2019 International Symposium on Contemporary Labor Economics

The Chinese University of Hong Kong, Shenzhen | 15-16 December 2019













15 December 2019 (Sunday)

Time	Event	Location	
8:30 - 9:00	Registration	14th Floor	
9:00 - 9:15	Opening speech Junsen Zhang, The Chinese University of Hong Kong	1409	
9:15 - 10:15	Keynote speech The Effects of Schooling on Costless Health Maintenance: Overweight Adolescents and Children in Rural China Mark Rosenzweig, Yale University Chair: Junsen Zhang, The Chinese University of Hong Kong	1409	
10:15 - 10:30	Group photo		
10:30 - 11:00	Coffee break	Coffee Bar	
11:00 - 12:00	Keynote speech Ordinal Scales in Empirical Economics: Test Score Gaps, Happiness and Other Tales of Woe Kevin Lang, Boston University	1409	
	Chair: Junsen Zhang, The Chinese University of Hong Kong		
12:00 - 13:30	Lunch	Coffee Bar	
13:30 - 15:00	Parallel session 1	1-A: Education (1409P1) 1-B: Eldercare and pension (1409P2) 1-C: Marriage (1409P3) 1-D: Women employment (1501) 1-E: Trade and labor (1506)	
15:00 - 15:30	Coffee break	Coffee Bar	
15:30 - 17:30	Parallel session 2	2-A: Education and labor market (1409P1) 2-B: Employment (1409P2) 2-C: Search and matching (1501) 2-D: Urban and housing (1506)	
18:00 - 20:00	Conference dinner	Wu Dao ChuFang 五稻厨房	

16 December 2019 (Monday)

Time	Event	Location	
9:00 - 10:00	Keynote speech The Effects of Immigrants on the Educational Performance of Native Students David Figlio, Northwestern University Chair: Huihua Xie, The Chinese University of Hong Kong, Shenzhen	1409	
10:00 - 10:30	Coffee break	Coffee Bar	
10:30 - 12:30	Parallel session 3	3-A: Fertility (1501) 3-B: Migration (1506) 3-C: Peer effects (1513) 3-D: Poverty (1515) 3-E: Macro and finance (1516)	
12:30 - 14:00	Lunch	Coffee Bar	
14:00 - 15:00	Keynote speech Labor Market Institutions and the Distribution of Wages: The Role of Spillover Effects Thomas Lemieux, University of British Columbia Chair: Naijia Guo, The Chinese University of Hong Kong	1409	
15:00 - 15:30	Coffee break	Coffee Bar	
15:30 - 17:00	Parallel session 4	4-A: Education and migration (1501) 4-B: Environment (1506) 4-C: Gender gap (1513) 4-D: Labor market (1516)	
17:00 - 17:30	Coffee break	Coffee Bar	
17:30 - 18:30	Keynote speech The Promotion Signaling Hypothesis <i>Michael Waldman, Cornell University</i> Chair: Emily Yiying Zheng, The Chinese University of Hong Kong, Shenzhen	1409	

*1409, 1409P1, 1409P2, 1409P3, and Coffee Bar are located at 14th Floor 1501, 1506, 1513, 1515, 1516 are located at 15th Floor

Conference Proceeding

Each keynote speech consists of 45-minute presentation time and 15-minute Q&A. A parallel session consists of 2 - 4 presentations, each presentation consists of 25-minute presentation time and 5-minute Q&A. The last presenter in a parallel session is designated as the session chair.

Session 1-A: Education

Time: 13:30 - 15:00 | Venue: 1409P1

Session Chair: Danli Wang, Shanghai University of International Business and Economics

The Causal Effects of Parents' Schooling on Children's Schooling in Urban China

Jere R. Behrman, University of Pennsylvania; Yuan Hu, Jinan University*, Junsen Zhang, The Chinese University of Hong Kong

Economic Reform and Human Capital Investment: Evidence from China's Land Reform

Wei Luo, The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology

(From) the Kungfu's Curse: The Effect of Clan Conflicts on Education and Its Evolution

Ming Lu, Shanghai Jiaotong University;

Danli Wang, Shanghai University of International Business and Economics*

Session 1-B: Eldercare and pension

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Time: 13:30 - 15:00 | Venue: 1409P2

Session Chair: Ruixin Wang, Harbin Institute of Technology, Shenzhen

The Effect of Introducing a Universal Pension on Elderly Poverty in China

Katsushi S. Imai, University of Manchester, and Kobe University; Anqi Zhang, University of Manchester*

