### **Summer School**

Summer Program of $7^{th}$ Intern	ational Tax Law, Xiamen University, Xiamen, China.	
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2021 Summer Program of Public Economics and Public Policy, Shandong University, Online

#### Grants and Awards

2023-2024 Research	Talent International	Funding Support,	Guangdong Province,	China
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2021-2023 ,2018-2019 Graduate Fellowship, Jinan University

2020 Mentor of 1<sup>st</sup> Prize in Undergraduate Group of the China Tax Challenge Competition

2015 National Inspirational Scholarship, Guangdong University of Finance

#### Teaching Experience

2025 Digital Marketing, UOW College Hong Kong

2019-2023 Python Basic& Accounting & Economics, Guangzhou College of Commerce