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## EDUCATION

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Purdue University	West Lafayette, IN
Ph.D. in Economics	2016 - 2022
<b>Dissertation Committee:</b> Timothy Bond (co-chair), Chong Xiang (co-chair), Farid Farrokhi, Miguel Sarzosa	
M.S. in Economics	2016 - 2019
Central University of Finance and Economics	Beijing, China
M.A. in Economics	2014 - 2016
B.A. in Economics	2010 - 2014

## RESEARCH INTERESTS

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Labor Economics, International Trade, Applied Microeconomics, Gender and Family Economics, Public Policy

## WORK EXPERIENCE

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- Assistant Professor, New Mexico State University *Fall 2025 - present*
- Assistant Professor, The University of Akron *Fall 2022 - Summer 2025*

## PUBLICATION

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- Selva, A. C., Deng, Y., & Zhang, D. (2025). Covid19 and consumer animus towards Chinese products: Evidence from Amazon data. *Journal of Economic Behavior & Organization*, 235, 107047.
- Digital Infrastructure and Export of SMEs: Evidence from China  
Accepted at *Small Business Economics*, with Zhuoran Bai, Junliang Ge, and Yan Zhang

## WORKING PAPERS [\[ABSTRACT\]](#)

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- Marriage Market Signaling and Women's Occupation Choice (Job Market Paper)
- Learning from International Trade: Asymmetric Cultural Transmission and Gender Discrimination  
Reject and Resubmit at *Economic Modelling*, with Jiatong Zhong
- Equal or Fair: Impacts of Export on Wage Distortion in China  
Revise and Resubmit at *Review of Development Economics*, with Yan Zhang, Zhuang Miao, and Kuo Feng

## WORK IN PROGRESS

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- Who Pays for Childcare? Social Norms, Household Spending, and the Child and Dependent Care Credit  
With Timothy Bond
- Product Recalls and Export Decisions of Chinese Firms  
With Jiatong Zhong
- The Effect of Decriminalizing Indoor Prostitution on Marriage Markets: Evidence from Rhode Island's Natural Experiment  
with Ming Fang

## CONFERENCES AND SEMINARS

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- Who Pays for Childcare? Social Norms, Household Spending, and the Child and Dependent Care Credit**
  - CE Microdata Users' Symposium (BLS) *Online, Summer 2025*
  - American Council on Consumer Interests Annual Meeting (Panelist) *Online, Spring 2025*
  - Southern Economic Association Annual Meeting *Washington, DC, Fall 2024*
  - Midwest Economics Association Annual Meeting *Chicago, IL, Spring 2024*
  - American Economic Association Annual Meeting *San Antonio, TX, Spring 2024*
  - Society of Labor Economists Annual Meeting *Philadelphia, PA, Summer 2023*
- Product Recalls and Export Decisions of Chinese Firms**
  - Canadian International Trade Study Group *Burlington, Ontario, Fall 2024*
  - Midwest Economics Association Annual Meeting *Chicago, IL, Spring 2024*
  - Southern Economic Association Annual Meeting *New Orleans, LA, Fall 2023*
- Marriage Market Signaling and Women's Occupation Choice**

- Midwest Economics Association Annual Meeting *Cleveland, OH, Spring 2023*
- American Economic Association Annual Meeting (Poster) *New Orleans, LA, Spring 2023*
- Southern Economic Association Annual Meeting *Fort Lauderdale, FL, Fall 2022*
- American Economic Association Annual Meeting (Poster) *Online, Spring 2022*
- Southern Economic Association Annual Meeting *Houston, TX, Fall 2021*
- **Covid19 and Consumer Animus towards Chinese Products – Evidence from Amazon Data**
  - Northeast Ohio Economics Workshop *Cleveland, OH, Fall 2023*
  - Midwest Economics Association Annual Meeting *Cleveland, OH, Spring 2023*
  - American Economic Association Annual Meeting (Poster) *New Orleans, LA, Spring 2023*
  - Southern Economic Association Annual Meeting *Fort Lauderdale, FL, Fall 2022*
  - APPAM Fall Research Conference *Washington DC, Fall 2022*
  - APPAM Fall Research Conference *Online, Spring 2022*
  - Southern Economic Association Annual Meeting *Houston, TX, Fall 2021*
  - Annual Conference on Global Economic Analysis *Online, Summer 2021*
  - Southern Economic Association Annual Meeting *Online, Fall 2020*
- **Learning from International Trade: Asymmetric Cultural Transmission and Gender Discrimination**
  - Southern Economic Association Annual Meeting *Fort Lauderdale, FL, Fall 2022*
  - Krannert Doctoral Research Symposium *Purdue University, Fall 2019*
  - Southern Economic Association Annual Meeting *Fort Lauderdale, FL, Fall 2019*
  - Labor Lunch Seminar *Purdue University, Spring 2019*
  - Krannert Doctoral Research Symposium *Purdue University, Fall 2018*
- **Equal or Fair: Impacts of Export on Wage Distortion in China**
  - Southern Economic Association Annual Meeting *Tampa, FL, Fall 2025*
  - Economics Forum for Young Scholars in China *Xiamen, China, Summer 2015*
  - China Trade Research Group Annual Meeting *Dalian, China, Spring 2015*
  - China Society of World Economics Annual Meeting *Hangzhou, China, Fall 2014*
  - Forum on Discipline Development of International Trade in China *Beijing, China, Fall 2014*

