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EDUCATION

Purdue University

Ph.D. in Economics

Dissertation Committee: Timothy Bond (co-chair), Chong Xiang (co-chair), Farid Farrokhi, Miguel Sarzosa

M.S. in Economics

West Lafayette, IN

2016 - 2022

2016 - 2019

Central University of Finance and Economics

M.A. in Economics

B.A. in Economics

Beijing, China

2014 - 2016

2010 - 2014

RESEARCH INTERESTS

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

WORK EXPERIENCE

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

PUBLICATION

- 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.
- Bai, Z., Ge, J., Zhang, D., & Zhang, Y. (2026). Digital infrastructure and export of SMEs: evidence from China. *Small Business Economics*, <https://doi.org/10.1007/s11187-025-01165-5>.

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

- 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

- 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

- **Digital Infrastructure and Export of SMEs: Evidence from China**
 - Midwest Economic Association Annual Meeting (Expected) *Chicago, IL, Spring 2026*
- **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

- 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

- **Course Instructor (New Mexico State University)**
 - Econ 450 International Economics (*Undergrad*) *Spring 2026, Fall 2025*
 - Econ 311 Intermediate Macroeconomics (*Undergrad*) *Spring 2026, 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

- **Department Committee**
 - IB Assessment Committee *Spring 2026*
 - Economic Enrollment Committee *Fall 2025*
 - 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**
 - Attend Kick-off Event for Omicron Delta Epsilon Economics Honor Society *Fall 2025*
 - Student Monthly Labor Review Information Session *Fall 2024*
 - Second Reader for Senior Project *Spring 2023, Spring 2024, Spring 2025*
 - Future Zips Day (Recruitment) *Spring 2023, Spring 2024, Spring 2025*
 - 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

- 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

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

REFEREE SERVICES

- *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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- [Chong Xiang](#) Professor of Economics Krannert School of Management Purdue University
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- [Farid Farrokhi](#) Associate Professor of Economics Morrissey College of Arts and Sciences Boston College
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