

EMPLOYMENT	2022- 2015-2022 2014-2015 2013-2014	Associate Professor, Economics Department, Bates College Assistant Professor, Economics Department, Bates College Visiting Assistant Professor, Economics Department, Trinity College Assistant Professor, Economics Department, Quinnipiac University
EDUCATION		Ph.D. Economics, University of Connecticut, May 2013 M.A. Program in Economics, University of Connecticut, 2006-2007 B.S. Business Admin., Beijing Univ. of Aeronautics and Astronautics, 2002-2006
RESEARCH INTERESTS		Organizational Economics, Law and Economics, Industrial Organization Economics of Education
PUBLICATION - ECONOMICS		“Does Amazon Exercise its Market Power? Evidence from Toys R Us”, with Imke Reimers and Benjamin R. Shiller, 2022, <i>The Journal of Law and Economics</i> (Link) “Openness and Coronavirus-related Xenophobia: The Roles of Trade and Migration.” with Jun He, Ming He, Wen Zhou and Xuanwen Nie, April 2021, <i>PLOS ONE</i> (Link) “A Theory of Pre-litigation Settlement and Patent Assertion Entities.” May 2020, <i>International Journal of Industrial Organization</i> (Link) “Beyond Asset Ownership: Employment and Asset-less Firms in a Property-Rights Theory of the Firm.” October 2016, <i>Journal of Economic Behavior & Organization</i> (Link)
PUBLICATION - PUBLIC HEALTH		“Discrimination and Social Exclusion in the outbreak of COVID-19.” with Jun He, Wen Zhou, Xuanhua Nie, Ming He, April 2020, <i>International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health</i> (Link) “Accuracy and Timeliness of Knowledge Dissemination on COVID-19 among People in Rural and Remote Regions of China at the Early Stage of Outbreak” with Wen Zhou, Xuanhua Nie, Taoketaohu Wuri, Jin-Hai Piao, Dunshan Chen, Hui Gao, Jianmin Liu, Kyedrub Tubden, Ming He, Jun He, January 2022, <i>Frontiers in Public Health</i> (Link)
WORKING PAPERS		“Local Newspapers and Local Events: Ownership, Market Structure, and Responsiveness” with Tin Cheuk (Tommy) Leung, 2026 (Link) “Classroom Peer Effects and Teachers: Evidence from Quasi-random Assignment in a Chinese Middle School” with Steven L. Ross, Working paper 2017-14, Human Capital and Economic Opportunity Global Working Group, the University of Chicago, 2017 (Link) “Bargaining under Potential Non-credible Threats—Bargaining Positions and Mixed-strategy Equilibria”, Dec. 2020 “A New Model for Intermediate Microeconomics—Same Foundation, More Engagement, Flexibility and Diversity”, Jul. 2021

TEACHING
EXPERIENCE

Associated Kyoto Program	Japan and the Digital Economy (Visiting Faculty Fellow - Spring 2024)
Bates College	(ECON 103) Principles of Macroeconomics (ECON 260) Intermediate Microeconomics (ECON 306) Economics of Strategies in Firms and Markets (ECON 339) Industrial Organization (ECON 456) Senior Thesis Seminar (FYS 560) Economics of the Digital World and Human Society
Trinity College	Contemporary Microeconomic Issues Economics of Strategies in Firms and Markets
Quinnipiac University	Economics of Strategies in Firms and Markets Business Statistics

INVITED
SEMINARS,
WORKSHOPS AND
CONFERENCES

2025	International Industrial Organization Conference, Philadelphia
2024	Southern Economic Association annual conference, Washington DC
2022	Society for Institutional & Organizational Economics annual conference, Toronto
	Southern Economic Association annual conference, Fort Lauderdale, FL
2021	The Tenth Annual AEA Conference on Teaching and Research in Economic Education (CTREE), Virtual
2020	IO/Law/Environmental Seminar, University of Connecticut International Industrial Organization Conference, Philadelphia (conference canceled)
2019	Economics Seminar, Lafayette College, PA MIT Organization Economics Lunch Seminar, MIT, MA American Law and Economics Association Annual Conference, NYU, NY
2018	Society for Institutional & Organizational Economics annual conference, Montreal International Industrial Organization Conference, Indianapolis IO/Law/Environmental Seminar, University of Connecticut
2016	Maine Economics Conference, Bates College, ME Labor and Development Seminar, University of Connecticut, CT
2014	IO/Law/Environmental Seminar, University of Connecticut, CT International Society for New Institutional Economics (ISNIE) 2014, Duke University, NC
2012	Organization Economics Lunch Seminar, MIT, MA Consortium for Cooperation and Competition, Robert H. Smith School of Business, Univ. of Maryland, College Park, MD Universitas 21 Doctoral Research Conference in Business, Hartford, CT
2011	Organization Economics Lunch Seminar, MIT, MA European School of New Institutional Economics, Cargèse, France Organization Economics Lunch Seminar, MIT, MA

JOURNAL REFEREE 2025 Journal of Institutional Economics
Quarterly Review of Economics and Finance
2024 Journal of Law, Economics & Organization
Journal of Institutional Economics
Industrial Relations
2023 Journal of Institutional Economics
2022 The Scandinavian Journal of Economics
Journal of Institutional Economics
Journal of Law, Economics & Organization
2021 International Review of Economics Education
Journal of Institutional Economics
2020 Journal of Industrial Economics
2019 International Journal of Industrial Organization
Journal of Institutional and Theoretical Economics
Journal of Institutional Economics
Journal of Law, Economics & Organization
Management Science
2018 Journal of Institutional Economics

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIP American Economic Association, Econometric Society, American Law and Economics Association, Chinese Economists Society, Society for Institutional & Organizational Economics, Southern Economic Association