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EDUCATION

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| Cornell University PhD student in Economics Dissertation title (tentative): "Essays in Economics of Substance Use and Health" | <i>August 2017 - Expected May 2024</i> |
| Tufts University Master of Science in Economics | <i>August 2015 - May 2017</i> |
| University of Illinois at Urbana - Champaign Bachelor of Science in Mathematics | <i>January 2013 - May 2015</i> |

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Health Economics, Applied Microeconomics, policy evaluation involving substance use

WORKING PAPERS

"The Effects of Oxycontin Reformulation on Homicide," [Job Market Paper](#)

WORK IN PROGRESS

"The Effects of Oxycontin Reformulation on Suicide"
"The War on Drugs Continued: Drug Possession Laws, Controlled Substances, and Public Health"
"Reference Height and Social Activities Participation: Evidence From Add Health"

PUBLICATIONS

Li, W., Lai, Y., Wang, C., & Tan, B. (2022). How Do Emerging Debt Market Participants Recognize Firm Internationalization? Evidence From Effects on Credit Ratings. *Emerging Markets Review*, 53, 100939.

EXPERIENCE AS TEACHING ASSISTANT

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| Cornell University Inequality in U.S. Higher Education Professor Evan Riehl Introductory Microeconomics Professor Terry Alexander, Professor Jennifer Wisink Introductory Macroeconomics Professor Nicholas Sanders, Professor Jennifer Wisink, Professor Stephanie Thomas | <i>Spring 2023</i> <i>Fall 2018, 2019, 2021, 2022, Spring 2019, 2022</i> <i>Fall 2020, Spring 2021</i> |
| Tufts University Statistics Professor Thomas Downes, Professor Joseph Swingle | <i>Fall 2016, Spring 2017</i> |

AWARDS

Cornell University

Sage Fellowship

2017-2018, 2023-2024

University of Illinois at Urbana - Champaign

Graduation with High Distinction in Mathematics

2015

PRESENTATIONS

Cornell Health Economics and Policy Seminar

December 2023

OTHER EXPERIENCE

Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers and Cornell Statistical Consulting Unit

Affiliation Name Disambiguation Project

January 2023 - May 2023

SKILLS

Technical Skills

Stata, R, Matlab, Python, SQL, Latex

Languages

Chinese (native), English (fluent)

CITIZENSHIP

Chinese National

REFERENCES

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