Family Support or Social Support: Evidence from Family Planning Policy in China

Shujuan Zhang, The Chinese University of Hong Kong

Empowering the Elderly - the Effect of Pensions on Eldercare Mode, Brideprice, and Sex Ratio

Naijia Guo, The Chinese University of Hong Kong; Wei Huang, National University of Singapore; Ruixin Wang, Harbin Institute of Technology, Shenzhen*

Session 1-C: Marriage

Time: 13:30 - 15:00 | Venue: 1409P3

Session Chair: David Ong, Jinan University-University of Birmingham Joint Institute

Gratitude, Bargaining, and Intergenerational Interactions

Weiguang Deng, Hunan University*; Xue Li, Hunan University

Endowments and Gender Differences in the Marriage Market: The MZ-DZ Twin Experiment

Xuyan Lou, University of Nottingham Ningbo China*; Junjian Yi, National University of Singapore; Junsen Zhang, The Chinese University of Hong Kong

Hard to Get: the Scarcity of Women and the Competition for High-income Men in Urban China

David Ong, Jinan University-University of Birmingham Joint Institute*;

Yu (Alan) Yang, University of Wisconsin, Madison; Junsen Zhang, The Chinese University of Hong Kong

Time: 13:30 - 15:00 | Venue: 1501

Time: 13:30 - 15:00 | Venue: 1506

Time: 15:30 - 17:30 | Venue: 1409P1

Session 1-D: Women employment

Session Chair: Shulong Kang, Dongbei University of Finance and Economics

Preschool Quality and Women's Off-Farm Labor Force Participation: Evidence from China

Chengfang Liu, Peking University; Shaoping Li, Peking University*; Xinyu Wang, Peking University; Kevin Chen, Zhejiang University, and International Food Policy Research Institute; Renfu Luo, Peking University, and Jiangxi Agricultural University; Yanying Yu, Zhejiang University

Gender Identity, Self-employment Decision, and Women's Well-being

Zhidong Pan, The Chinese University of Hong Kong*; Bing Ye, Zhejiang University

Who Cares: Deciphering China's Female Employment Paradox

Haiyue Yu, Dongbei University of Finance and Economics*; Jin Cao, Norges Bank; Shulong Kang, Dongbei University of Finance and Economics*

Session 1-E: Trade and labor

Session Chair: Minghai Zhou, University of Nottingham Ningbo China

Do Chinese Firms Take over U.S. Jobs? - Revisiting China Shock

Bing Li, Central University of Finance and Economics*; Jiacheng Chen, Central University of Finance and Economics

China's Export Surge and the New Margins of Trade

Chen Liu, University of California, San Diego; Xiao Ma, University of California, San Diego*

Gender Effects of Trade Liberalization and Structural Change in China

Feicheng Wang, University of Göttingen; Krisztina Kis-Katos, University of Göttingen; Minghai Zhou, University of Nottingham Ningbo China*

Session 2-A: Education and labor market

Session Chair: Sugin Ge, Virginia Tech

The Effect of Sibling Gender Composition on Women's Education and Occupational Choice

Yue Gu, University of Edinburgh

Lifetime Return to Education in a Fast Growing Economy

Bingbing Li, Tsinghua University*; Binzhen Wu, Tsinghua University

Law and Gender Inequality in Muslim Countries: A Case Study of Jordan

Takeshi Daimon, Waseda University

Elite Schools and Opting In: Effects of College Selectivity on Career and Family Outcomes

Suqin Ge, Virginia Tech*; Elliott Isaac, Tulane University; Amalia Miller, University of Virginia, NBER and IZA

Time: 15:30 - 17:30 | Venue: 1409P2

Time: 15:30 - 17:30 | Venue: 1501

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Session 2-B: Employment

Session Chair: Zhenda Yin, Peking University

Political Connections Reduce Job Creation

Ishac Diwan, Harvard University; Jamal Ibrahim Haidar, The American University in Cairo*

The Dynamic Behavior in Work Absence

Yuhao Li, Wuhan University

The Effect of Student Work on Labor Market Outcomes:

Empirical Analysis Using Household Survey Data from Selected Developing Countries

Tomomi Yamane, Hiroshima University

Positive Selection of Employees

Zhenda Yin, Peking University

Session 2-C: Search and matching

Session Chair: Yi Chen, Jinan University

Fertility and Gender Gap in Cognitive Skills

Minhee Chae, The Australian National University

The Boomerang College Kids: Coresidence and Job Mismatch

Stefania Albanesi, University of Pittsburgh, NBER and CEPR;

