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Research Interests

- General Interests: Empirical IO, International Trade, Chinese Economy
- Special Focus: Productivity, Markup, Input Price, Firm Dynamics

Education

The University of Hong Kong 2020 –
Doctor of Philosophy in Economics (Thesis Rated Excellence, Top 10%) *Hong Kong SAR, China*

The University of Hong Kong 2019 – 2020
Master of Economics (Theory-Stream) *Hong Kong SAR, China*

Beijing Institute of Technology 2014 – 2018
Bachelor of Economics, Bachelor of Law (Dual-Degree) *Beijing, China*

Working Papers

“Transportation Network and Market Integration: Evidence from China” (*JMP*) 2024
Guojun HE, Xing HU, Shengyu LI, and Hongsong ZHANG

“Returns to Scale, Productivity, and Markup: Revisit the Export Premium” 2024
Xing HU, Yating JIANG, and Hongsong ZHANG

Selected Work in Progress

“Trade liberalization, Productivity, Markdown, and Markup” 2024
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“The Rise (and Fall) of Chinese Manufacturing Firms: Efficiency versus Market Power” 2024
Xing HU, Yating JIANG, and Hongsong ZHANG

Conference Presentations

Asian Meeting of the Econometric Society (Hangzhou), North American Summer Meeting of the Econometric Society (Nashville) 2024

Hong Kong Economic Association Biennial Conference (Hong Kong SAR), Annual Meeting of the Latin American and Caribbean Economic Association and Latin American Meeting of the Econometric Society (Bogotá), China Opening and Development Research Forum (Wuhan) 2023

Referee Services

International Journal of Industrial Organization, Pacific Economic Review

Scholarships & Awards

Dissertation Year Fellowship (HK\$337,200) 2024 - 2025
The University of Hong Kong *Hong Kong SAR, China*

Postgraduate Student Scholarship (HK\$900,000) 2020 - 2024
The University of Hong Kong *Hong Kong SAR, China*

FBE PhD Research Progress Award (HK\$10,000) 2022 - 2023
The University of Hong Kong *Hong Kong SAR, China*

FBE PhD Entrance Scholarship (HK\$42,100) 2020 - 2021
The University of Hong Kong *Hong Kong SAR, China*

Outstanding Student Awards (Top 10%) 2014 - 2018
Beijing Institute of Technology *Beijing, China*

Special Prize in Student Academic and Technological Works Competition (Top 1%) 2015
Beijing Institute of Technology *Beijing, China*

Certificates

Machine Learning Specialization

2024

DeepLearning.AI & Stanford University

Certificate in Teaching and Learning in Higher Education

2020

Centre for the Enhancement of Teaching and Learning, The University of Hong Kong

Others

Programming: STATA, MATLAB, R, Python, ArcGIS, C#

Languages: English (fluent), Mandarin (native)