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Academic Positions

Assistant Professor, Faculty of Business and Economics, the University of Hong Kong (Since Aug, 2017)

Education

2017 Ph.D., Economics, Princeton University
2013 M.A., Economics, Princeton University
2011 B.A., Economics and Finance, Tsinghua University

Professional Affiliations

2017 - Research Institute of Economy, Trade and Industry (RIETI), Japan, Project Member
2019 - Center of Economic Studies and ifo Institute (CESifo), Research Affiliate

Teaching

POLI3031 Politics of Economic Reform in China (undergraduate), the University of Hong Kong
STRA3702 International Business Environment (undergraduate), the University of Hong Kong
PMGM7015 International Business Environment (master), the University of Hong Kong

Publications

"Multinational Production with Non-neutral Technologies" Journal of International Economics, 2020, Vol 123.
"Learning and Information Transmission within Multinational Corporations" (with Cheng Chen and Hongyong Zhang) European Economic Review, 2022, Vol 143.

Working Papers

"The Economic Costs of Trade Sanctions: Evidence from North Korea" (with Jihee Kim, Kyoochul Kim and Sangyoon Park, conditionally accepted at Journal of International Economics)
"Internal Migration, Remittances and Economic Development" (with Xiameng Pan, conditionally accepted at Journal of International Economics)
"Uncertainty, Imperfect Information and Learning in the International Market" (with Cheng Chen, Tatsuro Senga and Hongyong Zhang, revise and resubmit at Journal of Monetary Economics)
"The Impact of the US-China Trade War on Japanese Multinational Corporations" (with Zhigang Tao, Hongjie Yuan and Hongyong Zhang)
"Firm Expectations and Investment: Evidence from the China-Japan Island Dispute" (with Cheng Chen, Tatsuro Senga and Hongyong Zhang)

Selected Work in Progress

“Uncertainty and Expectation Formation over the Business Cycles: Evidence from Japan and the Globe” (with Cheng Chen, Tatsuro Senga and Hongyong Zhang)

“Production and Ownership Networks” (with Cheng Chen and Hongyong Zhang)

“Direct Flights and International Trade: Evidence from Grid-level Trade Data” (with Heiwai Tang and Jiaxu Zhang)

Academic Awards and Research Grants

2021	Hong Kong RGC General Research Fund: “Communication Costs and International Trade”
2020	Hong Kong RGC General Research Fund : “Input Sourcing and Output Market Power”
2018	Hong Kong RGC Early Career Scheme: “Globalization, Capital-biased Technological Change, and the Labor Shares”
2018	Junior Fellowship in International Trade (LMU Munich)
2017	Seed Fund for Basic Research, the University of Hong Kong
2013 - 2015	Princeton IES Summer Grant
2013	Harry G. A. Seggerman ‘49 Prize in International Economics
2011 - 2013	Princeton University Graduate School Fellowship

Presentations

2017	New Faces in International Trade (Penn State), NUS
2018	RIETI (Tokyo), HKU Globalization Workshop, LMU Munich, Barcelona GSE, CUHK, SHJT, Fudan, HKBU, EIIT (Purdue), Tsinghua, China and International Conference in Economics
2019	HKU Globalization Workshop, Asia Pacific Trade Seminars (Tokyo), the European Association for Research in Industrial Economics (EARIE), Jinan University, Midwest Conference in International Trade
2020	AEA Meetings, IESR-SHUFE Online Trade Workshop, Hanyang University
2021	HKUST, Asia Pacific Trade Seminars, China Meeting of the Econometric Society, Hitotsubashi Summer Institute, Jinan-SMU-ABFER Conference on Urban and Regional Economics, Tsinghua CIFER
2022	Tsinghua, ISER at Osaka University, HKU Trade and Development Workshop

Professional Activities

Referee: National Science Foundation, Journal of International Economics, Journal of Development Economics, Journal of Comparative Economics, Review of International Trade, China Economic Review, Pacific Economics Review, Economica, Research Policy, Economics of Transition and Institutional Change