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RESEARCH INTERESTS international relations theory, experimental methods, political psychology, East Asian security, Chinese foreign policy, U.S.-China relations, grand strategy, and international relations of historical East Asia

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS **Institute of Political Science at Academia Sinica**

Assistant Research Fellow, August 2020

Columbia University

Postdoctoral Research Fellow, 2019-2020

- ◇ Columbia-Harvard China and the World Program
- ◇ Weatherhead East Asian Institute

Columbia University

Lecturer, 2019-2020

- ◇ Department of Political Science

EDUCATION **University of Southern California**

Ph.D., Political Science and International Relations, 2019

University of Southern California

Certificate in Social Science Research Methods, 2017

National Taiwan University

M.A., Political Science, 2009

National Chengchi University

B.A., Diplomacy, 2006

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PUBLICATIONS

1. “Correspondence: Looking for Asia’s Security Dilemma.” *International Security*, 40:2 (2015), 181-186.
2. “Measuring War in Early Modern East Asia, 1368-1841: Introducing Chinese and Korean Language Sources.” (with David C. Kang and Meredith Shaw). *International Studies Quarterly*, 60:4 (2017), 766-777.
3. “The Diffusion of International Norms of Banknote Iconography: A Case Study of the New Taiwan Dollar.” (with Jacques E.C. Hymans). *Political Geography*, 57 (2017), 49-59.
4. “War, Rebellion, and Intervention under Hierarchy: Vietnam-China Relations, 1365-1841.” (with David C. Kang, Dat X. Nguyen, and Meredith Shaw). *Journal of Conflict Resolution*, 63:4 (2019), 896-922.
5. “International Relations Theory and the Strategic Interaction between the United States and China.” *Review of Global Politics*, 73 (2021), 25-30.
6. “Nationalism, Generalized Trust, and Chinese Citizens’ Assessment of American Influence” (with Wen-Chin Wu and Hsin-Hsin Pan). In Rumi Aoyama, Sukhee Han, and Tung-chieh Tsai, ed., *China’s New Diplomacy: A Comparative Perspective of Japan, Korea, and Taiwan*. (2021), Taipei, Taiwan: Wunan Press, pp. 101-124.
7. “Hegemony and Challenge: An Interpretation by IR Theories.” (with Yu-Shan Wu) *Wenti Yu Yanjiu*, 62:1 (2023): 1-45.

UNDER
REVIEW

1. “Strategic Interaction amid Power Transition: Promises and Limits of New Scholarship.”
2. “The Taiwan Strait Challenge: How to Enhance Deterrence without Unnecessary Provocation.”
3. “Debunking Myths: Taiwanese Identities, Status-Quo Preference, and Core Attitudes on National Security Issues.”
4. “The Trust Conundrum: Explaining How Americans View China’s Trustworthiness.” (with I-Lien Lee)
5. “The Authoritarian Lens: How Psychological Factors Shape Chinese Perceptions of American Influence.” (with Yun-Han Chu, Wei-Hao Huang, and Ming-Hua Huang)
6. “State Formation in Early East Asia: A Quantitative and Qualitative Exploration.” (with Weiwen Yin)

7. “Hegemonic Peace and Middle Power Conflict: The Dual Nature of Regional Order in Early East Asia.” (with Weiwen Yin)
8. “The Human Cost of War: An Experimental Study of Taiwanese Attitudes Towards Casualties.” (with Weiwen Yin and Enze Han)

WORKING
PAPERS

1. “The Situational and Dispositional Effects on Reassurance: Experimental Evidence from Taiwan.”
2. “How Do Americans Assess Threat?”
3. “Is China a Radical Revisionist Power?” (with Charlotte Tianran Ye)
4. “The Politics of American Support for Military Interventions: Evidence from a Conjoint Experiment.” (with I-Lien Lee)
5. “When Democracy Meets Chip: Explaining American Citizens’ Support for Intervention.” (with Hsuan-Yu Lin and Nien-Chung Chang-Liao)

HONORS AND
AWARDS

The Ministry of Science and Technology Emerging Scholar Award	2021 – 2024
The China Times Cultural Foundation Young Scholar Award	2018 – 2019
The Chiang Ching-kuo Foundation Dissertation Fellowship	2018 – 2019
APSA Travel Grant	2018
USC Global Fellowship	2017 – 2018
USC Graduate School Summer Grant	2017
ISA Travel Grant	2017
USC Hammond and Julia Rolph Fellowship	2016 – 2017
USC Russell Endowment Fellowship	2016 – 2017
USC Graduate Student Government Travel Grant	2014
The Tsai Family Research Grant	2013
USC SIR Summer Research Grant	2013 – 2016
Sejong Society Research Fund Award	2012 – 2018
Fulbright Graduate Study Grant	2012 – 2014
USC-Taiwan Fellowship	2012 – 2016
Hsing Tian Kong Outstanding Student Scholarship	2011 – 2017
Taiwan Political Science Association Best Master Thesis Award	2010

CONFERENCE
PARTICIPATION

Columbia-Harvard China and the World Program Workshop	2019 – 2022
APSA Annual Meeting	2013 – 2023
ISA Annual Meeting	2013 – 2023
ANU International Workshop on Asian Security Research	2018
Yale University Grand Strategy Workshop	2018
MPSA Annual Meeting	2013, 2016

SERVICE Journal Reviewer
International Relations, International Security, International Studies Quarterly, Journal of East Asian Studies, Review of International Studies, Security Studies, The China Review

SKILLS Programming and Software
 L^AT_EX, R, Python, Stata, Qualtrics

Languages
Mandarin Chinese: Native
Korean: Beginner

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