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## CONTACT INFORMATION

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## EDUCATION

**Washington University in St. Louis** expected Jul. 2028  
Ph.D. in Political Science

**Duke University** Jul. 2023  
M.A. in Political Science  
• *Best M.A. Thesis*

**Peking University** Jul. 2021  
LL.B in International Political Economy  
B.A. in Korean Studies

## GRANTS AND AWARDS

Duke University Best M.A. Thesis Award (\$500) 2023  
Peking University Merit Student Awards 2019 & 2020  
Peking University *Gongya* Scholarship 2019 & 2020

## RESEARCH INTERESTS

Political Methodology, Comparative Politics, Political Economy

## WORKING PAPERS

[2] Leveling the Playing Field for Everyone? Large-scale Anti-corruption Campaign and Foreign Direct Investment, with Evidence from China  
[1] Place-based Policy and Intra-regional Inequality: Evidence from China's Western Region Development Strategy

## PRESENTATIONS

### Conference Presentation

2024 MPSA Annual Conference

## RESEARCH ASSISTANTSHIPS

Research Assistant for Professor Yiqing Xu at Stanford University  
Research Assistant for Professor Junyan Jiang at Columbia University  
Research Assistant for Professor Kyle Beardsley at Duke University  
Research Assistant for Professor Haotian Qi at Peking University  
Research Assistant for Professor Tingting Li at Peking University

## LANGUAGES AND TECHNICAL SKILLS

*Languages:* Mandarin (Native), Cantonese, English (Fluent, GRE 160+170+4.5), Korean (Proficient, TOPIK6, TKM-8), Japanese (Intermediate)  
*Technical Skills:* R, Python, Stata,  $\LaTeX$ , Mathematica, Geoda