

Curriculum Vitae
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EMPLOYMENT

Assistant Professor of Economics, University of Oklahoma	2022–Present
Research Fellow (Assistant Professor), Melbourne Institute: Applied Economic & Social Research, University of Melbourne	2019–2022

AFFILIATIONS

Research Affiliate, Institute of Labor Economics (IZA)	2024–Present
Associate Member, Stephenson Cancer Center, University of Oklahoma	2023–Present
Research Fellow, Global Labor Organization (GLO)	2021–Present

EDUCATION

Ph.D. in Economics, Syracuse University	May 2019
M.A. in Economics, Washington University in St. Louis	May 2014
M.A. in Economics, National Taiwan University	June 2012
B.A. in Economics, highest honors, National Chengchi University	June 2010

RESEARCH FIELDS

Health Economics, Public Economics, Labor Economics

RESEARCH

Publications

“The Fiscal Costs of Public Health Crisis: Lessons from Zika in the United States” (with Yusun Kim), *Public Finance Review*, forthcoming

“Moving Policies toward Racial and Ethnic Inequality: The Case of the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program” (with Alfonso Flores-Lagunes, Hugo Jales, and Norbert Wilson), *American Journal of Agricultural Economics*, 2024, 106(2): 573-594

“Elderly Responses to Private Health Insurance Incentives: Evidence from Australia” (with Yuting Zhang), *Health Economics*, 2023, 32(12): 2730-2744

“Effects of Medicare Part D Coverage Gap Closure on Utilization of Branded and Generic Drugs” (with Yuting Zhang and Cameron M. Kaplan), *Health Economics*, 2023, 32(3): 639-653

“The Effects of Trade Liberalization and Domestic Reforms on Income Inequality in a Middle-Income Economy: Evidence from Taiwan” (with Mei-Ying Lai and Zong-Shin Liu), *Review of Development Economics*, 2022, 26(3): 1286-1309

“Differential Effects by Mental Health Status of Filling the Medicare Part D Coverage Gap” (with Yuting Zhang and Cameron M. Kaplan), *Medical Care*, 2022, 60(2): 133-139

“The Long-Term Impact of Work-Hour Regulations on Physician Labor Supply” *Research in Labor Economics*, 2020, vol. 48, 27-60

“Economic Globalization and Household Income Inequality: An Empirical Study of Taiwan” (with Mei-Ying Lai and Zong-Shin Liu), *Taiwan Economic Forecast and Policy*, 2019, 49(2): 1-46

“The Differential Incidence and Severity of Food Insecurity by Racial, Ethnic, and Immigrant Groups Over the Great Recession in the United States” (with Alfonso Flores-Lagunes, Hugo Jales, and Norbert Wilson), *American Economic Review: Papers & Proceedings*, 2018, 108(3): 379-383

Working Papers

“Effects of Clinical and Socioeconomic Factors on Medicare and Patient Costs for Colorectal Cancer in Australia” (with Ou Yang, Yuting Zhang, Yat Hang To, Maarten IJzerman, Peter Gibbs, Karen Trapani, Sallie-Anne Pearson, and Fanny Franchini), *Revise & Resubmit*

Works in Progress

“Family Planning, Maternal Health, and Infant Health in a Disease Outbreak” (with Yusun Kim)

“Food Insecurity and SNAP Access among Immigrant Households” (with Alfonso Flores-Lagunes, Hugo Jales, and Norbert Wilson)

Research Grants

Junior Faculty Fellowship, University of Oklahoma Research Council, 2023, \$9,208. PI

Richard Ivan Downing Fellowship, University of Melbourne, 2021-2022, A\$25,000. PI

Australian Department of Veterans’ Affairs Research Contract, “Impact of Military Service on Veteran Wellbeing and Aging,” 2020-2022, A\$143,650. Co-PI

Faculty of Business and Economics Research Grant, University of Melbourne, 2020-2021, A\$9,000. PI

Policy Briefs

“Insights about Hispanic and Immigrant Households’ Food Insecurity in the United States and the Role of SNAP” (with Alfonso Flores-Lagunes), *Hispanic Economic Outlook*, 2024

“Who Really Benefits from Private Health Insurance Rebates? Not People Who Need Cover the Most” (with Yuting Zhang and Nathan Kettlewell), *The Conversation*, September 2023

“Private Health Insurance Rebates: Are They Working to Increase Uptake among Older People?” (with Yuting Zhang), *Melbourne Institute Research Insight No. 03/22*, August 2022

“How Do Older Adults Respond to Private Health Insurance Rebates?” (with Yuting Zhang), *Austaxpolicy: Tax and Transfer Policy Blog*, June 2022

“The Future of Healthcare after COVID-19” (with Yuting Zhang, Anthony Scott, and Susan J. Méndez), in *Coping with COVID-19: Rethinking Australia*, Melbourne Institute, December 2020