## HONORS AND AWARDS

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- Chinese Policy Scholars Group 2022 DEI Advocacy Award *Spring 2023*
- Purdue University Teaching Academy Graduate Teaching Award *Spring 2022*
- IPUMS Excellence in Research Award (Best Graduate Student Work) *Spring 2022*
- Krannert Teaching Academy Graduate Student Teaching Award *Spring 2022*
- James A. Papke Graduate Fellowship Award *Fall 2021*
- Krannert Distinguished Teaching Award *Summer 2021, Summer 2020*
- Krannert Doctoral Research Fund *Spring 2021*
- Krannert Ph.D. Research Symposium Award *Fall 2019*
- Outstanding Master Graduate of Beijing (China) *Summer 2016*
- Outstanding Thesis Award of Central University of Finance and Economics *Summer 2016*
- National Scholarship for Masters (China) *Fall 2015*
- Outstanding Graduate of Central University of Finance and Economics *Summer 2014*

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

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- **Course Instructor (New Mexico State University)**
  - Econ 450 International Economics (*Undergrad*) Fall 2025
  - Econ 311 Intermediate Macroeconomics (*Undergrad*) Fall 2025
- **Course Instructor (The University of Akron)**
  - Econ 423 Applied Game Theory (*Undergrad*) Spring 2025, Fall 2023
  - Econ 325 Applied Econometrics I (*Undergrad*) Spring 2024, Spring 2023
  - Econ 244 Introduction to Economic Analysis (*Undergrad*) Fall 2022 - Spring 2025
  - Econ 333 Labor Economics (*Undergrad*) Fall 2024, Fall 2022
- **Course Instructor (Purdue University)**
  - Econ 370 International Trade (*Undergrad*) Summer 2021, Summer 2020
  - Econ 251 Microeconomics (*Undergrad*) Summer 2018
- **Recitation Instructor**
  - Econ 210 Principles of Economics (*Undergrad*) Spring 2017
- **Teaching Assistant**
  - Econ 590 Wage Discrimination (*Master*) Fall 2020
  - Econ 485 Economics of Race and Gender Discrimination (*Undergrad*) Fall 2020
  - Econ 370 International Trade (*Undergrad*) Spring 2020, Spring 2019, Spring 2018
  - Econ 590 International Economics (*Master*) Summer 2019
  - Econ 466 International Economics (*Undergrad*) Spring 2019
  - Econ 615 Mathematical Analysis for Economists (*Ph.D.*) Fall 2017
  - Econ 606 Microeconomic Theory (*Ph.D.*) Fall 2017
  - Econ 590 Computing for Analytics (*Master*) Summer 2017
  - Econ 512 Intermediate Economics II: Macroeconomics (*Master*) Spring 2017
  - Econ 340 Intermediate Microeconomic Theory (*Undergrad*) Fall 2016
  - Econ 252 Macroeconomics (*Undergrad*) Fall 2016

## SERVICE

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- **Department Committee**
  - BA in Economics Program Assessment Committee Fall 2024 - Spring 2025
  - Faculty Recruitment Committee (for Tenure-Track Search) Fall 2023, Spring 2024
  - Graduate Curriculum Committee Fall 2023, Spring 2024
  - Undergraduate Curriculum Committee Fall 2023, Spring 2024
  - Recruitment Committee Fall 2022, Spring 2023
  - Scholarship Committee Fall 2022, Spring 2023
- **College Committee**
  - Faculty Sufficiency and Qualifications Committee Fall 2023 - Spring 2025
  - Research Advancement Committee Fall 2023 - Spring 2025
  - Marketing & Communications Committee Fall 2022, Spring 2023
  - Strategic Planning Committee Fall 2022, Spring 2023
- **Other Service**
  - Student Monthly Labor Review Information Session Fall 2024
  - Second Reader for Senior Project Spring 2023, Spring 2024
  - Future Zips Day (Recruitment) Spring 2023, Spring 2024
  - Ice Cream Sundae Social Event (Recruitment) Fall 2023
  - Hooding Ceremony (Faculty Representative) Spring 2023
  - Talk at Economics and Business Data Analytics Club Spring 2023
  - General Education Social Science Summit Spring 2023
  - Welcome Back Desk Fall 2022

## RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

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- Research Assistant to Timothy Bond Fall 2020 - Spring 2022
- Research Assistant to Chong Xiang Fall 2021, Summer 2017 - Spring 2020
- Research Assistant to Farid Farrokhi Fall 2018 - Spring 2020
- Research Assistant to Yaroslav Rosokha Summer 2017
- Research Assistant to Yan Zhang Fall 2012 - Summer 2016

## PROGRAMMING SKILLS

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- Stata, Matlab, Latex, Python, Mathematica, OneGTAP, SQL, SAS

## REFEREE SERVICES

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- *European Economic Review, Economic Inquiry, Review of Development Economics, Journal of Quantitative Economics, PLOS ONE, Journal of Economics & Management Strategy, Journal of Economics and Politics*

## REFERENCES

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<a href="#">Timothy Bond</a>	Associate Professor of Economics <a href="mailto:tnbond@purdue.edu">tnbond@purdue.edu</a>	Krannert School of Management	Purdue University
<a href="#">Chong Xiang</a>	Professor of Economics <a href="mailto:cxiang@purdue.edu">cxiang@purdue.edu</a>	Krannert School of Management	Purdue University
<a href="#">Farid Farrokhi</a>	Associate Professor of Economics <a href="mailto:farrokh@bc.edu">farrokh@bc.edu</a>	Morrissey College of Arts and Sciences	Boston College