Rania Gihleb, University of Pittsburgh, and IZA; Ning Zhang, University of Pittsburgh*

Personality Traits, Job Search and the Gender Wage Gap

Chris Flinn, New York University and Collegio Carlo Alberto;

Petra Todd, University of Pennsylvania, NBER and IZA; Weilong Zhang, University of Cambridge*

An Anatomy of An Online Job Market: Evidence for Directed Search with Multiple Applications

Yi Chen, Jinan University*; Hanming Fang, University of Pennsylvania, ShanghaiTech University, and NBER

Session 2-D: Urban and housing

Session Chair: Fei Wang, Renmin University of China

Fertility and Child Quality in China: Evidence from Exogenous Wealth Changes

Mingzhe Tang, Shandong University*; N. Edward Coulson, University of California, Irvine

Short-Run and Long-Run Effects of Sizable Child Subsidy: Evidence from Russia

Ilia Sorvachev, University of Wisconsin-Madison; Evgeny Yakovlev, New Economic School*

Can Private Schools Slow Down the Capitalization of Public School Quality into House Values? Evidence from Shanghai

Tidiane Ly, CNRS, GATE Lyon-St Etienne; Tianyu Wang, Renmin University of China; Chuanyong Zhang, Shanghai Jiao Tong University; Zhejin Zhao, University of Hong Kong*

Housing Wealth and Fertility: Theory and Evidence for a Developing Country

Hong Liu, Central University of Finance and Economics;

Lili Liu, Central University of Finance and Economics; Fei Wang, Renmin University of China*

Time: 10:30 - 12:30 | Venue: 1506

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Session 3-A: Fertility

Time: 10:30 - 12:30 | Venue: 1501

Session Chair: Jingjing Ye, Southwestern University of Finance and Economics

Schooling, Skill Demand and Differential Fertility in the Process of Structural Transformation

T. Terry Cheung, Academia Sinica

Rationing Income Effect and the Child Quantity-Quality Trade-off

Rufei Guo, Wuhan University*; Junjian Yi, National University of Singapore; Junsen Zhang, The Chinese University of Hong Kong

The Sacrificing Older Sisters: Evidence from the Relaxation of One Child Policy in Rural China

Boxi Yang, Simon Fraser University

Fertility Response to the Relaxation of China's One-Child Policy

Jingjing Ye, Southwestern University of Finance and Economics*; Junsen Zhang, The Chinese University of Hong Kong

Session 3-B: Migration

Session Chair: Naijia Guo, The Chinese University of Hong Kong

Internal Migration and Remittances Under Uncertainty and Shocks:

Evidence of the New Economics of Labour Migration in Thailand

Thi Minh Tam Bui, Srinakharinwirot University*; Korinek Kim, University of Utah

Internal Migration and Extended Families in China

Ling Zhong, Cheung Kong Graduate School of Business

Selective Migration and Agricultural Productivity Gap: Evidence from China

Qingen Gai, Shanghai University of Finance and Economics; Naijia Guo, The Chinese University of Hong Kong*; Bingjing Li, National University of Singapore; Qinghua Shi, Shanghai Jiaotong University; Xiaodong Zhu, University of Toronto

Session 3-C: Peer effects

Session Chair: Weiguang Deng, Hunan University

Are Migrant and Left-behind Children Bad Apples?

Evidence from Classroom Random Assignment in China

Zibin Huang, University of Rochester

Reconsidering Optimal Peer Assignments:

How do Peer Personality Differences Matter in Knowledge Spillover?

Li Li, Jinan University-University of Birmingham Joint Institute*;

Eric Mak, Jinan University-University of Birmingham Joint Institute*; Chunchao Wang, Jinan University

Spillovers in Childbearing Decisions and Fertility Transitions:

Evidence from China's Family Planning Policies

Pauline Rossi, University of Amsterdam, Tinbergen Institute, and CEPR;

Yun Xiao, University of Amsterdam, and Tinbergen Institute*

Peer Effects in Charitable Behaviors Among College Students: Evidence from a Random Assignment

Weiguang Deng, Hunan University*; Shengjun Jiang, Wuhan University; Xue Li, Hunan University

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Session 3-D: Poverty

Time: 10:30 - 12:30 | Venue: 1515 Session Chair: Jipeng Zhang, Southwestern University of Finance and Economics

