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Employment and Attachment:

August 2008 – June 2009

Visiting at Paris University of Dauphine, Paris, France
2008-2010

International Consultant for Asian Development Bank
November 1st, 2007 – January 30th, 2008

Visiting at the School of Policy Studies, Queen's University, Kingston, Toronto, Canada
September-November, 2005

Intern at the United Nations University/World Institute for Development Economics Research
(WIDER), Helsinki, Finland,

July 2004-Present

Associate Professor, Chinese Center for Economic Studies, Fudan University

Research Interests and Teaching:

Research interests:

Micro Finance, Poverty in Rural China, Social Network, Labor Migration in China

Courses taught:

Microeconomics (for undergraduate students and graduates)

Micro Development Economics (for graduate students)

Econometric Analysis of Cross-Section and Panel Data (for undergraduate students)

Work in Progress:

Yuan Zhang, Wan Guanghua and Zhang Jun, "Is China's Growth Model Pro-poor?"

Weili Ding and Zhang Yuan, "When A Son Is Born: The Impact of Fertility Patterns on Family Finance in Rural China"

Yuan Zhang, Wan Guanghua and Niny Khor, "The Rise of Middle Class and Poverty Reduction in the People's Republic of China" Asian Development Bank Working Paper.

Research Grants and Honours:

“Labour Migration and the Fifth Spike of Crime in China: Theoretic Explanation and Empirical ”
Pujiang Human Resource Funding 2010, 100 thousand Yuan;

“Measuring Permanent and Transient Poverty in China,” 2008-2009, awarded by Asian Development Bank;

“Are Rural Migrant Workers are Discriminated in Urban Labor Market for Rural Household Registration System in China?” 2008-2009, Awarded by the Social Science Funding Program from Shanghai Government;

“Strategies of Anti-Rural-Poverty in China: An Angle from Vulnerability of Poverty,” Awarded by the Education Ministry of China;

“Marketization and Rural Poverty in China,” 2007-2008, awarded by Asian Development Bank;
A Possible Improvement of the Efficiency of Rural Credit Market under Group Lending ---
“Shanghai Philosophy and Social Science, in 2006-2007” awarded by Shanghai Government in 2007.

“Century Star” at Fudan University from 2006-2008.

Financial support from “The IDRC/CIGI Young China Scholars Poverty Research Network”, 2006-2007.

“Golden Seedling Program” from Fudan University, “Evaluation on the effects of Anti-poverty Policies in China,” (05JM009), 2005-2006.

“Excellent Ph. D Dissertation” awarded by Fudan University in 2005.

Editorial Service::

Editor of the *World Economic Papers*, (core Chinese Economics journal), Jan. 2004 to present.

Referee for *Economic Research Journal* (core Chinese Economics journal), *World Economy* (core Chinese economics journal) and *Finance Quarterly* (in Chinese).

Refereed Papers:

2009, Yuan Zhang and Guanghua Wan, “Can We Predict Vulnerability to Poverty?” *Oxford Development Studies*, Vol. 37, No. 3, pp. 277-287;

2009, Yuan Zhang and Lu Ming, “Can Social Network Improve Migrant Workers’ Wage Level in Urban China?” *Management World (in Chinese)*, Vol.3, pp. 45-54;

2009, Yuan Zhang, Li Rui and Zhao Na, “Birth Intervals and Compulsory Education in Rural China,” *Population Science of China (in Chinese)*, Vol. 3, pp. 48-57;

2009, Yuan Zhang, Wan Guanghua, Liu Xiuyan and Xu Qing, “Markitization, Joining the Market Transactions and Rural Poverty in China: Micro Evidences from China” *World Economy (in Chinese)*, Vol. 11, pp. 3-14.

2009, Weili Ding and Zhang Yuan, “Partial Reform and the Interaction of Public Policies,” *Economic Research Journal (in Chinese)*, Vol. 6, pp. 28-39;

2008, Yuan Zhang, "The Thirty-Year Anti-Poverty Battle of Large Agricultural Country; "Economic Transitions with Chinese Characteristics: Thirty Years of Reform and Opening Up", Zhang Jun and Arthur Sweetman Eds, McGill and Queen's University Press.

2008, Yuan Zhang and Liu Xiuyan, "Agglomeration and Economic Growth in China: Evidence from City Panel Data," *World Economic Papers (in Chinese)*, Vol. 3, pp. 60-70.

2008, Yuan Zhang and Ding Yipu, "The Anti-poverty War of A Big Agricultural Country," *South Economy (in Chinese)*, Vol. 3, pp. 3-17.

2008, "Does the Use of Social Network Have Positive Effect on Rural Migrant's Wage? Evidence from China," *World Economic Papers (in Chinese)*, Vol. 6.

2007, "The Development Road of China: Dilemma of Fiscal Decentralization," (together with Yongqing Wang, et al., in Chinese) *Economic Research Journal*, No. 7, pp. 4-16.

2007, "Does the Effect of Social Capital on Poverty Reduction Fall or Rise during Marketization?—Evidence from Rural China," (in Chinese, with Shuang Zhang and Lu Ming), *China Economic Quarterly*, Vol. 6, No. 2, 539-560.

