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## ***Education***

Ph.D. Economics, University of California, San Diego, 2019  
Mphil Economics, University of Oxford, 2013  
B.B.A. Global Business and Economics (Minor in Math), HKUST, 2011

## ***Academic Positions***

Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, Santa Clara University, January 2020 to present.

## ***Research Interests***

Environmental Economics, Trade, Development, Labor

## ***Publications***

“Heterogeneous Firms under Regional Temperature Shocks: Exit and Reallocation, with Evidence from Indonesia”, *Accepted, Economic Development and Cultural Change*

## ***Working Papers***

“Labor Market Adjustment under Extreme Heat Shocks: Evidence from Brazil”

“Investor Origin and Deforestation: Evidence from Global Mining Sites”, with Ran Goldblatt and Wei You

“Expecting Floods: Firm Entry, Employment, and Aggregate Implications”, with Ruixue Jia and Xiao Ma

- NBER Working Paper 30250; CEPR Discussion Paper DP17462

"Resource Rents, Urbanization and Structural Transformation", with Qing Huang and Wei You

## ***Selected Research in Progress***

“Do Information and Communication Technologies Empower Female Workers? Firm-level Evidence from Vietnam”, with Natalie Chun and Heiwai Tang

“Extreme Weather and Low-Income Household Finance: Evidence from Payday Loans”, with Shihan Xie and Xu Zhang

### ***Policy Papers***

"Sharing the Burden: Household-Level Evidence on Fiscal Consolidation in the European Union", with Sophia Chen and Deniz Igan

### ***Past Positions***

Fund Internship Program, Research Department, International Monetary Fund, Washington. D.C., 2018  
Project Officer, Innovation Lab Unit, International Monetary Fund, Washington. D.C., 2018  
Research Assistant, UCSD, Big Pixel, 2014-2017

### ***Grants and Awards***

NBER Household Finance Small Grant (\$15,000), with Shihan Xie and Xu Zhang, 2023-2024  
University Research Grant, SCU, 2023-2024  
Leavey Research Grant, SCU, 2021-2023  
Travel and Research Grant, UCSD Economics, 2018  
Graduate Student Research Grant, UCSD Economics and UCSD IR/PS, 2014-2017  
HKSAR Government Scholarship, 2007-2011  
HKUST - University Scholarships, 2007-2011

### ***Teaching***

Instructor, Santa Clara University  
Introduction to Macroeconomics  
Graduate Teaching Assistant, UCSD Economics Department and Global Policy School  
Economics of the Environment, International Economics, Economics of Globalization

### ***Presentations***

2023 STEG and IGC Conference on Structural Transformation, Growth and Economic Development\*, Pacific Conference for Development Economics, Center for Economic Studies Seminar - US Census Bureau, Washington State University, UCSD Economics Alumni Conference, CCER Summer Institute, Asian Meeting of the Econometric Society

2022 ASSA Annual Meetings, Virtual Seminar on Climate Economics, San Francisco Fed, Stanford Institute for Theoretical Economics, Housing & Urban, 23<sup>rd</sup> Annual CU Environmental and Resource Economics Workshop, UC San Diego Environmental Seminar, 29<sup>th</sup> Annual Empirical Investigations in International Trade Conference

2021 Online Summer Workshop in Environment, Energy, and Transportation Economics, Urban Economics Association North American Meetings

Before 2019 AERE Summer Conference, ASSA Annual Meetings, IMF Research Department, 12<sup>th</sup> All-CA Labor Economics Conference (Poster), WEAI

\*coauthor presentation

### ***Other Information***

Skills: Stata, Matlab, Python, ArcGIS, Google Earth Engine  
Languages: English (Fluent), Mandarin (Native), Korean (Basic)