The Role of Secondary Town on Household's Welfare and Poverty Reduction: Evidences from Vietnam Phuong Thanh Bui, University of Manchester

Moving to Opportunity: The Effects of the Targeted Poverty Alleviation Relocation Program in China

Li Zhang, Renmin University of China*; Lunyu Xie, Renmin University of China:

Xinye Zheng, Renmin University of China

Unconditional Cash Transfer in Early Life and the Development of Cognitive Skills

Ligiu Zhao, Renmin University of China

The Long-Run Effects of Poverty Alleviation Resettlement on Children Development with Gender Gap: **Evidence from a Natural Experiment in China**

Lue Zhan, Southwestern University of Finance and Economics;

Jipeng Zhang, Southwestern University of Finance and Economics*;

Chong Lu, Southwestern University of Finance and Economics

Session 3-E: Macro and finance

Session Chair: Shu Cai, Jinan University

Financial Access and Time Preference: Longitudinal Evidence from Indonesia

Jiaying Chen, The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology

Expenditure Cascades: Evidence from Bush Administration Tax Reforms

Jinseong Park, Jinan University

Inflation, Investment and Unemployment: A New Monetarist Framework

Xun Gong, Zhejiang University*; Benoit Julien, University of New South Wales;

Yu Zhu. Bank of Canada

Can Microcredit Program Crowd out Informal Financial Networks?

Evidence from a Randomized Control Trial in China

Shu Cai, Jinan University

Session 4-A: Education and migration

Session Chair: Yuanyuan Chen, Shanghai University of Finance and Economics

Should School-Level Results of National Assessments Be Made Public?

Atsuyoshi Morozumi, University of Nottingham*; Ryuichi Tanaka, University of Tokyo

The Impact of an Audio Bedtime Story Program on the Reading Ability of Students -**Empirical Evidence from Rural Boarding Schools in China**

Xu Li, Capital University of Economics and Business*; Yanan Li, Capital University of Economics and Business; Mingying Ye, Capital University of Economics and Business; Hong Zuo, Zhejiang University

Industrial Robots and Migration Flow in China

Yuanyuan Chen, Shanghai University of Finance and Economics*;

Jing Zhang, Shanghai University of Finance and Economics

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Time: 15:30 - 17:00 | Venue: 1506

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Session 4-B: Environment

Session Chair: Peng Zhang, The Hong Kong Polytechnic University

Energy Saving Can Kill: Evidence from the Fukushima Nuclear Accident

Guojun He, The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology;

Takanao Tanaka, The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology*

Environmental Regulation and the Local Labor Market

Ying Chen, Xiamen University

The Effect of Air Pollution on Migration: Evidence from China

Shuai Chen, Zhejiang University; Paulina Oliva, University of California, Irvine, and NBER;

Peng Zhang, The Hong Kong Polytechnic University*

Session 4-C: Gender gap

Session Chair: Elvis Cheng Xu, Nottingham University Business School

Education Price and Income Inequality

Naijia Guo, The Chinese University of Hong Kong; Shuangxin Wang, The Chinese University of Hong Kong*; Rudai Yang, Peking University; Junsen Zhang, The Chinese University of Hong Kong

Gender Gap in Tournaments Participation: Experiments Using a Cooperative Task

Tom Lane, Nottingham University Business School,

Elvis Cheng Xu, Nottingham University Business School*; Ada Ma, Nottingham University Business School

Session 4-D: Labor market

Session Chair: Sisi Zhang, Jinan University

Teams, Career Horizon Diversity, and Tacit Collusion

Jonathan Glover, Columbia Business School; Eunhee Kim, City University of Hong Kong*

Are Shorter Temporary Contracts Worse Stepping Stones? Evidence from a 2015 Reform in the Dutch Labour Market

Ying Liang, Monash University; Kun Zheng, Shandong University*

Estimating Trends in Male Earnings Volatility with the Panel Study of Income Dynamics