2006, "An Empirical Analysis of Household Vulnerability in Rural China," (together with Guanghua Wan), *Journal of the Asia Pacific Economy*, Vol. 11, No. 2, pp. 196-212.

2006, "Chinese Economy at the Crossroad," (together with Yongqin Wang, et al., in Chinese) *World Economy*, No. 10, pp. 3-20.

2006, "On the Controlling of Income Inequality: What Does Economics Contribute to It?" (together with Lu Ming et al., in Chinese) *Economic Research Journal of Nankai University*, No. 11, pp. 56-63.

2006, "A Research on Anti-poverty Policies in Rural China," (together with Ming Lu, in Chinese) *Fudan Politics Review*, No 4.

2006, "Who Got the Bank Loan in Rural China?" (together with Zhang Hong, in Chinese) *Beijing Financial Forum (Beijing Jinrong)*, No. 3.

2006, "Searching for A Balanced Development Strategy-Book Review," (together with Yongqin Wang, in Chinese) *World Economic Paper*, No. 4.

2006, "A Literature Review on Vulnerability to Poverty," (in Chinese) *Journal of Economics Frontier*, vol. 1, pp. 100-104.

2005, "Land Reallocation, Tenure Security and Long- term Investment Incentive in China's Agricultural Production," (together with Xuqing, in Chinese) *Economic Research Journal*, vol.10.

2005, "A Possible Improvement of the Efficiency of Rural Credit Market under Group Lending," (in Chinese) *Economic Research Journal*, vol.1.

2005, "A Possible Reversed Credit Rationing under Group Lending," (in Chinese) *Journal of World Economy*, vol.8.

2004, "A Proposal and Tentative Studies on Double-Group Lending", (in Chinese) *Journal of Financial Theory and Practice*, vol.9.

2004, "Why Does Group Lending Has So High Repayment Rates?" (in Chinese) *Studies on Rural*

Finance of China, vol.5

2003, "A Review on the Theory of Peer Pressure," (in Chinese) *World Economic Papers*, vol.4.

2003, "Recalculating the Capital Stock of China," (in Chinese) *Economic Research Journal*, vol.7.

2003, "The Influence of Output-Distribution among Members on the Repayment Rate of Group Lending," (in Chinese) *Economic Research Journal*, vol.2.

2002, "A Survey on the Theory of Strategy Trade Policy," (in Chinese) *Journal of Economics Frontier*, vol.2.

Refereed Books:

A Theoretic Study on Group Lending under Asymmetric Information, (in Chinese) August 2005, People's Publishing House of Shanghai.

The Development Road of China, (together with Yongqing Wang et al., in Chinese) December 2006, Century Publishing Coop and People's Publishing House of Shanghai.

Professional Presentations:

May 26-28, 2010, "workshop on Asia's Middle Class", "Poverty reduction and the Rise of Middle Class in China".

June 12-14, 2010, "2010 International Workshop on Employment Dynamics and Social Security and The 10th Anniversary of Employment and Social Security Research Center, Fudan University", "Heterogeneity of social network and migrant worker's wage: evidence from China."

July 8-10, 2010, Second Workshop in Economic Research organized by University of Paris 1, "Can we attribute increasing criminal rate to increasing rural-urban inequality in China?"

Heterogeneous Social Networks and Rural Migrant Workers' Wages in Urban Labor Market of China,

Economic School, Paris University of Dauphine, December 11, 2008.

Economic School of Keluven University, Belgium, April 23, 2009.

Measuring Individual Vulnerability and An Empirical Analysis on Future Poverty and Social Capital

CEA-TED International Conference, organized by CEA and CCES, Fudan University, Shanghai, September 17-18, 2007.

Measuring Individual Vulnerability and An Empirical Analysis on Future Poverty and Social Capital

UNU-WIDER Conference on Fragile States—Fragile Groups, organized by WIDER-UNU in Helsinki, Finland, June 15-16, 2007.

Development Pattern of China---Public Service and Constructing A Harmonious Society, Fudan University, Shanghai, May 12, 2007.

Individual Vulnerability: A Comparative Study on Predicting Methods

IDRC/CIGI Young China Scholars Poverty Research Network Annual Conference, Beijing

Normal University, Beijing, May 13-14, 2007.

Predicting Individual Vulnerability: A Comparison between Two Simulation Methods

International Conference on Development Road of Big Countries, organized by WIDER-UNU in Beijing, January 12-13, 2007.

Credit Constraint and Anti-poverty----Stylized Facts from Formal Financial Market in China

Adam Smith Forum, Nanjing University, Nanjing, June 22-23, 2006.

Anti-poverty Loan and Credit Market Failure----Evidence from Rural China

International Conference on Credit of NGOs and Rural Finance in China, Zhejiang University, Hangzhou China, June 20-21, 2005;

Field Projects:

Principle Investigator, “Babysitters, Labor Division for Women in Shanghai,” September – December 2009, designed survey for urban household in Shanghai, focus on decisions of employing babysitters for urban citizens in China.

July – September 2004, designed survey instruments for rural households in rural China, after a pilot run, survey of 1200 rural households from 20 provinces in China.

Principle Investigator, “Social and Economic Survey on Rural Households in China”,

July – September 2004, designed survey instruments for rural households in rural China, after a pilot run, survey of 1200 rural households from 20 provinces in China.

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