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### ACADEMIC APPOINTMENT

Associate Professor, 2022-, Department of Political Science, **Rutgers University**

Assistant Professor, 2016-2022, Department of Political Science, **Rutgers University**

Postdoctoral fellow, 2014-2016, Center for the Study of Contemporary China, **University of Pennsylvania**

### EDUCATION

**Columbia University**, New York, USA

Ph.D., Political Science, 2014

Fields: Comparative Politics, International Relations

**Peking University**, Beijing, China

M.A., Political Science, 2008

B.A., Politics and Economics, 2006

### PUBLICATIONS

#### Books

*Social Protection under Authoritarianism: Health Politics and Policy in China*, 2020, Oxford University Press.

#### Peer-Reviewed Journal Articles

Xian Huang, Cai Zuo, 2022 “Economic Inequality, Distributive Unfairness, and Regime Support in East Asia” accepted at *Democratization*.

Xian Huang, Cai Zuo, 2021 “Bread or Roses: How Economic Inequality Affects Regime Support in China?” *Political Studies*, doi:10.1177/003232172111048040.

Xian Huang, 2021, “Peace in the Shadow of Unrest: Medical Disturbance and State Response in China,” *The China Quarterly*, Vol 247 (September):724-748.

Xian Huang, Bingxiao Wu, 2020, “Impact of Health Insurance Integration on Health Care: Evidence from Rural China,” *China Economic Review*, 64 (December): 101543.

Xian Huang, 2020, “The Chinese Dream: Hukou, Social Mobility, and Trust in Government,” *Social Science Quarterly*, 101(5):2052-2070.

Xian Huang, Sung Eun Kim, 2020, “When Top-Down Meets Bottom-Up: Local Adoption of Social Policy Reform in China,” *Governance*, 33(2):343-364.

Xian Huang, 2019, “Social Cleavages and Preferences for Redistribution in Contemporary China,” *Studies in Comparative International Development*, 54(3):415-450.

Xian Huang, Qin Gao, 2019, “Alleviating Poverty or Discontent: Impact of Social Assistance on Chinese Citizens’ Views of Government,” *China: An International Journal*, 17(1):76-95.

Xian Huang, Qin Gao, 2018, "Does Social Insurance Participation Improve Assessment of Government Performance? Evidence from China," *Social Science Research*,70(February):28-40.

Xian Huang, 2015, "Four Worlds of Welfare in China: Understanding Subnational Variation in Chinese Social Health Insurance," *The China Quarterly*, 222(June):449-474.

Xian Huang, 2014, "Expansion of Chinese Social Health Insurance: Who Gets What, How and When?" *Journal of Contemporary China*, Vol.23, No.89:923-951.

Xian Huang, 2013, "The Politics of Social Welfare Reform in China: Social Welfare Preferences and Reform Policies," *Journal of Chinese Political Science*, 18(1): 61-85.

### Book Chapters

Xian Huang, 2012, "Collective Wage Bargaining and State-Corporatism in Contemporary China," in *The Chinese Corporatist State: Past, Present and Future*, eds. by Jennifer Hsu and Reza Hasmath. Routledge, pp. 50-65.

### Other Publications

Xian Huang, 2022, "Response to Yanzhong Huang's Review of Social Protection under Authoritarianism: Health Politics and Policy in China," *Perspectives on Politics*, 20(2), 690-691.

Xian Huang, 2022, "Toxic Politics: China's Environmental Health Crisis and Its Challenge to the Chinese State. By Yanzhong Huang. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2020. 280p. 89.99cloth,29.99 paper," *Perspectives on Politics*, 20(2), 686-688.

Xian Huang, 2007, "Quantitative Study of China's Dispute Resolution System," *Economy and Social Development*, pp.89-93. (In Chinese)

Xian Huang, 2004, "Analysis of the Changing Relationship between Bureaucrats and Private Entrepreneurs in China during the 1990s'," *Economy and Social Development*, pp.110-113. (In Chinese)

### UNDER REVIEW

"Health Care Policy in China", with Jane Duckett, in *Research Handbook on Health Policy*, eds. by Daniel Beland, Tuba Agartan, Martin Powell, and Claus Wendt, Edward Elgar Publishing.