Robert Moffitt, Johns Hopkins University; Sisi Zhang, Jinan University*

Minh-Tam Bui	Srinakharinwirot University	Session 3-B
Phuong Thanh Bui	The University of Manchester	Session 3-D
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Ting Yuen Terry Cheung	Academia Sinica	Session 3-A
Takeshi Daimon	Waseda University	Session 2-A
Weiguang Deng	Hunan University	Session 1-C, Session 3-C
Sugin Ge	Virginia Tech	Session 2-A
Xun (Grace) Gong	Zhejiang University	Session 3-E
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Rufei Guo	Wuhan University	Session 3-A
Jamal Ibrahim Haidar	The American University in Cairo	Session 2-B
Yuan Hu	Jinan University	Session 1-A
Zibin Huang	University of Rochester	Session 3-C
Shulong Kang	Dongbei University of Finance and Economics	Session 1-D
Eunhee Kim	City University of Hong Kong	Session 4-D
Bing Li	Central University of Finance and Economics	Session 1-E
Bingbing Li	Tsinghua University	Session 2-A
Li Li	Jinan University-University of Birmingham Joint Institute	Session 3-C
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Xiao Ma	University of California, San Diego	Session 1-E
Eric Mak	Jinan University-University of Birmingham Joint Institute	Session 3-C
Atsuyoshi Morozumi	University of Nottingham	Session 4-A
David Ong	Jinan University-University of Birmingham Joint Institute	Session 1-C
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Ruixin Wang	Harbin Institute of Technology, Shenzhen	Session 1-B

Shuangxin Wang	The Chinese University of Hong Kong	Session 4-C
Yun Xiao	University of Amsterdam and Tinbergen Institute	Session 3-C
Elvis Cheng Xu	Nottingham University Business School	Session 4-C
Evgeny Yakovlev	New Economic School, Moscow	Session 2-D
Tomomi Yamane	Hiroshima University	Session 2-B
Boxi Yang	Simon Fraser University	Session 3-A
Jingjing Ye	Southwestern University of Finance and Economics	Session 3-A
Zhenda Yin	Peking University	Session 2-B
Haiyue Yu	Dongbei University of Finance and Economics	Session 1-D
Anqi Zhang	The University of Manchester	Session 1-B
Jipeng Zhang	Southwestern University of Finance and Economics	Session 3-D
Li Zhang	Renmin University of China	Session 3-D
Ning Zhang	University of Pittsburgh	Session 2-C
Peng Zhang	The Hong Kong Polytechnic University	Session 4-B
Shujuan Zhang	The Chinese University of Hong Kong	Session 1-B
Sisi Zhang	Jinan University	Session 4-D
Weilong Zhang	University of Cambridge	Session 2-C
Liqiu Zhao	Renmin University of China	Session 3-D
Zhejin Zhao	The University of Hong Kong	Session 2-D
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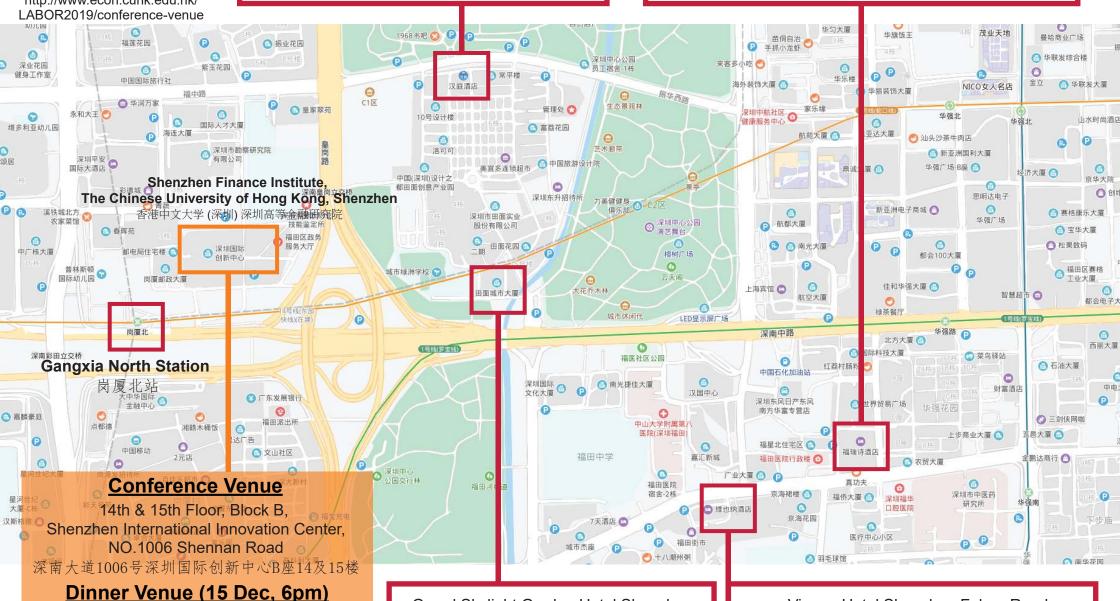
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