“Who is Ditching Private Health Insurance during the Pandemic?” (with Yuting Zhang and Anthony Scott), *Melbourne Institute Research Insight No. 30/20*, November 2020 (Media Coverage: *Medical Journal of Australia Insight*)

“Using Health Care during the Pandemic: Should I Stay or Should I Go?” (with Yuting Zhang and Anthony Scott), *Melbourne Institute Research Insight No. 23/20*, September 2020

“Who is Avoiding Necessary Health Care during the COVID-19 Pandemic?” (with Yuting Zhang and Anthony Scott), *Melbourne Institute Research Insight No. 13/20*, June 2020

Government Reports

“Impact of Military Service on Veterans’ Wellbeing and Aging” (with Yuting Zhang), commissioned by the Department of Veterans’ Affairs, March 2022

“Future Development of the Australian National Health Performance Indicators” (with Anthony Scott and Yuting Zhang), commissioned by the Australian Institute of Health and Welfare, May 2020

SCHOLARSHIPS, HONORS, AND AWARDS

All-University Doctoral Prize, Syracuse University	2019
Outstanding Teaching Assistant Award, Syracuse University	2017
Travel Grant, Syracuse University	2017–2019
Graduate Assistantship, Syracuse University	2014–2019
Maxwell Dean Summer Fellowship, Syracuse University	2014–2018
McDonnell International Scholarship, Washington University in St. Louis	2012–2014
Taiwan Ministry of Education Fellowship	2012–2014
Chung Hwa Rotary Educational Foundation Scholarship	2011–2012

Academic Achievement Awards, National Chengchi University 2007–2010

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Instructor

Health Economics, University of Oklahoma Fall 2022–2024, Spring 2023–2024
 Econometric Analysis, University of Oklahoma Fall 2023–2024, Spring 2023
 Economic Ideas and Issues, Syracuse University Summer 2017

Teaching Assistant, Syracuse University

Public Economics Spring 2019
 Program Evaluation (PhD-level) Spring 2018
 Intermediate Microeconomics Fall 2017–2018, Spring 2019
 Economic Ideas and Issues Fall 2014–Spring 2017
 Academic Support Specialist in Economics, Office of Disability Services 2017–2018

BA Honors Research Advisees

Kate Liao, Economics/Biology Spring 2023
 Audrey Dao, Economics/Microbiology Fall 2023–Spring 2024

PhD Dissertation Committee

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PRESENTATIONS

Chinese Economists Society (CES) North America Annual Conference; International Society for Pharmacoeconomics and Outcomes Research (ISPOR) Conference 2024
 University of Oklahoma DFCAS College Seminar; University of Texas Rio Grande Valley; Conference on Economics of Inequity in Agricultural, Food, and Environmental Systems; Southern Economic Association (SEA) Annual Meeting 2023
 U.S. Census Bureau (CED); University of Kansas Medical Center; University of Oklahoma; Syracuse University; Australasian Workshop on Econometrics and Health Economics; Richard Ivan Downing Fellowship Colloquium; Association for Public Policy and Management (APPAM) Fall Research Conference 2022
 Australian Department of Veterans' Affairs; International Health Economics Association (IHEA) World Congress 2021
 Workshop on the Economics of Health and Wellbeing (Monash University) 2020
 Midwest Economics Association (MEA) Annual Meeting; University of Melbourne Health Economics Group Annual Workshop; Melbourne Institute Brown Bag 2019

Allied Social Science Association (ASSA) Annual Meeting; Syracuse University
Applied Micro Seminar 2018

Agricultural & Applied Economics Association (AAEA) Annual Meeting 2017

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

University Service

Guest Speaker, Econ Club, University of Oklahoma 2023

Recruiting Committee for Lecturer in Econometrics, Department of
Economics, University of Oklahoma 2023

Organizer, Melbourne Institute Seminar 2021

Organizer, Melbourne Institute Brown Bag 2020, 2022

Seminars and Social Committee, Melbourne Institute 2020–2022

Selection Committee, Excellence in Graduate Education Faculty
Recognition Awards, Syracuse University 2017, 2018, 2019

Presenter and Panelist, International Graduate Student Orientation,
Graduate School, Syracuse University 2016, 2017, 2018

Other Experience

Research Associate, Center for Policy Research, Syracuse University 2018–2019

Research Associate, Aging Studies Institute, Syracuse University 2016–2018

Research Assistant, Chung-Hua Institution for Economic Research 2011–2012

Referee Service

Health Economics, Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization, Journal of Human Capital,
Social Science & Medicine, China Economic Review, Economic Record

Conference Abstract Reviewer: Agricultural & Applied Economics Association Annual Meeting

Professional Memberships

American Economic Association, American Society of Health Economists, International Health
Economics Association, Australian Health Economics Society, International Society for
Pharmacoeconomics and Outcomes Research, Agricultural & Applied Economics Association,
Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management