"Welfare Policies at the Local Level", in *Handbook on China's Local Governance*, eds. by David S.G. Goodman, Ceren Ergenc, Edward Elgar Publishing.

### WORK IN PROGRESS

The Politics of Risks and Redistribution in Xi's China (book project)

"Social Insurance Preferences in China: Evidence from a Survey Experiment"

"In Government We Trust? Inter-generational Redistribution and Political Trust in China"

"Rich Province Poor Province: Inter-regional Risk Pooling and Redistribution in Chinese Social Insurance Reform"

"Fairness under 'Common Prosperity': Benefits vs Procedure in Fairness Judgement among Rural Chinese," with Cai Zuo

"Regional Pattern in Popular Evaluations of Political Regimes," with Cai Zuo

**ADDITIONAL TRAINING**

Data Science and Text Analysis, Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research (ICPSR) Summer Program, University of Michigan, 2022

Summer Institute in Computational Social Science(SICSS), Rutgers University, 2021

**AWARDS & GRANTS**

COVID Impact on Scholarly Productivity Faculty Grant, Rutgers University, July 2021, \$4,800

Winner of the Hung-dah Chiu Award for the best paper presented in the social sciences division at the Annual Meeting of American Association for Chinese Studies, 2013

Chiang Ching-Kuo Doctoral Academic-Year Fellowship, Chiang Ching-Kuo Foundation for International Scholarly Exchange, 2013, \$15,000

Sasakawa Young Leaders Academic-Year Fellowship, Columbia University, 2013, \$12,000

CIBER Doctoral Research Grant, Center for International Business Education and Research, Columbia University, 2012, \$2,500

Daniel and Marianne Spiegel Fund Summer Grant, Weatherhead East Asian Institute, Columbia University, 2012, \$2,000

Y.F. and L.C.C. Wu Fellowship Summer Grant, Weatherhead East Asian Institute, Columbia University, 2011, \$2,000

Graduate Research Grant, Department of Political Science, Columbia University, 2011, \$4,000

**INVITED TALKS**

University of California-Irving, Law School, 2023

Renmin University, School of Labor and Human Resources, 2022

Rowan College, in conjunction with Rowan University, Global Studies Lecture Series, 2021

Utah State University, Tanner Talk Series on Welfare and Warfare in Crisis in Europe and Asia, 2021

University of Glasgow, Scottish Center for China Research, 2021

University of Pennsylvania, Center for the Study of Contemporary China, 2020

Columbia University, China Center for Social Policy, 2020

Rutgers University, Center for Chinese Studies, 2020

Rutgers University, Center for Chinese Studies, 2019

Fudan University, School of International Relations and Public Affairs, 2019

Shanghai Jiaotong University, School of International and Public Affairs, 2019

Zhejiang University, Department of Sociology, 2019

South China Normal University, School of Public Administration, 2019

Columbia University, China Center for Social Policy, 2018  
Villanova University, Department of Political Science, 2015  
American University, School of International Service, 2015  
North Carolina State University, School of Public and International Affairs, 2015  
Hamilton College, Department of Political Science, 2015  
Emory University, The Claus M. Halle Institute for Global Research, 2015  
Rutgers University, School of Management and Labor Relations, 2015  
Moravian University, Department of Political Science, 2014  
University of Pittsburgh, Department of Political Science, 2014  
Iowa State University, Department of Political Science, 2014

### **CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS**

American Political Science Association annual meetings (2012,2014,2015,2016,2017,2018,2019,2020,2022)  
Midwest American Political Science Association annual meetings (2011,2013,2014,2016,2017,2019,2021,2022)  
Southern American Political Science Association annual meetings (2014,2019,2021)  
Northern American Political Science Association annual meetings (2010,2011)  
Association for Asian Studies annual meetings (2010,2013,2014,2022)  
Association of Chinese Political Studies annual meeting (2013,2019)  
American Association for Chinese Studies annual meeting (2013)  
International Sociological Association Research Committee 28 on Social Stratification and Mobility Summer Meeting, Princeton University, 2019  
International Forum on Social Policy, Sun Yat-Sen University, 2011  
Annual Graduate Student Conference on Political Economy, New York University, 2013  
Annual Graduate Seminar on China, Chinese University of Hong Kong, 2012  
Postgraduate Research Conference, University of Hong Kong, 2011  
Graduate Student Conference on East Asia, Columbia University, 2009

### **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

#### **Instructor**

Political Change in China (undergraduate), Rutgers University, 2017-present  
Political Economy of East Asia (undergraduate), Rutgers University, 2017-present  
Comparative Political Economy (undergraduate), Rutgers University, 2016-present

Politics of Authoritarian Regimes (undergraduate), Rutgers University, 2022

Comparative Political Economy (graduate), Rutgers University, 2017-present

Politics of Authoritarian Regimes (graduate), Rutgers University, 2021-present

### **Teaching Assistant/Fellow**

Columbia University Global Scholars Program Summer Research Workshop, 2013

Introduction to Contemporary Chinese Politics, Barnard College, 2013

Social Protection around the World, Columbia University, 2012

American Politics & Welfare Policy, Columbia University, 2011

Chinese Foreign Policy, Columbia University, 2010 & 2011

Introduction to International Politics, Barnard College, 2010

### **DEPARTMENT SERVICE**

Personnel Committee, Department of Political Science, Rutgers University, 2022-24

PhD student placement director, Department of Political Science, Rutgers University, 2022-

Co-organizer, Conference on Political Economy of Risk and Inequality: Government Policy, Firm Strategy, and Public Opinion, Department of Political Science, Rutgers University, 2022-

Graduate Program Committee, Department of Political Science, Rutgers University, 2021-

PhD Student Admission Committee, Department of Political Science, Rutgers University, 2019-

Faculty delegate to China, Department of Political Science, Global Center, Rutgers University, June 10-21, 2019

Advisory Committee, Department of Political Science, Rutgers University, 2016-2019

Professionalization Seminars for PhD Students, Department of Political Science, Rutgers University, 2016

Comparative Politics Major Exam Reading Committee, 2016-present

Comparative Politics Minor Exam Reading Committee, 2016-present

### **UNIVERSITY SERVICE**

Advisory Committee for Appointments and Promotions, School of Arts and Sciences, Rutgers University, 2022-24

Faculty Associate, China Center for Social Policy, Columbia University, 2018-

Faculty Affiliate, Center for Chinese Studies, Rutgers University, 2017-

Co-founder and Co-organizer, China Lunch Hour Seminar, Rutgers Center for Chinese Studies, 2016-

### **PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIP & SERVICE**

Member, American Political Science Association (APSA) (2008-)

Member, Midwest Political Science Association (MPSA) (2009-)

Member, Southern Political Science Association (SPSA)(2013-)

Member, Association for Asian Studies (AAS) (2010-)

Member, International Sociological Association Research Committee 28 (2019-2023)

Committee Member, Olson Best Dissertation Award, 2018 APSA

Co-organizer, Chinese Politics Mini-Conference, 2021 APSA

Panel Organizer: APSA (2016,2017,2018,2019,2020,2022), MPSA (2015,2017), AAS (2014)

Panel Chair/Discussant: APSA (2017,2019), MPSA (2014,2016,2017,2019,2021,2022), SPSA (2019,2021)

## REVIEWER

*American Journal of Political Science, American Political Science Review, Asian Survey, British Journal of Political Science, China Quarterly, China: An International Journal, Commonwealth and Comparative Politics, Comparative Political Studies, Comparative Politics, Communist and Post-Communist Studies, Democratization, Financial Innovation, Governance, Growth and Change: A Journal of Urban and Regional Policy, Health Policy and Planning, International Journal of Public Opinion Research, International Political Science Review, Journal of Asian Public Policy, Journal of Asian Studies, Journal of Asian and African Studies, Journal of Contemporary China, Journal of Current Chinese Affairs, Journal of East Asian Studies, Journal of Health Politics, Journal of Politics, Policy and Law, Journal of Social Policy, Journal of International and Comparative Social Policy, Mobilization, Policy Studies Journal, Policy Sciences, Political Science Quarterly, Political Science Research and Methods, Problems of Post-Communism, Regulation & Governance, Routledge Books, SAGE Books, Social Forces, Social Policy & Administration, Social Policy and Society, Socio-Economic Review, Social Science Journal, Social Science & Medicine, Studies in Comparative International Development*